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## Four Blackest Years

1951—\*28,500 cases  
1950—33,351 cases  
1949—42,366 cases  
1948—27,902 cases

These are the four blackest polio years on record. To find a fifth year of more than 27,000 cases, one would have to go back more than a generation to 1916, when 27,363 cases were reported.

Individually, each of these years represents a serious setback in the fight against polio. Consecutively, they have created problems of massive dimensions.

The impact of 132,000 cases in four years is better understood when it is compared with the total of 113,500 persons stricken in the previous 10 years!

March of Dimes expenditures for patient care have sky-rocketed with the pattern of increasing incidence. Since 1938, the National Foundation and its chapters have spent more than \$120,000,000 in caring for polio victims. Almost two-thirds—\$79,000,000—of that amount was consumed during the past four years.

The cost of these epidemics will be reflected for years to come. Thousands of today's patients will be on chapter rolls during 1952 and in years thereafter, a crushing burden upon communities unless March of Dimes aid is close at hand.

Since 1948, about 66 per cent of all National Foundation chapters have received emergency financial aid from the national office. Under epidemic pressure, two out of three went broke caring for patients in their communities. Help from national sources came quickly, without red tape.

Polio epidemics are becoming more widespread. Twenty-nine states have experienced their worst epidemics within the last four years. The problem is national in scope and must be fought on a nationwide basis.

\*estimated

## Special Meeting to Discuss Water Well

A special meeting to discuss the drilling of a water well in Hope, will be held Monday night, Dec. 17, at the Altman Cafe. The meeting will be called to order at 7 p. m. by the mayor. All those in the community who are interested in a water well, should be there and find out first hand just what has to be done to get a government loan with which to drill. The main idea is to go down 1200 or 1300 feet and get a big flow of water but if the drillers should strike oil instead of water, that would be all right too. So come out next Monday night and join in the discussion.

## Personnel Transfers At Carlsbad Caverns

Supt. R. Taylor Hoskins, Carlsbad Caverns National Park, announces a number of personnel changes occurring during the month of November.

Guide Samuel Orem was transferred and promoted to range, Lake Mead National Recreational Area, Boulder City, Nev.

Guide Foy L. Young was promoted to ranger and will remain at Carlsbad Caverns National Park.

Guide Claude S. Fernandez was elevated in grade to supervisory guide.

Guide Roger Miller is being promoted to District Ranger, Big Bend National Park, Texas and will report on duty Dec. 16.

Robert L. Barrel, Seasonal Naturalist, Zion National Park and Myron D. Sutton, Seasonal Naturalist, Grand Canyon National Park, have been appointed guides.

Mrs. La Don Williams and Mrs. Lela Mae Stevens, both of Carlsbad, recently reported for duty in the accounting office of the park.

## Hope Water Users Hold Election

The members of the Hope Water Users Association marched to the polls Tuesday and voted for those who will serve as water commissioners for the year of 1952. When the votes were counted it was found that W. B. Durham had received 9 votes, Henry Coffin 14, Joe Clements 17, Lyle Hunter 17, Mark Fisher 17 and Felix Cauhape, Sr., 10.

## Cowboy Dance and Matched Roping

Saturday night, Dec. 15, there will be a cowboy dance at the high school gym at Hope. Dancing from 8 to 12 p. m., to the music of Bates Fisher orchestra. Admission \$1.50 per person.

On Sunday afternoon, Dec. 16, there will be a matched roping held at the rodeo grounds beginning at 2 p. m. This roping contest will be between John Thomas, Tom Babers, Dyer Forbes and Fletcher Hall of Lincoln county vs four top men of the Hope Roping Club. Admission \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for children.

## Town Board Holds Special Meeting

The Town Board of Hope held a special meeting Tuesday afternoon. All members were present except Mrs. Lincoln Cox. Government officials from the Farm Home Administration were present and discussed the possibility of the town of Hope securing a loan from the government with which to drill a water well. No action was taken. The matter was taken under advisement until a later date.

## Snow Covers Penasco Valley

An eight-inch snow covered the hills and valleys of the Sacramento mountain water shed last Thursday and Friday. It was a wet snow and very little drifting is reported. The depth of the snow measured 8 inches at Hope and further west it became deeper. A six inch snow is reported at El Paso and no snow at all at Carlsbad. It was a blessing to the farmer and stockman.

## Death of F. W. Weindorf

Clem Weindorf, our local S.C.S. representative has been gone the past two weeks to Plymouth, Neb., where he attended the funeral of his father, Rev. F. W. Weindorf. Clem's father who was a Lutheran pastor, began his work 32 years ago as a missionary among the Apache Indians at White River, Ariz.

Rev. Weindorf is survived by his wife, Mrs. F. W. Weindorf, four sons, Clemens of Hope; Richard and Kenneth of Los Angeles; Luther, attending college at Watertown, Wis. and five grandchildren. On his return to Artesia, Clem brought his mother and Luther along. Mrs. Weindorf plans to make her home here, while Luther continues with his schooling.

## Auto Tags

A Carlsbad woman suggests a way to settle the issue of how to determine who shall have the low auto tag numbers in the county. She suggests that the mayor of Carlsbad be given the No. 1 tag, the mayor of Artesia the No. 2 tag, the mayor of Loving the No. 3 tag, the mayor of Hope the No. 4 tag and so on.

Why not?—Current Argus. Now we have a suggestion. Why not give Roy Anderson No. 1 tag. The J.P. at Carlsbad No. 2; the J. P. at Artesia No. 3 tag and the J.P. at Hope No. 4 tag and the J.P. at Loving No. 5 tag. Why not?

## March of Dimes Begins January 3

January 3, 1952, marks the fourteenth anniversary of the establishment of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. That month also will witness the 15th March of Dimes for the fight against infantile paralysis.

Thanks to the generosity of the public in previous March of Dimes campaigns, we have been able to write in 14 years of graphic score of service to the American people.

There's a job for everyone in the 1952 March of Dimes, which is the laymen's weapon in the fight against infantile paralysis.

Lynn Harrison was taken to the Artesia General Hospital Monday night suffering from blood poisoning.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. Cox and Mrs. Nelson Jones transacted business in Artesia Wednesday.

## Bank Deposits Reach 16 Million

Deposits in the First National Bank of Artesia reached a new all-time high when the amount climbed to \$10,045,906.76.

This is the largest amount of deposits ever posted by the bank since it opened for business in 1903, 48 years ago.

Fred Cole, a vice president of the bank, released the information on Tuesday, Dec. 4.

Deposits on Dec. 1, 1950, were \$9,066,674.36 or one million dollars less than on Saturday, Dec. 1, 1951, when the new record was established. Record deposits for 1950 were attained on Dec. 30, when they totaled \$9,875,418.12.

Excellent fall weather that contributed to the early harvesting of cotton caused the rapid increase in bank deposits although prolonged dry weather in this section has handicapped stockmen.

Officers of the bank:

Ross Sears, chairman of the board; Charles K. Johnson, vice president; L. B. Feather, vice president; Fred Cole, vice president; C. F. Hammett, cashier; Martha Broocke, assistant cashier; George H. Ferriman, assistant cashier; Vernon Watson, assistant cashier.

Directors are Emery Carper, Jess Funk, Clyde Guy, Charles R. Martin, Russell Rogers, J. B. Runyan, T. J. Sivley, J. S. Ward, Neil B. Watson, Cole, Feather and Sears.—The Artesia Advocate.

## Prominent Demo To Be Main Speaker

A United States Senator—whose political foes have called him everything from "opportunist" to "Sorghum-Packin' Bob"—Robert S. Kerr (Demo., Okla.) will keynote New Mexico's Democratic Jefferson-Jackson Day dinner Dec. 19, at the Ice Arena in Albuquerque.

Credited with being an astute and wily political adversary, Kerr has long been a close observer of the political scene in New Mexico and has previously spoken to major Democratic gatherings in the state.

A life-long Democratic party worker, the 6 foot-3 inch Senator from Oklahoma, is a former governor of Oklahoma, serving from January, 1943, to January, 1947. He has twice served as a member of the executive committee National Governors' conference and keynoted the Democratic National convention in August, 1944, at Chicago.

Ticket sales to the \$25.00 per plate affair indicate extreme interest and capacity attendance according to Waldo Speiss, Democratic State Chairman.

## New Drive-In Theater for Artesia

Artesia will have its fourth theater and its second drive-in motion picture place when the new drive-in theater, located three and one half miles south of town on the Carlsbad road, is opened on Easter Sunday.

Ray Bartlett, owner of the Landsun Ocotillo and Circle-B, the latter the other drive-in situated two miles west of town on the Hope road, announced today the purchase of the site for the new theater, not yet named.

"Material and equipment has been ordered," Bartlett said, "and work will start as soon as the material arrives. On account of the steel shortage, it will be necessary to build the picture screen tower of wood.

"This will make no difference in the brilliance of the picture, but the wooden tower will be replaced by one of steel as soon as steel can be obtained because of the high winds in the spring."

First run pictures will be shown at one of the drive-ins, while the other will continue showing the better second run films after the downtown exhibition at the Landsun.

Circle-B due to reopen March 30, is slated for improvements. There will be a new marquee with changeable letters installed on the screen tower. This will be lighted by neon and "will give car patrons along the highway an opportunity to see what film is showing," says Bartlett.

Other improvements will be made in the box office, entrance and concession stand.—The Artesia Advocate.

Mrs. Lincoln Cox was in Artesia Tuesday interviewing the dentist.

## School News

3rd, 4th and 5th Grade News—We are real excited over our Christmas play which will be Friday afternoon, Dec. 21. Then our Christmas tree will be after our play. We wrote Christmas letters to pupils in Port Washington. Shirley Stephen has read 100 books recently.—Jacky Alexander, reporter.

Senior News—All the Christmas cards have arrived and have been distributed.

Now we will worry about Lynn, who has gone to the hospital with an infected thumb. The thumb and a sprained ankle kept him out of the Lake Arthur game. Did you ever notice that none of the senators ever have any brain diseases? We will have to start working them now, because Mr. Goldstein reminded us of our caps and gowns this morning.

First and Second Grades: Our room is looking like Christmas with chains of silver and blue hanging all around the room. Our calendar has a picture of Baby Jesus on it. We are trying to be as good as He would want us to be. But being shut in the house for two weeks because of sand and snow makes us get fussy and the moisture has caused a crop of tattle tails to spring up. We are working hard to clean them out.

Colds are making trouble for us. June Seely, Jerry Stephens, Linda Casabonne and Bobby Ferris have all been bitten by the cold bug. Late bed time and wet feet help the old bug so much.

We can't tell you what we are making because we want the things to be surprises for our parents. We made our own wrapping paper, too. But we will let you know after Christmas.

## Hope News

The Burgett floral truck smashed into Red Van Winkle's bus Monday preventing it from making the trip over the mountain.

Dr. Crouch and family were visiting in Hope last Thursday.

Mrs. Robert Tarrant is in the hospital recovering from an operation.

Georgia Lee Seely and Christine Seely have been out of school on account of being sick.

Max Johnson and son were in Hope Tuesday.

Mrs. Catherine Williams has been in the hospital the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tice and Mrs. Catherine Williams left for Union City, Tenn., Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Haskell of Carlsbad were visiting in Hope Sunday afternoon. They played Sanz, Claus to Helen, Katherine, Wilma and Edith Joan Hardin.

Mrs. Ethel Aaltman and Ada Belle Trimble went to Carlsbad last Saturday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Buckner and family.

Mrs. Lincoln Cox served as telephone operator last Saturday.

Christmas cards have been received from Thomas Lee Harrison stationed in Japan.

The Penasco Soil Conservation district's D-6 tractor has been put to work on the Jack Casabonne ranch south of Hope. Mr. Casabonne plans to carry out several conservation practices with this unit.

## Champion Barrow



An entry from Earlham College, Richmond, Ind., was named grand champion of the National Barrow Show at Austin, Minn. The animal brought \$4.25 a pound at the barrow sale which concluded the show. Purchasers of the animal were Al Bauer and Virgil Smith (left) representing the Stockyards National Bank of South St. Paul. Wilson Bryant (right), manager of the college farm, showed the animal.

## High Production Key To '52 Farm Success

High farm production will be the key to success in 1952, agricultural economists report. They point out that operation costs will be higher, especially for labor, machinery and feed. But they feel the best way to beat higher costs is through greater production and efficiency.

Increased production can be obtained by use of more legumes in the rotation, using more commercial fertilizer or by tilling heavy land which is poorly drained but which can be made highly productive. Modern machinery makes farming larger acreages possible, and only through making maximum use of equipment can it become a profitable buy.

Another method of increasing production will be through expanding the livestock program. Continued high demand for livestock products will keep prices high and open good opportunities for profit.

The year of 1952 will also be a good time to reduce the mortgaged debt, economists say, and farmers who do will be in a better position to weather out any period of financial reverse, if one should occur.

Bob Woods is on the sick list.

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SCANNING THE WEEK'S NEWS  
of Main Street and the World

# Korean Peace by Christmas Possible; U. S. Casualties Now Total 100,176

KOREA—Peace in Korea by Christmas is the one gift the people of America's home towns desire more than any other. Although there is no assurance that such a peace will be forthcoming, the possibility does exist.

The hope that the world will have peace by Christmas was bolstered by reports from Korea that the Communists and Allies were nearing agreement on a cease-fire line across that war-torn country. The negotiators were so close to agreement it may be the line will have been established by the time this appears in print.

Agreement on the cease-fire line, however, does not mean peace by Christmas. After ratification of the line, it becomes the final buffer zone across Korea provided the two sides agree within 30 days on all remaining armistice issues. If no 30-day agreement is reached on supervising the truce, exchange of prisoners and recommendations to the governments on troop withdrawals, the buffer line will be revised when a full armistice finally is signed.

Considering past experiences in negotiations with the Communists, the 30-day talking period would seem very short. Their delaying tactics have consumed months thus far and it is unlikely they will change them.

**THE DEAD**—Meanwhile, this limited Asian conflict, called a police action by many, has turned into the fourth costliest war in this nation's history. The casualty list now totals 100,176, the Defense department reports.

The actual battle figure is higher than the latest released figures, because official announcements of this kind are generally two or three weeks behind combat action.

In comparison, the total battle losses for the entire war in the southwest Pacific was 113,991. Of this total, 84,200 were killed or wounded.

**DISARMAMENT**—The most important question discussed at the U. N. meeting in Paris thus far has been disarmament on a world-wide scale. Both the west and the east have offered their plans.

General disarmament would give the people in the home towns of this country and elsewhere in the world a new sense of security. The outlook, however, is gloomy.

The Russians insist that prohibition of atomic bombs ought to precede any disarmament move, followed by a big five disarmament conference, and an immediate one-third cut of all conventional armed forces and weapons.

The western idea is for an orderly, stage-by-stage process, starting with a census of existing armaments, including atomic and armed forces; real inspection and verification of any arms cuts; and ultimate prohibition of atomic weapons.

The possibility of a compromise between the two views is unlikely. As a result, the world can expect the general assembly to become mired in debate and world tension to continue at the present level.

**THE COLD WAR**—On the Cold War front there was one important development during the past week. President Truman ordered withdrawal of all American tariff concessions to the Soviet Union and Poland. In addition, the President imposed a complete ban on the importation of luxury furs from the two Communist countries.

Some weeks ago Russia halted all shipments of manganese to the U. S. and since that time the fur trade has been an important source of dollar revenue for the Communist bloc.

The President's action does not completely halt imports from the Soviet Union and Poland, but it does mean the two countries will have to pay higher tariff rates. Similar action had previously been taken against Communist regimes in Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, Hungary, Romania and China.

**EUROPE**—Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, supreme commander of Allied forces in Europe, told North Atlantic Treaty nations last week that "baby" A-bombs and other new weapons eventually may cut Europe's military requirements, but in the meantime everything possible must be done to build western defenses.

The general said he wanted as many divisions as fast as they could be supplied—between 30 and 40 in 1952 and between 60 and 70 by 1954.

He warned the Atlantic Treaty nations "there is no possibility, if war comes, of any of us, our children, or our children's children, living a life of decency again."

**FARM TREND**—The latest Bureau of the Census report reveals there has been a decided trend toward fewer but bigger and better equipped farms between 1940 and 1950. In 1950 there were 5,384,000 farms in the United States compared to 6,097,000 in 1940.

During the decade, however, the average size farm unit grew from 174 acres to 210.5 acres. Despite the decrease in the number of farms the total acreage remained approximately the same in 1950 as in 1945.

Other statistics in the report included: (1) About 870,000 fewer persons were working on U. S. farms in 1950 than in 1940; (2) Less than one-third as many horses and mules were on farms in 1950 as in 1920; (3) In 1950 there were 59,764,000 cattle and calves more than three months old on farms as compared to 60,674,736 in April, 1940; (4) The number of chickens on farms was 2,500,000, or 0.7 per cent more than in 1940.

**GAMBLING**—The new federal tax on gambling may reach into hundreds of home towns as a result of a new ruling by Revenue Commissioner John B. Dunlap. The commissioner has ruled that the \$50 license fee on gambling applies to thousands of stores which have punch boards on their premises.

Each clerk in such establishments as tobacco shops, gas stations and other retail stores where the owners accept money from a customer for a punch board chance must purchase a license, he ruled.



What happens to the millions big corporations take in each year has often baffled the man on Main Street. Here is how General Motors, one of the biggest in the nation, spends its sales dollar: 26 3/4 cents to employees, 49 1/4 cents to suppliers, 15 1/4 cents for taxes, 1 3/4 cents for depreciation, 1/2 cent for reconversion, 4 3/4 cents to shareholders, and 1 3/4 to maintain the business.



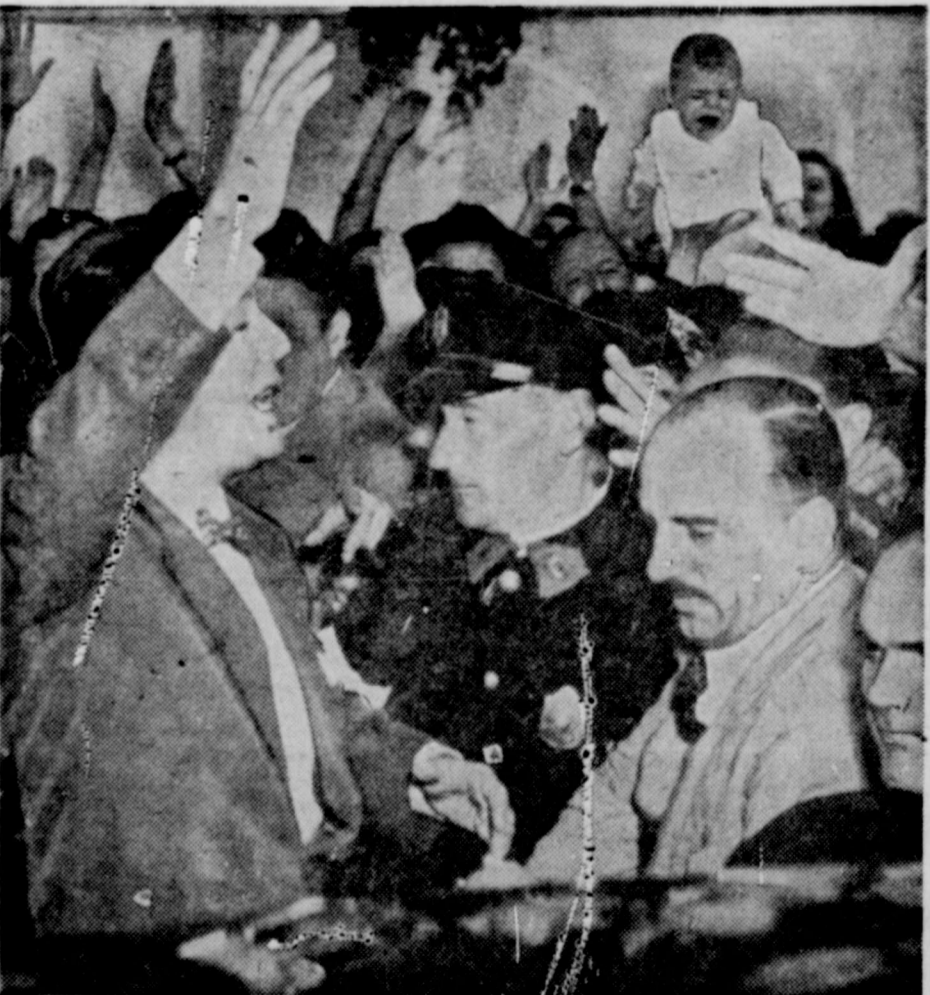
HALT! . . . Wives form chain before Hamarville, Pa., mine.



**YULETIDE TRADITION** . . . Again this Christmas season, as it has annually since 1929 with the exception of the years of World War II, the Missouri Pacific railroad will light the world's largest Christmas tree. The front of the 23-story general office building in St. Louis, which fronts on Civic Plaza, gives the unique effect of a huge Christmas tree through the turning on of certain lights in certain offices in the large building.



**RESCUED PILOT THANKS TANKER CREW** . . . Lieutenant Donald Hammer, Johnston, Pa., a U. S. navy pilot, thanks members of a lifeboat crew aboard the Robert E. Hopkins, an oil tanker. The rescue crew saved him from the ocean off Cape Hatteras when his fighter plane made a forced landing during maneuvers. Lieutenant Hammer, a member of a land-based squadron, said his engine exploded.



**SOUR NOTE IN PERON OVATION** . . . In Buenos Aires, a very small fry dissenter in background injects a loud and sour note into the festivities as Peron admirers cheer the Argentine president after his election. The infant obviously isn't one bit impressed with the fact that Juan Peron has been returned to office for another six-year term. The Radical party in Argentina said that many of the vote totals announced in the recent election were incorrect and filed protest.

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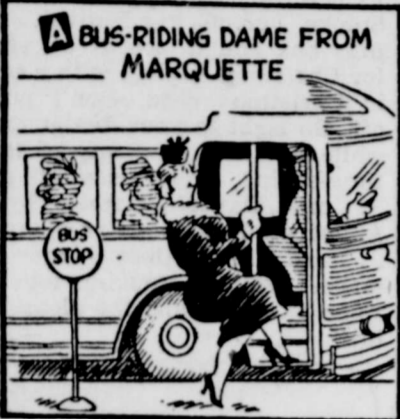
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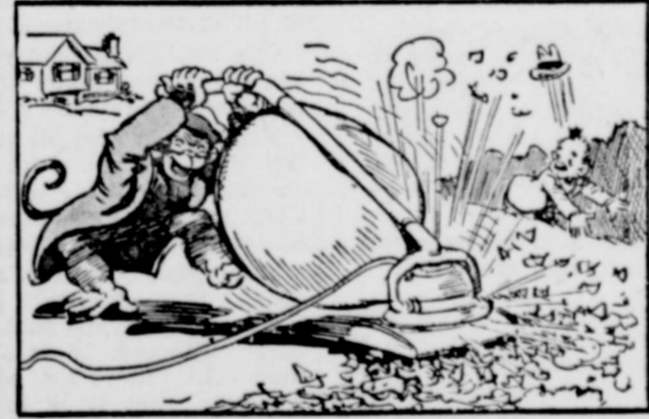
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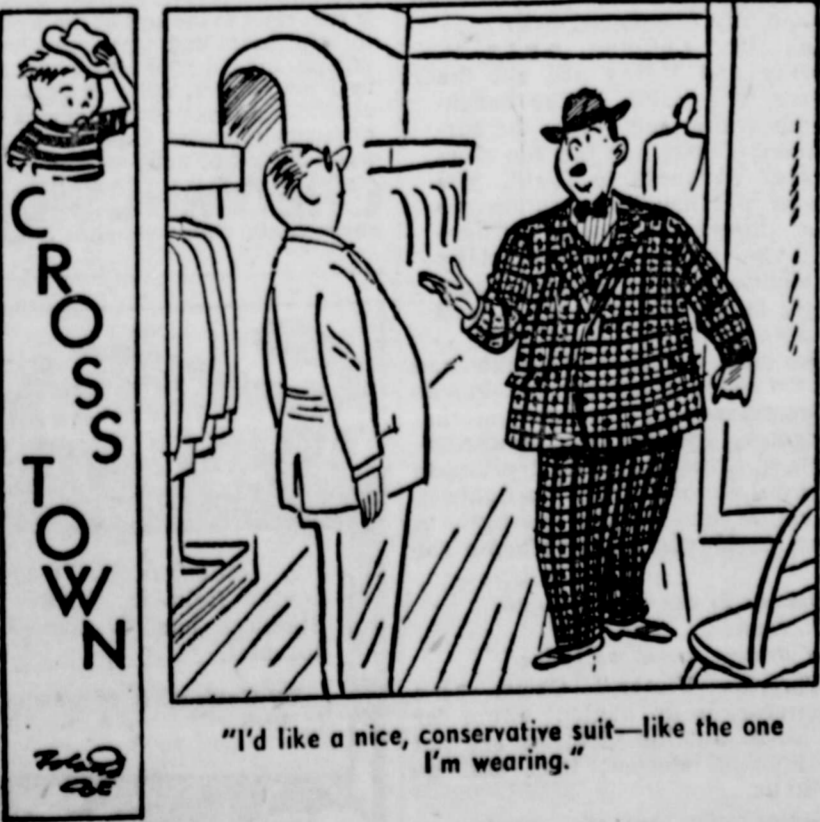


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CHRISTMAS DREAMS

Decorative Effects May Be Obtained By Christmas Card

The deluge of Christmas cards that descend upon the family during the holiday period can be used in many decorative and attractive ways.

One of the most interesting ways they may be used is the form of a mantel or door decoration. They can be attractively grouped together with ribbon and evergreen and add a festive touch to any room.

An eye-catching display can also



be arranged by taping the cards to the panels of an inside door and accenting with sprigs of evergreen and gay, colored Christmas-tree balls.

The big, wide Christmas cards that feature reproductions of famous paintings will show well if placed in bleached-oak frames and hung singly or in pairs in a narrow wall space. Six of them, in a panel arrangement, will give a center of interest to one wall. If you wish to really make a display, then thumbtack the cards to cardboard cut in a tree shape and covered with gold metallic paper. Edge them with evergreen.



The famous carol, "The First Noel" means the first Christmas and this holy anthem goes so far back into history that there is no record as to who wrote or when it was first sung.

An old belief is that the shepherds sang the verses to the music of the angels heralding the birth of Christ, but no one knows for sure.

The beautiful carol, however, has come to be one of the many important things that make Christmas the holy, celebrated season that it is.

Weeks before Christmas, from radios, from concert halls and from the throats of carol singers and just plain singers, the strains of the First Noel remind us all that the celebration of the birth of Christ is once more upon us.

Christmas Eve in Syria Time for Earnest Prayer

There is little merriment in Syria on Christmas Eve. It is more a time of prayer. In both Syria and nearby Lebanon, the Christmas season begins on December 4th and is not concluded until January 6th.

In these two ancient countries there is no Santa Claus. The Syrian believes his gifts come from the camel, for legend tells that the youngest camel to accompany the Magi was tired and weary upon reaching the stable at Bethlehem and the new-born Saviour blessed it and gave it immortal life. In the Lebanon district the "magic mule" is the gift bearer. Children sprinkle freshly mown grass from the threshold to their beds to entice the mule to visit them during the night.

All during the Christmas season, pilgrimages are frequently made from Syria to Bethlehem. Then, on New Years Day, comes the celebrating. Presents are exchanged and children go from one house to another, receiving presents and gifts of money, like children everywhere.



**IN CONTRAST . . .** The irony in this picture is brought to mind when one remembers the disclosure of the slaughter of some 6,000 American prisoners of war by Chinese and North Korean captors. Shown are N. Korean "guests" of 1st Marine Division, about to indulge in cake at celebration of Marine anniversary.

**MIRROR  
Of Your  
MIND**

By Lawrence Gould

Recalling Past  
Not Neurotic



Is keeping anniversaries neurotic?

**Answer:** Not in itself, of course. It is both natural and pleasant to enjoy recalling the bright spots in your past and to be grateful for them. But don't let your happy memories tempt you to forget that the past cannot really be recaptured and that it is in the present and the future that any real satisfaction must lie. You and your mate never can be happy again in exactly the same way as on the day that you became engaged because you are different people from the ones you were then. Trying to deny this is neurotic because it means living in what is no longer the real world, but dreamland.



Can hypnosis "make you a child again"?

**Answer:** Yes, quite literally if you are capable of "age regression." Psychologist Milton V. Kline describes in the Journal of Genetic Psychology how intelligence tests given to ten male students showed a decreased score for all of them corresponding to the age to which they had been set back by hypnosis,

though their I. Q. for that age remained the same as for their real age in a state of wakefulness. A young man of 22 regressed to age eight became a bright eight-year-old, but no more. This type of hypnosis does more than help you recall the past—it actually puts you back into it.



Do recurring nightmares mean you're "going crazy"?

**Answer:** No. They merely show that you are suffering from a severe emotional conflict—quite probably based on fear or anger which you manage to repress successfully when awake. Many people have such conflicts with no more serious result than lessened efficiency due to waste of nervous energy, and the nightmares actually tend to ease the tension rather than increase it. For unpleasant as they are, they do provide a partial outlet for your repressed feelings. Still, if you have nightmares regularly, it will be to your advantage to have a psychiatrist help you get rid of the emotions that inspire them.

**KEEPING HEALTHY**

**Try To Save Baby Teeth if Possible**

By Dr. James W. Barton

**AS YOUNGSTERS,** the loss of a tooth (a first tooth) did not seem a serious matter. If one of the front teeth was lost it was an asset in the schoolyard, as we could then spit between our teeth. It was not unusual, if one of these baby teeth got loose, to tie a string or piece of thread around it, tie one end of string to door knob and close the door.

When we think of the importance to proper chewing of food and the appearance of the face of these first teeth, we wonder that we came through as well as we did.

Dentists today tell us that first teeth should not be removed until they fall out, as they keep a place in the jaw. If removed too soon, the space will shrink to some extent and not leave enough room for the permanent teeth.

In Postgraduate Medicine, Dr. John A. Bigler, Professor of Pediatrics, Northwestern University Medical School, after outlining the cause of decay of the teeth, states that the

only sure way of treating a cavity that has already formed is by restoring the damaged structure or decayed part. Restoration is the first step in controlling caries (decay).

"Parents, physicians and dentists should be made to realize that deciduous (baby) teeth require the same attention as the permanent teeth," writes Dr. Bigler.

We may never think about it, but every tooth has its own place and a special job to do in the mouth, baby teeth as well as permanent teeth. Each baby tooth holds a place in the jawbone until the permanent tooth comes through to take that place.

Further, Dr. Bigler points out that Nature has provided a right or proper pattern for the permanent tooth to erupt or come through the gum. Each erupting tooth is dependent on its neighbor for its position. This proper position is also influenced by the muscular pressure of the lips, cheek and tongue.



A TIME FOR CAROLS

**Language of Christmas**

How's your Christmas language? Let's take a ride around the world with Santa in the magical sleigh. In what country would you hear the following greetings?

- (1) Felices Pascuas . . . . .
- (2) Feliz Navidad . . . . .
- (3) Maligayang Pasko . . . . .
- (4) Tin Hao Nian . . . . .
- (5) Wesolych Swiat . . . . .
- (6) Froljke Kerstmis . . . . .
- (7) Gledelig Jul . . . . .
- (8) Joyeux Noel, or Zalige Kerstdag . . . . .
- (9) Feliz Natal . . . . .
- (10) Rozhdestvom Khristovym (if Santa Lands) . . . . .

**ANSWERS:** (1) Costa Rica; (2) Bolivia; (3) Philippines; (4) China; (5) Poland; (6) Holland; (7) Norway; (8) Belgium (French and Flemish, both spoken); (9) Brazil; (10) U.S.S.R.



Did you ever wonder what ever happens to the thousands of letters boys and girls mail to Santa Claus, North Pole, Greenland?

Well, they really do get to Miss "Santa," who attempts to answer them all, but isn't always able to do so.

Miss Gerda Stauning, pretty 26-year-old employee of the Copenhagen office of the Greenland Colonial Administration, has charge of all of Santa's mail.

One day's mail last year brought her 800 letters, many of them from the United States.

Requests are for all kinds of toys. One little girl asked for a chocolate elephant, promising to be good until Christmas, and afterward, too. Two letters asked for bibles.

Sometimes Miss Santa Claus sends the children pictures of Greenland, saying that Santa will come, although he is a very busy man. The letters are so numerous, however, that it is impossible to reply to all of them.



The Hawthorn is another "thorn bush" or small tree that has found its way into the Christmas scene. An ancient legend connects it with Joseph of Arimathea, who is supposed to have brought the gospel to Britain about the year 70 A.D.

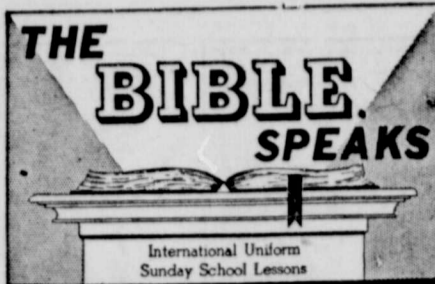
He came to Glastonbury where he built the first Christian church in Britain, tradition says, out of "twisted twigs."

It is related that he stuck his staff in the ground on top of Wyrhall and that it grew into a beautiful tree which blossomed just at Christmas time.

An old rhyme declares:  
The staff het budded and het grew  
And at Christmas bloomed the whalदारoo  
And still het blooms at Christmas bright,  
But best they say at dark midnight.

**Youngsters Don't Require Most Expensive Yule Gifts**

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BY DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: Joshua 1-11. DEVOTIONAL READING: Deuteronomy 32:9-13.

**Living in Victory**

Lesson for December 16, 1951

**T**HE story of the conquest of Canaan is of course a story of historical events. By itself, however, it is not so "edifying" as it once was. Joshua repeatedly committed, or attempted to commit, what is now known as "genocide," or the total deliberate slaughter of an entire nation.



Dr. Foreman

So it is better, all around, to take the story of the conquest of Canaan not in its bare historical form but to follow the example of earlier generations of Christians and take it as a kind of parable.

**Victory Has Many Wounds**

**B**Y the victorious life is meant the life that rises above its temptations, living for God against all opposition.

First of all, as a famous war correspondent said, "Victory has many wounds." Joshua and his armies won; but they had casualties. No victory is ever won without a fight; or to put it another way, no victory without a fight is worth much. Yet we forget this in our personal struggles against sin. We are tempted to think, I could be a better person if I did not have so many temptations.

Maybe you are right, more likely you are wrong. Is an oak a better tree if it is raised in a hot-house? Is a race-horse faster if he never has a hard race?

**Life-Long Campaign**

**I**N another way Joshua's wars are a type of the war of our best against our worst. He never did quite conquer Palestine. In Judges 1 the repeated phrase strikes the eye,—"did not drive out . . ." In the very center of Palestine, for example, what we now know as the city of Jerusalem remained a hostile strong-point for centuries.

The whole story of the Israelites after Joshua shows how imperfect the conquest was at first, and archaeology has underscored the record of the Bible. Yet it is true to say that there was a real conquest of Canaan. The country was won, though there was a vast deal of mopping-up to be done.

The majority of Christians believe there was one sinless life, but only one. We have a right to call a man good (as the Bible does) without meaning that he is perfect. Some people are needlessly discouraged at this point. If we expect the victorious life to be so completely victorious that not a single tinge of evil remains in it anywhere, we shall not only be expecting ourselves to be better than the saints, but we shall be living in disillusionment.

**D-Day and V-Day**

**T**HERE is another, brighter side to this. It is true, no present conquest of evil is complete; but final and complete victory is assured. For the "Captain of our salvation" is Christ, and we Christians believe he has actually conquered evil.

As Dr. Cullman puts it, D-Day and V-Day are not the same. The battle of the beach-heads came long before the surrender. Christ has put the powers of darkness to flight. The Cross and the Resurrection are the Christian's D-Day. There will be much fighting, many casualties, perhaps many backsets, before V-Day, but it will come.

The only assurance Joshua had that his cause would finally win was his confidence in God. So the real guarantee, and the only guarantee, which a Christian has of ultimate and total victory is that he fights in the name and in the strength of Jesus. As Martin Luther's hymn has it,

"Did we in our own strength confide,  
Our striving would be losing."

"Christus Victor," Christ the Conqueror, is an ancient name for our Lord. But his victories are not old finished stories; they still go on—in us.

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# RESIDENT A SERIAL STORY BY LUCY AGNES HANCOCK NURSE



**THE STORY SO FAR:**

Gay Gaynor, Bethesda orphanage inmate, anticipates her 16th birthday and freedom from the "home," and recalls with contempt the time Thad Borden, son of Dr. Borden, kissed her at an orphans' picnic where he was an intruder. Thad is the constant "date" of beautiful, tempestuous Vivian Poole, haughty daughter of the richest man in Bessemer. Dr. Borden has a special affection for Gay. He disapproves of his son's relationship with Vivian, whom he fears Thad might marry. Gay returns to the orphanage from an errand for the superintendent just in time to see a bully shove an invalid, Benny Heaton, from a swing.

**CHAPTER II**

"Don't touch him!" she warned. "You, Sammy Martin, call Doctor Borden—quick! He's hurt—terribly hurt! There, there darling," she crooned as a faint moan came from the slightly parted lips. "Doc will make you well. Gay's here. Beat it—all of you!" she ordered fiercely. "And keep quiet—if you can."

Mrs. Overton bustled out followed by Myra, the laundress, and the part-time maid, but Gay continued to hold her place beside him, her hand holding one of his and her voice crooning softly.

"Get up, Frances!" the matron demanded sharply. "Call the gardener and we'll get him inside. How did it happen? I do declare—don't just stand there. Call Jake."

"He must not be moved," Gay said firmly. "He's terribly injured and moving him would make him worse. We'll wait till Doc comes—he'll know what to do."

**She Gets Credit For Saving a Life**

"Nonsense!" Mrs. Overton cried. "You have always babied the boy and more than likely he's faking right now. Call Jake, Myra."

The cook turned uncertainly. "I think Gay's right, ma'am," she said timidly.

"Do as I say," the matron shouted. "I do declare—" Myra slipped away.

"He'll not be moved until Doc says so," Gay announced stubbornly. "I should think you'd know that much—at least," she went on and heard the woman gasp but didn't care, for the high iron gate clanged and she heard the sound of hurrying footsteps along the concrete walk. The doctor had come.

Without a word he knelt on the hard ground beside Gay and his kind, competent fingers examined the limp body of the boy. Then he looked up at Mrs. Overton and said crisply, "Call the ambulance. He's badly hurt."

The doctor rose to his feet. "He must not be moved about. It's his spine now as well as his heart. A good thing you didn't attempt it before I came. Somebody had good sense."

"I'm glad you give us that much credit, Doctor," Mrs. Overton said stiffly. "Is there anything I can do?"

"Yes. Keep the others quiet and away from windows—if you can. Children should be spared unhappiness where possible—they'll have to face plenty of it later. I'll stay here—help get him into the ambulance. Run along, my dear," he said to Gay who still knelt with one of Benny's hands in hers. She shook her head.

"You heard the doctor, Frances," Mrs. Overton said crisply. "Get up at once."

"I shall stay right here with him," the girl replied quietly. "And I'm going to the hospital with him. He—he needs me. He—he—" The gray eyes filled and she blinked rapidly so the tears didn't spill over.

"Let go, sister," the young doctor said and the nurse put a comforting arm about Gay's shoulders.

"Your brother will be all right with us, my dear," she told her. "Don't worry."

"He isn't her brother, Thompson," a new voice said derisively, and Gay's anger flared. "The gal's made a mollycoddle out of that youngster—the kid's been utterly spoiled and—"

"That'll do, son," the doctor interrupted grimly. "The girl has probably saved his life—on more than one occasion, I suspect. We'll take good care of him, my dear," he said to Gay, patting her gently. "I'll let you know how he is as soon as we discover the extent of the injury."

"I'm—I'm sorry, Fr-Frances," Thad stammered, standing before

her with bowed head. "I didn't know. I've been a heel. Please don't hate me. I'm—"

That spring day was to mark the turning point in Frances Gaynor's life. Mrs. Overton was incensed. She had long felt that Gay had never been properly impressed by her—that she might even hold her in derision—possibly contempt. Hitherto, however, she had actually flouted her authority even before the doctor and some of the staff, as she was fond of terming the employees. It was not to be borne. Frances was getting out of bounds. And then Fate took a hand and Miss Alden telephoned to say that her maid had gone—eloped with her young man, and she wanted Frances to come at once—today.

She walked through the late afternoon traffic without so much as glancing at either passer-by or shop window. Her thoughts were with the



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small boy, at the extent of whose injuries she could only guess. She knew Miss Alden was expecting her—probably waiting for her to prepare dinner; but just the same she must go to the hospital first and find out how things stood. She had no money for carfare and the broken and ungainly suitcase Myra had loaned her and which contained her meager supply of worldly goods was heavy; but she trudged on unmindful alike of its weight and the steepness of the long hill, and at last reached the big stone pile that housed the Bessemer Memorial Hospital. She went inside. A white-clad nurse was just crossing the lobby and Gay called to her.

**Aunt Grace Breaks News of Benny's Death**

"I—I want to know how Benny is," she said, suddenly impressed by the place.

"Benny?" the nurse asked. The nurse shook her head. "I'm sorry," she said. "You see, I'm in Women's Surgical right now and can't help you. Come on in and we'll ask the desk clerk. She might know."

But the desk clerk knew nothing. The nurse accompanied her into the lobby and said sympathetically, "Why don't you call Doctor Borden? He should be able to tell you. But you couldn't see the patient right now anyway because visiting hours are over and undoubtedly he won't be seeing anyone for a while. I shouldn't worry, my dear. Doctor Borden is a fine man—you can trust him—and us to do our best for the child."

Gay's gray eyes thanked her. Her voice was gone. She couldn't talk. She ran down the steps and along the street without seeing where she was going. A mud-spattered car drew up at the curb beside her and Doctor Borden called but at first she didn't hear; then as he repeated his call she stopped, turned and ran to him.

"How is he, Doctor?" she asked tremulously. "Is he terribly hurt? I have to know. Tell me."

"Come, my dear, get in here with me and I'll take you home. What's that you're carrying? Benny's belongings?"

"I'm leaving Bethesda. Miss Alden wants me to come take care of her. Her maid eloped this morn-

ing. Everything seems to happen today. But you haven't told me. How's Benny?"

"We can't tell yet, my dear," the doctor said soothingly. "He is still unconscious. But just as soon as I know I'll get word to you. You can trust me—I'll do my best for the boy. Only—" He paused, pondering the advisability of communicating his fears to the troubled girl beside him.

Gay caught her breath. "Then—then—"

"There's his heart, you know. It has never been sound. Remember those fainting spells—that cough and the shortness of breath so often accompanying the least exertion? I've been watching him for years, my dear—treating him regularly, but without much evidence of improvement. The lad was born with a heart lesion—"

Gay followed him inside the small comfortable home of Grace Alden and into a brand-new life. It was Miss Alden who broke the news of Benny's death that same evening after dinner and Gay cried a little

**"I Hope You'll Let Me Stay Forever"**

And so the years passed away quickly. Gay grew into a tall, attractive young woman. They had been happy years for the most part, although somewhat hard and puzzling. Miss Alden's crippling arthritis confined her almost entirely to her specially constructed wheel chair. But she was a naturally cheerful woman and thoroughly enjoyed having Gay with her. She found her an apt pupil in every way and was proud as any parent when the girl finished the high school course with a fine rating and received a special diploma from the President of the School Board.

"Now what do you want to do, Gay?" Miss Alden asked on the day the girl tossed the roll of parchment into her lap. "Your standing is high enough to warrant entrance into one of the State Teachers' Colleges. Do you think you might like teaching?"

"But—that would cost a lot of money, Aunt Grace," Gay demurred. "You have been wonderful to me and I have saved a little, but not nearly enough for that. Even with tuition free there would be board, books and oh—lots of things. And what would you do without me?"

Grace Alden smiled. "You don't want to be a teacher, do you? I thought not," as the girl flushed guiltily. "You don't have to be, you know. Is there something else you think you would really enjoy doing?"

"Do I have to do anything?" Gay asked. "Can't I just go on as I have been doing—taking care of you? Or—"

Gay sank down on the floor beside the invalid's chair and for a moment buried her head in the light blanket that lay across the crippled knees. The gray eyes she lifted at last were bright with unshed tears and she caught one of the misshapen hands in both her own.

"How can you talk like that, Aunt Grace, when you have given me the only home—the only love I have ever known? It has been heavenly here—everything I am and everything I can ever hope to become I owe to you. I can never repay you—never—never."

"There, there, child!" Miss Alden chided. "It is I who should be grateful. You brought joy, youth and sunshine into this house. You provided me with an object in life—something to do—someone to love. I don't dare think of what I might have become without you. You owe me nothing, Gay, only your love, and I have tried to earn that."

"You didn't have to earn it, Aunt Grace," the girl protested vehemently. "It was yours from the first day I saw you. Somehow I had a feeling we belonged together and I have never lost that feeling. I hope you will let me stay forever." She sprang to her feet. "Now I have a surprise for dinner tonight. No, darling, I'm not going to tell you. I'll skip up and change into something less glamorous and be down in a jiffy. Be good—tra-la-la-la—ah-ah-a-ah" died away as she ran up the stairs and somewhere a door shut.

All that had happened more than a year ago and life had gone smoothly on in the house at Seventeen Belmont Street.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

**THE WEEK In Religion**

**INSPIRATION Security**

THERE MAY BE minor insecurities which can be relieved by material means. But the basic sense of security which every human being craves is the assurance of perfect and eternal happiness, which comes from God alone. The Biblical story of Job reminds us that while a man may lose everything that seems precious and dear in life, he can still retain a fundamental sense of security provided he clings to his faith in God.

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**ARCHBISHOP JOINS TRIBE**  
... Archbishop Joseph Schlarman, Peoria, Ill., was inducted by Pa-Ye-Ton-I-Mash (left) into the Menominee Indian tribe.

**Rhythmic Choir Dances Prayer in Pasadena**

PASADENA, Cal. — Dancing a prayer to God was demonstrated for the first time in the west by the Pasadena rhythmic choir in a program at Oneonta Congregational church here.

The program featured the fifth in a fall series of six services on "The Church and the Fine Arts." Howard Swan of Occidental college, minister of music at Pasadena Presbyterian church, spoke on "What the Church Ought to Be Doing in Music and the Fine Arts."

The rhythmic choir presented its three most popular interpretations: Malotte's "The Lord's Prayer," a theme on the 23rd Psalm, and "My Faith Looks Up to Thee." The choir will later perform rhythmic vespers at the First Congregational church of Long Beach and will then train some of that church's young people who want to start a choir of their own.

The choir, composed of young mothers in the congregation, was trained by Mrs. Henry David Gray, wife of the church's pastor.

"To worship the Supreme Being in dance is universal," Mrs. Gray said. "It has been done since man first responded to His presence. One of our challenging tasks is to create movements and patterns which are expressive of Christian concepts and ideals."

**McCracken Attacks Intolerant Spirit**

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Dr. Robert J. McCracken of Riverside church, New York, said here that "there is a spirit abroad among us at the present time which is bigotry and intolerance."

Dr. McCracken said the spirit of intolerance "has arisen in an America which is strangely afraid of itself."

"It is a spirit that is born of a half hysterical fear that tends to confuse loyalty and orthodoxy," he said, "that is impatient of any kind of deviation or diversity, and insists on the affirmation and reaffirmation of allegiance as though allegiance were something that could be compelled."

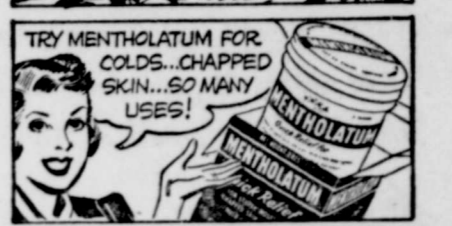
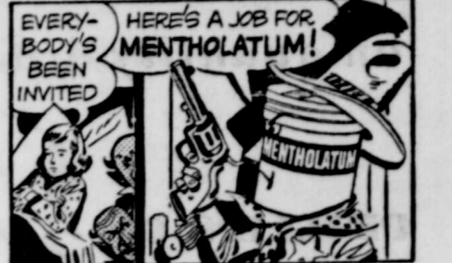
Dr. McCracken said he found in the new trend a danger to the principles of the founding fathers.

"Tolerance of diversity — in religious faith, in racial background, in economic interest — was what made the New World possible," he said. "No one can injure America as mortally as Americans, and they can do it by bigotry and intolerance."

**Religion Question Box**

**Q: What is Golgotha?**  
A: The skull-shaped hill near Jerusalem, also called Calvary, where Christ was crucified. Golgotha is the Hebrew word for skull.

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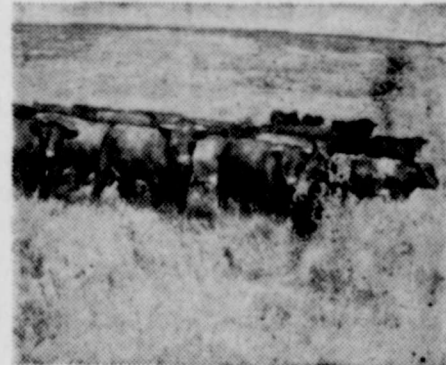
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Shorthorn breeders recently put 102 bulls through an obstacle course in the Nebraska range country with a view to toughening them up for a unique show and sale held at Broken Bow, Nebr., last month. Converting farm bulls from mid-western herds to rugged range



The drove of Shorthorn bulls above were part of the Broken Bow experiment to toughen up 102 animals to be used in cross-breeding programs in large commercial herds. The project was sponsored by the American Shorthorn Breeders Association.

bulls for service in large commercial herds of the west, the program was called the Range Bull project. The bulls were judged in groups of two and three, in the manner of "Camp Showings" in Argentina, and then sold to western cattlemen who wanted them for regular herd sires or for cross-breeding programs. It was the first such program in the United States.

The animals were consigned by 48 breeders in the middlewest and east and were turned out to range on July 1.

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**Football season:** The only time of the year when a man can walk down the street with a blonde on one arm and a blanket on the other without encountering raised eyebrows.

**Champagne:** The drink that makes you see double and think single.

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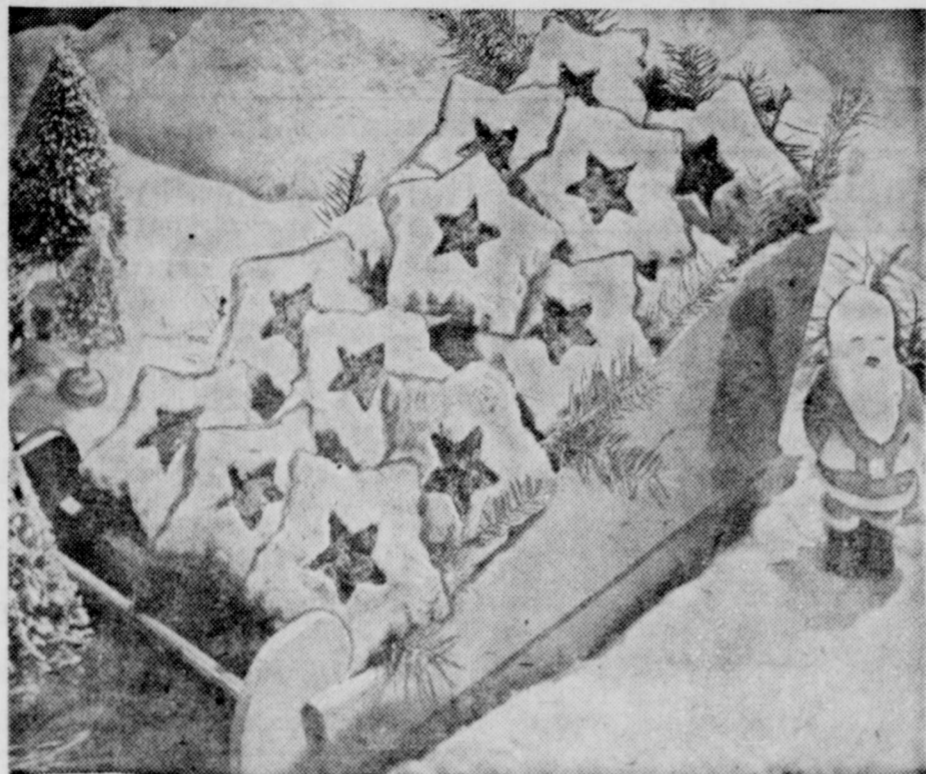
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Let your Kitchen Say, "Merry Christmas"  
(See Recipes Below)

**Kitchen Gifts**  
WHEN YOU SIMPLY can't face the ordeal of shopping among the crowds anymore, why not do your Christmas shopping right in your own kitchen?

Thoughtful gifts to fit almost anyone on your list can be made right in the warm and cozy kitchen. Children will adore confections that are tasty and colorful.

Neighbors and relatives will love your jellies; and any bachelor will appreciate a box of cookies to nibble over his favorite book on a long winter evening.

Containers for all these can be cheerful and full of Christmas spirit. Cover a cereal box of the cylindrical shape with gay wrapping paper and line with foil or waxed paper. This is excellent for cookies if you don't want to put them in tins.

Jelly glasses can be tucked in small baskets, or even muffin tins and the whole wrapped in colorful cellophane, then tied with gay ribbons. Confections can be wrapped individually and then placed in clear plastic containers which can be used for freezer or refrigerator use later.

Here are several jellies which can be made from canned juices if your own canning shelves do not provide enough for gifts.

**Pink Apple Jelly**  
(Makes 5 6-ounce glasses)  
3 1/2 cups sugar  
2 cups canned apple juice  
Red coloring  
1/2 bottle liquid fruit pectin  
Add sugar to juice in saucepan and mix well. For a pink color, add a few drops of red coloring. Place over high heat and bring to a boil, stirring constantly. At once stir in fruit pectin. Bring to a full, rolling boil and boil hard 1 minute, stirring constantly. Remove from heat, skim and pour quickly into glasses. Cover jelly at once with 1/8 inch hot paraffin.

**Grape-Grapefruit Jelly**  
(Makes 7 6-ounce glasses)  
1 1/2 cups grapefruit juice  
1 1/2 cups bottled grape juice  
3 1/2 cups sugar  
1 box powdered fruit pectin  
Squeeze and strain juice from 2 medium-sized grapefruit. Measure 1 1/2 cups juice into a large saucepan. Add grape juice and mix well. Heat juice over high heat. Add powdered fruit pectin and stir until mixture comes to a hard boil. Stir in sugar. Bring to a full, rolling boil and boil hard 1 minute, stirring constantly. Remove from heat, skim and pour quickly into glasses. Paraffin at once.

**Pinecot Jam**  
(Makes 10 6-ounce glasses)  
1 pound dried apricots  
2 No. 2 1/2 cans broken pineapple slices  
Sugar  
Wash apricots and cut in pieces; soak overnight in syrup drained

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from pineapple. Dice pineapple and combine with apricots; measure and add 1/2 cup sugar for each cup of fruit and juice. Cook over low heat until thick and transparent. Seal in hot, sterile glasses.

**Christmas Star Cookies**  
(Makes 1 1/2 dozen 3-inch cookies)  
1/2 cup mixed, candied fruit  
1/2 cup seedless raisins  
2 tablespoons sugar  
1 tablespoon water  
1 tablespoon orange juice

1/2 cup shortening  
1/2 cup brown sugar  
1 1/4 cup sifted flour  
1 teaspoon baking powder  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1/4 cup water  
1/4 teaspoon vanilla  
1 cup corn flakes

Chop fruit and raisins into fine pieces; mix with sugar, water and orange juice. Cook until a soft paste is formed.

Blend together shortening and sugar. Sift flour, baking powder and salt together and add alternately with water and vanilla to first mixture, then stir in finely

crushed corn flakes. Chill thoroughly. Roll dough thin on lightly floured board. Cut with star cutter. Put small amount of filling in center of each star. Cover with another star cookie with center cut out with a smaller star cutter. Bake on a greased baking sheet in a moderately hot (425°F.) oven for 8-10 minutes.

**Deluxe Candied Orange Peel**  
6 naval oranges  
Water  
2 cups brown sugar  
1 cup water  
2 tablespoons corn syrup  
Sugar decorations

Cut the peel from oranges, then cut the peel with small cutters into star, tree or bell shapes. If you have no small cutters make a pasteboard pattern and cut around it. Place these designs as well as any left-over strips into saucepan and cover with cold water. Bring to a boil and boil 5 minutes. Drain and repeat this 3 times to prevent bitterness. Drain water and then add brown sugar, 1 cup water and corn syrup. Boil gently, stirring constantly, until syrup is thick and almost absorbed by the peel. Drain and roll peel in sugar or decorations.

**Ping Popcorn Balls**  
1 cup sugar  
1/2 cup water  
1 teaspoon vinegar  
2 tablespoons light corn syrup  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 tablespoon butter  
1 teaspoon red food coloring  
6 cups popped corn

Combine sugar, water, vinegar, corn syrup and salt. Cook to a very hard ball stage (265°F.). Add butter and coloring. Pour over popped corn. Shape balls.

**The Way it Happened...**

**IN PHILADELPHIA...** After a bus accident, Karl J. Mersinger sued a transportation concern for \$75,000, but a sympathetic jury awarded him \$90,000.

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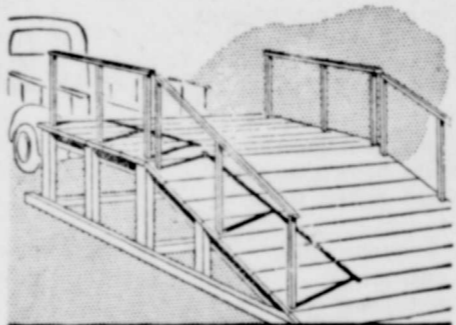
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Blank explained that lambs can see better without a heavy crop of wool around their eyes. After shearing they'll find the feed trough more quickly, will eat better and will gain much more rapidly, specialists report.

### Tests Reveal Lights Increase Egg Production

Although they don't have to see what they're doing, laying hens work better if they have lights, tests have revealed.

Lights extend the hen's working day. It makes it possible for each bird to eat more. But the main reason for larger egg production when lights are used is stimulation of the pituitary gland by light rays. Lights may be used profitably when the days are short.

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