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Two High Seniors Chosen

SCHOOL NEWS

The valedictorian of this year's senior class is Madie Wasson with a four-year average of 92.681. salutatorian is Howard Forister with a four-year average of 91.906.

The following made the six weeks Honor Roll with an average of "B": Ninth grade-Dorane Teague; 10th grade-Elta Chalk, Christine Clem- stroyed our home.-Mr. and Mrs. W. ents, Zona P. Jones, Betty Zane Teague, Wilma J. Young; 11th grade-Delma Joy, Glenna L. Stevenson, Jeanette Terry; 12th grade-Howard Forister, Madie Wasson.

The Hope school received a check for \$119.60 from the Roswell District Basketball Tournament. Our expenses for 10 players, coach and student manager were as follows: Hotel Norton \$35,38, Busy Bee and Tee Pee Cafes \$53.95, gasoline \$2.25, which makes a total of \$91.58. Seventh and Eighth Grade News

azines and library books for all 12 was never enforced. grades. This is the maximum amount for the size of our school.

books for the library. Some of them are the very latest, such as "The "Thresher," "The Quarry," "Spoonhandle," and "The Yellow Room."

The last payment was made this week on the bleachers which cost \$295.20.

Fourth, Fifth and Sixth

Grade News

seventh graders. Joyce and Jo Ann Parrish have thinks. missed Monday and Tuesday. They will be back with us soon.

Mrs. Moore taught school in our highway engineer. room Friday, as Mrs. Fowler went to In looking over the headlines in see her daughter. She enjoyed her The Fort Worth Star-Telegram and trip very much, but she was glad to The Los Angeles Examiner we find SCHOOL BOARD MEETING be back with us. We enjoyed school that Three Cafe Robbers Die in Gun Friday. Thanks to Mrs. Moore. We Fight-Top Champion Steer to be liked our magic show a lot.

EXTENSION CLUB NEWS

stration at this meeting will be on Decides Pie-Throwing Justified "Personal Grooming." Members are Gunman Flees With Pants Afire ways welcome.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank all our friends and neighbors for their assistance at the time of the fire which de-R. Rouse.

EDITORIAL

Madie Wasson and Howard Forister, who carried off high honors of the senior class, are two fine students. They are a credit to the Hope High School

Senate Bill No. 239 calls for the repeal of section 10-507, New Mexico Compilation, relative to the publish- to form the pattern of his own life, The seventh and eighth grades re- ing of expenses by Villages, Towns to speak his mind, to express ideas, ceived 14 more library books. Only and Boards of Education. The leg-\$100 is set up in the budget for mag-

check for \$48.80 the other day from The high school has received 13 the Bureau of Revenue, Driver's Liporated towns get on driver's licenses issued. Part of this money will applied? be spent on filling up a few holes in the streets with gravel.

"When You Eat, Eat Turkey," state PMA director advises. Increased use of turkeys is needed to evil? The last time our basketball boys move record amounts now in cold played the seventh grade they didn't storage, C. V. Hemphill said this kindliness of the parable of the proddo so well. The scores were 42 to 4 week. Very good advice, but it is igal son, that keeps open the door of in their favor. We congratulate you not needed by the Hope people, at human fellowship, even for those least that's what Bryant Williams

"Highway No. 83 Leads to Vast Market Basket," is the headline to We have made friends with Rose an article that appeared in The Ar-Zella and Frankie Bryan rapidly. We tesia Advocate last week. It was ROUSE RESIDENCE hope they enjoy their new school. written by Mrs. Orville E. Priestley Most of last week Mrs. Teague was and it hits the nail on the head. We o'clock, fire broke out in the W. R.

Chosen Monday-175 Saved in Ho-

tel Fire-Block Swept by Fire, Dam- A Little About This The Hope Extension Club will age \$1,000,000-Austria Is As Guilmeet at the school building March ty As Germany, Reds Say-Concen-19 at 2 p. m. No card will be sent tration Camp Boss to Go on Trialout until further notice and this is Coal Stealing No Crime, Says Halfthe only announcement you will re- Frozen Germans - Salvation Army writes that he is getting along fine away from Hope once in a while . ceive of this meeting. The demon- Came to U. S. 67 Years Ago-Jury urged to attend, and visitors are al- Farmer on Jury, Officer Milks the Pauline Schwalbe and Pilar Ordunez lots southwest of the school house

> report on Germany are too pertinent to let pass. He says:

tary power."

besides military power. OF LIFE.

and ability of each individual person

It means that the government is The Town of Hope received a the servant, NOT THE MASTER.

What other country has sent an elderly former President traveling cense Division. This sum represents through the air, in winter, to find the 40 cents on the dollar that incor- the facts of starvation and to report on how help can most beneficially be

What other nation rejects the doctrine of vengeance and applies the doctrine of brotherhood, even to those who have been guilty of great

What other nation lives in the who had rejected loving-kindness?-Los Angeles Examiner, 3-10-47.

FIRE DESTROYS

Last Wednesday night at about 11 our music teacher. Mrs. Young was hope Governor Mabry reads this ar- Rouse residence. The entire building was destroyed. Most of the fur-Cause of the niture was saved. blaze is not known.

The regular meeting of the Hope school board was held Tuesday night at the superintendent's office. Those present were J. P. Menefee, Jess Musgrave and Leonard Akers. M. D. Brantley and W. E. Rood were visit-

HOPE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hambright and two sons of Leveland, Tex., arrived here this week and are staying at the home of Mrs. Hambright's brother, Jess Musgrave. The two boys started to school Wednesday morning.

"Fowler Fixes the Fashions." There's More to a Cotton Sack Than Meets the Eye. See How Famous De buoys and beacons. America, still stands as a monument to signers Turn Cotton Sacks Into Glamorous Fashions. You Can Read This Story of "FASHION IN COT TON" in The American Weekly, the Magazine Distributed With Next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner. adv

> Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Odle and so Biny, wno have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jess Musgrave, left Wednesday for their home at Corcoran, Cant. Mrs. Odle is a sister of Mrs. Mus-

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liams, Hope, N. M.
"JACK DEMPSEY—MODEL HUSBAND." He Shared the Holidays With Two Ex-Wives and Turned Over His Home To Oblige One of Them. You Can Read This Entertaining Story in The American Weekly, the Magazine Distributed With Next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

A meeting of the farmers of the Penasco Valley is called for Sunday, March 16 at 2 o'clock p. m. at the Hope school house. We don't know what is going to be discussed, but ou had better be there.

And A Little About That

watch repairing trade at Cisco, Tex., Dick Atteberry . . . It's good to get yet; indications are that we will have Brantley is moving a house down a fruit crop . . . Mrs. A. A. Smith, from Mayhill and will erect same on

. . Last Saturday there was a heavy away from Hope . . . fog over the Peenasco Valley; it better known to Hope people as ". . . If Western civilization is to would have been a good day to have survive in Europe, it must also sur- gone turkey hunting . . . Mr. and selling some of his "Sleep Like a Log vive in Germany . . . after all, our Mrs. Allen Blakeney from Elk were Mattresses" that makes lieing easy Flag flies over these people. That here last Saturday . . . Mrs. Williams . . . Mr. Smith, since leaving Hope. Flag means something besides mili- and son Robert, enjoyed a cup of has started a mattress factory in Arcoffee at the C. & R. Cafe last Sat- tesia and also purchased one in Ala-Yes, that Flag means something urday morning . . . Lewis Scoggins mogordo . . . Mr. and Mrs. John Ward received a shipment of day-old went to town Tuesday with a load of It means pride in a FREE WAY chicks last Saturday; now we know wool . . . Mrs. A. A. Smith and Mrs. where we will go to get a few fryers Ruth Schwalbe and Mrs. Chester It means a belief in the rights and at the proper time, that is, when we Schwalbe went to Artesia Wednesdignity of the INDIVIDUAL human get tired of turkey . . . Mr. and Mrs. day to see the doctor . . . Madeline Joseph E. Miller of Mayhill were It means a recognition of the right callers in Hope last week; Mrs. Mill- Wednesday . . . A dispatch from er is the former Roberta Smith . . H. J. Powell and daughter Rachel

were in Hope last Saturday on business . . . Bill Dunnam was a caller at The News office last Saturday; he it . . . and that's the news for this found the editor impersonating a week. working man . . . Walter Coates was on his way to Roswell Monday, to arrange for another horse race most likely . . . The editor went to town Mayhill; he proved to be the Good .

knew better than to run short of gas . Mrs. N. L. Johnson was over to Hobbs this week visiting Mr. and Dale Parrish, who is learning the Mrs. H. J. Dunne and Mr. and Mrs. . . No fruit trees have blossomed But good to get back, too . . . M. D.

ows.

Went to Artesia last Friday, where being moved into Hope instead of the last words of Herbert Hoover's Mrs. Smith consulted a physician being moved into Hope instead of C. W. Smith, "Skinney" Smith, was here last week

Prude was out exercising her pet dog Kansas City states that construction will start soon on a new 1880-foot bridge . . over dry land . . and when completed a river will be put under

Monday and coming back ran out of Regular Advertis-Samaritan and pulled us into town ing Pays Dividends



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82ND AIRBORNE DIVISION

reactivated in 1942 having been known Sicily on July 9, 1943. It moved 150 as the All American Division in World miles in seven days afoot capturing War I, gaining much tame because of 22,000 prisoners. Leaving the 504th and

ting there."

chute field artillery battalions.

It first went into action when it Anti-aircraft Artillery Battalion.

The 82nd Airborne Division was launched the airborne invasion of the exploits of Sgt. 476th Parachute Artillery Battalions, AIRBORNE Alvin York and it's it embarked for northern Ireland and search for the "lost subsequently led the parachute and battalion," operating glider attack on Normandy. Then it afoot as an infantry invaded Holland, and later resisted Von Rundstedt's thrust into the Ar-But whether afoot, denes. It received surrender of the by truck or in the entire 21st German Army of 150,000 air, the 82nd won troops. Distinguished Unit citations fame as "always get- were awarded as follows: Headquarters and Headquarters Co., 82nd Air-The 82nd sailed for Casablanca in borne Signal Co., 325th Glider Infan-April, 1943, its components at that try; 1st Battalion, 504th Parachute; time being the 325th glider infantry 3rd Battalion, 504th Parachute; 505th regiment, the 504th and 505th Para- Parachute Infantry Reg.; 82nd Divichute Infantry regiments, the 319th sion Artillery Headquarters and Headand 320th glider field artillery regi- quarters battery; 319th and 320th ments and the 376th and 546th Pera- Glider Field Artillery Battalions; 307th Airborne Medical Co., and 80th



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and during the war new federal government.

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beacons, fog signals, Boston Light, the first erected in This service dates the early settlers and it was among a back to Colonial days dozen colonial lighthouses ceded to the

was brought to a During the War the Coast Guard peak of perfection to manned a total of 12,076 lighted aids provide a continuous such as lighthouses, light ships, lighted chain of charted buoys and other light signals . . . opmarks for coast pilot- erated 2,159 fog signals such as radio beacons, sound signals and whistles. Boston Light, first lighthouse, built gong and trumpet buoys . . . 20,980

Henry, Sandy Hook, Tree Point Light, As a result of the war, standardiza-Quoddy Head, Lehua Rock, Hog tion of all equipment is progressing Island, Navesink and scores of others and the war itself became a laboratory played their parts in the Coast Guard and class room for the research of new and more efficient navigational aids.

in 1716 . . . Portland Head, Tybee, unlighted aids such as buoys and day-Cape Romaine, Cape Florida, Cape marks. service during the war.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS-

Truman Modifies Tariff Cuts; Buffalo Teachers Point Up Drive for Higher School Pay

(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.)



As Buffalo school teachers strike for higher pay (top), students (bottom) show sympathy by bearing instructors' placards.

TRADE: Modify Program

Seeking to soften Republican opposition to the administration's foreign trade program. President Truman issued an order sharply modifying reciprocal trade agreements.

Acting after consultations with Republican Senators Vandenberg (Mich.) and Millikin (Colo.), Mr. Truman directed that hereafter reciprocal agreements contain escape clauses permitting the President to modify or eliminate low tariff concessions that jeopardize an American industry.

Agreements also will embody a "most favored nation" clause, giving the U.S. the same trade advantages afforded other countries. At present, some states have agreements with others which tend to discriminate against American tween the U.S. and Britain over the

the free exchange of goods and Truman said that this country loil-laden lands. looked forward to the forthcoming ! world trade parley in Geneva, Switzerland. He stated that the U.S. would negotiate for tariff reductions, removal of trade barriers and

U.N.: U. S.-Red Harmony

Suspension of Russian opposition to a U.S. trusteeship over former Japanese mandated islands in the Pacific virtually assured U. N. approval of the American proposal to hold on to the territories for security

Earlier the Russians had threatened to force this country into taking unilateral action on the islands by demanding that the trusteeship question be postponed until formulation of a Japanese peace treaty. While Britain and Australia had joined in the Soviet opposition, it was considered that it would be comparatively easy to adjust differences with them.

In making their about-face, the Russians proclaimed that the U.S. was entitled to the trusteeships because it had made incomparably greater sacrifices than the other Allied countries in wresting them from Japanese control. Under the U.S. proposal, the islands would be held open for U. N. inspection, except for strategic military installations that may be closed for security purposes.

TEACHERS: Biggest Strike

Seventy-one thousand Buffalo elementary and high school students had no classes as 2,400 instructors staged the biggest teachers' strike in U.S. history over substantial pay demands.

The walkout pointed up the increasing pressure for higher teachers' salaries throughout the country not only to keep present instructors within the educational system but also to make the profession more alluring for recruits in a day of increased remuneration in other fields.

Members of the Independent Buffalo Teachers federation and AFL and CIO unions, the strikers demanded a minimum salary of \$2,400 lieve distress.

for beginners and increases of \$1,025 yearly for elementary teachers now making \$1,875-\$2,575 and high school instructors earning \$2,175-\$2,975, plus a state authorized \$300 raise.

Federation President Ast said the teachers walked out after he had Governor Dewey that proposed leg- ing the national debt. islation providing for permanent salary increases would embody the organization's demands. Although some 568 non-striking teachers stayed on the job, the schools were shut down completely because of jostling picket lines and union teamsters' refusal to make fuel and food deliveries.

PALESTINE: U. S.-British Rift

While diplomatic observers expected no major rift to develop beneated exchange on the Palestine

Foreign Minister Bevin's charge that President Truman had disrupt- gressman attempting to restore as ed delicate British negotiations for much of the appropriation for his settling the Palestine issue by demanding admission of 100,000 Jews elimination of discriminatory prac- into the Holy Land before the 1946 raised. congressional elections to get votes was immediately denied by the White House. In a prompt reply, it was said that Mr. Truman's declaration merely reaffiirmed the U.S. position on Palestine taken in the summer of 1945.

> Republican senators were quick to rise to the President's defense. Brewster (Rep., Me.) said that Bevin was trying to make Mr. Truman the "sacrificial" goat for Britain's failure to work out an equitable agreement between Jews and Arabs, and Taft (Rep., O.) pointed out that Bevin had conveniently dropped his proposal for partition of the Holy Land in the face of stiff Arab oppo-

Thank Uncle Sam



Fanatical in war, Japanese are mannerly in peace. Typifying trait, tiny Japanese primary school pupil stiffly addresses thank-you piece to members of U. S. food mission for American provision of nutritious hot lunches to Nipponese students. While the U. S. has contributed \$2,700,000,-000 to UNRRA for relief of liberated countries, the army has spent millions of dollars for food and other essentials in occupation areas to re-

Washington Digest

Experts Needed to Set Impartial Budget Figure

By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, 1616 Eye Street, N. W., | the Opera House in Nuernberg when Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON .- As the wrangle over the budget, taxes and national debt continues

about the only comfort I can offer Mr. Taxpayer of 1947, if he should ask me for it, is a hearty "better luck next year." And that is no vain hope, either.

There is a very

good chance that government will

cost less next year. This will not be due to any Baukhage

widely heralded "swing the axe," or so-called "economy drives" which congress often promises and seldom delivers. If the budget is proportionally smaller next year, it will be because figures prepared by the Bureau of the Budget will have been checked by congressional fiscal experts who get their jobs on merit and who are obligated to no political party. These men now are being selected by a professional personnel expert loaned from the business world.

At this writing the house and senate are struggling to find a compromise cut in the budget. Until they determine the size of the budget, they can't be sure of what they railed to receive assurances from ought to do about taxes or reduc-

> If it weren't that the budget were compiled by one party and authorized by another, we wouldn't have as much wrangling. Now there is nothing wrong with having plenty of debate on a subject like this, provided one or both sides are voting on the basis of actual faces which are set forth by a disinterested authority whom the public will accept. Such an authority will be provided, we hope, by the staff of fiscal experts next year.

Without such experts what hap-Reiterating U. S. hopes for build- question, the outburst pointed up the pens? The house goes on record as ing a foundation for peace through apparent cross-purposes at which the to the budget cut it thinks it wants two allies were working in the stra- to make. The appropriations comelevation of living standards, Mr. tegic Middle Eastern region with its mittee cuts down the various items. A bill is submitted again to the house and the fight begins, each conpet projects as possible. Log-rolling gets under way and the total is

The same thing happens in the senate where an individual senator's demands are accorded even more weight. Eventually the ante is raised a little more. And if it doesn't get back up to the President's original \$37,500,000,000 estimate (which may have been too high itself) there will be a supplemental bill passed later which will absorb any extra dollars that are lying around.

When Senator Taft was asked by Democratic Senator McMahon (who was attacking the Republican cut) if Taft wanted the senate to pass on the question "without having much information as to what we are doing," Taft frankly replied:

"We can only make an intelligent guess. We have no information before us as to the particular items of the \$37,500,000,-000 budget, in justification of the figure fixed by the budget (bureau) . . . we only know what is requested."

That is the keynote: "We only know what is requested."

Why should the opposition party take on faith the administration's figure? We have two parties to check on each other. Taft admits the Republicans haven't the facts now but he adds that in "ordinary" years "we will have a staff working during the recess"-supposedly composed of these neutral experts who now are being hired-"which cangive us more intelligent information than we now have."

There's the hope.

Music Basis for World Understanding

Few Russians heard the early state department broadcasts, inaugurated last month, and those who did were critical of the musical selections, objecting to "hillbilly" tunes like "Turkey in the Straw." They complained too about Bing Crosby's singing of Stephen Foster ditties.

This is only one instance where music has segued into world news since the war. I remember visiting intercommunication.

German musicians were first permitted to assemble there. The house had four walls intact and part of the roof, but only part of it. The rest as covered with canvas which kept out most of the falling snow but didn't keep out the cold. No pretense was made of heating the auditorium, and the place was freezing cold. Yet it was packed. The program however could not be completed. This was not due to the fact that the audience walked out-they stood or sat with the snow seeping in on

was a year ago last November. Today with the cooperation of the American military government, orchestras have sprung up in every town in the American zone and a large part of the broadcast programs are musical.

them. The musicians' fingers sim-

ply got too cold to function. That

Reeducating the German in the field of music will be a less Herculean task than it is in other fields, for music has always been part of the home training of the German child-not merely something for which the music teacher was alone responsible.

I remember a German home I used to visit before World War I in which the short period after the evening meal and the time the youngest went to bed and the eldest went to his other studies was largely a musical hour. The most interested and active member of the group was the father.

Here in America we leave too much of the child's musical training to the schools. As the Hungarian composer Zoltan Kodaly, who is visiting our country, remarked: "Our ears must be trained to perceive the simpler musical phenomena before being able to follow the more complicated forms, and it is obviously the duty of public schools to give this first training to every-

Germany of course has another great advantage that America lacks. Goebbels has been removed. America's musical dictator has not. His organization has a standing resolution which reads: "The federation urges its locals to use their political and economic strength to combat the encroachment of high school bands and orchestras."

Th dictator I refer to is, of course, one Petrillo of the American Federation of Musicians; the resolution is from their constitution which in conferring authority on him uses phrases like this: "It shall be his duty and prerogative-to make decisions in cases where in his opinion an ecutive orders which shall be executive orders which shall be conclusive and binding upon all members-etc.'

Such a resolution and such absolute authority runs directly counter to the advice of Kodaly and to the thinking of anyone interested in the cultural development of America or

in democracy itself for that matter. This is one of the many facets of our musical life which touch politics as music touches many of the nation's other activities, past and present-For example, during the war cynicism was expressed in songs like "Lillie Belle" with its "Jingle, Jangle-Oh, Ain't You Glad You're Single." There were songs created out of a higher emotional level, too, like "God Bless Amer-"There'll Always Beran England": "The White Cliffs of Dover, and what was perhaps an escapesong from all the sordidness of war, "Oh, What a Beautiful Morning."

No, the Russians didn't like the hillbilly American music. And I doubt if the average American could absorb much of the somber and mournful Russian folk dirges although they contain beauty enough to the ear accustomed to hearing them and the mind trained to interpret them.

That must be remembered in considering all cultural relationships to world peace. We must be informed not only about the world as a whole, but specifically about each other. Mature interpersonal understanding implies a knowledge of each other's environment and also the habits, tastes and thinking produced by that environment. Music is a part of everyone's life; an expression as well as an impression. We cannot live peacefully with each other in our homes or on the globe without the establishment of understanding intercommunication. Music, understood, will be part of that necessary

If the collar of a man's shirt is badly worn, cut it off with a razor blade and use it for a pattern in cutting a new collar from the tail of the shirt.

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Here's something new on an old farm subject-cattle grub control. For years the livestock specialists have been recommending a combination of sulfur and derris powder for dusting on the backs of grubby cattle. Some of them still are recommending this combination, which had its origin in the U.S. bureau of entomology.

What's new? Well, the bureau revised the formula during the war. Derris powder is still in the formula (it contains rotenone, the grub kill-



Cattle grub will cause serious trouble if not properly controlled.

ing agent), but sulfur is out. Sulfur had no value as a grub killerit served only as a dilutent for derris, which contains the rotenone that does the job.

The bureau now recommends that the dust for grubs be made of one part derris (containing 5 per cent rotenone) and two parts of either tripoli earth, pyrophyllite or frianite.

The reason sulfur was taken out is that the sulfur particles become electrified when applied to the animal's back. As a result, they stick to the hair instead of settling down to the skin and into the grub holes. The new materials designated for mixing with derris do not have this drawback.

Mail Storage Box

idea to keep mail order packages as well as letters out of the wet weather.

An old oil drum is used as the base. The opening in the mail box

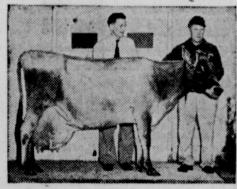


Combination mail box, receiver, designed by a Texas rancher.

base was cut out with an electric arc welding machine, using the carbon arch. Then, hinges were welded to the drum and the cut-out section, as shown in the sketch, provided a door.

Packages placed in this old drum will remain dry until they are picked up.

Wins 'Ton of Gold' Award



Dinah Lady, winner of the "Ton of Gold" award.

Dinah Lady, 750-pound Jersey, owned by Walter Welkener, Jack- He voted with the majority of his sonville, Fla., recently announced as the "Ton of Gold" award winner of sial roll calls in the 79th congress. the American Cattle club, for having produced 3,121 pounds of butterfat in a 48-month period, during which time she produced four calves.

Welkener has been credited with maintaining as good a permanent pasture as can be found. In addition to grass, the cattle feed on lespedeza and Italian rye.

THE WASHINGTON SCENE

Senate Committee Chairmen **Are Experienced Legislators**

(Editor's Note: This is the third in a series of articles on new congressional com-

By WALTER A. SHEAD WNU Washington Correspondent.

WASHINGTON.-Experienced legislators are at the helm of senate committees of the 80th congress, a survey disclosing that the committee chairmen have served an average of 11 years in the upper house. Their length of service ranges from four years for Sen. Chapman Revercomb of West Virginia to 28 years for Sen. Arthur Capper of Kansas.

In age, the new Republican chairmen average 61 years, five years oldor than senators as a whole. Youngest of the group is Sen. Styles Bridges of New Hampshire, who is 48, while the oldest is 81-year-old

The list of committees and their chairmen continues:

Agriculture

ARTHUR CAPPER (Kas.), chairman of the senate agriculture and forestry committee, is at 81 the oldest man in the senate and ranks second only to Kenneth McKellar (Dem., Tenn.) in length of service. He was elected to the senate in 1919, after serving two terms as governor of Kansas.

Now dean of the farm bloc, Capper has been an important figure

in agricultural leg-

islation for the last 20 years. He voted for the McNary-Haugen bill in 1927, the agricultural adjustment bill in 1933, soil conservation in 1936, crop insurance in 1938. He voted in 1942 to include the cost of farm labor in computing parity prices and for the Russell

amendment to the same effect in 1946. Capper was for the Smoot-Hawley tariff in 1930. In 1934 he voted for reciprocal trade agreements but by 1940 he was against extending them. He supported creation of TVA in 1933 but is against the proposal for a Missouri Valley authority. In a recent speech he announced that the parity price support program needs revision to prevent accumulation of unsalable sur-

Capper has a wide influence in the grain belt through a number of newspapers and magazines which he supervises from Washington. He A Texas rancher thought up this entered the publishing field by becoming a typesetter for the Topeka Daily Capital, which he now owns. His other publications are Capper's Weekly, Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze, Household magazine, Capper's Farmer, Missouri Ruralist, Ohio Farmer, Pennsylvania Farmer, Michigan Farmer and Kansas City Kansan. He also owns radio station WIBW in Topeka.

Public Works

CHAPMAN REVERCOMB (W. Va.), still serving his first term, becomes chairman of the public works committee, which will take over the old committees on commerce and public buildings and grounds and non-personnel functions of post offices and post roads.

Revercomb is 51 years old. He was born in Covington, Va., served in the army in World War I, re-

turned to Covington to practice law and moved to Charleston, W. Va., in 1922. He was a member of the Republican state executive committee from 1932 to 1936 and was president of the Young Republican league of West Virginia from 1934 to 1936. He was

elected to the sen-



ate in 1942. He is a former president of Charleston Bar association. On public works matters, Revercomb voted against an appropriation to continue the national resources planning board in 1943, against an appropriation of 75 million dollars for a postwar planning fund in 1945, for the full employ-ment bill in 1945 and against an amendment the same year to reduce federal aid for airports from 500 million dollars to 250 million dollars.

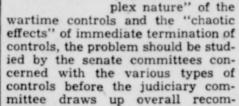
On most issues, Revercomb has followed Republican party policy. party on 82 per cent of controver-

Judiciary

ALEXANDER WILEY (Wis.), chairman of the judiciary committee, is a regular Republican who voted with his party 85 per cent of the time in the 79th congress. In the second session he was absent for only 10 per cent of roll call votes. | jects covered by its name.

One of the first problems before the judiciary committee under Wiley

will be advisability of repealing emergency war powers not affected by the President's lamation of the end of hostilities. In a report to the Republican conference, Wiley stated that, in view of the "continued national emergency," the "varied and com-



Wiley, born in 1884 in the town of Chippewa Falls, where he still lives, is a lawyer. He also owns and operates a farm and has been a director of a local bank. His only public office before his election to the senate in 1938 was that of district attorney for Chippewa county, which he held from 1909 to 1915.

The judiciary committee deals with courts and judges, anti-trust problems, bankruptcy laws, patents, immigration, civil liberties and constitutional amendments.

Interstate and

Wiley

mendations.

Foreign Commerce

WALLACE H. WHITE JR. (Me.), new chairman of the interstate and foreign commerce committee, is one of the few Republicans who have had previous experience as a congressional committee chairman. White was chairman of the house committee on merchant marine and fisheries from 1927 to 1931. In addition to transportation and general bills affecting commerce, White's committee handles radio and communications, civil aeronautics and merchant marine bills.

White was also minority leader of senate Republicans in the 79th con-

gress and now becomes majority leader in addition to commerce committee chairman. He was strenuously opposed for the committee job by Clyde M. Reed, (Rep., Kas.) who was represented as having the support of the railroads while White was backed by the radio industry.

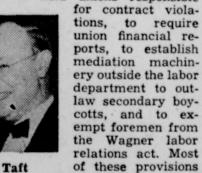


White

White is 69 years old and has been in congress continuously since 1916, when he was elected to the house. He went to the senate in 1930. and is the third ranking Republican senator in seniority. Before entering congress, White practiced law in Washington and Maine and was a senatorial secretary.

Labor and Public Welfare

ROBERT A. TAFT (Ohio), new chairman of the labor and public welfare committee, has endorsed changes in labor laws to enable "employer and employee to meet on a fairly equal basis." Specifically, he will seek enactment of legislation to hold unions responsible



Case bill last spring. Taft, a 57-year-old lawyer, is the son of former Pres. William Howard Taft. He served in the Ohio house of representatives from 1921 to 1926 and in the state senate in 1931 and 1932. He was elected to the United States senate in 1936.

were in the vetoed

The labor and public welfare committee will handle bills on education, health, veterans' hospitals and medical care, in addition to the sub-



GOING PLACES' . . . Planning a trip is almost as much fun as actually going, the Camp Fire Girls in this picture attest. The teen-age Horizon Clubber tells two Blue Birds about a trip her group is planning this summer.

AGE NO SECRET

Camp Fire Girls 'Go Places,' Resume of Services Reveals

Camp Fire Girls, your birthdays are showing! Yes, they are-35 of them! But instead of growing older with the years, you remain young in spirit and mind, eagerly looking forward to new horizons.

Camp Fire Girls! Perhaps that brings to mind a group of

girls in Indian ceremonial gowns, adorned with beadwork, rubbing two sticks together to make a fire in the woods. Well, they do that,

too, but it's only a fraction of what the girls do! On March 15, 1912, the organization was incorporated. Two years prior to that, a group of progressive educators, naturalists and woodsmen founded the youth-serving agency, "to formulate a plan of constructive leisure-time activities for young girls from 7 to 18.'

These far-seeing people realized that character is formed predominantly during the recreational hours of a child's life. They outlined a program of work and play, based on the finest ideals of civilized living.

During 35 years their wise planning has paid dividends. For more than two million girls have enjoyed fun and friendship in Camp Fire since the organization was incorporated. At present, more than 360,000 members in 222 councils scattered from Maine to California provide proof that Camp Fire's program offers the recreational needs girls are

Every year Camp Fire proposes a project particularly geared to service and citizenship. The 1947 anniversary project has as its theme, "Going Places." Although the organization's youthful members have been "going places" ever since 1912, they now will plan to go even farther afield.

As an example, in Reading, Pa. 100 Camp Fire Girls received a behind-the-scenes training in business as they took over various jobs for one day in one of the city's large department stores. They went forward, not only in learning how a big business is run, but also in the field of human relations.

Another instance of how Camp Fire members are alert to new trends occurred in Dayton, Ohio. Thirty girls recently enrolled in a four-week course in child and baby care. Now Dayton mothers of young children will feel secure in using Camp Fire Girls as "baby sitters."

Out in St. Paul, Minn., Camp Fire Girls went places in a big way during the Community Chest campaign by caring for children of volunteers while the mothers were out collecting funds for the drive.

Alert to other community needs, Klamath County, Ore., Camp Fire Girls volunteered to work in public health offices, bringing files up to date, at the same time getting experience in business procedures.

Adopt War Orphans.

Promoting international good will always has been a part of Camp Fire's program. In Washington, Ore., Horizon Clubbers (Camp Fire's senior group) have adopted a French war orphan and regularly send him clothes and food. A similar undertaking is being accomplished in Sacramento, Calif., where another teen-age group also has adopted a war orphan.

From these few excerpts may be gathered a small idea of the vastness of the Camp Fire program. Rubbing two sticks together to make a fire is not the half of it!

'The vision of the world and all the wonder that would be," which the founding fathers of Camp Fire had back in 1912, has indeed been realized as Camp Fire Girls show the world they are "going places!"



AIRPORT CHATTER

High school students in the Chatsworth, Ill., aeronautics class have a textbook on wheels-a retired AT-6 plane, purchased for \$200 as a war surplus item. . . . Two other surplus planes have been purchased by Renton Vocational school of Renton, Wash., for mechanics' training. The planes, twin-engined Cessna transports, are being overhauled by the 140 World War II veterans now enrolled at the school. . . . The navy has activated a new air reserve unit at Denver. Ultimate goal is to have 400 men, including 70 officers, on fulltime duty there, with about 1,500 trainees taking their training at the field. . . . There's no doubt in the Wisconsin state senate that the air age has arrived. It received a bill to allow air minded state employees plane mileage of 10 cents per mile. Persons now using their own planes for state business are reimbursed at the car rate of 41/2 cents per mile.

Snowbound for several weeks, the Earl Weber family of Dunlap, Iowa, was able to eat, thanks to a flying brother who dropped supplies at their isolated farm home. The brother, Harvey Weber, 33, operator of the Dunlap airport, made several trips to ease the plight of his brother's family, dropping groceries, fuel and other supplies-even ice cream and candy for the children and the Sunday paper.

. . .

. . . FLYING FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Adkins and their two sons of Elmo, Mo., rank as a flying family. Both Mr. and Mrs. Adkins and son, Keith, 17, are qualified as pilots while 14-year-old Donnie is waiting to solo when he's 16. Flying their own Cub plane, Mr. and Mrs. Adkins bagged 29 foxes and 13 coyotes in two months. When the shooting starts, Mrs. Adkins takes over the controls and Adkins handles the shotgun.



SOLID COMFORT . . . These moose and a deer, flown from Ontario to New York for a sportsmen's show, were perfectly content with their hold in a cargo plane and refused to budge for their owner. Joe Laflamm of Gogama, Ontario.

ain't It So?

Many people think another person's success is due to the dumbness of the public.

The fellow who follows the straight and narrow path need not worry about being caught in a crowd.

A live wire is generally so because of good connections. Most of us find it easy to look on the bright side of oth-

er people's troubles, but not our own. If the doc says you need a

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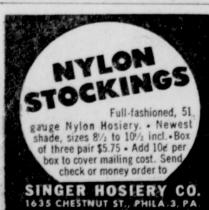
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(Editor's Note: This is another in the "Stories of the States" series.) By EDWARD EMERINE

WNU Features.

Old Jim Bridger, at his lonely fort on Green river, talked to the leader of the strange band and learned these emigrants were headed for the Great American Desert beyond the mountains. He tried to dissuade the leader, a determined sort of man, and pessimistically remarked that he would give a thousand dollars if he ever saw an ear of corn grown in Salt Lake valley.

The emigrants moved on, and a hundred years ago, on July 24, 1847, Brigham Young looked out across a seared and desolate land of sagebrush and alkali, and said:

"This is the place!"

One lone tree clung to life in the entire valley. Heat waves danced and hot breaths of air came up the canyon. If there were inward doubts among his followers, none is recorded. Obediently the band moved into the desert.

Mormon Convert.

Brigham Young was a native of Vermont and of Revolutionary ancestry. He had become a convert to the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, the Mormon church. When Joseph Smith, the founder, was killed at Nauvoo, Ill., Brigham Young was chosen to take his place.

Rocks and hills and desert did not deter him. They were but the materials with which he would build. In this strange land he and other Mormons would be far removed from religious and political differences. Here they would have a land of their own.

A dreamer was Brigham Young, but he was a doer as well. Perhaps his eyes saw more than the mirages dainty blue forget-me-nots. The on the desert that day. He might satin-smooth embroidered ribbon have envisioned the Territory of Desis done in two shades of pale rose- eret, the beginning of an American epoch, the birth of a vast and productive region. The valleys and To obtain 2 pillowcase transfers, 1 sheet transfer design of the Hearts and Flowers Designs (Pattern No. 5318) color chart for working, amounts of various flosses specified, sketches of stitches used send 20 there was a temple to be built, cities and towns to be laid out, industries to be developed, canals and ditches to be dug, and water to be spread over the thirsty soil.

Faith Saves Crops.

The Mormon leader likened the group to a swarm of bees beginning a new hive. The Beehive became their symbol, and all men were workers. The hardships of crossing the plains and mountains were as nothing compared to conquering the desert. There were discouraging days when hunger stalked. Huge locusts came to eat their crops. "Have faith! Have faith! Pray!" And they had faith, and they prayed. Out of the skies swarmed seagulls-thousands and thousands of them-and

they devoured the locusts! Brigham Young stated his wants and the group's needs, and builders set to work. The famed Mormon tabernacle was built without nails or

Monumental Effort.

At the ground level of the Salt Lake Mormon temple are huge earth stones, each weighing three tons, and 50 in number. A mountain of close beside it.



granite 20 miles away furnished the material. Huge granite blocks were quarried in a canyon, slung with chains from heavy carts and drawn by oxen to the site. Over 40 years from the time Brigham Young designated the temple site, the construction was complete, the angel Moroni set in place and 75,000 people took part in the dedicatory services. But Brigham Young had been dead for many years.

The climate of Utah is dry, stimulating and wholesome. The sky is so clear that no cloud specks it on 300 days of a year. Lacking rain, the Mormons pioneered irrigation in America, bringing water from the mountains to irrigate crops in the desert.

Today, Utah's chief crop is sugar beets, but vegetables and fruits are grown in profusion. Other crops are wheat, oats, potatoes, hay, alfalfa, corn, barley and rye.

More than two million sheep, 100,-000 dairy cattle and a half million beef cattle are grazed in Utah. Wool production amounts to 20 million pounds annually.

Manufacturing in Utah began with the Mormon pioneers, who wove woolen clothing, mined coal, quarried rock, canned fruit and vegetables, made sugar from beets, installed grist mills, slaughtered cattle for meat, made butter and cheese, and utilized other raw products at hand. The great copper mines came later, with smelting and refining of ores to follow. Bingham, Magna, Tooele, Garfield and Provo became mill towns. The Geneva steel plant at Provo is the largest in the West, with a mountain of ore

coal, copper, salt, zinc and many oth-In southern Utah the climate is semi-tropical, but in the northern and

warned Brigham Young, but many

were lured by those and other met-

als to explore the desert and moun-

tains. Mineral resources of Utah

CHIEF EXECUTIVE . . . Herber B. Maw, native of Ogden, is serving his second four-year term as Utah's governor. A lawyer, teacher, exserviceman and legislator, he has been prominent in Latter Day Saints church affairs.

eastern parts there are skiing and winter sports at high altitudes.

Utah scenery will compare with any in the world. Here are mountains as grand as the Alps, sunsets that rival those of Italy and Greece. Marvelous canyons, mammoth stone bridges, weird rock formations and other master works of nature are found throughout the state.

The mountain lakes and streams provide fine fishing and the forests abound in game-bear, elk, antelope, grouse, deer, prairie chickens and

Utah, once a formidable desert. now teems with populous cities and thriving villages. Once parched and burned ground has been changed to green fields, gardens and orchards Paved highways, airlines and several transcontinental railroads provide transportation. What wonders a hundred years have wrought!

This year every city and hamlet in Utah is preparing a celebration. They will celebrate the centennial of the arrival of Mormon pioneers. Less than 75 per cent of the people are now Mormons, but all will join ir that celebration regardless of creed The building of Utah was the opening of the West. It was an epoch ir American history.

Peace Maker

Judge - And you call yourself a peace-loving man?

Defendant-I do, your bonor. Judge-Even after you slugged Casey

Defendant—Yes, your bonor. I never saw Casey so peaceful as just after I bit him.

Farmer-No, little girl, dry cows do not give evaporated milk.

Or Both?

Daisy-Would you be happy with 10,000 a year? Mae-Men or dollars?

Planes Used to Maneuver Carriers in Place of Tugs

Aircraft carriers of the U. S. navy are maneuvered today in small areas by the propeller force of their own planes when tugs are not available.

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MORMON SHRINE . . . Notable among Salt Lake City's attractions is the Mormon temple. Last of the Latter Day Saints temples in Utah to be completed, the Salt Lake City edifice was begun in 1853 and not completed until 1893. The temple is built of granite, many of the larger blocks being carted by ox-teams before a railroad was built in 1873. Seen in silhouette to the left is the famous Mormon tabernacle, noted for its acoustics and organ.

night, sir. Glad to have seen you."

two," Dave approved. "The mili-

tary is at its best with something

"More pleasing to the eye, no doubt," Spang amended, "but not

quite so effective as an oxygen

mask and parachute. I hope you

know where this dance is. Remem-

ber I'm a country boy from down

the Delta. I could get lost mighty

'Jill knows every hill," Dave told

"I should! I've hunted chinqua-

Dave went

pins on them and got chiggers on

through the hall to the foot of the

stairs. There he intoned in a firm,

carrying voice, "I could just sit

here and talk to myself. Or I could

go home. Oh, hello, Dooley. I

thought maybe you'd gone to bed."

Julia leaned over the banister.

"At nine o'clock? I don't do that

any more. I wake up at two a. m.

and think too much. I'll be down

She came presently, trailing a

flowered chintz housegown. Her

hair was roughened, her eyes looked

a little shadowed. "This is my sixth

change of costume for today," she

sighed as she dropped into a chair.

this strenuous business? And what

you need is a drink."

Nazis have it.'

the army?" he said.

"When are you going to ease off

"Not tonight, Dave. It stimulates

me too much. I can't sleep. But

fix one for yourself—and you can make one for John I., too. He'll be

in presently. No ice for him-he

hates having it bump against his

mustache. As for this strenuous

life, it won't be over soon, I fear.

They put Foster's boy into One A

today. I argued that he was es-

sential, that we had to raise food

for our army, but old Mr. Corbett-

you know how pig-headed he is and

always stiff with the letter of the

law-asked me if I wanted to keep

this farm for my children or let the

Dave went to the kitchen, came

"So you revised your decision

back presently with two tall glasses.

about letting Jill run around with

"What can I do, Dave? She's a

grown woman. I can't put her in

a convent. She has to have fun.

She's twenty-six years old. Sounds

between two wars. Richard's last

leave before he went over, and I

was so young and so heart-torn and

so terribly in love and so unhappy

with it. I can't believe that that

agonized, nineteen-year-old thing

was I! Two babies, and no home,

no husband, nothing - till you

came and found me, and John I.

brought me back here. I don't want

anything like that for Jill. I don't

want that loneliness for her, sitting

at home, watching the mail, wait-

ing, freezing with dread every time

a messenger comes down the street.

And I don't want her to have what

I've had for twenty-five years-si-

lence! Not even to know, not to

be certain whether it was quite

right either to grieve or to be re-

signed. But what can I do?"
"Nothing," Dave agreed. "We

can't live other people's lives for

them. No matter how much we

love them. I'd like to live your life

"But I like my life. What's wrong

"It's empty. Oh, I know what

you're going to say. You've crowd-

ed it full of work and responsibility.

You've raised Ric and Jill, and tak-

en care of John I. and a few hun-

dred pigs. You've made this farm a success, but what does it get you,

"It gets me just that, Dave. Suc-

cess. What else is there-what else

beside accomplishment? Work that

is of value, to me and to the

Dave could have said, "There's

love, Dooley." But he knew he would not say it. Sometimes he

was certain, wearily, that he would

He had loved Dooley for so long

but even now, after a span of 25

uncertain years he had never men-

tioned it to her because he knew in-

stinctively she would have drawn

herself into a shell and their friend-

ship, which had come to mean so

much to both of them, would have

become strained, possibly even end-

He said, "Sometimes I think

you're a wonderful woman, Dooley.

And then there are times when I'm

convinced that you're a sentimen-

tal idiot. Twenty-five years and not

a word, and still you won't give

(TO BE CONTINUED)

world. What else is there?"

Dave Has His

Little Secret

never say it.

differently, if I could."

Dooley-you, personally?'

with it?"

fluffy alongside."

easy in these hills."

practically all of them.'

"Have fun, kids."

in a minute."

'You look very decorative, you

BY Helen Topping Miller

Julia (Dooley) McFarlane's husband, Richard, disappeared in World War I, leaving her with two children. She and her father-in-law, John I. McFarlane, have tried in vain to find some trace of Richard, either dead or alive. Twentyfive years later Ric is 27 and serving in the army of World War II while Jill, 26, professes an interest in Spang Gordon, a young lieutenant. Julia still clings to the belief that Richard may yet be alive and refuses to have him declared legally dead. Her greatest worry is that her daughter might marry Spang, thus becoming an army wife, subject to the same grief she has en-dured for a quarter of a century with-out word of Richars.

CHAPTER II

Julia twisted her hands together. "John I.," she began abruptly, "Ric didn't have a furlough when he came home. He traded for some other man's pass. Jill told me." The old man's mustache twitched.

"I suppose if they put him in the guard-house you'd send him a fruitcake with a file in it!"

"If they put him in the guardhouse his chances for a commission are gone."

"Might be a good thing. Being a buck private might be good for him." "Dooley, you spoiled that boy!" "I know," Julia said heavily, "but

he was-all I had! He needed me. Jill didn't. She was always selfsufficient, like you." "She's a McFarlane. The Mc-

Farlanes stand on their own feet. But that young Richard-he's another-'

"Don't say it, John I.," Julia begged, pain in her eyes. "We've put that bitterness away. Don't let it come alive again."

"But it is coming alive again, whether you want it or not. I've seen it for years. I warned you that that boy was growing up like his father."

"I was his mother," Julia reminded him.

'Dooley," he said grimly, "no matter what you say, I'm going to court next term and file that paper. I've listened to you long enough. You've got a right to a life of your own, and I'm going to see that you have it."

Julia's face drained swiftly, and out of the whiteness her eyes were

"No. No, John I., I won't let you do it."

stop me if I want to do it." Julia's voice came, hoarse and thin. "I think I can stop you."

"He's been gone twenty-five years. If he were legally dead, everything would be cleared up. You're a fool -a weak, sentimental fool!'
"All right," she sighed, "I'm a

fool. Leave it like that, John I.' She walked away, setting her boots down firmly.

John I. watched her go, frown-

"I'll do it anyway!" he said aloud. Then he leaned back and thumbed tobacco into his pipe.

Dave Patterson rode his horse slowly across the great dam. On his right the power lake slept, silvery and flat under the stars, a skittish young bass flinging himself as an offering to the frail platinum moon and falling back to mint great coins of shadowy quicksilver.

A Remarkable

Woman Is Julia

At the lower end of the lane young pigs got up and skittered away hysterically when the horse snorted at them. Every fence post glistened white, and beyond the wire the dew shone on rectangular roofs of rows of low houses. The homely farm smell was definite now, the mixture of pigs and hay and froggy cattlepond that gave Dave a feeling of nostalgia. A naked bulb burned above a gate, shadowed by dark old trees, and Dave got down and tied his horse, opened the gate and passing through closed it carefully, walking across the shorn, quiet grass to the house.

Behind high windows soft lights glowed, and the house itself loomed starkly white under the aged trees. Dave remembered the way it had looked not so long ago. Old and faded, the mortar melting sadly from between the tired bricks, a little shelf of a porch with spindly railings sagging. Now it was pillared and restored and proud, with a sweep of drive between ivied stone posts and the fanlight above

the door gleaming. Julia McFarlane had done all that. Born a McFarlane and married to a distant cousin of the same name, she had dragged the old place back from desuetude alone, except for the fumbling, peppery encouragement of old John I. Mc-Farlane. Julia was slender and calm and merry, but Indomitable with it, and for a long time, longer

than he liked to reckon, Dave Pat- proud, proprietary air. "Good terson knew that he had been in love with her.

Not that he had let her know. To Dooley he was good old Dave, whose farm and handsome old brick house had been swallowed up by the encroaching power project, who was a bit bewildered now, uprooted from the land that Pattersons had farmed for generations, trying to find himself again by running a bank and not being very happy.

He crossed the porch and opened a french door without knocking, and instantly a young man in the tan breeches and olive-drab blouse of the Air Corps, with a silver bar on his shoulder, jumped to his feet.

"Hello," Dave said, "I thought you were Ric at first. I thought he must have got his shoulder-hardware mighty quick."

"How do you do, sir?" The soldier showed very white teeth in a



"I could get lost mighty easy in these hills."

quick mile. "I'm Spencer Gordon. He twisted his mouth. "You can't lused to be a friend of Ric's—be-

"Before you got those?" Dave grinned and indicated the silver bars. "Now, no friendship with men in the ranks, eh? Old military protocol. I'm Dave Patterson. Lived on the next place till the TVA drowned me out. So you're in the air, are you?"

When Old Friends Get Together

"Not now. They grounded me for a while to teach aerodynamics in T.S.-that's technical school, sir. But I have my wings, and I hope to'be back in the air before long." "I assume you're here to see

"Yes." Young Gordon flushed. "Met Jill's mother yet?"

"Yes, sir, she's upstairs helping Jill dress. I met the grandfather, too. He's out somewhere now tend-

ing a sick pig." "A sick pig is a catastrophe on this place. The McFarlanes raise

the finest hogs in Tennessee." "My people were farmers, too. Mississippi. Cotton mostly. But my

father and mother died when I was very young.' "What's Ric doing now?" Dave

asked. "Is he going to try for the cadet corps?"

"He washed out, I think-some minor point or other. Now he's trying for officer's school, so I hear. I don't see him often. That's a big post down there, and you rarely hear much about a man unless he's in your own squadron." Young Gordon stopped abruptly as heels clicked on the polished stairs.

In the big mirror in the hall Dave could see the reflection of Jill coming down.

She paused at the door, and Dave saw the young lieutenant's throat twitch and his eyes glow as he sprang to his feet. Jill was the prettiest thing alive, Dave decidedbut not beautiful as Julia was.

Jill said, "Hello, Dave. I didn't hear you come in. I thought Spang was down here alone hating me for being so slow."

"Are you Spang?" Dave asked. "I'm Spang. They hung that on me at college. You'll excuse us, sir,

if we take off?"

Jill said, "We have to drive the station-wagon. It has plenty of B gas in it, but Dooley says to remember that the tires have to last

all winter." Spang took her elbow with

LESSON FOR MARCH 16

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INTIMATE FELLOWSHIP WITH CHRIST

LESSON TEXT—John 14:1-6, 12:18; 15:1-6.

MEMORY SELECTION—Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you.—John 15:14.

The hour had come for our Lord's final intimate words with his disciples. It was indeed a solemn, but also a blessed, hour.

It was the night before the darkest day in the world's history. On the morrow the Son of man was to hang on Calvary's tree for the sins of the world-for your sins and for mine. But for the moment he was alone with his disciples.

The last Passover had been eaten together, the betrayer had been discovered, and the Lord has told them that he was soon to go where they could not follow. Peter had, by his bold self-assurance, brought forth the prophecy of his denial.

The disciples were disturbed in heart and mind. Then came from the Saviour's lips the words of comfort, assurance and power which have been the strength and solace of his people through all the centuries. Our life both here and hereafter is in his mighty hands.

We learn in this precious portion of Scripture that

I. The Christian Need Not Be Fearful (14:1-6).

That is indeed a good word-a needed word! Troubled hearts are everywhere-in the palace and in the cottage, on land, in the air and on the sea. There is a place of rest, thank God! There is One who still speaks the majestic words, "Let not your heart be troubled, believe in God, believe also in

His comfort is one which covers the future life, for he says, "I go to prepare a place" (v. 2). Concern about future destiny is settled at once when Christ Jesus becomes our Lord and Saviour. We need worry no longer. He has gone on before to the Father's house to prepare a place for his own. When we come to that ever-peaceful shore we shall not come as strangers, but as sons and daughters to a prepared place in our Father's house.

His words, "I will come again"? (v. 3), gives present meaning to the future promise. He not only prepared the place, but he it is who brings us there. The glorious hope of his coming again is the Christian's greatest comfort and mightincredible, doesn't it? The span lest incentive to useful, holy living.

II. The Christian Need Not Be Powerless (14:12-15).

Christ's followers are not here in a world of sin and need as a little group of hymn-singing weaklings, thinking only of the day when they shall be in a brighter land. Ah, yes, they sing hymns and rejoice in them; they look for a better land; their weapons of warfare are not carnal. But weaklings? Oh, no! God uses them to do great and mighty things for his glory.

Note the blessed words of Jesus, "He that believeth on me" (v. 12). The army of God carries the royal banner of faith in a living Christ. "Greater works . . . shall he do" (v. 12). Jesus only began his work on earth; its greatest development was to be the joyous privilege of his followers. We are ashamed that we have not lived up to this great promise, but by his grace we will do bet-

"If ye ask . . . I will do" (v. 14). Someone has called this a signed blank check on all the resources of

III. The Christian Need Not Be Distressed (14:16-18).

The Holy Spirit, promised by Christ as the abiding comforter, came so to abide in the believer on the day of Pentecost (Acts 2).

The ministries of the Holy Spirit are many, but here the emphasis is on his work as Comforter. What a blessed and helpful ministry, and how much needed by distressed and disturbed souls! The Christian may count on him - and not be distressed.

IV. The Christian Need Not Be Detached (15:1-6).

What is worse than the feeling that one does not belong to anyone else, that one is a detached individual! That is never true of the believer in Christ. We are as close to him as the branch is to the vine. We are in him.

Christ is the vine, and the believer as a true branch is united with him. There is a oneness here which is difficult to express, but delightful to receive and believe. He who is the vine needs no cleansing, but the branch needs constant, daily purification by the word. Are we permitting God's Word to keep us clean? Only if we are reading it, studying it, meditating upon it.

There is, moreover, a severer type of purging to which the husbandman subjects the vine that it may bear more richly, and that is pruning (v. 2).

Jouch of Home

A sergeant, stationed in Germany, was given a pass to visit Paris. He was very excited about visiting the famous City of Light, but he was most anxious to see the Mona Lisa in the Louvre.

When he returned to Germany one of his friends asked him if he had seen the famous painting. "Yes," he said, with little en-

thusiasm.

"You don't sound very enthusiastic about it," replied his friend. "Well," said the sergeant, listlessly, "I've heard hundreds of stories about her 'enigmatic smile,' so you can imagine how disappointed I was to find that she reminds me of Aunt Bessie asking me to please pass the salt.'



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The only way to love anything is to realize that it might be lost.—G. K. Chesterton.

Truth is the breaking through into Time of Eternity.

Anger makes men witty, but it keeps them poor .- Bacon.

If you have tried something and failed, don't fret-you are better off than if you had tried to do nothing and succeeded.

Air Bags Cut Uncertainty In 'Lie Detector' Tests

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For two decades, criminal investigators have employed "lie-detecmachines which record changes in blood pressure when an interrogated person attempts deception, says Collier's. However, 20 per cent of the records have been too confusing for diagnosis, a fact always attributed to abnormal reactions.

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Let Children Entertain Their Young Friends At Home Suppers



When serving supper to a gang of teen-agers, prepare a casserole as illustrated here, and let the youngsters serve themselves. Complete the main course with a tossed salad.

If you're one of the many mothers worried about where your teen-aged

their recreation and leisure time, it would be nice occasionally entertain their friends at home. You can enlist

the help of other mothers in the neighborhood and plan a series of suppers or evening snacks for the younger crowd, and in this way, have some idea of where the children spend their idle hours.

Daughters, and sons, too, will be glad to cooperate with mother in 'cooking up" something super special in the way of refreshments which should be simple but good to

If you want to have a snack party for the youngsters, here's an easily planned and executed snack idea:

Salmon Salad Bread Box Pickles and Olives Potato Chips Dutch Apple Cake Ice Cream Milk or Chocolate

The salad loaf can be made ahead of time and set in the refrigerator for chilling, then removed at

serving time and sliced. Salmon Salad Bread Box. (Serves 6 to 8) 1 tall can red salmon

1 tablespoon plain gelatin 2 tablespoons lemon juice 34 teaspoon salt

Dash of Worcestershire sauce 1/2 teaspoon grated onion 1/2 cup salad dressing

1 loaf (small) unsliced white bread Drain salmon; remove skin and bones. Flake fish into small pieces. Soften gelatin with lemon juice and dissolve over hot water. Add seasonings and salad dressing; combine with salmon, mixing thoroughly. Trim crusts from bread; cut thick slice off top of loaf. Remove inside of loaf leaving a wall about 3/4 inch thick. Fill box with salmon mixture; replace top slice of bread, pressing it in gently. Chill thoroughly. When ready to serve spread top

and sides with extra salad dressing and garnish with ripe or stuffed green olives. Serve in slices.

Another easy type of dinner to serve is an oven stew with a simple



tossed salad. Both of these can be prepared ahead of time, and finished up by the gang, if necessary. For dessert, serve something frozen

because of the convenience of preparation.

Supper Idea. Oven Stew **Baking Powder Biscuits** Tossed Vegetable Salad Relishes

Milk Frozen Lemon Cream The stew is rich in vegetables and will be filling enough for hearty, youthful appetites if prepared as fol-

> Oven Stew. (Serves 6)

1 pound beef or lamb, for stew 2 tablespoons butter or other fat

1/2 cup sliced onions

3 cups boiling water 34 cup diced carrots

1/4 cup diced turnips

14 cup diced potatoes

2 teaspoons salt 1/8 teaspoon pepper

1/2 cup cooked peas teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

1/4 cup cold water 3 tablespoons flour

Brown beef or lamb in fat. Add onions and saute until golden brown; then add water. Turn into casserole, cover and cook in a moderate

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Poached Eggs on Toast Scalloped Spinach Mashed Potatoes

Raw Carrot Strips Beverage Chocolate Pudding with Cream

(350-degree) oven for 11/2 hours. Increase heat to hot (450 degrees). Add carrots, turnips, potatoes, salt and pepper and continue cooking covered for 20 minutes or until vegetables are nearly tender. Add peas and Worchestershire sauce. Add water gradually to flour, mixing to a smooth paste; pour into stew, stirring vigorously. Place biscuits on top of stew; turn into oven and bake 12 to 15 minutes longer or until biscuits are browned.

Dutch Apple Cake. 2 cups sifted flour

2 teaspoons baking powder

1/2 teaspoon salt 1/4 cup butter

1 egg 34 cup milk

1/4 cup sugar 5 apples, cut, pared

1 tablespoon cinnamon 1/4 cup currants

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Work butter into flour mix-

ture. Beat egg, add milk and stir into dry ingredients. Spread the dough in a well buttered biscuit pan. Spread apples on dough, pressing sharp edges of fruit in--to mixture. Sprinkle with currants,

sugar and cinnamon which have been mixed together. Bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven for 30 to 40 minutes.

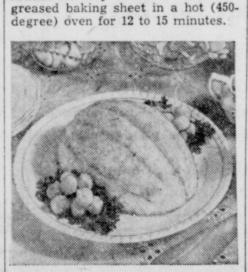
Baking Powder Biscuits. (Makes 12)

2 cups sifted cake flour 2 teaspoons double acting baking powder

½ teaspoon salt 4 to 5 tablespoons shortening

½ cup milk Sift flour once, measure, add bakg powder and salt and Cut in shortening. Add milk and stir until soft dough is formed. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead 30 seconds. Roll 1/2 inch thick and cut with floured, 2-inch biscuit cutter. Use on top of stew. The

remainder may be baked on an un-



Frozen lemon cream is the perfect dessert for a hearty main dish. This dessert may be made in the freezing tray or a mold.

> Frozen Lemon Cream. (Serves 10)

34 cup finely crushed corn flakes 2 egg whites

6 tablespoons sugar

2 egg yolks

some for top.

3/3 cup evaporated milk, thorough-

ly chilled and whipped 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind

3 tablespoons lemon juice Thoroughly butter freezing tray of refrigerator and cover sides and bottom with cornflakes. Reserve

Beat egg whites stiff but not dry. Add sugar gradually, beating constantly until thoroughly blended. Beat egg yolks until thick and lemon-colored; fold into egg white mixture. Then fold in evaporated milk, lemon rind and juice. Turn into freezing tray. Cover top with re-maining corn flakes. Freeze until firm, using coldest freezing temperature. Freezing time: 4 hours. Unmold and cut in slices for serving. Or, pack in large melon mold, using equal parts of ice and salt (without stirring); let stand until firm (about 5 or 6 hours) pouring off salt water as it accumulates, before it reaches top of mold.

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5. Which of the apostles is sometimes called Levi?

as what?

6. What is the estimated amount of tea consumed annually by

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