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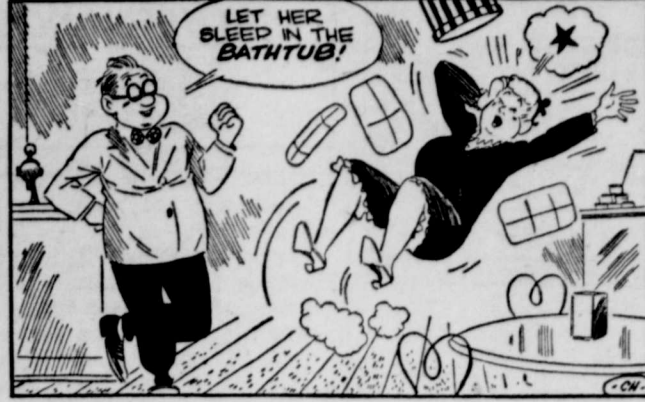
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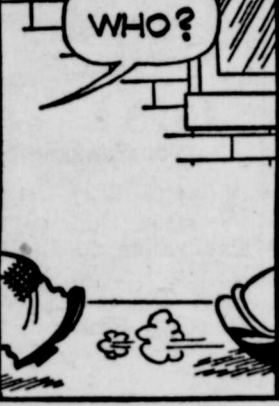
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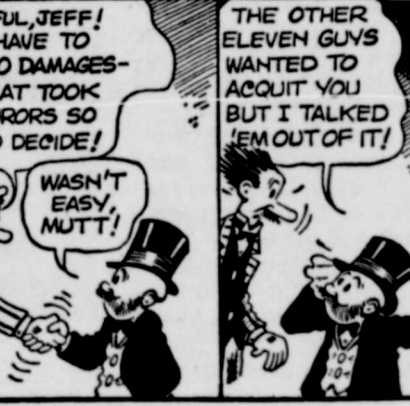
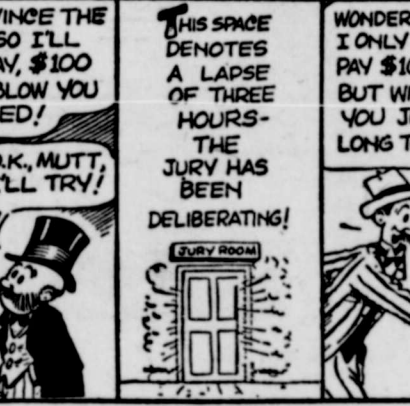
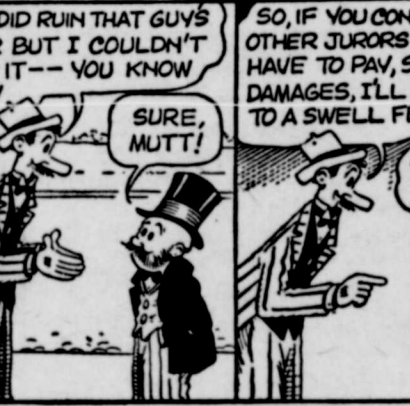
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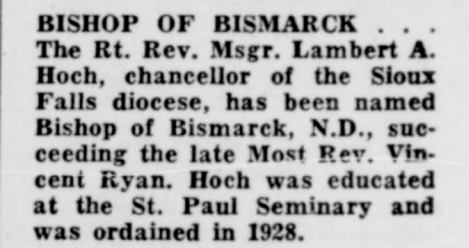
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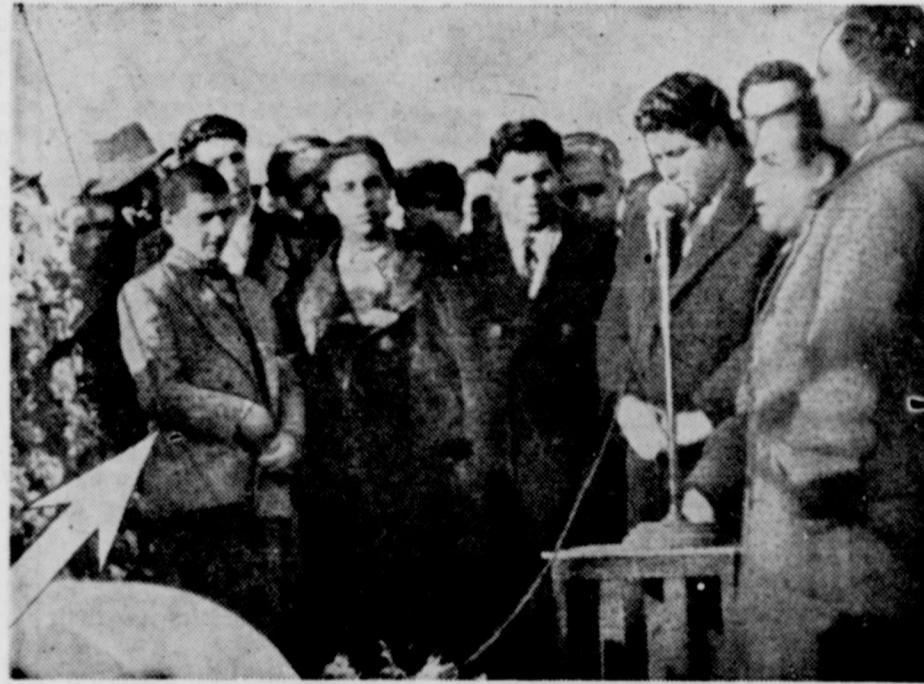
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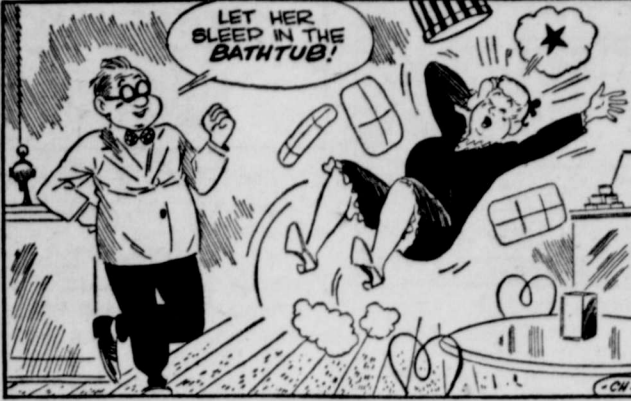
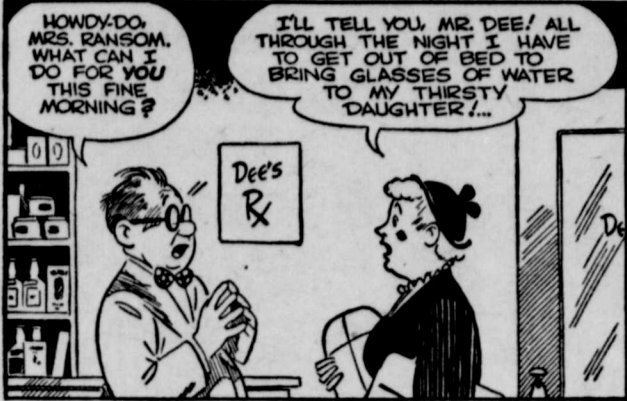


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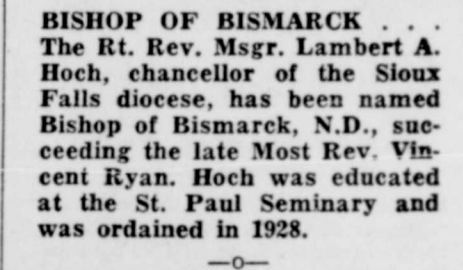
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SCRIPTURE: Acts 16: 6-40.  
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**Business Woman**  
Lesson for March 23, 1952

THERE were no timetables and no maps on the ship that carried Paul from Troas to Samothrace and Neapolis. But even if there had been maps posted in the passengers' cabin, and even if they had had the words ASIA and EUROPE where they ought to have been, it is doubtful whether Paul or any of his party would have thought that as important as we think it is.



Dr. Foreman

For the Christian religion was now for the first time, so far as we know, leaping from the continent of its birth to the continent where it would have power for more than a thousand years. But Luke, writing Acts, does not even notice this fact. To educated people of that day, the name of the continent of "Europe" meant little or nothing. It was mostly populated by barbarians anyway.

**She Was at Prayer-Meeting**  
IF there were no maps, there were no Hotel Red Books, either. There was no way of wiring ahead for accommodations. When Paul arrived in Philippi, a strange city, he did not look up the Travelers' Aid or the Chamber of Commerce; he hunted up the nearest prayer-meeting.

There he met and converted the woman named Lydia, the first European ever to become a Christian. She is in many ways a kind of sample of many and many a Christian after her. For one thing, she was a business woman, a seller of purple, that is, the purple dye which was so expensive and so much in demand in those days.

It is an interesting fact that while Christianity draws from every level of society, top to bottom, the first convert in all Europe was not a rich man, not a beggar, not a professional man, not a slave, but an independent, middle-class business woman.

**Successful Salesman**  
CHRISTIANITY has always appealed to salesmen. They do not pretend to be the greatest people on earth, but they have always helped to make the world go 'round. Lydia, we note, must have been successful in her purple-dye business, since she had a home big enough to entertain the entire missionary party. Able, successful people, people who can go out against stiff competition and make good—the Christian church is well supplied with such persons. They have always been the backbone of the church.

Then Lydia was also a successful woman. Some religions, such as Islam, appeal especially to men, and leave women out of the picture except in so far as they can be useful to men. Christ, on the contrary, ever since the earliest days in Galilee has made an appeal to both men and women. Indeed, one of the greatest triumphs of Christianity has been what it has done for womankind. If woman's lot over the world is better than it was 3,000 years ago, if women would rather live, if they had their choice, in Christian lands than where Christianity has never taken strong foothold, it is because of the kind of religion that Christianity is.

**Open Heart, Open Home**  
FURTHERMORE and most important, Lydia devoted what she had to the service of Christ and his cause. She set her house at the disposal of Paul and his missionary friends, and we can well imagine that Lydia had a large part in later years, in sending those parcels to Paul in prison at Rome. How much the church owes to hospitable women!

A good church is one into which the women who are members carry the same hospitality that is their habit at home, not only opening their homes to ministers, missionaries, Christian workers, but making the church itself a home-away-from-home for the lonely. Life without a woman's touch would be a dreary thing; and so would a womanless church.

**KATHLEEN NORRIS**  
**Lurid Tales**

SOMETIMES a man goes out of his way to ruin his marriage and his life.

Evidently Elbert Klinger, of Spokane, is such a man. He has been married for 11 months to Sally, 22 years old, who says rather pathetically, "I always kept myself clean and pure in my body and in my mind, for my marriage, and I thought El did, too. But since we've been married he's shocked me and hurt me so that I'm seriously thinking of going back to my mother in Oakland, California.

"Elbert is steady, generous, he is the most good-natured man I ever knew, he is popular, and considered highly by his firm. He is 10 years older than I am, and I have always looked up to him as my stepfather's closest friend, but his boasting about the experiences he has had with women really makes me feel sick.

**Dreads Nights**

"I have come really to dread the nights, when he amuses himself with telling me stories about girls who have been in love with him; he says he has a letter from a high school girl of 16 that could have put him into jail if her parents had ever got hold of it. He talks of women in the camp in California where he was a training sergeant for three years, using terms for bad houses that I never heard before, and for the women in them, too. No matter how affectionate or how close to him I feel this mood of his freezes me completely, and I want to go away and not ever see him again.



"... stories about girls..."

"El finds this very funny. He calls me a Puritan and says he wants me to grow up. And all the time I know that if I ever had had a serious affair with a man, which I did not, before marriage, he would be the first to be horrified; he is jealous, and he never would let me hear the end of it. In six months I will have a child, but El has spoiled what should be the happy time of waiting for my baby by hints that if it is a boy he is to be initiated into the coarser side of life while still in his teens and taught to drink and to 'handle women.' I have cried myself sick over all this, but I don't let Elbert see my tears, and my asking him please to spare me these details of his past only seem to spur him on. I must add that I know and love his mother, and that nothing he ever did or she ever told me of him previously gave me a hint of this side of his life. Do advise me, I am so terribly unhappy!"

**He's Lying**

Well, to begin with, Sally, Elbert is making up a lot of this. A man can't go to the age of 30, winning the respect of his mother and his friends and business associates, and at the same time entering upon heartless and dishonorable relationships with all sorts of women.

That he wasn't completely inexperienced when he married you is probable. Men don't have to turn to the unfortunates of the lowest type for favors nowadays, and if what one hears of college years is true, and I don't believe all of it by any means, purity is rather the exception than the rule. Living as I have for 20 years in a town famous for its co-educational college I would discount about 80 per cent of that generalization, but there certainly is left a margin of truth. Many college affairs are those of genuine affection, prompted by youth and propinquity and freedom, and in those cases one understands, even if one does not condone. The disruption that war inevitably brings to young lives is another reason for today's comparative laxity.

But any man who invents stories of tremendous conquests, who dwells fondly on their memories, and who tortures a young loving wife with disgusting details of these affairs, is really not a man, but an unreliable, vain, rather pitiful adolescent. Neither in manners, mind nor heart is he adult, and your one hope is that he will someday be as ashamed of himself as you are. Ask him a year from now if he would like his baby daughter to marry a man like her father.

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# RESIDENT A SERIAL STORY... NURSE

BY LUCY AGNES HANCOCK



**THE STORY SO FAR:**  
Gay Gaynor, orphan and nurse trainee, and Thad Borden discuss, rather constrainedly, the fatigue and ill-health of Dr. Borden, Thad's father and Gay's friend. Gay dislikes Thad because of past insolence but is fond of Dr. Borden who helped her gain a position on the Bessemer hospital staff. Later Dr. Borden reveals to Gay that the Bethesda orphanage board disapproves of employing a resident nurse. Gay has been preparing herself to nurse ill-children at Bethesda. Dr. Borden pleads with Gay to forgive Thad for the young man's past misdeeds. Gay plans to open a convalescent home for children at her home.

## CHAPTER XVI

"He's going to stop in on his rounds this morning. Let's have coffee and a sandwich ready for him, Myra. This is like old times, isn't it?"

Gay opened the door and greeted him cordially. He followed her into the well-loved room and sat down in the old familiar chair. For a moment he gazed around, his eyes reminiscent of those other visits, then he turned and said, "Now for the big news, Gay. I'll eat and listen at the same time, if I may."

### Gay Considers Home For Convalescents

"Don't eat so fast," the girl warned. "You'll have indigestion. I'm getting restless, Doctor," she went on as the man put down his half-eaten sandwich and reached for his cup. "What do you think of the idea of turning this place into a convalescent home for children, Doctor? I could manage five or six—that is, Myra and I could. Do you think it could be arranged?"

The doctor looked at her strangely. "Are you by any chance psychic, Gay?"

"W-why?" the girl asked.

"Thad and I were talking of that very thing only this morning," he told her. "Oh, not this place—not your home, my dear. It isn't altogether suitable—too close to your neighbors for one thing and then it isn't large enough or exactly convenient. You would have no privacy—"

"I don't need privacy—from children, Doctor Borden," Gay interrupted. "Just where did you decide was the proper place?" She spoke somewhat stiffly. She had felt such enthusiasm over her plans that she didn't relinquish them easily.

"Why, the Borden place, of course. There's more than five acres of land—a small stand of trees, mostly birch, the apple orchard, a running stream, a big garden, the huge house with its dozen unused rooms, besides the cottage over beyond the orchard that could quite easily be made into a place suitable for me—when I retire." He grinned at her. "Imagine me retiring, Gay. But I could putter around and help amuse the children while you and Thad run the place—with help, of course," he finished hastily, eyeing her warily.

At first Gay's eyes had darkened with something like resentment. They had stolen her plans—had gone ahead and robbed her of her dream. Then as the doctor went on talking she began to feel something of his own enthusiasm.

"But—but you're not thinking of retiring, are you? Oh, you can't. What would your patients do? You're not really ill, are you?"

"Not ill, exactly," the doctor told her finishing his sandwich and swallowing the last of the coffee. "but the old ticker isn't what it used to be, my dear. Your old doctor has got to slow up a bit. I'm well past fifty, Gay, and have worked hard all my life. I'm beginning to get a little tired—at times. It's a relief, however, to know that Thad will carry on."

"I—I think they're wonderful, Doctor Borden," she said huskily. "But how could you swing it? Wouldn't it cost a lot to equip a place like yours? I mean—anything as huge as that?"

"Oh, it will cost plenty, of course, but I have ways of raising the money. Some of our civic-minded Bessemerians will no doubt be glad to help. I thought of asking them to take care of certain parts—say, one furnish and equip the nursery in memory of a mother or wife or child. Another might like to furnish a bedroom or two or perhaps a small ward. Someone might enjoy equipping the playground. Oh, we have lots of plans, my dear. But I must run now. We will get together

on this. We need your help. Where's Tommy?"

"Weeding Myra's garden, Doctor. It's amazing how that boy gets around."

"Weeding? But—"

"Oh, he uses a weeder one of the neighbors brought over. He's become friends with everyone in the block," she laughed, "and has lived here less than a month."

"He's a great lad," the doctor said and made a dash for the door. "Look at the clock, Frances Gaynor," he cried. "I'm a busy man."

"And you talk of retiring," Gay jeered. "You'll never retire"—as she watched him enter his car and waved her hand in answer to his uplifted arm—"until you die," she finished, the thought sending a shiver of dread through her heart. She wondered if Thad knew of his father's condition. She hadn't seen Thad in more than a week. She hadn't encouraged his friendship.



"Seems to me you ain't none too polite to that boy, Gay," Myra had protested. "Tain't like you to be rude to folks."

She was cool when he called to see Tommy and not too cordial as he ate Myra's cookies and drank her iced ginger ale. In fact, she always found many duties that needed her undivided attention when he came, and Myra would shake her head and mutter to herself as she saw Thad watching the door hungrily for a sight of Gay's return. And just the other day Myra had taken her to task about her treatment of the doctor's son.

### Myra Is Enthusiastic About Doctor's Plans

"How you do go on," Myra said unperturbed. "You feed his father, don't you? Always have ever since you come here—years ago. What's the difference? I can't see none—cept Thad's young and like most boys has got a bottomless stomach. Don't that Mis' Potter feed 'em? I'd like to give her a good piece of my mind. Why, that boy eats 'sif he ain't et a square meal in a month of Sundays."

And Gay, making no reply, had walked away. Now as she entered the kitchen with the empty dishes, Myra asked, "What does Doc think of your idea, Gay?"

"Oh, he and that precious son of his have a better one," the girl replied. "They want to turn the old Borden estate into a convalescent home for children—so I guess that knocks my dream into a cocked hat."

"Now that's something like," Myra cried with enthusiasm. "Think of the big yard—the orchard and the little woods and that stream for wading, Gay. Why, it's just the place for kids to get well and strong in. Do you s'pose they'll let me help—cook fer 'em, Gay? Do you? And are you goin' into it with 'em?"

Gay shook her head. "It was early afternoon that Mrs. Potter phoned to ask if Thad was there. Her voice sounded thick. Gay told her he wasn't. Suddenly the housekeeper was weeping convulsively.

"Can you come at once, Gay?" she asked and Gay, the feeling of dread growing more pronounced, cried, "What is it—what has happened, Mrs. Potter? The doctor?" "Yes. Oh, hurry—hurry and try to find Thad."

Gay called Myra. "Call everyone you can think of, Myra. Find Thad Borden and send him home—at once. His father is ill," she said as she sped down the front walk. She didn't wait to get the car out but hurried—almost ran along the street to the old Borden house. It wasn't far and when she reached it a big, shiny car was parked before the front porch in the place where the doctor's shabby coupe usually stood. She went inside. Mrs. Potter came hurrying toward her. Pointing to the empty back of the offices she said shakily. "They're in there. Did you find Thad?"

Gay shook her head and went directly to the closed door, turned the handle and looked inside. Memorial's Chief of Staff stood beside the wide couch on which Doctor Borden, white and very ill, lay. He turned as the door opened and motioned her to enter.

"Glad you came, Gaynor," he said softly. "You've got a job on your hands. I warned him—Now, now, Doctor, don't move—just relax. The best nurse in the city—the world, for that matter—is going to see that you obey orders, old man."

"Hello, Gay!" the sick man murmured weakly, trying hard to smile.

### Gay Retains Fear Of Iron Gates

"Dad, Dad!" Thad whispered when he came. "I'm here. Don't you worry—we'll have you okay before you know it." He patted his father's hand and drew back.

"Better let him stay as he is for an hour or two—maybe three," Doctor Cushing advised. "Then he can be undressed and made comfortable for the night. Have you a bedroom downstairs, Thad? He should not climb stairs—not right away," he qualified as the patient frowned. "When this passes he will undoubtedly be about as usual, but maybe now he'll listen to me and take things easier."

"He will," Thad promised firmly, then went on, "There are a couple of bedrooms in the back—what used to be the servants' quarters," he explained, "but we can put up a bed right here. Why not? I'll attend to it at once." He hadn't noticed Gay, or at least he hadn't spoken to her and the girl hesitated to say anything.

"Can you stay on, Gaynor?" the Chief of Staff asked.

"Of course," Gay answered and heard a sigh from the couch. She turned to meet the look of satisfaction on her patient's face. "I haven't my uniforms, Doctor, but Myra—my housekeeper—will get them to me at once."

During Doctor Borden's convalescence, there were many conferences regarding the plans for the Marcia Borden Convalescent Home for Children.

"That's what it's going to be called, Gay," the doctor said. "I know exactly where the sign will be placed. Crescent-wise—a r c h e d above the wide entrance gates of wrought iron."

Gay shuddered and Thad said quickly, "You don't like that idea?"

"An iron gate takes me back to Bethesda," the girl said. "For years it haunted me day and night—the clanging of that heavy iron gate shutting me in. I hate gates, Doctor Borden."

"But with little children—"

"Oh, I realize it's silly of me," Gay acknowledged "and probably the gate you have in mind would have no least resemblance to the one protecting Bethesda's sacred lawn from the populace."

"So that gate was another of your annoyances—hurdles, if you like," the doctor smiled. "Well, I think, perhaps, you owe something to that iron gate, my dear. Anyway, it didn't deter you from wanting to return to Bethesda as resident nurse, did it?"

"No," the girl answered. "I think I wanted to be convinced—to prove that it had no power to keep me in—that I was free to go and come as I pleased. I wanted, childishly, perhaps, to shake my fist at it—taunt it with the declaration that it couldn't scare me."

"Poor kid!" Thad murmured and Gay flushed with embarrassment.

"Of course," she went on hastily, "all that was long ago—before I went into training. Nurses are supposed not to have neuroses—to shrink at nothing—fear nothing—balk at nothing—"

"Rubbish!" Thad said emphatically. "Nurses are human—"

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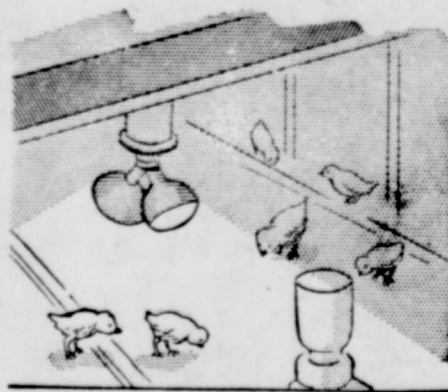
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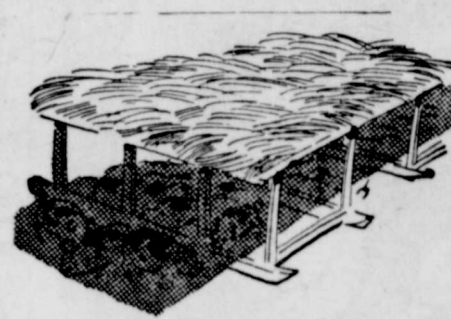
Most of the meat increase will be in beef and veal. Much of the step-up in beef will be in medium and lower grades, although some of it probably will be in the better grades from grain-fed cattle. Veal consumption per person in the country last year was a 19-year low of 6.7 pounds.

The amount of lamb and mutton eaten by the average American is expected to go up slightly, as is production. Last year consumption of lamb and mutton was the lowest on record—only slightly over 3 pounds per person.

A little more pork may be on the market in the first few months of 1952, but production for the last part of the year may be somewhat smaller.

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The above photograph shows aerial dusting of an orchard. This method of insect control is becoming more popular with farmers throughout the country.

crop acreage, I. J. Becnel, agricultural research director for the Freeport Sulphur Company, reports.

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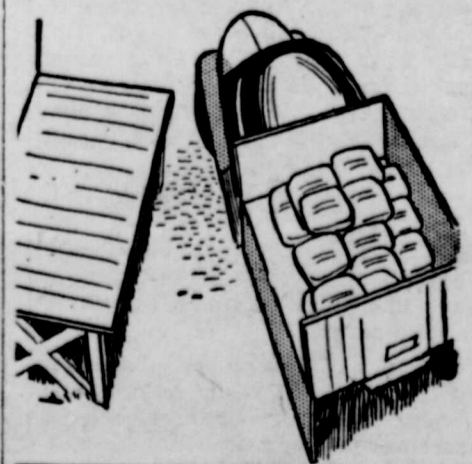
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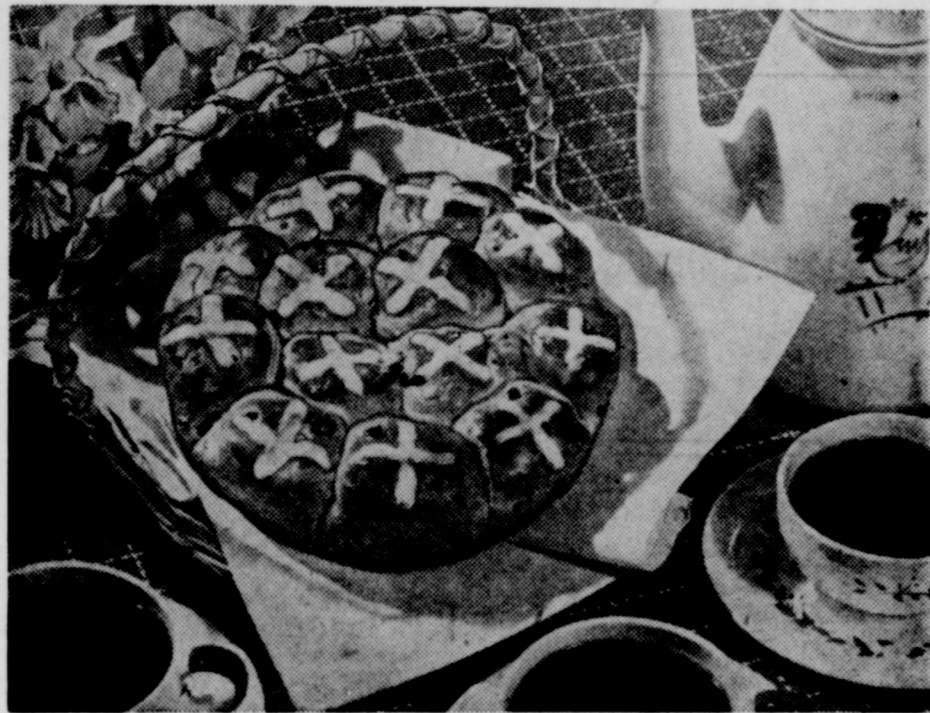
### Easier Loading



A farmer handy with tools can make a drop-side to his wagon or truck as illustrated above with a few pieces of scrap iron and a length of pipe. It will save considerable trouble loading and unloading, especially when the truck is pulled close to a loading platform.



# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



One a Penny, Two a Penny, Hot Cross Buns!  
(See Recipes Below)

### Delicious Rolls

WHEN YOU BAKE rolls and serve them to the great delight of your family, you do much more than add an appetizing accompaniment to the menu.

You add to the cozy comfort of the kitchen with roll baking, and what is, perhaps, most important: you give the menfolk and children rich memories of wonderful fragrance and delicious eating they can never forget.

Modern methods take the guesswork out of yeast baking and guarantee results when directions are followed.

### \*Hot Cross Buns (Makes 24)

- 1/2 cup milk
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 1/4 teaspoons salt
- 6 tablespoons shortening
- 1/2 cup warm, not hot water\*
- 2 packages or cakes yeast, active dry or compressed
- 3 eggs, beaten
- 6 cups sifted enriched flour
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 cup currants or chopped raisins

\*If using compressed yeast, use lukewarm water.

Scald milk. Stir in sugar, salt and shortening. Measure water into mixing bowl. Sprinkle or crumble in yeast. Stir until dissolved. Add lukewarm milk mixture and eggs. Mix sifted flour with cinnamon and currants or raisins. Stir 1/2 of the flour mixture into the yeast mixture. Beat until smooth. Add and stir in remaining flour. Turn dough out on floured board. Knead 8 to 10 minutes or until dough is elastic and does not stick to the board. Place in a greased bowl and brush top with melted butter or substitute. Cover with a cloth. Let rise in a warm place until doubled in bulk for about one hour and 20 minutes. Punch down, pull sides into center, place on a slightly floured board. Divide dough in half. Form each half into a roll about 10 inches long. Cut into 13 even pieces. Shape each piece into a small ball by tucking edges under the fingers. Place in a greased 9-inch round pan, 13 buns to each. Cut a cross in each bun with a sharp knife. Brush with melted butter. Cover with a warm cloth. Let rise in a warm place, free from a draft, until doubled in bulk. Bake in a hot (425°F.) oven for 20 minutes. Fill cross in top with confectioners' sugar frosting.



Here are some very light, though rich, rolls which are topped with almonds and sugar to give a crunchy topping. Thorough beating replaces kneading in this recipe:

### Almond Puffs (Makes 12 large)

- 1/2 cup lukewarm milk
- 3 tablespoons sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 package or cake yeast, active dry or compressed
- 1/4 cup warm (not hot) water
- 1 egg
- 1/4 cup soft shortening
- 3 cups sifted, enriched flour
- 1/2 cup almonds, blanched and

### LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

- Braised Lamb Steaks
- Browned Potatoes
- Corn and Lima Beans
- Jellied Fruit Salad
- \*Hot Cross Buns Beverage
- Apricot Whip
- \*Recipe Given

### chopped 3 tablespoons sugar

Mix together milk, sugar and salt. Sprinkle or crumble yeast into water (use lukewarm water for compressed yeast). Stir until dissolved. Add milk mixture and shortening, then beaten egg and flour into which have been mixed 1/2 cup of the chopped almonds. Beat the batter at least one minute, or about 100 strokes. Scrape down from sides of the bowl. Cover with a damp cloth and let rise in a warm place, free from a draft, until doubled in bulk, about 1 1/4 hours. Beat well, about 20 or 30 strokes. Drop by spoonfuls into greased muffin cups, filling each 1/2 full. Sprinkle the tops with a mixture made of the remaining 1/2 cup of almonds mixed with 3 tablespoons of sugar. Let rise until doubled in bulk, about 30 minutes. Bake in a quick (375°) oven.

Fruit buns called Kolache have become a favorite in many homes because they are so flavorful and delicious. The dough is rich and may be shaped in several different ways. There is also an intriguing variety of fillings which may be used:

### Kolache (Makes 20)

- 1/2 cup milk
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup warm water
- 2 packages or cakes yeast, active dry or compressed
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 1/2 cup soft shortening
- 4 1/2 to 5 cups sifted, enriched flour
- 1/4 teaspoon mace
- 1/2 teaspoon grated lemon rind

Scald milk, then stir in sugar and salt. Sprinkle or crumble yeast into water (use lukewarm water for compressed yeast). Stir until dissolved. Add lukewarm milk mixture, eggs and shortening. Add about one-half the flour and mix first with a spoon, then by hand. Add remaining flour, with mace and lemon rind, using amount necessary to handle easily, though keeping the dough as soft as possible. Knead until smooth and elastic, about 10 minutes. Place in a bowl, cover with a cloth and let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down, thrusting fist into dough, pulling edges to center and turning completely over in bowl. Cover and let rise again until doubled in bulk, about 30 minutes. Then divide dough into pieces, cover and let rest to make for easy handling. Shape dough into balls; or ovals; or roll 1/2" thick, cutting into 3" squares.

Let rise until light, though not quite doubled on greased baking sheet, then bake in a hot (400°F.) oven about 20 to 25 minutes until brown.

### Apricot Filling

- 25 dried apricots
  - 1/4 cup sugar
- Soak apricots in water to cover, cook until soft, then drain, press through sieve and add sugar, mixing well.



INTERLUDE . . . Trumans enjoy chat with Jascha Heifitz (left) after program.

### 1951 Broke Records In National Parks

U. S. rangers have closed their books on the greatest travel year in the history of America's national parks.

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OFFICIAL CALL FOR THE REGULAR TOWN ELECTION IN AND FOR THE TOWN OF HOPE, EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO AND NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF JUDGES AND CLERKS OF ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the regular biennial election for the purpose of electing a Mayor at large for the Town of Hope, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, to serve for a term of two years, and for the purpose of electing two board members for a period of four years. And to elect a Police Judge for the said Town of Hope, Eddy County, New Mexico, to serve for a term of two years, is hereby called and will be held on Tuesday, the first day of April, 1952, as required by law.

Any person who at the time of this election would be a qualified elector under the laws of this state for county offices and shall have actually resided in the Town of Hope for 30 days next preceding the election date and who shall be registered at such election, shall be deemed a qualified voter.

All persons who are desirous of having their names on the ballot either for Mayor or Board Members or for Police Judge should file their names with the Town Clerk on or before Friday, March 28, 1952.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following persons have been appointed by the Town Board of Hope, Eddy County, New Mexico, to serve as Judges and Clerks to conduct the regular biennial election at the hereinafter named place which is hereby designated as the voting place where said election shall be held as required by law.

ELECTION OFFICIALS:

- IDA PRUDE,  
Judge.
- LAWRENCE BLAKENEY,  
Judge.
- EZRA TEEL,  
Clerk.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the voting place will be open from 9:00 A. M. until 5:00 P. M. on Tuesday, April 1, 1952. The telephone office at Hope, New Mexico, is hereby designated as the place where said election is to be held.

THEREFORE, I, ETHEL ALTMAN, Mayor of the Town of Hope, Eddy County, New Mexico, under and by virtue of the powers invested in me, do hereby issue the official call for the regular biennial election.

(SEAL)  
 ETHEL ALTMAN,  
 Mayor.  
 ADA BELLE TRIMBLE,  
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