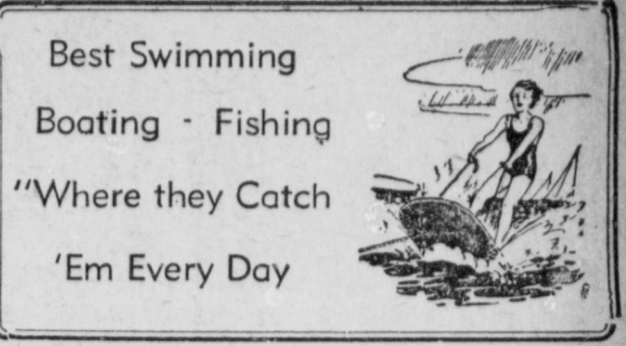




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PILOTING

As the effects of this war reach more and more of us in Rockport and elsewhere on the Home Front, this week, it becomes increasingly apparent that we're going to win this war by working together.

This teamwork is the core of the Office of Defense Transportation Plan to have farmers pool their equipment and devise a schedule of co-operative hauling of products and supplies, to eliminate unnecessary truck mileage and thus to save wear and tear on both trucks and tires.

Teamwork produced the first heroes of our vast production drive, when management and labor worked side-by-side, knee-deep in water, to keep an upstate New York plant going during a flood several days ago.

The necessity for fairness, for the "share and share alike" spirit of teamwork, underlies such War Production Board orders as that requiring each person buying toothpaste and shaving cream to turn in a used tube to the druggist or grocer in exchange, so that the tin may be used again.

It underlies, too, the order freezing the sale, shipment, delivery or transfer of all new adult bicycles. The WPB made it plain that this order was issued because the bicycles have been going at a terrific rate to persons who don't need them. Stocks frozen and future production will be made available on the basis of essential need. Defense workers will get first call, then essential civilian needs—and if more are available, anyone else may have them.

As WPB Chairman, Donald Nelson expressed the situation: "Every one of the problems we face is bigger than any of us. That is why we are tackling this thing in the traditional American way—getting together, cooperatively, to fight this thing through to a finish. Of course it isn't easy, and it's going to be harder. But we've got to stick together."

He addressed these words in particular to industrial management and industrial labor; but they carried equal punch and meaning for all Americans—on the farm or in the office or at the factory bench. They carry special meaning this week, since Thursday, April 9, is the first anniversary of Hitler's invasion of Norway.

War Production Board limitation orders are beginning to stretch almost from the cradle to the grave—and from the living room rug and radio to beds, bed springs and bathroom fixtures to kitchen stoves, refrigerators and the metal furniture on the outdoor terrace.

The government is going to give very short shrift, too, to anyone who doesn't play the game. Just how severe it may be was pointed out the other day by Acting Price Administrator John E. Hamm. He called attention to the new Second War Powers Act, under which willful violators of WPB priority and restriction orders or OPA rationing regulations and price schedules may be punished with a maximum penalty of a \$10,000 fine and imprisonment for one year.

Within the last few days, WPB orders have limited the amount of iron and steel that may be used in caskets and for other burial purposes, and forbade the use of other metals such as bronze and lead altogether. WPB invaded Santa's workshop, too, issuing an order that will stop production after June 30 of toys and games made of metal, plastics and other materials needed critically in the Battle of Production on the Home Front.

The WPB tightened its grip, too, on household affairs by limiting the use of iron, steel and zinc in a long list of kitchen, household and miscellaneous articles. The Consumer's Durable Goods Branch urged housewives to take care of present equipment so it will last as long as possible, and it pointed out

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Coast Guard To Establish Office In Rockport

Identification Cards May Be Obtained Here

Coast Guard Station Here Will Meet Need Of Fishermen and Vacationists

A United States Coast Guard office will be established in Rockport within the next ten days or two weeks. Captain R. G. Johnson told the Pilot in an interview Wednesday afternoon in Corpus Christi.

The office is to be established here by the Coast Guard to facilitate the issuance of identification cards to fishermen and boatmen. "All operators of boats must have identification cards," Captain Johnson said. He pointed out that the regulation applies not only to power boat operators, but also to the person who rents a skiff and uses the oars to pull the boat out to a fishing spot. Persons bringing their own outboard motors down to put on rented skiffs must have identification cards, and the skiff rented on which the outboard is used must be registered and licensed by the Coast Guard as a power boat.

Owners of skiffs may take out blanket licenses on a stipulated number of skiffs. They in turn must not rent the skiffs to operators who do not have identification cards.

Captain Johnson warned that boat owners should not confuse Coast Guard licensing of boats with other licenses. Regardless of any other licenses, all power boats and boats to be rented must be registered and licensed by the Coast Guard.

The person who has his own skiff or sailboat for personal use need not have the boat licensed, but must have a Coast Guard Identification card. To secure an identification card, it will be necessary for a person to furnish his or her birth certificate, or an affidavit from someone who knows when the applicant was born, or Army or Navy discharge papers or others of a like nature that would establish the applicant's birth date and place. In addition to the birth certificate, the applicant must furnish four full face photographs, size 1½x1½ inches.

Application blanks may be obtained in Rockport from the Chamber of Commerce office in the Pilot Office, or may be obtained from the Coast Guard Station, 914 Jones Bldg., Corpus Christi, until the office is established here.

The required photographs may also be obtained at the Pilot office. "We want to cooperate in every way possible with the people," Captain Johnson stressed. He advised that sufficient time would be allowed for every one to secure their identification cards and boat licenses.

Tourist court operators and fishing guides who have inquiries from people coming here and use boats in fishing may obtain application blanks from the Chamber of Commerce to forward to such persons.

State and District Officers Attend Legion Meeting Here

State service officer Ward Moody, of Austin, and district service officer Miles Wasson, of Texas City, were speakers at the Tuesday night meeting of the American Legion Post here. Post Commander Allen, of Ingleside was a guest.

Recently elected officers were installed, D. R. Simmons as Post Commander, T. H. Ratliff, 1st vice commander, C. A. Davis, 2nd vice commander, Ted Little, adjutant and finance officer, Mrs. T. S. Kingsley, chaplain and post historian.

Membership in this post now numbers 35. Plans were made for a memorial service to take place May 30.

T. C. Kelly Re-elected Board President

J. Ed Moore Ends Twelve Years Of Public Service As Mayor

Retiring Mayor Thanks People, Pledges Support To New Mayor

Retires As Mayor



MAYOR J. ED MOORE Yields Honors of Office

City elections in Rockport this week brings about the retirement from office of J. Ed Moore as mayor. Mayor Moore has served in this capacity for the past twelve years and his tenure in office has seen many improvements in local affairs. Appreciation and gratitude for his continued enthusiasm and energy in civic duties is felt by the entire citizenship.

"Upon retiring from office as mayor of the city of Rockport, I wish to take this opportunity of expressing my thanks and sincere appreciation to you people for your whole hearted support and co-operation during the twelve years that I have served you as mayor," Moore said.

"It is gratifying to leave the affairs of office as they now stand," he continued. "Among other things accomplished is our water system, bathing beach, and yacht basin. I feel that our yacht basin and bathing beach are the outstanding accomplishments, since thousands of people tell me that the basin is the biggest thing Rockport has ever done."

"Last but not least, as a final stroke, is the signing of a contract that will make it possible for us to have a modern sewer system and disposal plant, so greatly needed, and the fruit of several years hard work."

"I do not claim any credit to myself for the above mentioned ac-

complishments, only through the whole-hearted cooperation of the City Council and the people of Rockport have these things been possible, but it is gratifying to have had a hand in the making of the improvements.

"It is with real pleasure that I yield the honors of this office to Travis Johnson, an outstanding citizen and business man, who needs no introduction. You will have every reason to be proud of him as our Mayor. Let's all pledge to him our best support. 'My hat's off to you, Travis,'" the retiring mayor concluded.

Dr. L. U. Spellman Will Preach Here Sunday

The Rev. L. U. Spellman, D. D., superintendent of the Corpus Christi District of the Methodist Church will preach the evening sermon in the Methodist Church here next Sunday, April 12.

Dr. Spellman has been a frequent visitor in Rockport, usually coming on church business, but this will be his first time to preach here.

Rev. A. D. Jameson, pastor of this church, invites all members and friends to hear Dr. Spellman.

Manley Dye Receives Navy Promotion

Mrs. Charles Steffler learned in a recent letter from her twin brother, Manley Dye that he had been made chief machinist mate on his ship.

Dye has been in the Navy for 18 years, and for the past three years has been stationed at Pearl Harbor. It is believed that the letter was written from there. He is a brother of Oscar Dye here.

Aransas County to Join In State-Wide Navy Relief Appeal April 19 to 26

Spencer To Announce Vice-Chairman Next Week, Everyone Urged To Help

Plans are underway this week to give every citizen of Aransas County an opportunity to join in the statewide drive to raise \$210,000 for the Navy Relief Society, Emory M. Spencer, county chairman said today.

Spencer was recently named chairman of the Navy Relief Society for Aransas County by Attorney General Gerald C. Mann, chairman of the Texas Citizens Committee of the Navy Relief Society.

"Assistant county chairmen will be named for the various communities within Aransas County this coming week," said Spencer. "The drive in Aransas county will start on April 19 and the raising of the county's part of the state quota should not be difficult."

Spencer urged that every family having a member in the Navy, Coast Guard or Marines notify the Rockport Pilot so that a full list of the boys in those branches of the service may be had.

Governor Coke Stevenson has proclaimed the week beginning April 19th as "Navy Appreciation Week" in Texas, and during

this period the solicitation of funds will be made. A chairman has been named in every county in Texas in order that the entire state may be afforded an opportunity to contribute to this war effort.

"The Navy Relief Society is the substitute for the head of the family when a man is in the Navy, Coast Guard or Marines and is fighting our battles on the high seas or battlefronts," County Chairman Spencer stated. "The Navy Relief Society relieves our navy men of the anxiety concerning the welfare of the loved ones at home. In contributing to this fund you are sharpening the fighting edge of our fighting men."

"Since the beginning of American Naval History, the men of our navy have banded together to be assured that their families back home would be cared for in time of need. This is the first time these men have asked the public to assist them in their relief fund. But since Pearl Harbor the burden has been too great for them to carry alone."

"I know that the citizens of Aransas County can be counted on to gladly do their part, and I am confident that our quota shall be reached, if not exceeded, by or during Navy Appreciation Week in Texas."

Trustee Board Re-Organizes After Election

Huffman Re-elected Vice-President; Caraway Secretary

In Saturday's School election a total of 17 votes were cast, to make Virgil Mullan a new member of the school board and to re-elect H. C. Caraway.

An organization meeting of the board was held Tuesday night in which the present officers were voted retained for another year. T. C. Kelly remains president, F. G. Huffman, vice-president and H. C. Caraway secretary. Other members are H. W. Dunkelberger, Sherman Mundine. Mullan replaces Jim Barber.

In this and previous meetings all regular teachers were re-elected. They are Miss Artie Coley, Miss Katie Lee Clarke, Mrs. Bertha Harper, Mrs. Ruby Huff, Miss Ellen Johnson, principal, Miss Marie Johnson, Mrs. W. H. Montgomery, Mrs. Violet West Sone, Mrs. Julian Thompson, Mrs. Jim Warnock, Mrs. Nell Webb, Mrs. C. C. Hayden, Mrs. Otis Henderson, J. T. Mobley and Raymond E. Black, superintendent.

One new member was added to the faculty, H. B. Butler, of Austwell, formerly of Kingsville. Butler will direct the band and music department. He will take over part time duties Saturday and enter full time in June.

Vacancies for commercial and science teachers are yet to be filled.

Travis Johnson Elected Mayor

Blackwell and Armstrong New Aldermen

Travis Johnson was made mayor of Rockport in the city elections taking place Tuesday. Jack Blackwell was made alderman for Ward No. 1, and Clyde Armstrong for Ward No. 2.

A total of 54 votes were cast, this is considered a large number for an uncontested ticket. Blackwell received 27 votes from Ward No. 1, Armstrong 25 from Ward No. 2. 53 were for Johnson as mayor.

These men with Francis Smith, Norvell Jackson, and W. B. Friend, city secretary, make up the present City Council.

Edward Barnard Goes To Oregon On Business

Edward Barnard left Rockport Tuesday morning for a ten-day to two-week trip to the West Coast and the State of Oregon. He went up by plane, flying direct to Portland, Oregon, and will return by train.

Barnard said that the trip was on business in connection with the settlement of the estate of his uncle, Charles E. Barnard, who died last November. The deceased man was a brother to the late George T. Barnard, father of Edward.

Oil Well To Be Dug Under State Capitol

OKLAHOMA CITY.—The crude oil that rests more than one mile below the state capitol will soon be tapped by one of Oklahoma's most complicated drilling jobs.

Wings for Chinese



The first Chinese airmen to be trained in America for the battle in the skies against Japan, heard fighting and inspiring words spoken by Maj. Gen. Teh Hsieh Shen, above, in a message from Chiang Kai-shek. General Teh presented the diplomas and wings, emblematic of rank as sub-lieutenants, to the Orientals at Luke Field, Ariz.

Health Officer Urges Public To Co-Operate

Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health officer, issues an urgent appeal to all Texans to co-operate wholeheartedly in this health conservation program.

"While it is true that science has had at hand for years the means to reduce almost to the vanishing point the incidence of diphtheria and smallpox," Doctor Cox stated, "nevertheless the actual control of these two diseases is largely in the hands of parents."

Children should receive toxoid treatment between the ages of six and nine, he declared, and pointed out that the necessity for immunization at this early age is based upon the fact that nearly two-thirds of all diphtheria deaths occur in children under six years of age.

"I cannot emphasize too strongly that to deprive your children of the protection that science has made available amounts almost, if not altogether, to criminal negligence," Doctor Cox warned. "The family physician and the public health workers can only point the way and urge action, but the essential factor still lacking in most diphtheria illnesses and deaths is parental cooperation."

Brundrett Boys Write From San Diego and New York

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Brundrett received good news from both of their Navy sons this week. Everett Jr., who is stationed in San Diego, Cal., wrote that he had been selected for Quartermasters school in which he will qualify for Signal man. In preliminary examinations his was the highest rating made in his group.

Clifford Brundrett wrote that he was to be allowed to take both first and second class seamanship examinations at one time, to be given soon. He is now in the Coast Guard in New York.

Mrs. Don Danvers with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Harrison of San Antonio spent Thursday in Rockport. While here they took a party of friends for a trip up the bay on the Sonny Boy, the Danvers boat which is stationed here.

Work Due to Start Within Two Weeks

Sewer System May Be Completed Within Two To Three Months

Gerald Mora, Houston, was lowest bidder on the sewer system and disposal plant project and secured the contract for this work for the city Saturday. Some extension of the water system may be included.

\$65,000 has been allowed by the Defense Public Works administration to aid with this project, the remainder to be furnished by the city.

A work order will probably be issued Monday, the job to begin within ten days from that time. 300 working days were allowed by the contract for completion, but under good working conditions and if materials are readily available it can be finished within 60 to 90 days, according to W. B. Friend, city secretary.

Gas Stolen From Firetruck Delays Call

Lumber and Feed Loss Totals \$1150

Theft of gasoline from the city fire truck delayed a call to the Rincon Ranch late Monday afternoon. Stacks of lumber and feed burned on the W. T. Salch farm, a part of the Rincon holding, with a total loss of about \$1150.00.

Since the fire truck is always kept in readiness, the department left immediately upon receiving the call. About seven miles out of town the truck ran out of gas. After refilling the tank they reached the scene of the fire, twenty miles west of Rockport, in time to save more than half the lumber and prevent the burning of the barn.

The lumber loss, which was part of a salvage pile from the old Bay-side Bridge, amounted to about \$1,000.00 and belonged to Aransas County. Salch estimated his loss on feed at about \$150.00. There was no insurance on the property.

Neighbors in the Rincon community worked with the fireboys until nearly midnight removing the endangered lumber. The regular Monday night first aid class of the department was called off and members not already at the fire went out to assist.

A check up with the attendant on the truck revealed that the theft of the gasoline must have taken place within the last week. The tank is kept full at all times according to Lloyd Lassiter, fire chief.

J. M. Sparks Announces For Re-Election

With the simple statement that he is "running on the merits of the past", J. M. (Jim) Sparks announced today for re-election to the office of District and County Clerk of Aransas County.

Mr. Sparks has held the office for a number of terms, and he believes that his record as a public official speaks for itself and it is upon that basis that he asks for the support of Aransas County voters. He is too well known to a majority of the voters to need any introduction.

Upon his qualifications to serve the people of Aransas County, as shown by his past performances in the office to which he again seeks re-election. Mr. Sparks solicits the votes and support of the people of the county. His candidacy, of course, is subject to the action of the Democratic primary.



Kathleen Norris Says: This Woman Shouldn't Wed Faultless Man



CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT FOR SALE

THIS may be disturbing news for Larry MacPhail, who doesn't disturb easily or softly. Sam Breadon, owner of the Cardinals, says this 1942 collection might be the best Cardinal team of all time.

"We had a great team in 1926—the year we trimmed the Yankees," Sam remarked. "We had another great team in 1931, and still another in 1934 when the Gashouse Gang with Dizzy Dean and Pepper Martin were riding high. But it wouldn't surprise me to see this bunch we are looking at now turn out to be our all-time top. This is certainly the best pitching staff we ever had, and one of the best all-around teams in every department."

"MacPhail says his Dodgers are much stronger than last year and after a few early flurries should never be headed," we told Breadon. "His Dodgers had better not have too many early flurries," Sam said. "Brooklyn has a good ball club, but we have a better one. We have better pitching and more speed. And if our club had any more spirit it might explode. Billy Southworth has the entire squad hustling to the limit—and I can tell you now those Dodgers will be seeing Red Wings in their broken dreams this summer. They'll be after those Dodgers from the first game to the finish."

Everything Necessary "Look this ball club over," Breadon said. "We have all the catching in team needs, and the best pitching staff in either league, so far as both quality and quantity go. "You'll be hearing from this kid Pollet all season. He isn't 21 yet, but he works like a ten year veteran. He hasn't blinding speed, and he hasn't any back-breaking curve ball. But he is smart, cool, cunning and a tough fellow to beat. "And Pollet isn't the only one. We have at least ten high-grade pitchers, although one or two could use a little more experience. Mun-



SAM BREADON

ger has a world of stuff. You know about Warneke, White, Cooper, Lanier, Shoun and Krist, who won all the ten games he pitched last year. "Trade our infield for the Dodgers? Nothing doing. Hopp and Sanders are both good first basemen. Crespi, Marion and Brown are ball players of top rank. They give us one of the best infields we ever had. "In my opinion, Terry Moore defensively is the finest outfielder I ever saw. He can cover all the ground that Speaker or DiMaggio or anyone else ever covered—and maybe a few yards more. And Moore is also a .300 hitter. He is a ball player who has never received the publicity he deserved. If Terry hadn't been hurt in the stretch last fall we'd have been going away from Brooklyn in the finish.

"Enos Slaughter is another fine outfielder. And keep your eye on a kid called Musial. Hopp can play the outfield as well as first base. And Hopp can hit and run." These are the disturbing items we think Larry MacPhail should know about. Sam Breadon gives MacPhail credit for being one of the smartest showmen, promoters and handy guys baseball has seen. But Breadon has an idea that MacPhail has underrated this Cardinal team, and the Dodger chief with Leo Durocher may be in for a number of nervous shocks.

It Might Have Been "I don't think they quite understand just what would have happened to the Dodgers if we had had as many of our regulars in action as they had last year. It might have been distressing—quite distressing. It might not even have been close." From here we turned to the spirit of Cardinal players through the years. They have been the Notre Dame of baseball.

"We've looked for two things," Breadon said, "speed and spirit. We want ball players who love to play baseball, who like to hustle and who are out to win. Last year the Cardinals were cratching into fences, dug-outs, anything in the road, to win a ball game. "In that Southwest country from where many of the great ball players come, baseball is the greatest game in the world. Football is next. Most of them, like Dean and Martin and many more, come up the hard way. They know how to take a beating and come tearing back."

U. S. HEALTH Several months ago, I spoke at the Town Hall in New York city with various other people, on a subject which seemed important to all of us—"What Must We Do to Improve the Health and Well Being of the American People." The Town Hall offered prizes for 1,000-word essays by adults, and by young people below the age of 21. I have just heard that the first prize in the adult group was won by Dr. Jacob Sobel, a well-known New York pediatrician.

He based his essay on the point of view that only the nation which has healthy children has a future as a nation, and included a detailed, specific plan for a better health and education program. The reason I am telling you of this particular essay is that his premise seems to me one which we should consider very carefully today.

The tendency is to feel that anything which is not directly connected with war production, the building of ships, airplanes or other military equipment and the induction into the military services of an ever-increasing number of young men, is of no importance in the war effort. If we fall into this misapprehension, we may find ourselves not only handicapped in winning the war, but very much handicapped in winning the peace.

The best machinery in the world has to be handled by intelligent people, and unless we continue the services we have set up for better health, education and recreation for the children and young people of today, not only the future of the war, but the future of the country is in danger.

We should learn something even from our enemies. Germany has paid great attention to the very things which we are already neglecting in our haste to make war, something which can only be won on a military basis and has nothing to do with what happens on the civilian side of the picture. Just the other day, I found in the crowded industrial areas near San Diego and Los Angeles that one of the most agitated questions was how day nurseries and nursery schools could be set up. The lack of them slows up production on the part of the women, many of them mothers, who are employed in the aircraft factories. "Welfare activities" seem to have military importance.

Buy Defense Bonds—SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Since I missed the morning plane for San Diego, I took the train and the trip was not without interest. The first person to speak to me was Mrs. Bancroft from San Diego. She and her husband have written a book on Southern California. They studied the bird life of the region for years, incidentally becoming very familiar with the geography and the Mexican people. Their knowledge has been of use in our preparation for defense and she was kind enough yesterday to send me her husband's book, which I know the President will enjoy.

I enjoyed also talking to a free lance writer, who is evidently the kind of man who does not think that you can put your liberalism up in camphor balls when the going is hard and take it out unharmed when difficulties come to an end. One hears this argued so much these days, that it is sometimes difficult to decide where common sense and patriotism end and self-interest begins.

Buy Defense Bonds—WILL OF THE PEOPLE

All travel today is more or less uncertain and may be interrupted. I discovered this on my trip across the country, when just beyond Tucson, I learned that the plane was almost entirely filled with ferry pilots. I think there were just two other civilian travelers besides me, who had been allowed to make the trip without interruption. One of the boys had an advance release of Mr. Archibald MacLeish's speech, and it was passed around and read.

It led to much discussion, but there was general agreement with his thesis that the will of the people determines the final outcome of any war. I think the will of the people is pretty well set in this country, except for occasional slight confusions created by certain interests on one side or the other. They may succeed temporarily in gaining some particular point of interest to their group, but if we hold to the old theory that it is impossible to fool all of the people all of the time, we shall probably feel that whatever is the truth will eventually reach all the people.

AFFECTION FOR 'HOMELAND'

Strangely enough, I suppose if you live long enough in certain places, their very familiarity makes you feel an affection for them. In spite of the beauty, which I acknowledge and enjoy when here, I never have any desire permanently to leave the countryside which for me has been "home" during most of the years of my life. Nature is not so kind, winters are hard, summers are sometimes too hot, sometimes too cold, the lot of the farmer and gardener is always a gamble, and yet I like the change of seasons.



Jay, my former sweetheart, has a lovely daughter, who is a pupil in the school where I teach. So I have seen Jay again once or twice. He has all his old charm and high spirits.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

ONE of the most awkward questions that youth can ask age is the one a girl named Vera asks me this morning. Vera's letter comes from a Georgia town; she evidently belongs to a somewhat prominent family, for she was given four years at an expensive Pennsylvania college, and also tells me that she has had two visits in California "where Mother and Dad usually go every winter."

Vera's problem is this: When she was 19 she had a love affair, entirely unknown to the family, and extremely serious. For three months she and her sweetheart were passionate lovers, then Vera's feeling waned, and she had an uncomfortable time extricating herself from Jay's still exacting devotion.

"Don't think I didn't pay for my early foolishness," writes Vera. "I did, when it came time to try to break engagements with Jay, to cut down on letters and meetings, to make him see that I was through. The day he came to me and said that he realized at last that it was all over, and would trouble me no more, was actually one of the happiest of my life. "Two years later, when I was glorying in college days, Jay married, and I felt nothing but utter relief. Novels for generations have talked of the shame and danger of love affairs, but my real difficulty and tragedy, instead of being that of trying to hold my lover, was that of getting rid of him.

Fell in Love Again. "I am now 27. Last year I met a man whose fineness, dignity, intelligence made me feel that he was set apart from the ordinary run of men. We are deeply in love and were to have been married this June. Robert is a church member, indeed once studied for orders, and has an almost fanatic sense of honor. "Meanwhile Jay's wife has died, and he had a lovely daughter of five, who is one of the pupils in the school where I teach. So that I have seen him again once or twice. He is much developed from the impulsive boy I knew eight years ago, with all his old charm and high spirits.

"As Robert's wife I would have wealth, position, and the companionship of a man who is bound some day to be conspicuously successful in his profession. Jay is just one business man among many. But Jay wants to marry me, and Robert feels that it might be right. "Perhaps the path I should take seems smooth and obvious to you, but I can assure you I am harassed and undecided to the point of almost going out of my mind. It has never seemed to me possible that any woman could be in any doubt about which man she wants, but the circumstances here are peculiar, thanks to my little-girl folly, and I really don't know what to do. Robert says he will leave it entirely to my conscience, and that he knows I will decide rightly, and yet—while that may make you smile with the idea that he wouldn't mind getting out of it entirely himself, I know that, at 36, he has never cared for any woman but me, and would be deeply stricken at losing me.

Robert Worries. "His brother tells me he cannot sleep nights for worrying over this thing; the brother doesn't know all the circumstances. Robert has had the old house completely modernized; he has talked to me of our life together as though it were a dream too precious ever to be real-

A NEW PROBLEM

Here is a problem Kathleen Norris has not recently discussed. The "Vera" of this letter cannot choose between two men. The one, her former sweetheart, can give her charm, a spirited sense of humor and a love that has matured into deep devotion. The other, a solid, successful man of 36, can give her wealth and position, but her life with him would probably be very dull. He has already told her that if she feels it is her "duty" to marry the other man she is, of course, free to do so. But Vera believes that losing her would break his heart. What should she do?

ized, and if I decide to marry Jay it may embitter him for life.

"A hundred times he has said to me, 'Oh, why, why, why, does it have to be this way? Why you, of all women?' Of course that is what my own heart echoes. But twice lately, Robert has used the expression, 'if you feel you must pay the debt.' Will you tell me what you think and help one more distracted woman to peace?"

Judging from your letter, Vera, I would say that life with Robert might be a rather rigid affair. It seems plain that this self-controlled conscientious man is having the sort of battle between the spirit and the flesh that comes only to religious persons. He is in love with you, and it is his first love, and so overwhelming and painful.

Robert undoubtedly thinks that Jay has a claim upon you, that you yielded to him in that early affair. And that nagging conviction will grow stronger after marriage, when the first wild glamour dies and he discovers that you are human, and can make mistakes and be troublesome and disappointing like any other wife.

So I wouldn't marry Robert if I were you. If the more easy-going, cheerful Jay is sympathetic to you, and you can imagine yourself as making a good mother to his child and working out a happy normal life for yourself as his wife, then why not tell Robert once and for all that you see the justice of his attitude and that you have determined to make the only preparation in your power for your youthful mistake. This will make him feel heroic and that you both are committed to the dutiful and self-sacrificing course.

Success Resists With Vera.

But if your decision meets with violent opposition from Robert, and he implores you to forget the past and go on with him into a more honorable future, then of course you might relent and accept the more distinguished destiny. A faultless husband is a fearful and wonderful thing, so be sure that you are reluctantly talked over, if you decide to be talked over. It might be that in the future you will be glad to remind him that your decision was made to marry Jay, when Robert persuaded you otherwise.

With either man, the success or failure of the marriage rests with you. With Jay you probably would have cheerful companionship, more laughter, more of the unexpected than with Robert. But with Robert you would have wealth, position, the power a young wife with both can wield, and the knowledge—very much to your credit—that you did not conceal anything from him and that he contracted this marriage with his eyes open to your early history.

JOAN BENNETT'S young daughter Diane is hoping that the tires on the family car will wear out fast. She's been waging a campaign to drive that car, or else to have a pony cart of her own. The first thing Miss Bennett did after completing work with Franchoi Tone in Columbia's "Highly Irregular" was to buy the pony cart; Diane's offered to drive her mother to the studio each morning.

William Holden's spending his time between scenes of "Meet the Stewarts" in studying Chinese. When Bill and Brenda Marshall, his wife, went east recently they left Brenda's four-year-old daughter with the Chinese couple that keeps house for them—and returned to find that the young lady not only had acquired quite a vocabulary in Chinese, but preferred it to English!

Judy Garland's sort of pleased because, after singing for more than 150,000 soldiers on her recent tour of army camps, she's found that the song the boys liked best was



JUDY GARLAND

"Zing Go the Strings of My Heart." It's her lucky song; she sang it several years ago when she auditioned for her contract at Metro, and ever since then she's chosen it for her personal appearances.

The Hays office has requested designers of screen clothes to avoid planning costumes which would use a lot of material, when the women of America are being instructed to conserve material. Veronica Lake will be the first star to wear the new "conservation" garments; in "The Glass Key" she'll wear "just enough goods to go around." Of course, Dorothy Lamour really came first, with her sarong.

Twenty-five thousand beauty shop owners recently chose Rita Hayworth as America's No. 1 red-head, Jinx Falkenburg as the No. 1 brunette, and Evelyn Keyes as the blonde. Seems for a year they'd consulted their customers and found that the hair styles of these three were the ones most popular. You may judge for yourself by seeing Rita's new picture, "My Sister Eileen." Miss Falkenburg's "Sweetheart of the Fleet" and Evelyn Keyes' "The Adventures of Martin Eden"—of course it's pure coincidence that they're all Columbia pictures!

When Clarence Nash first quacked like a duck on a Burns and Allen program, way back last November, nobody had any idea that the duck might soon become a star member of the cast. But "Herman" has become so real to a host of listeners that he gets fan mail, and each week brings letters asking if he's a real duck or just a noise, which delights both George and Gracie.

"The Nightingale and the Rose," a new one-act opera commissioned by the National Broadcasting company, will have its first performance on April 25 over a nation-wide hook-up. Dr. Frank Black, NBC general music director, will conduct the performance, and Vivian della Chiesa and Felix Knight, both well known to radio listeners, will sing the leading roles. The opera is based on an Oscar Wilde fairy tale.

Henry Segall, who won an Oscar for his original story, "Here Comes Mr. Jordan," which was made by Columbia, tried vainly for three years to sell it. The studio executives who wouldn't buy it must feel like the publishers who turned down "Gone With the Wind." By the way, we're told that 5,489,000 persons have seen the movie about "Scarlett O'Hara" twice or more.

ODDS AND ENDS—The first movie studio to fly a service flag is Paramount, with 99 stars. . . . Three of Bing Crosby's quartet of sons have recovered from the mumps, which they had simultaneously; the hold-out was Lindsay. . . . Clark Gable will next be starred by Metro in "Shadow of the Wing," a story of the army air corps. . . . Joan Crawford knits a minimum of two 56-inch woolen scarves for the navy every day, between scenes of "He Kissed the Bride" . . . Larry Parks, playing the part of a filling station operator for that same picture, didn't have to learn how—he worked his way through high school in a gas station.

PORTRAIT OF A HERO: "Nothing has stood longer unless it be MacArthur, the hills and the devil." Believe it or not, that's an old Scotch proverb! . . . The MacArthurs are the oldest known Scotch clan. According to legend, the first MacArthur, Smervie Mohr, was the son of King Arthur of the Round Table. (MacArthur means "son of Arthur") . . . Gen'l Douglas MacArthur proves once again that the Scots have what it takes. Previous yankee doodle heroes of Scotch origin include John Paul Jones, Andrew Jackson, Jeb Stuart and Ulysses S. Grant. (Scotch and soldier, pun my soul!)

MacArthur is like this: When he commanded the Rainbow Division in France during World War I, his superior officer told him one day that he wanted the Cote de Chatillon (a strongly fortified German key position) taken by six o'clock the following evening. MacArthur's answer was: "We will take the Cote de Chatillon by six o'clock tomorrow or report a casualty list of 6,000 dead. That will include me."

When MacArthur went over the top with his troops in France, the only head-covering he ever wore was his everyday service cap, disdaining the safer steel helmet required by regulations. Called down once by his immediate commander, General Menoher, for taking that risk, MacArthur's reply was: "I can't be bothered with changing my hat when I'm busy!"

Shortly after the first American troops arrived in France under MacArthur, the French, who didn't think much of the Yanks as scrappers, figured they'd put on a show and give MacArthur an idea of what real soldiers were like. Placing MacArthur in a spot where he could safely watch the Frenchies do their big stuff, they staged a surprise raid on the Germans across the line. Machine guns started to bark, shrapnel burst, and men were dropping all over the place. MacArthur, armed only with a riding whip, jumped into the battle. When it was over, MacArthur walked over to the wide-eyed Frenchies, leading by the ear a German officer whom he had captured with nothing but a whip!

The bitter irony is that when MacArthur was Chief of Staff, he made a mob of enemies and was branded a warmonger because he pleaded for preparedness! The campaign to smear MacArthur hit a peak half a dozen years ago when he retired, with Pres. Roosevelt's approval, to take on the job of building the Philippines' defenses. His enemies screamed that Manuel Quezon was paying him a salary of \$18,000 a year to help him establish a military dictatorship. MacArthur's withering reply was: "I wouldn't sell my sword."

Back in the early thirties, when he was Chief of Staff, MacArthur prophetically warned that the coming war would be a mechanized affair and repeatedly begged congress for a giant air force and a motorized army. Instead of opening their minds to let in some fresh air, the Rip Van Winkles quipped that the reason MacArthur was anxious to motorize the army was because of his well known dislike for riding a horse! . . . Later, when he was busy training his little native army in the Philippines, many Americans there referred to him sneeringly as "the Napoleon of Luzon." (They didn't know it, but they weren't kidding!) . . . Unlike the second-guessers now beating the drum for the hero they once belittled, Pres. Roosevelt was a MacArthur fan away back. When MacArthur retired as Chief of Staff for what seemed like military oblivion in the Philippines, Mr. Roosevelt told his aides: "I must always find a way to keep MacArthur close to me. If there is ever another A.E.F., he's the man to take it over!"

Newspaper men eat out of MacArthur's hand, and no wonder! When he was Commander of the Philippine Department and news of his divorce from his first wife reached Manila, the local newspaper men rushed to his headquarters and asked if he objected to their printing the story, adding they would suppress it if he wished. "No," was the reply. "Put it on the front page if you want to!"

Buy Defense Bonds

MacArthur is one man who wasn't caught napping by the Japs. On December 6—the day before the Pearl Harbor attack—he called the reporters in to his Manila headquarters and told them: "Boys, it's here!" . . . When news of a successful raid on the Japs reached Washington, an army officer remarked: "MacArthur is always in the thick of the battle!" . . . "You mean," corrected a Rainbow Division veteran, "the thick of the battle is always where MacArthur is!"

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The Washington MERRY-GO-ROUND

DREW PEARSON & ROBERT ALLEN

Washington, D. C.

HOME-GROWN FASCISTS

After three months of temporizing with native Fascist champions, Attorney General Francis Biddle is finally going to get tough—on direct personal orders of the President.

Roosevelt directed Biddle to take vigorous legal action against certain factional leaders who have been publicly denouncing the war against the Axis and in some instances actually expressing pleasure over Jap victories.

Complaints have poured into Washington from parents of boys in the armed services demanding that these domestic foes be jailed. But Biddle demurred on the ground of "preserving civil liberties."

Shortly after Pearl Harbor, FBI agents arrested Robert Noble, rabid Los Angeles Fascist leader, on serious charges involving statements concerning the war. Despite the FBI's evidence, Biddle ordered Noble released.

This brought down a storm of protests on Biddle's head that steadily increased as the hostile operations of these elements became bolder and more outspoken. Still Biddle refused to allow either the FBI or federal district attorneys, who were championing at the bit, to crack down.

Finally White House advisers, alarmed over the situation, took the matter direct to the President. They laid before him a mass of evidence dealing with Noble, Father Coughlin, Francis P. Moran of Boston, Gerald L. K. Smith of Michigan and Charles B. Hudson of Omaha.

One document shown Roosevelt was the March 16 issue of Coughlin's weekly publication which declared that a "world-wide sacred war" was declared against Germany nine years ago. The publication also attacked aid to Russia, denounced the British bombing of French plants making Nazi supplies, and contained such statements as:

"Unless the German forces can overcome Russia and successfully invade England by the end of September, there is every evidence that the entire world will have elected to experience a blood bath the like of which was never imagined by the most poetic minds."—"It has been the practiced policy of the Roosevelt administration to favor the Chinese in their war against Japan. This policy has rankled in the hearts of the Nipponese war lords who are devoted to the policy of Asia for the Asiatic, a policy which, after all, is nothing more in an expression of our own Monroe Doctrine."

After carefully examining the evidence, the President summoned Biddle, ordered him to get tough and do so immediately.

GOOD WAR NEWS

Here is some all-important GOOD war news for a change.

The United States and the British Empire have won a victory of supreme importance in the crucial war production race.

For the first time in the 2½ years of the war the United States and Britain now are out-producing the Axis and its vassal states in vital arms and munitions.

Although the two allies still are on the defensive, henceforth Anglo-American war output should pile up an ever-increasing margin of armament superiority.

U. S. producing capacity in particular is just beginning to swing into an all-out war scale. The mighty auto industry, for example, is now being furiously converted. Other major industries are undergoing the same transformation. Also hundreds of new war plants are in various stages of completion, with hundreds of others being projected.

Sage old "Bernie" Baruch comments: "We can't yet crack our heels together in celebration, even if things are better."

What he means is that there are still plenty of sour spots.

Some of these are: labor supply, certain obstacles in the flow of materials, shortage of materials, inadequate use of equipment, insufficient subcontracting, red tape and bureaucratic obstruction, the incompetence, greed and lack of initiative of many employers, the profit-mindedness of dollar-a-year men.

But despite all these, U. S. industry every week is pouring out a steadily soaring floodtide of war supplies. On the basis of a private survey made by the authors of this column, it can be stated definitely that with the British Empire's greatly accelerated production the two Allies now are ahead of the Axis.

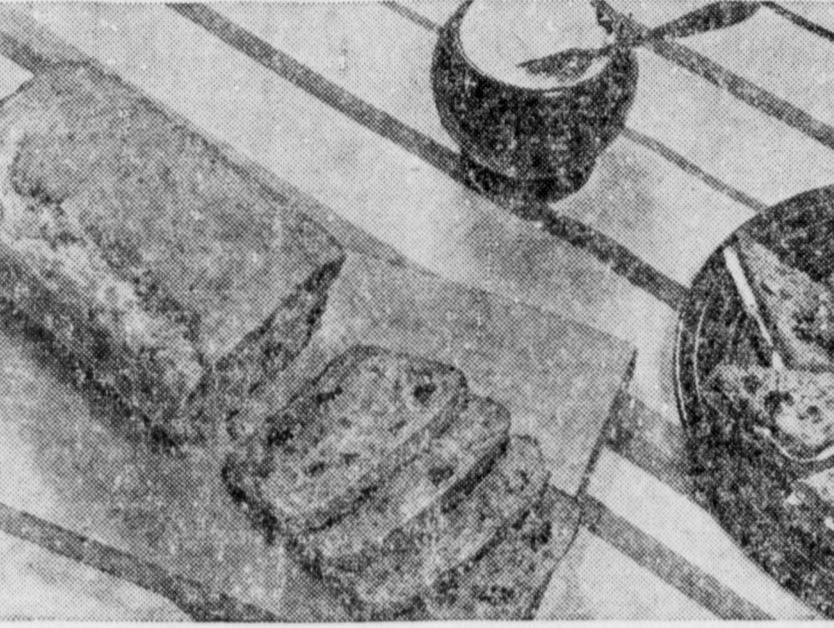
Note: The survey was limited on the Allied side to the U. S. and British Empire because it is impossible to get detailed information about Russian production.

—Buy Defense Bonds—MERRY-GO-ROUND

Congressional critics of President Roosevelt are caustically denounced by A. F. Whitney, white-crested president of the Railroad Trainmen, in the latest issue of the union's magazine. In a lead editorial Whitney declares, "No congressman or congressional committee, no senator or group in the senate, no Axis agent or anyone else seeking to use the way to discredit the President will throw any sand in our eyes in any way useful in their desire to advance a selfish, ignoble purpose."

Household News

by Lynn Chambers



Honey Flavors This Fruit Bran Bread

(See Recipes Below)

Substitute Foods

Most vital question every homemaker is now facing is how to substitute certain available foods for shortages. Sugar shortages and reduced supplies of fats, oils and certain imports make it necessary for every one of you to revise your meals in some respects and use substitutes.

Although sugar rationing is to be in effect, you will still be able to get some of it. There are also good substitutes for it such as honey, molasses and corn syrup all of which may be used very easily for cooking and sweetening purposes. Still another excellent source of sugar is in the dried fruits which you can use for dessert to get your daily quota of sugar.

Select recipes which have less eggs, sugar and butter, for although there may not be an actual shortage of all these items, they may be expensive.

Fats are extremely valuable in the current emergency, and you are advised to save as much of fats and oils as you can. Be sure that your butcher puts in all the scraps of fat and trimmings off the meat you buy. You can take these pieces home and clarify them for use in frying, flavoring or actual cooking.

If you have blithely discarded the scraps of butter off the butter plates after dinner, lunch or breakfast, then remedy your habits immediately. Even if you do not use the butter scraps as table butter, these can be used for flavoring vegetables, or in larger amounts for cooking and baking purposes. Be sure the butter is kept in the icebox or at least in a cool place so it will not become rancid.

Butter and its substitutes will be available, but you should plan to use these foods sparingly. You can substitute the corn and vegetable or even mineral oil for salad dressings if you are unable to obtain olive oil.

Cheeses which have been formerly imported are available only in limited quantities, but American made cheeses are coming to the fore, the Bleu and Camembert cheeses being of excellent quality.

Soybeans are becoming a popular, nutritious food during the current emergency. Here is an excellent recipe for:

Soy Bean Yeast Bread.
(Makes 1 loaf)
1 cup milk
1 cake compressed yeast
2 tablespoons sugar
1 tablespoon fat, melted
1 teaspoon salt
¾ cups wheat flour
¼ cup soy bean flour

Lynn Says:

With new equipment at a premium, you will be a wise homemaker if you give the best care possible to the pieces you already have.

Disconnect electric appliances by grasping the plug itself, not by pulling on the cord. When washing electrical equipment such as coffee pots or toasters or waffle irons, wipe with a cloth rather than immersing in water.

Scouring pots and pans with steel wool pads impregnated with soap, after each meal during which you use pots and pans, will keep them bright and shiny longer.

Keep sulphur away from silverware to prevent tarnish. Eggs, matches, salt, fruit juice and even rubber tarnish silver quickly. When washing cutlery with wooden handles, be careful not to let the handles stand in water or they will become loosened.

Grease new pans before putting them in the oven and they will never rust. For rusty pie tins, rub a raw potato with cleansing powder on it to get rid of the rust quickly.

To sharpen scissors cut a fine grained piece of sandpaper into strips.

FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By ROGER B. WHITMAN

Roger B. Whitman—WNU Service.

RECONCRETE OLD SURFACES

AN UNEVEN concrete floor cannot be smoothed by the simple process of spreading new concrete on top, for the reason that concrete is not sticky and that the new will not adhere to the old surface. The usual process is to hack and gouge the old surface with a pointed hammer or cold chisel to provide roughness around which the new concrete can harden, and so form a bond. This may be a long and tedious job. One of my correspondents describes a method that he has used with success and that simplifies matters. He treats the old concrete with a mixture of 1 part muriatic acid and 4 parts of water. After a few minutes the acid will eat into the old concrete and roughen the surface sufficiently to permit the new concrete to bond to the old. He says that this works even when the edges of the new concrete are as thin as feathers. The process must be used with great care, however, because of the corrosive qualities of the acid. In the first place, rubber boots, rubber gloves and old clothes should be worn. In making the mixture the acid should be poured slowly into the water with constant stirring, for otherwise it would splatter. It is left in contact with the old concrete for only a few minutes, and is then flushed off with plenty of water. A very thin layer of cement is scattered on the wet concrete, followed by a mixture of one part cement and 1 to 2½ parts of sand. The new surface should be kept wet for three or four days in order to gain hardness and full density. In applying the acid solution the greatest care should be taken to protect the skin, and anything else that might be injured by it.

Paint on Bricks.

Question: In my home there is a very old fireplace, and back of it a brick oven. The bricks are the soft pink variety, but previous owners have given them several coats of paint. Most of this I have taken off with a paint remover and putty knife, with turpentine and muriatic acid. The gray first coat remains in the indentations of the bricks. How can I get it out?

Answer: One way would be to use a gasoline blowtorch, which would turn the remaining paint into a powder with no strength. A stiff brush should take it out of the indentations. If there is nearby woodwork, the blowtorch, of course, must be used with very great care.

One-Flue Chimney.

Question: My chimney is built of blocks, with a terra cotta lining. I have a hot air furnace in the cellar and would like to have a stove in my kitchen. Would a hole in the chimney for a stovepipe be a fire hazard? The kitchen is finished with plasterboard. Is this more inflammable than lath and plaster?

Answer: If there is only one flue in the chimney, connecting a second fire to it would impair the draft and neither your furnace nor your kitchen stove would burn properly. Every fire should have its own flue. Plasterboard is considered to be less inflammable than plaster on wood lath.

Sticking Door.

Question: My heavy front door cannot be tightly closed without slamming, which is hard on the ears. As a result of the slamming one of the panels is cracked. How about a quiet closing?

Answer: The door frame is out of square with the door, possibly from the settlement of the house, in which case the edges of the door that rub against the frame should be planed to fit. Possibly the top hinge is loose, so that the door sags. Tightening the screws should help this. When properly fitted a door should be closed tightly without any of the edges striking the frame.

Roots in Sewer.

Question: Please repeat what you said some time ago on clearing tree roots out of sewer pipes.

Answer: The surest method is with an electric pipe-cleaner. All localities now have operators owning a machine of this kind, which cuts the roots so that they are carried through to the end. Tree roots in a sewer can be killed by dissolving a half-pound or more of copper sulphate—blue vitriol—in a plumbing fixture and letting it drain into the pipe.

Cracks in Walls.

Question: There are cracks in the tongue-and-groove board walls of our enclosed porch. Putty put in them lasts only a short time. Could plasterboard be nailed on? Would it stand the weather?

Answer: In an enclosed porch the plasterboard would not be exposed to extremes of weather, and should give good service, especially if painted.

Cleaning Feathers.

Question: How can feather bedding be cleaned and renovated? Will this take away their fluffiness?

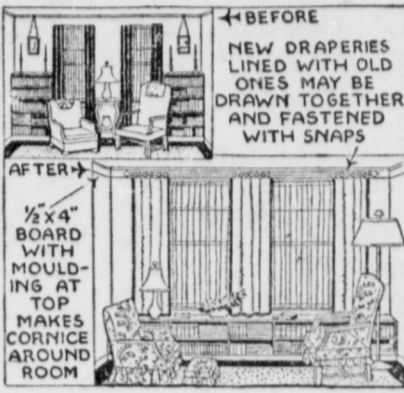
Answer: You will find that all modern laundries are equipped to do that job. Whether or not the feathers will flatten depends on their quality. Feathers of high grade will have their springiness improved, if anything. But low grade feathers are likely to be flattened.

Wax Removal.

Question: How can wax be removed from furniture and linoleum? Answer: Wipe with turpentine.

NEW IDEAS for Home-makers

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS



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True Greatness

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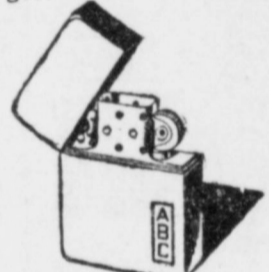
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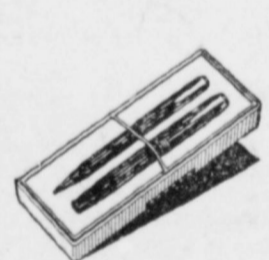
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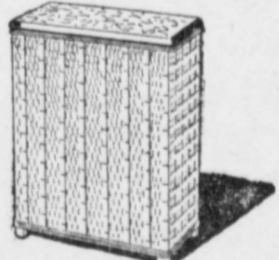
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**Farewell Party
 Honors H. C. Mullinax**

H. C. Mullinax, who has been called to active service with the U. S. Navy, was honored by his wife with a farewell party in their home Tuesday evening. A sailing motif was featured in the centerpiece of the dining table. On a cake topped with blue icing and white waves, two small ships sailed beneath a U. S. flag.

Mullinax left Wednesday to report for duty in Houston. The guests who gathered for the farewell were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barber, Mr. and Mrs. Urban Hemmi, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Key, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. George Lily, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rethmeyer, Miss Mildred Casterline, Rufus Casterline, Johnny Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Mullinax, Elva Mullinax, Mrs. M. K. Hunt and Lt. Ural V. Martin.

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**Circles Complete Study,
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 to Victoria**

Members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary completed Friday a week's intensive study of the Book of Luke. Mrs. T. H. Pollard was leader of the course and was assisted by members who had special assignments. An average of ten persons attended the daily meetings.

The circles joined together for this study, which was both an Easter season project and a preparation for the coming year's Bible study.

In separate meetings the circles elected new officers and representatives to the Presbyterian meeting to be held in Victoria April 21.

Circle 1 held an organization meeting Monday afternoon and heard a Bible study conducted by Mrs. W. H. Morrison. Mrs. H. E. Stumberg was made chairman for the new church year, Mrs. Manch Brundrett, vice-chairman; and Mrs. Fred Booth secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Pollard, Mrs. Stumberg, Mrs. Floyd Smith and Mrs. Harry Mills will attend the meeting in Victoria, for which representatives from all of South Texas will gather.

Circle 2 met in the home of Mrs. Floyd Smith yesterday with 11 members present, including Mrs. Van Koen, a new member, Mrs. Leonard Casterline presided and Mrs. T. H. Pollard conducted the Bible study. She introduced the course for the coming year, which will be a training in Presbyterian church.

A group of Presbyterian young people will attend a spring rally of the Corpus Christi district in Kingsville next Sunday.

Mrs. George Moore and Mrs. Dutch Happer drove to Corpus Christi Monday to see the Army Day parade.

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**Miss Ruby Crawford
 Eugene Wilcox Married
 Here Saturday**

Miss Ruby Crawford was married to Eugene Wilcox of Aransas Pass in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seburn Crawford, Saturday evening, with Rev. W. H. Morrison reading the ring ceremony. Wedding music was played by Mrs. E. H. Norvell.

The bride wore an afternoon frock of dusty pink, with a coronet of rosebuds in her hair. She carried an arm bouquet of pink roses. Roses also appeared as decorations in the rooms.

An informal wedding reception followed the ceremony with Mrs. W. B. Utley, Aransas Pass, sister of the bride; Mrs. I. E. Allemang, Mrs. Fred Brundrett, and Miss Wanda Crawford assisting in the party. The three tiered brides cake was frilled with spun sugar rosebuds and topped by a miniature bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox will live in Aransas Pass.

**Homemaking Class
 Will Present
 P. T. A. Program**

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet next Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the school auditorium. A program dealing with Better Homes prepared and presented by the Homemaking Department of the High School, under the direction of Miss Artie Coley, will be heard. A social hour will follow the program. You are invited.

**W. S. C. S. In
 Business Session
 Plans Box Supper**

The W. S. C. S. met in their regular business session Thursday afternoon in the Methodist Church with Mrs. Claude Roberts, in the chair. Eleven members were present. Reports of officers were heard and plans completed for the benefit box supper to be held at the Rockport Pavilion tonight.

Lieut. Charles Henriquez returned by plane Sunday from a three day trip to New Orleans.

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Society and Personals

**St. Peter's Guild
 Holds April Meeting**

St. Peter's Episcopal Guild met in the home of Mrs. Paul Dupuy Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. John Sorenson in charge of the session.

Special church prayers for our Army, Navy and the Country in War were read by Mrs. Dupuy.

A special fund was established for the purpose of setting up a gift memorial in St. Peter's church to the late Miss Lillie Deane, a beloved charter member of the Guild.

In the annual election of officers it was voted to keep the present staff another term. They are: Mrs. John Sorenson, president; Mrs. Sam Prophet, treasurer, and Mrs. Kate Ezell, secretary.

**Mrs. Jeffrey Gives
 Party for Junior Girls**

Junior girls of the Baptist Church were entertained by their sponsor, Mrs. E. C. Jeffrey, in the home of Mrs. John Townsend, Saturday afternoon. Candy favors were given to each of the party. Mrs. Eunice Piper was associate hostess.

**W. M. U. Holds
 Royal Service Meeting**

The W. M. U. held a regular meeting Thursday afternoon in the Baptist Church, with eleven members present. A Royal Service program led by Mrs. S. L. Sorenson was heard.

**Molly Sparks and
 Marvin Pollard In
 District Contests**

Having won first place in recent bi-county Interscholastic League Contests, Molly Sparks and Marvin Pollard will represent Rockport in a district meet to be held in Roberson High School Declamation events.

**Catholic Altar Society
 Meets In Rectory**

April meeting of the Catholic Altar Society was held in the Rectory Tuesday afternoon with ten members attending.

Rev. Gilbert McGloin was present and conducted the spiritual meeting. Mrs. Charles Picton, president, was in the chair. Reports of officers were given. The society will meet again May 5.

Mrs. Manch Brundrett had as her house guests Saturday and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson and their daughter Louise of Palacios; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mires, and their children, Naomi, Patsy Jo and Harwood, of Taft; Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Brundrett and their children Billy Louise and Leyton; Mrs. W. A. Kell with Billy and Wanda Kell; and Mrs. Ingle Turner, with Mary Ingle and Jimmie Turner all of Aransas Pass.

Miss Vivian and Velma Picton were hostesses to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Picton of Port Arthur last week. Picton came here in the Mim-Mee through the canal. Mrs. Picton joined him here and they made a drive to the Valley before returning to their home.

Wayne E. Smith has been accepted for the Naval Reserve and expects to be called into service at any time.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Herring had as their house guest over the week end L. M. Hall, Jr., of Port Worth, who is a student in Peacock Military Academy, San Antonio. A sister of Mrs. Herring's, Mrs. Cassie Black and her son, Rusty Harris, of Refugio were guests Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Fred Booth left Tuesday for Fort Worth where she will have a weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Bonnell.

Mrs. E. C. Jeffrey leaves today for Guymon, Okla., where she will spend several months with her sister, Mrs. L. A. Griggs. Mrs. Jeffrey formerly lived in Oklahoma, but has made her home with Mrs. John Townsend here for the past six years.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Corbin of Taft spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Jackson, parents of Mrs. Corbin.

Gordon Roberts of Corpus Christi is home on furlough from Camp Bowie, Brownwood, and visited relatives and friends in Rockport Wednesday. He is in the Field Artillery.

Mrs. Oscar Dye and Mrs. Arthur Ahr were in Corpus Christi Thursday on a shopping trip.

**Numerous Easter Egg Hunts Mark Easter
 Celebration In and About Rockport**

Either the Easter Bunny never heard of a Rationing Board or else he has a high priority rating with the O. P. M. because there was no shortage on eggs and fun for the kiddies in Rockport this Easter season. Teachers and mothers arranged hunts and parties enough for all children to be included.

**Sunday School Teachers
 Entertain Classes
 With Hunt**

The Easter Rabbit laid hundreds of colored eggs for the members of the Methodist Intermediate Sunday School in the shrubbery, flower beds and trees on the lawn of Mrs. Fred Brundrett's home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Haynes, Mrs. J. A. Walling with Mrs. Brundrett were hostesses to their classes and were assisted by Mrs. A. D. Jameson, Mrs. Clark Rooke, and Mrs. Paul Dupuy.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed by Lucille Haynes, Lucille Young, Dorothy and Yvonne Wigington, Inez Trombley, Betty Lou McGregor, Betty Haynes, Gladys Griffin, Jewel Murphy, Rosemary Sone, Thelda Haynes, Mary Martha Jameson, Hazel May Smith, Denise Dupuy, Norina Jean Gentry, Lester Rooke, Buddy Gentry, Bert Haney, Robert Sone, Wayne Gentry, Freddy Marshall, Clarence Lassiter, Travis Johnson, Jr., Dickie McElvan, and Eddie Pat Mixon.

**First Graders Chase
 Easter Bunny Thursday**

First Grade pupils were entertained with a party and Easter Egg hunt by their mothers and teacher Thursday afternoon on the school campus. Mrs. Somer Smith room mother, was assisted by Mrs. Floyd Huffman, Mrs. Elbert Mundine, and Mrs. Jim Warnock, first grade teacher and a number of mothers in arranging the hunt.

After the hunt refreshments were served to the following members: Bonnie Cron, Lynelle Smith, Patty Ballou, Jeanette Gentry, Vaunda Smith, Bill Allard, Jimmie White, Tommy Cron, Pat Smith and Bobby Little.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Sorenson had as house guests this week end Mr. and Mrs. Laurits Sorenson and son from Houston, and Albert Collier of New Orleans. Mrs. Collier has been here for some time.

Miss Anne Ruth Jackson, Rockport, student majoring in Education in the University of Texas was named recently on the honor list in the physical training department.

Justice of the Peace William B. Priddy performed the marriage ceremony for Miss Bonnie Lee Edwards and Ronald R. Hollingsworth here Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ferris have as their house guest Mrs. Ferris' sister, Mrs. Amelia G. De Herrera of Puerto, Ver., Mexico.

**Easter Egg Hunt
 Presbyterian Beginners**

The beginners class of the Presbyterian Sunday School found their Easter Eggs on the lawn at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Saturday afternoon.

Billy White and Carl Gentry found the prize eggs, and Carl won a prize, too, for finding the most eggs. Other hunters were Jimmie and Sonny Mills, Kane and Mary Sue Lasiter, Frances Deason, Kenneth Barker and Marilyn and Eddie Morrison.

Assisting Mrs. Morrison with games and refreshments were Mrs. Lloyd Lassiter, Mrs. Van Koen, Mrs. Jack Perenot and Mrs. J. T. Barker.

**Mrs. Garrett, Mrs.
 Murphy Have Egg
 Hunt For Primaries**

Mrs. Charles Garrett and Mrs. R. L. Murphy were co-hostesses to members of the primary department of the Methodist Church Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Garrett.

An egg hunt, games, and refreshments made a gay afternoon for Bonnie Vaughan McGregor, Kathryn Atwood, Bonnie Tromley, Dorothy Lassiter, Joe Earl Hunt, Isam McElvan, Billy Joe York, Barbara Don Warden, Betty, Charles and Jimmie Lyle Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bracht with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bracht and Mr. and Mrs. E. Silberisen spent Sunday in Corpus Christi with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jennesach. From there Eugene Bracht went on to Brownsville where he will be employed in the shipyards. Mrs. Eugene Bracht left Monday for Shreveport where she will visit her mother for a week.

Mrs. Mable Bryant is recuperating in the home of Mrs. W. B. Kerr, in San Antonio, following an accident on a city bus there in which she received bruises. She is expected to return home soon.

Miss Artie Coley returned Sunday from a visit of several days in De Leon, her former home. While there she visited her brother, W. M. Coly and his family.

**Easter Egg Hunt For
 Joyce Ann and
 Leon Barber**

Joyce Ann and Leon Barber were entertained by their mother, Mrs. Jim Barber, with an Easter Egg Hunt for a number of their friends Saturday afternoon.

Ruth Marie Mullinax found the Golden Egg, but the Easter Bunny left plenty of pretty colored eggs for the entire party and everybody had some for their baskets. Following the hunt refreshments were served to Mary Claire Hardeastle, Annie Carol Hardeastle, Ruth Marie Mullinax, Dora Bell McLester, Flo Ella Hardin, Edna Freeman, Mary Lou McLester, Dolly Lee Hart Darnelle Barber, Edean Freeman, Weldon Haynes, James Allen Haynes, Kenneth McGary, Thomas Freeman and Johnny Barber.

Assisting Mrs. Barber were Mrs. H. C. Mullinax, Mrs. H. E. Hardeastle, Mrs. R. L. Hart, Mrs. W. L. Haynes, Mrs. E. W. Barber, Mrs. L. V. McLester, Mrs. G. W. Barber, Mrs. C. Jacobsen and Mrs. Amos Glass.

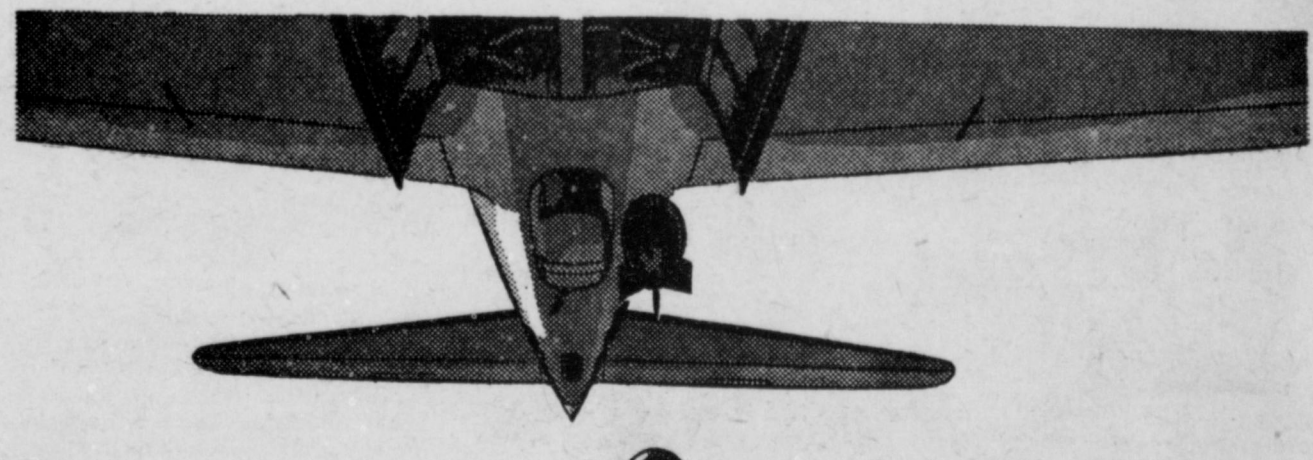
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J. T. Mobley with his mother, Mrs. Mobley and his children, Nancy Lee and Jim T. drove to Comanche and Stephenville, Thursday to visit relatives. They returned Sunday.

Justyne Mixon spent the week end in Aransas Pass, guest in the home of her aunt, Mrs. William A. Cavitt.

A nine pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Boquet Sunday, April 5. Her name is Robbie Wilhelmina.



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GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 18th day of May, A. D. 1942, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Aransas County, for the 36th Judicial District of Texas, at the Court House in the City of Rockport, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed in said court on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1942.

The style of the case is Walter Loughridge, Independent Executor vs. Mary E. Jones et al.

The file number of said suit being number 2168.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Walter Loughridge, Independent Executor, without bond, of the estate of Harry Hertzberg, deceased, plaintiff, and Mary E. Jones, if living, or the unknown heirs or legal representatives of the said Mary E. Jones, if the latter be dead, and the unknown stockholders of the Aransas Pass Harbor Company, a defunct corporation, if such unknown stockholders are living, or the unknown heirs or legal representatives of said unknown stockholders, if said unknown stockholders are dead, defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: This is a trespass to try title suit and this action is brought as well to try the title as for damages, it being alleged that on or about the 27th day of March, 1942, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises situated in Aransas County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

A part of the Joseph Hond original grant or survey number 2713, patented to the heirs of Henry Smith, deceased, and described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a stake or point in the North boundary line of a 25 acre tract of land conveyed to H. H. Farrar and John Roberts by D. W. Fly by deed dated March 20, 1882, recorded in Volume D, pages 216-8 of the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas, and which stake or point is 640 feet west of the original North East corner of said 25 acre tract;

THENCE West with said North boundary line to the North-west corner of said 25 acre tract to a stake;

THENCE South eleven chains to a stake the Southwest corner of said 25 acre tract;

THENCE East 18.22 chains to the Southeast corner of said 25 acre tract to a stake on the shore of Aransas Bay;

THENCE by the meanders of said Bay North to Milroy's (later Delaney's or Delagneau's) Southeast corner a stake;

THENCE North 23 1/2 degrees West 600 feet to the place of beginning, containing 20.75 acres, more or less, and being the same property conveyed to E. Hertzberg (misspelled Hertzburg) by J. O. Walker by M. J. Hathaway, attorney in fact, by warranty deed dated March 10, 1891 and recorded in Volume M, pages 430-1 of the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas; and being the same property and land conveyed to J. O. Walker by H. H. Farrar by warranty deed dated August 7, 1888 and recorded in Volume E, page 480 of the Deed Records of Aransas County; and being 20.75 acres out of the same land described and conveyed by the following deeds:

From Joseph F. Smith to D. W. Fly, dated April 10, 1868, recorded in Volume Tr. B, page 55, Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas; from D. W. Fly to H. H. Farrar and John Roberts, dated March 20, 1882, recorded in Volume D, pages 216-8, deed Records of Aransas County, Texas; and from John Roberts to H. H. Farrar, dated August 15, 1882, recorded in Volume D, pages 228-9 Deed Records of Aransas County, to all of which deeds and the records thereof reference is hereby made for more particularity of description of the land hereby involved.

PHIL HART, Temporary Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. A. A. Westergard, Deceased.

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That on the day and year aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from him the possession thereof to his damage in the amount of \$1,000.00. Plaintiff also

relies upon the special pleas of limitations therein contained and alleged in substance that plaintiff is entitled to title and possession of said land because he and those whose estate he has and through and under whom he claims title to said property have had and claimed good and perfect right and title to same and he now likewise claims the same under a deed and deeds duly registered, having had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying as they accrued all taxes due thereon for a period of more than 5 years next before filing this suit and next before March 27, 1942, and at different successive periods over the last 51 years next preceding the filing of this suit and that plaintiff and those under and through whom he claims the same likewise have held, used, possessed and claimed the same for a period of more than 10 years next before March 27, 1942 and next before commencement of this suit; that said land is less than 160 acres; that said land was so taken, used, possessed, claimed and held under a written memorandum of title specifying the boundaries of said tract and duly recorded in the office of the County Clerk of Aransas County, Texas; that said land was so held, used, claimed and possessed by virtue of an actual enclosure of said lands and tenements; and that said lands have been so held, claimed, used and possessed in good faith and under a deed or deeds or instrument or instruments recorded in the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas, purporting to convey the same, for a period of 25 years next prior to March 27, 1942 and next prior to the filing of this suit, and for successive periods of 25 years each over the period of 50 years next preceding the filing of this suit. Plaintiff made affidavit for citation by publication upon defendants and prays for citation and for judgement against defendants for title and possession of said lands, for writ of restitution, damages, costs and general relief.

This citation shall be served by the Sheriff or any Constable of any County of the State of Texas, by having the same published in a newspaper once each week for four(4) consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight (28) days before the return day of the citation, and the said officer shall herein fail not, but make due return as the law directs.

It is further hereby directed that if this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 1st day of April, A. D. 1942.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Rockport, Texas, this 1st day of April, A. D. 1942.

J. M. SPARKS
Clerk of the District Court, Aransas County, Texas.

BONNIE TOWNSEND, Deputy.

NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF MRS. A. A. WESTERGARD, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the Estate of Mrs. A. A. Westergard, Deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 30th day of March, 1942, by the county court of Aransas County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are Rockport, Texas.

PHIL HART, Temporary Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. A. A. Westergard, Deceased.

New York Primed for Night Attack



It seems as if old Father Knickerbocker has sprouted porcupine quills instead of a beard as he prepares for a possible air attack. Men are manning anti-aircraft guns, and each night huge searchlights (right) scan the skies. The parapet (lower left) protects the men from concussion and bomb fragments during an attack.

'As Neutrality Act Was Revised



Revision of the neutrality act in the house was one of the hardest fought battles to come before that body in years. These photos, taken in the day the bill was repeated, show (top), left to right, Speaker Sam Rayburn and Majority Leader John McCormack, examining letter from President Roosevelt declaring that a vote by the house against repeal would "cause rejoicing in the Axis countries." Below: left to right, Rep. James P. Richards (S. C.) floor leader for the Democratic opposition, congratulates Rep. Sol Bloom (N. Y.), leader of fight for passage.



From where I sit . . .

by Joe Marsh

BEST storekeeper I ever knew was a fellow named Sam Abernethy. Sam's specialty was to take over some run-down store that somebody else had given up as a failure. Then Sam would turn it into a gold mine.

"But the most important thing of all," he used to say, "is to remember who's Boss!"

"You may think you are Boss of your business . . . but you're not. The Public, your customers, are the real bosses . . . and you've got to run your business the way they want it."

That little statement of Sam's made a big impression on me . . . particularly since it certainly seemed to work so well in Sam's case.

And Sam isn't the only one. I see the beer industry feels the same way . . . certainly, the brewers believe in running their business the way you and I would like to see it run.

Folks like us like to see beer sold in clean, quiet, decent places.

Well . . . the brewers feel the same way about it. They don't want their beer sold in wrong surroundings. They know it doesn't pay. And they know it hurts the good name of beer.

I was reading the other day how the brewers and the beer distributors work together and cooperate with law enforcement authorities. The idea is to make careless beer retailers clean up their places and practices . . . or close up.

It's a good plan . . . and it seems to me it ought to work. I understand it is already in operation in a number of states and is being extended.

It's a mighty fine thing when a great industry has the gumption to do a job like that on its own initiative. And if Sam Abernethy was right, the brewers should be mighty successful . . . because they're running their business the way the public wants to see it run.

Joe Marsh

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Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

I desire to thank everyone who contributed to our beautiful floral offering of Easter Sunday. Some of the flowers came from Corpus Christi; some from Houston, while a formidable array of them were presented by local members and friends of the Methodist church. It was all very lovely and added materially to the beauty and success of the service. May God bless you all!

ALMUS D. JAMESON, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
10:00 A. M. Sunday School.
J. W. Rooke, Supt.

11:00 A. M. Preaching.
7:30 p. m. B. T. U.
E. C. Morgan, Director.
8:30 p. m. Preaching

8:00 P. M. Wednesday, Prayer meeting.

3:00 Thursday, W. M. U, Mrs. J. F. Stanley-President.

The public is cordially invited to worship with us.

Jas. F. Stanley, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.

Fancher Archer Superintendent
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Sermon Subject: Frozen Assets
Young People's Meeting 7:00 P. M.

Mrs. T. H. Pollard, Sponsor
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.
Sermon Subject: An Embarrassed Host

Our young people will attend a District Rally at Kingsville Sunday afternoon and evening.

The Presbytery of Western Texas will meet at Kerrville next Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. This church will be represented by the pastor and probably a Ruling Elder.

"A Sabbath well spent brings a week of content
And strength for the needs of tomorrow.
But a Sabbath profaned, whatsoever is gained,
Is a certain forerunner of sorrow.

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T. H. POLLARD, Pastor

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Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
Comunion Service follows immediately after sermon.

Preaching Service 8:30 p. m.
Tuesday night Bible Study 8:00 p. m.

We respect the feelings of all denominations and invite all to attend.

Mrs. M. E. Kennedy and daughter, Miss Floy Kennedy, spent Sunday in Alice visiting Mrs. A. Adams.

Mrs. James Lathrop spent the Easter week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Loe, in Corpus Christi.

Miss Jewel Turner and Orval T. Goff, of Aransas Pass, were united in marriage here Friday evening April 3, with Rev. James F. Stanley, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cloberdants and son, Jimmie Ben spent the Easter week-end in San Antonio and in Dilley, where they visited Cloberdants' brother.

Rev. T. H. Pollard was in Corpus Christi Tuesday to attend a district meeting of Presbyterian ministers there.

Lieut. Ural V. Martin was in Houston over the week-end visiting his wife and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peets, both of whom have been ill recently, are reported improving.

Miss Shirley Johnson had as her guests for Saturday and Sunday, Miss Anne Sheldon and Miss Anita Jo Herblein of San Antonio.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Love of Cameron are guests this week of Jeff Jeter.

Miss Billie Jo Roberts, of Corpus Christi, was home for the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roberts. Johnnie Carver of Refugio was a Sunday visitor.

Bert McElvan was home Sunday to spend the day with his parents.

Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. Jack Hodge, and Mrs. Claude Roberts made a shopping trip to Corpus Christi Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beetley were in Corpus Christi Friday.

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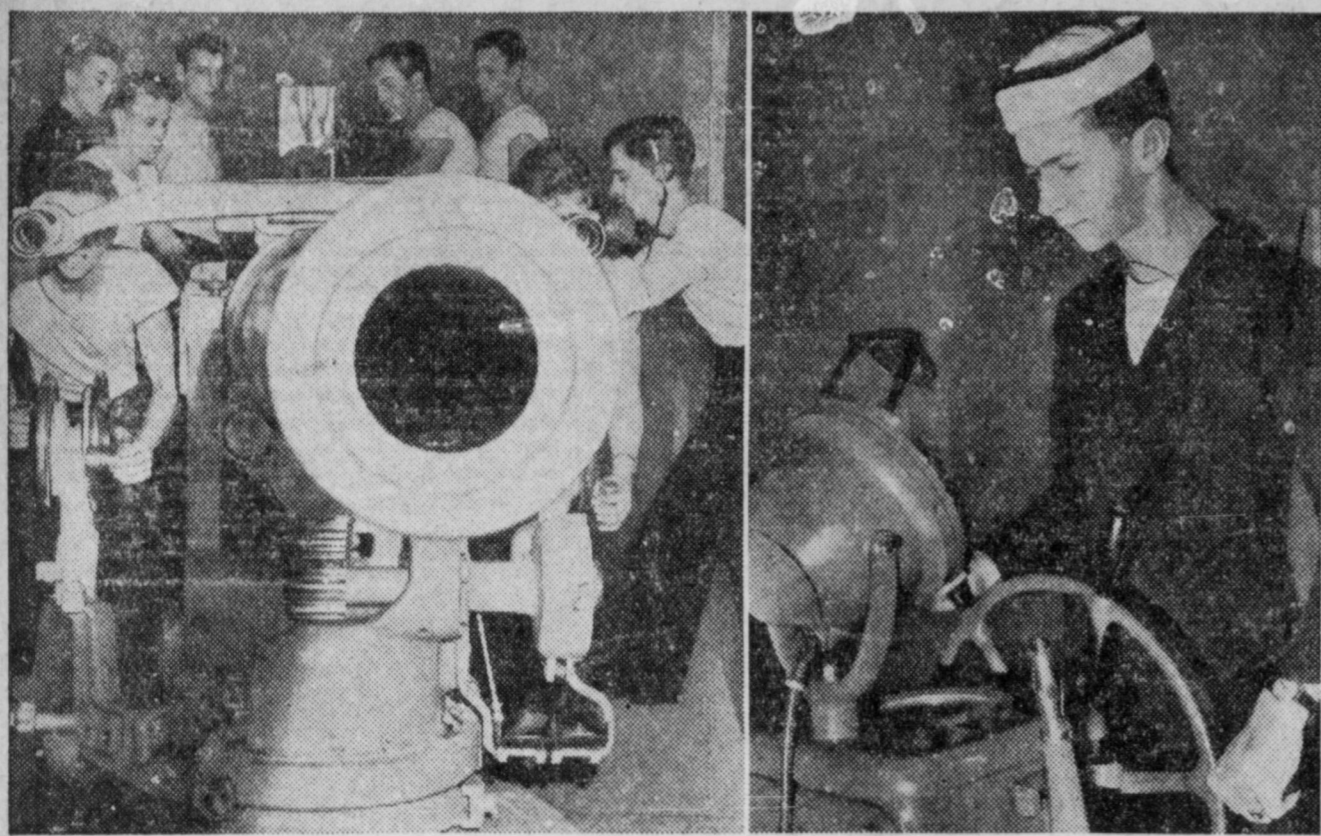
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- 7 Check Cooling System
- 8 Protect and Preserve Finish

Learning Sea Trade at 'Little Annapolis'



A gunnery class at the state merchant marine academy, Fort Schuyler, N. Y., is shown (left) operating a naval gun. Future officers for the U. S. merchant marine are being trained here to sail the seven seas under Old Glory. They learn not only to sail their ships but to fight them if necessary. Right: Cadet Robert King is shown studying the gyro-compass at the merchant marine academy.

U. S. Troops Start Building Alaska Highway



Upper picture shows journey's end, as U. S. engineer corps troops arrive at the end of the steel ribbon, at Dawson Creek, B. C., to start building a highway to Alaska from the end of the present road at Fort St. John. Below: First activity of road building at start of construction of the Alaska highway. Note men in foreground with truck pulling another road-building truck out of a ditch. All equipment for the project was shipped from the States.

Old Cannon—Reborn—May Roar Again



Part of cannon caravan shown as it passed through Pittsfield, Mass., on its way to Boston Common, to participate in demonstration commemorating the original expedition, when Gen. Henry Knox delivered a train of artillery to Gen. George Washington, from Fort Ticonderoga. The old cannon will be smashed and used for salvage in the current war.

Exchanging 'Autographs' in Britain



United States soldiers, part of the A. E. F., who have just arrived in London, are shown making friends with British girls in uniform. According to the British caption which came with this photograph, they are exchanging "autographs."

'Gen. Heat' in India



Temperatures go sky-high in India in the summertime, and the men who work in India's iron and steel industry must have almost superhuman stamina to withstand it. Here two punjabi tongmen stand in front of a "man cooler" fan in the Tatas plant at Bombay, which provides armament for the Allies.

Stalls Housing Job



Mrs. Mabel Mahon, living with 10 dogs at Uniontown, Pa., held up a \$1,000,000 defense housing project by refusing to move. She is shown above with one of her dogs.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS By Edward C. Wayne

Merchant Vessel Losses in Atlantic Cause Shortage of Shipping Crews; India Dissatisfied With Cripps' Plan; Observers Ponder New Jap Strategy

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)



Pictured "somewhere in Australia," Pacific naval chiefs of the united nations discuss mutual war problems. Left to right: Vice Admiral Herbert F. Leary, in command of allied naval forces in the Anzac area; Vice Admiral Sir Guy Royle, chief of the naval staff, and Commodore Parry, chief of the New Zealand naval staff.

BATAAN: Defense Vigorous

Most serious attack against General Wainwright's Bataan defense had been launched in the form of a land attack ordered by General Yamashita, whose men had remained quiescent altogether too long to satisfy Tokyo, who soon might have ordered another hara kiri to be carried out.

But the Japs found that the men who had served MacArthur so well were the same ones working under General Wainwright, who proceeded to make a quick shift in his front, to get reinforcements to the beleaguered spot and to meet the Japs with the bayonet.

So vigorous was the hand-to-hand fighting that Japanese dead had littered the battlefield, but the American line had held firm, and was not reported pierced at any point.

Wainwright had admitted to the loss of a few advance positions, that was all.

WAR AT SEA: Whittling Away

The German U-boats, perhaps with some Italians working with them, were the only sea force of the Axis which was causing any lasting concern to the Allies, as the Japanese fleet was rapidly and constantly being whittled down to American size, while our fleet was growing larger by about two warships daily. Best news was the navy's announcement that a total of 28 Axis submarines have been sunk by U. S. military and naval forces up to April 1.

The Japanese air fleets were suffering losses of five to one. Pearl Harbor was already twice avenged in ship and plane losses, and the general outlook of the battle against the Nipponese was more favorable looking as time went on despite the map-showing of conquered territories.

The U-boats were continuing their ratio of sinkings along the Atlantic coast for a wide area, but some hopes had been expressed that the loss of the port of Saint Nazaire might be a costly blow to the Nazis, and that the arrest of a spy ring in Brazil might make it more difficult for the U-boat skippers to find targets.

The sinkings by U-boats still was not exceeding our commissioning of new merchant vessels, but it was making it constantly more difficult to get skippers and crews. Congress had before it a bill to award sailors hero medals for bravery at sea in torpedoings of the same type as those awarded to navy heroes.

While many seamen were brave enough in newspaper interviews, it was getting increasingly hard to man ships with survivors of torpedoings, and the shortage created by those who had died at sea had to be filled by new trainees, for the most part.

It was one of the worst war bottlenecks, and the army and navy were combining in a coastal patrol to which small boats were to be added in an effort to sweep the subs out of America's shore lanes.

One plan brought forward was to haul oil and sugar up the East coast by the inland waterway in boats of 80 to 300 tons, and in shallow-draft barges.

This traffic could be carried out safely and profitably, surveys had showed.

LABOR:

Both the American Federation of Labor and the C.I.O. had sent messages to General MacArthur in complete support of his command there, and this was held in most circles to mean general support for the war effort.

In the meantime the senate had backed up the administration's antagonism to tampering with the 40-hour-week law, and it seemed that this effort to take away from labor its chief gain since the last war was doomed to defeat.

JAPANESE: Plans Obscure

The certainty felt by Germany that the Japs were going to move into India with their major offensive instead of Australia gave rise more and more to a feeling that perhaps the landing of substantial reinforcements in the "down under" continent may have given the Japs pause, at that.

It was certain that the Japs were having more success in Burma than they were around Australia, and the view was held that perhaps the Japanese might keep a "token force" north of Australia, and a considerable naval power there, to immobilize the Americans and Aussies.

At the same time, these observers had held, the Japs might turn their attention to India, and profiting by the difficult efforts Britain had had to line up the Hindus on their side in the forthcoming battle, sweep in with their military and win their way to the Persian gulf.

Chief drawback to this view was the fact that the Japs were said to have only half a million soldiers in the entire Southwest Pacific, perhaps enough to attempt an invasion of population-scarce Australia, but surely not enough to spread out through a country populated with 300,000,000 people.

Unless the Hindus were more than passively opposed to the British, unless they were willing to welcome the Jap invaders with open arms, it would be a hopeless task to attempt occupation of the whole subcontinent, any more than the Japs had been able to do anything in China with far more troops.

Therefore many took still a third view, that neither Australia nor India was the prime objective of the Japs, but Siberia, to open a new front against the Russians in the first place, and simply to hold and attempt to develop the East Indian resources of oil and rubber, while doing their real fighting back of Manchukuo.

If either of these objectives, however, were carried out, instead of the occupation of Australia, it was pointed out that it would play into the hands of Australians and Americans, whose ultimate objective was an offensive against the Japs—not merely holding their own.

INDIA: Dissatisfaction

Whether India was finally to accede to Britain's wishes or not it still had been evident that the rank and file of the Indian people had been vastly disappointed with the mission of Sir Stafford Cripps and the message he brought them.

Virtually, they pointed out, it was the same as that offered them back at the beginning of the war, with the sole difference that Britain was committing herself to the giving of India of some form of dominion status, while heretofore Britain had merely said she would "talk it over" after the war.

It wasn't apparently so much that the Hindus wanted their freedom now, but it was that they didn't want to be put into the position of having to fight for their freedom under the direction of the British, and as a vassal state.

The Indian leaders wanted Britain to give them the right to organize, finance and carry out their own defense, with the aid of Britain and the other Allied nations.

To this, Sir Stafford Cripps had indicated he had no power to accede. Gandhi and Nehru both being quoted as saying they hoped for a settlement, and other leaders joining them in this hope.

Back of it all was the Hindu desire to carry out a "passive resistance" to the Japs, figuring on their own enormous numbers and their dark and devious ways of doing things to beat the Japs rather than to attempt the seemingly hopeless task of organizing the country militarily for a battle with planes, tanks and guns.

OFFENSIVE:

Expect Drive In Two Directions

London's "listening posts" on the European continent apparently had been able to confirm that Germany's spring offensive was, as had been thought, to be directed against Russia, with 100 new divisions, many of them from conquered or "annexed" countries.

At the same time the clamor had been renewed in England for a "spring offensive" on the part of Britain that would include a major land offensive as well as the air blitz which already had got under way.

A new front in Europe had been urged right along in many quarters and now Lord Beaverbrook himself had broken with Churchill, at least to that extent, and from Miami, Fla., had joined the ranks of those who believed the time had come for Britain's large land army to break out of the islands and go across to some occupied country and start for Berlin.

Victory in 1942 was the slogan of those who believed the time was ripe to strike ashore as well as in the air, and they pointed out that Russia had 7,000,000 fighting men on the eastern front against Hitler's 4,500,000 even with the 100 new divisions, and that a new front on the west would spell ruin to Adolf.

Even the Bulgars, traditional blood relatives and friends of the Russians, had been forced to contribute 200,000 men to the new German armies, the reports had it.

Italy, instead of sending a million men, as had been demanded by Berlin, had sent half this number, and had tried to get out of that, it had been reported. The Italian losses on the east front last winter had been frightful.

The direction of the probable offensive was seen as two-fold, one major series of drives to be headed toward the Crimea and the territory south of the Donets basin.

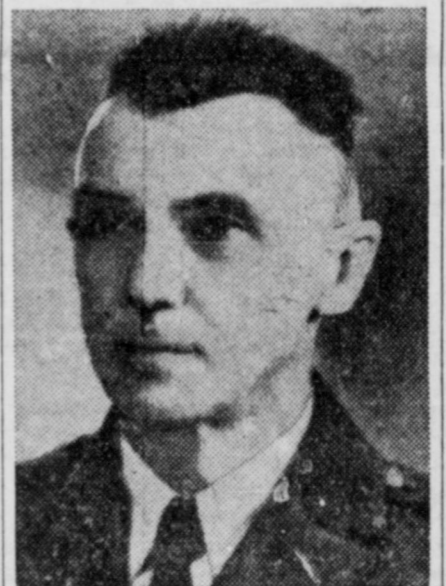
The other major objective was to be the far north, the port of Murmansk, through which most of the American and British lease-lend aid had been going.

BURMA: Air Power Gone

Once again the British, according to their own reports, had found themselves on a fairly major battlefield with no air support at all.

The Japs, the British wired to New Delhi, "have complete control in the air."

The Chinese, under General Stillwell, an American, and the British



GENERAL STILLWELL Fighting a divided front.

and Indian forces had divided the Burmese front between them, and were fighting a brave, though apparently losing battle against combined Japs and Burmese, the latter having gone over to the Nipponese soon after the invasion started.

The British, themselves unable to arm the Indians to defend their homeland, had found the Japs in no such difficulty when it came to giving arms to natives willing to join their fighting forces.

Thus the defenders were finding themselves battling, as they did in Malaya, with a force well equipped with native guides and native fighters, in the anomalous position of defending Burma from the Burmese as well as the Japs.

MISCELLANY:

Chungking: Chinese sources said that infected material dropped deliberately from Japanese planes had caused an outbreak of the bubonic plague.

Cairo: Nine persons were killed in a rush for shelter during an air raid, the casualty lists showed. Two thousand ran for a shelter built for 100.

Vichy: The Vichy government, believed by many in the United Nations to be secretly making munitions for the Axis, had requisitioned all hotel and restaurant fixtures containing aluminum or brass.

Washington: It had been considered significant in some quarters that the new Pacific Council of Defense included neither India nor Britain. The report followed statements that the British had wanted returning Aussies to go to India, not to their homeland.

Detroit: The auto industry was divided on the merits of the Reuther plan, brought forward by a labor leader to speed up the conversion of auto plants into factories to make tanks and planes. Some held it foolish, others praised it, and the plan was being debated.

ASK ME ANOTHER?

A General Quiz

The Questions

1. How much water can a thirsty camel drink at one time?
2. What is the origin of the abbreviation "lb." for pound?
3. The Constitution requires congress to assemble how often?
4. What bird uses its beak as a pantry?
5. Who was the first man on record to have his ship entangled in the weeds of the Sargasso sea?
6. What is the chief quality of an opaque substance?
7. What is a peccadillo?

The Answers

1. From 15 to 20 gallons.
2. From the Latin word libra, a pound.
3. At least once every year.
4. The pelican. Food is stored in the lower part of its bill.
5. Columbus.
6. It will not permit light to pass through.
7. A petty fault.

Gems of Thought

BOOKS are the true levelers. They give to all who faithfully use them the society, the spiritual presence, of the best and greatest of our race.—W. E. Channing.

Kindness is more binding than a loan.—Chinese Proverb. No earthly good so much enjoyed as to please a scene so fair. As when we have some worthy friend, his beauties we may share.—W. M. HINMAN.

The art of conversation is to be prompt without being stubborn; to refute without argument, and to clothe great matters in a motley garb.—Disraeli.

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DEEP WATER ISLAND

by ALAN LEMAY

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INSTALLMENT NINETEEN

This is the concluding installment to this story of the DEEP WATER ISLAND, Alakoa.

"What is this?" Dick asked. "Didn't you know that James Wayne has been making additional payments on Alakoa, all through the last twenty years?" "I thought he was; I couldn't prove it, I guess."

"You can prove it now. That's a receipt from Garrett Waterson for two hundred and seventeen thousand dollars. Incompetent or not, he was properly paid for Alakoa; and that receipt acknowledges it. I thought I'd better get it for you—and save you a headache."

"Karen," Dick asked, "why have you done this?" "I'm sick of having you worry for fear I'm going to get your island away from you. I don't want your old island. You'd better take care of that receipt, and not sit there creasing it all up. Your brothers are going to want it—and I suppose, after all, Alakoa is more theirs than yours."

He wondered irrelevantly if he should tell her that this was not so; but let it pass. "What are you going to do now?" "I'm going back to San Francisco and look for a job."

"But Garrett Waterson will want—"

"I'm not going to fasten onto him. He's got troubles of his own."

There was a long silence after that. "It seems to me," Dick said at last, "that neither one of us has been very sensible about any of this. All the way along we've kept fighting over the most trivial things—lands, and grandfathers, and Kanaka girls, and who busted a lei on James Wayne's desk. It certainly looks as if we ought to run out of things to fight and quarrel over, pretty soon."

"Don't you know," Karen asked, "whose lei that was? Don't you know who was with James Wayne when he died?"

"I don't even care," Dick said. "I care. It's taken me a week's detective work even to find out who you were talking about. And I'm going to tell you about it, whether you're interested or not."

"I just don't think it's important now," Dick said.

"I do. Because that was what really broke us up. It made you say things to me that were perfectly awful—unforgivable things, Dick. And I didn't know, then, even what you meant when you talked about a broken lei."

"If only you had told me—"

"I couldn't tell you because I didn't know. I know now. When you went into your uncle's office, and found him dead, there was a broken lei of ginger blossoms on the floor; and you thought that it was the lei you gave to me. But I've had to talk to Tsuru, and Lilua, and Hokano, before I even found out that much."

"You mean to tell me that you really weren't there? You weren't with James Wayne that night at all?"

"Of course not. But I've pieced together what happened, now. The lei you gave me that night was a lei that Lilua made for you; but that was not the only lei she made. She made another lei for Hokano; and he was wearing it, when he came looking for her that night."

"You mean that it was Hokano who—"

"Hokano was looking for Lilua. I could have told him where to look for her. But he couldn't find her because she was in your room."

"Karen, I swear that nothing—"

"Oh, I know. As a matter of fact—"

"a malicious little twinkle flickered in Karen's eyes—I think I had already warned you to lock your door. But Hokano didn't know anything about that. He saw James Wayne's light; he stepped into James Wayne's office through the window, and demanded to know where Lilua was. Of course your uncle was furious that a large, very wet Kanaka should come crashing into his office through a window. His anger was too much for him, on top of everything else. He stood up and threatened Hokano; and then just suddenly collapsed and was gone. Hokano leaned across the desk, so he was really dead. The ginger blossom lei caught on the corner of the desk and broke; and just then Tsuru came tapping at the door, peddling her glass of milk."

"Hokano told you this?"

"Most of it. Who else could? He was the only one who knew."

"This is all very surprising," Dick said.

"I don't think so. I don't think it's even interesting. I went to the trouble to find out because I wanted to know what you were talking about. I can't remember now why I thought it mattered."

"And I still don't think it matters," Dick said. "I don't think it matters at all whether either one of us has said or thought or done."

"In short," Karen said, "you haven't a leg to stand on; so, that being the case, you favor calling the whole fight off."



He stepped into James Wayne's office through the window, and demanded to know where Lilua was.

"I have no doubt," Dick agreed, "that I am a complete fool. Worse than that—much worse—I am also unlucky. I simply don't get the breaks—and I suppose that's the worst thing you can say about any man."

"You get as good breaks as anyone does. The principal trouble with you is that you don't show any sense."

"I think it's time for both of us to show a little sense. People never get anywhere trying to dope out who was to blame for what. If people like to be together, that should decide what they're going to do."

"Such as—?"

"What's the sense in going to Honolulu? I don't have to go to Honolulu, and neither do you. The Holokai can just as well put about and lay a course for Nuku Hiva. How do you know you wouldn't like Nuku Hiva? I'll bet any amount you'll think it's a whole lot prettier than San Francisco."

"My word," Karen smiled faintly. "I believe it's meant to be a proposal."

"Call it what you want to," Dick said. "Don't you think—don't you think—"

"Would you like to know what I think? I think you're tiresome. You sit there talking and on and on, when all a person wants is to go to sleep. Now, you can sit there talking to yourself as long as you want to, but I'm going to sleep, anyway," said Karen.

Dick stood up. "I've got a great mind to set a course for Nuku Hiva anyway, and make you like it!"

Karen laid her head on her arms and closed her eyes. "You're always shanghaiing somebody," she said. "But ask yourself—what does it ever get you?"

Dick stood looking down at her quiet face, and wondering why he had ever hoped to understand this girl. "Nothing, I guess," he admitted at last.

CHAPTER XVII

He went out into the main cabin, sat down at the table, and laid out a hand of solitaire; but when it was laid out he sat staring vacantly at the cards. He had reason enough to be sick of solitaire. Then presently he became aware that he was infinitely weary, and that he had as much reason as Karen to be in need of sleep. He laid his head on the table, convinced now that there was no longer on the face of the sea any uncertainty worth keeping a man awake; and was almost immediately asleep.

He must have slept a long time, for when he awoke daylight was coming in the ports. In front of him on the table had been placed a tray containing a wilted sprig of celery, and a glass of cold water that sloshed about with the Holokai's roll; but it didn't seem to him much of a joke.

Then as he shook the sleep out of his eyes he was suddenly aware that something was wrong. The sun appeared to be rising in the west; and when he had thought about that for a minute he knew that they should have been in Honolulu many hours ago. He could hardly believe that the Holokai had been into Honolulu harbor, and set Karen ashore, and put to sea again, without waking him up; but that was the only explanation he could think of at first. Certainly the Holokai was tearing southward at a roaring clip.

He went on deck and found Inyashi at the wheel. "What's the idea of not waking me up in Honolulu?" "Honolulu?"

"Don't stare at me like a blockhead!" Dick shouted. "What time did you leave Honolulu?" "We—we haven't been to Honolulu, Captain."

"You haven't been—well, where do you think you're going?" "Why—Why—Oh, I was afraid of this," Inyashi moaned.

"Well, speak up! What do you think you're doing?" "Miss Waterson—Miss Waterson—she said you had changed the course, Captain. She said you wanted me to bring about and lay for the Marquesas. She said you had decided not to go to Honolulu. She said you were asleep, and she said I was supposed to—"

"Dear heaven," Tonga Dick said. "You go ask her yourself. She's up there in the bow. Captain Tonga, I try to set what course you say. But I didn't know what to do when she came and—"

The mainsail was partly to blame; the Holokai's low-slung booms made part of the deck invisible from the wheel. But the real reason that Dick had not found Karen before now was that he had not expected her to be there. It had been very definitely fixed in his mind that she was gone from his ship, gone altogether out of his life.

He went forward hesitantly, partly humble, partly dazed by his luck. He stood close beside her at the rail, and drew her against him with one arm.

"Well, good morning!" Karen said. "Do you always sleep in your clothes? Because I don't think it does them any good."

"Dick said stupidly, "We—we didn't go to Honolulu after all, did we?" "Certainly not. Silly effort of yours—chasing off to Nuku Hiva. Did you think you'd get away from me as easily as that?"

A great cloud of flying fish went up before the bows of the Holokai, making a flickering rainbow on the face of the warm sea.

(THE END)

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS IN HOUSTON TUESDAY, APRIL 14

Houston, Texas.—All plans for the opening of the Texas League baseball season in Houston at 8 p. m. Tuesday, April 14, have been completed by the Buff Booster Committee. There will be no speech making, but there will be a general patriotic program of short duration. President Roosevelt has given the go-ahead signal for baseball and indications are that clubs throughout the nation will carry out the wishes expressed in his letter to the Baseball Commissioner, when he said:

"I honestly feel that it would be best for the country to keep baseball going. There will be fewer people unemployed and everybody will be working longer hours and harder than ever before. And that means that they ought to have a chance for recreation and for taking their minds off their work even more than before."

Several bands will participate as well as a detail from Ellington Field, which will assist in a flag raising ceremony. One feature will be a blackout demonstration at some unannounced time during the game. All Soldiers, Sailors and Marines in uniform will be admitted to the game free of charge.

The Buffs will play Beaumont, a team that always has a hustling club. The Houston club will present a team made up mostly of new players who have made fine records with other clubs in the St. Louis Cardinal organization. Neither Manager Clay Hoppe, nor Manager Steve O'Neill have indicated their selection of starting pitchers.

Mayor Pickett of Houston has extended an invitation to the mayors of surrounding towns to be his guest at the game and at a barbecue to be given prior to the game beginning at 6 p. m.

New Magic Water Cuts Thyroid Without Pain

NEW YORK.—Science has a new magic drink of water which does an internal surgical operation, complete, bloodless, painless, harmless. The drink is ordinary water containing radio-active iodine. The taste is natural.

The operation is done by the iodine rays on the thyroid glands.

A survey showed this iodine in use at the University of California and at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where it is produced by cyclotrons. Radio-active iodine which emits rays like those of radium, is not known in nature—it must be made artificially.

When a person drinks water containing this kind of iodine, scientists can tell exactly where it goes by listening to the chattering sound made by the rays in an electrical pickup. It goes almost entirely to the thyroid gland, 5,000 times as much concentrating there as in any other tissue. Thus concentrated, these rays do exactly the same sort of surgical removal as radium or X-rays. They can dissolve part of all of a thyroid gland.

Drunk Pays Fine With Cash of Fellow Prisoner

ROCHESTER, N. H.—Larceny in a police cell . . .

Two drunks were placed in adjoining cells—but the padlocks weren't snapped.

On recovering first, one paid a \$10 fine and calmly walked out. The other later complained vigorously that his billfold containing \$80 was missing.

Policemen began a search for the first drunk and soon found him. Two \$20 bills and one \$10 bill were secreted in the lining of the waistband of his trousers.

He was booked for larceny.

So Recruit Keeps Date With Pretty Redhead

NEW YORK.—When Richard Brennan, 17-year-old Brooklyn youth, makes a date with a pretty redhead he intends to keep it—war or no war.

Brennan volunteered at the navy recruiting service, was accepted and ordered to report the following day (Saturday) for active service.

"But I have a date with a beautiful redhead Saturday night," he protested to the recruiting officer.

"The Japs aren't going to wait for you," countered the recruiting officer.

"Neither will this gal," said Brennan.

"That's a good argument," remarked the recruiting officer.

Brennan and the strawberry blonde kept their Saturday night date.

Steals Doctor's Tires And Incloses Payment

PITTSBURGH.—A local physician has discovered that there is such a person as an "honest" tire thief.

Returning to his parked car recently, the doctor found the wheels jacked up and all tires missing. On the seat was an envelope containing some money and the following note: "Dear doctor—Enclosed find \$40. I have taken the tires off your car. You can buy them easier than I can.—A Friend."

Improved Uniform International LESSON

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Lesson for April 12

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THE MISSION OF THE SEVENTY

LESSON TEXT—Luke 10:1-7, 17, 21-24. GOLDEN TEXT—The harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few; pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth laborers into his harvest.—Luke 10:2.

Working with Christ for the salvation of men has been the privilege of believers since the time He chose the twelve. We learn today that there were at least seventy more whom He considered dependable and worthy to be sent forth. Knowing how brief was the time before His death, the Saviour called, commissioned, and carded for them as they went two by two, personally to evangelize "in every city and place."

I. Sent to Serve Christ (vv. 1-3).

Prayer is back of the calling of laborers for Christ. God waits for His people to lay before Him the need, and to enlist His grace in moving upon the ones who can best serve Him. There is mystery here which we cannot fully understand, but it is perfectly clear that prayer is the power which has been given to the church with which to "move" the hand of God. The reason the laborers are so few, even in our day, is evidently, then, because there has been so little prayer.

Observe that the Lord sent His servants "two by two" so that they could encourage and assist each other. Christian work is best done in Christian fellowship. The "star performer" or the "lone wolf" may be acceptable in business or social life, but he has no place in Christ's program, unless by His special call and guidance for some particular task, such as pioneer work.

He sent them to go "before His face"—what a glorious place to be! That means that He was watching over them, expecting them really to "labor" for Him. But notice also that in loving thoughtfulness they were—

II. Sustained by Christ (vv. 4-7).

It is well when workers go out that they have proper backing. We speak of the "board" which is behind our missionaries. That is right and proper, but above all there must be the assurance of the provision and protection of Christ.

They were not to be concerned about money. Christ had already moved upon the hearts of His people to see that the laborer had "his hire"—which was food and shelter (v. 7).

Time is what life is made of, and the servants of Christ were not to waste it in lengthy oriental salutations (v. 4), or going from house to house to be entertained, thus losing much time and strength.

Nor was he to strive or become angry if some one did not receive him and his greeting of "peace" (v. 6), and he could go on to another house. The point of all this is that the expectation of the Christian servant is from his Master, Christ, whose business requires diligence and haste (I. Sam. 21:8b).

The outcome of such service is revealed in our third point.

III. Successful Through Christ (vv. 17, 21-24).

The seventy returned rejoicing that even the demons were subject to them in Jesus' name. He still has power over the demons of our day. Would that the church wielded that power more effectively!

While it is a great thing thus to see the power of God at work, Jesus told them in verse 20 that an even greater thing is to have one's name written in heaven. That means that we ought to be much concerned not only about having our own names written there, but the names of all those whose lives we touch—at home, at work, anywhere.

The secret of the disciples' victory is found in the statements which Christ in all humility and honesty made about Himself (vv. 22-24). He is the one to whom "all things are delivered"—unlimited in authority and power. The mystery of His person and work is not something man can think out or fully comprehend (how foolish have been the attempts to do it!) for He is God. The fact that the Father had revealed these things to the seventy humble, ordinary men caused Christ to magnify His Father's name in praise and prayer. Spiritual insight (vv. 21, 24) is something only God can give, and often He can give it in full measure only to humble and lowly men. "Men like D. L. Moody, who become spiritual giants, were usually humble men from lowly walks who gave themselves wholly to God" (B. L. Olmstead).

Need to Slow Up

The world is going too fast! Even the Church needs to slow up for it is attempting too much in social programs and is losing spiritual poise in many places. Paul said to the Church, "Put on the whole armor of God." The whole armor takes time to put on, yet it is dangerous to leave off any part of it.—Rev. A. E. Gregory.

PATTERNS SEWING CIRCLE



1520-B

Yoke-Front Dirndl Frock.

A NEW and different yoke treatment brightens the top of the "teen-age" frock which we present today. A clever detail, this yoke carries a front opening for the bodice and in addition gives that originality which younger girls seek in their fashions! Pattern No. 1520-B is bound to be regarded highly by the younger set anywhere, because it also presents that very popular feature—the dirndl skirt—in this case a dirndl skirt with a snug fitting belt which ties in back with sash ends.

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Mose Knew Not What Lucy Talked Of, but How!

Before the court on wife-brought charges of desertion and non-support, Mose Brown meekly admitted his guilt and offered nothing in extenuation except that the lady talked too much.

"That's no excuse for desertion, Mose," said the judge. "The law gives a woman the right to talk all she wants to."

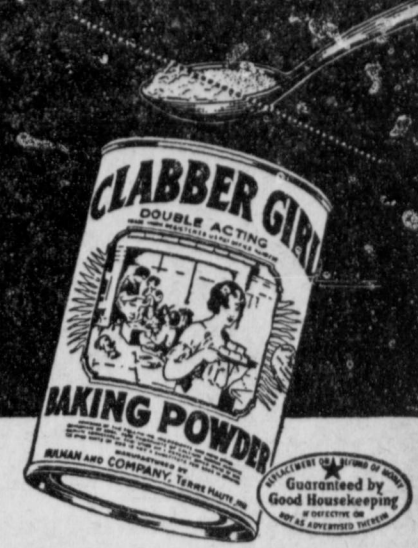
"Yassuh, Judge. I knows it do. Only Lucy she never stop talkin'. She keep it up stiddy, mo'noon, noon and night, till I can't stan' it no mo'."

"She does? What does she talk about?" inquired the court.

"Judge, suh," Moses said, "she don't say."



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By JERRY LINK



Nothing much gets by Old Judge Wiggins! "Fuller," he says to me, "just about the only thing that can keep on growing without nourishment is some folks' conceit."

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RED RANGE

by EUGENE CUNNINGHAM

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Here's Your Food Specials



SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

COFFEE, Admiration, 1 Lb. Vac. Can	30c
COFFEE, Bright & Early, Lb.	23c
SPRY, 3 Lb. Can	64c
CRUSTENE, 3 Lb. Pkg.	53c
MILK, Can, Red & White, 6 small 24, 3 Lge 24	
MACARONI,—SPAGHETTI,—VERMICE, LLI 3 Pkgs.	10c
WASHO, Lge. Box, Paring Knife free	21c
RINSO, Lge Size	21c
POWDER, Mavis Talcum, Can	17c
CORN FLAKES, R. & W., 11 oz. Pkg.	5c
GRAPE JUICE, Full Pint	16c
BACON, Sliced, No Rind, Flavor Full, Lb.	28c
POTATOES, Florida, Red New, Lb	6c
CABBAGE, Lb.	2c
AVACADOS (Calavos), Lge Size	5c
LEMONS, Sunkist, Lge. Size, Doz.	15c
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Mr. Bugs Goes To Town
THURSDAY & FRIDAY
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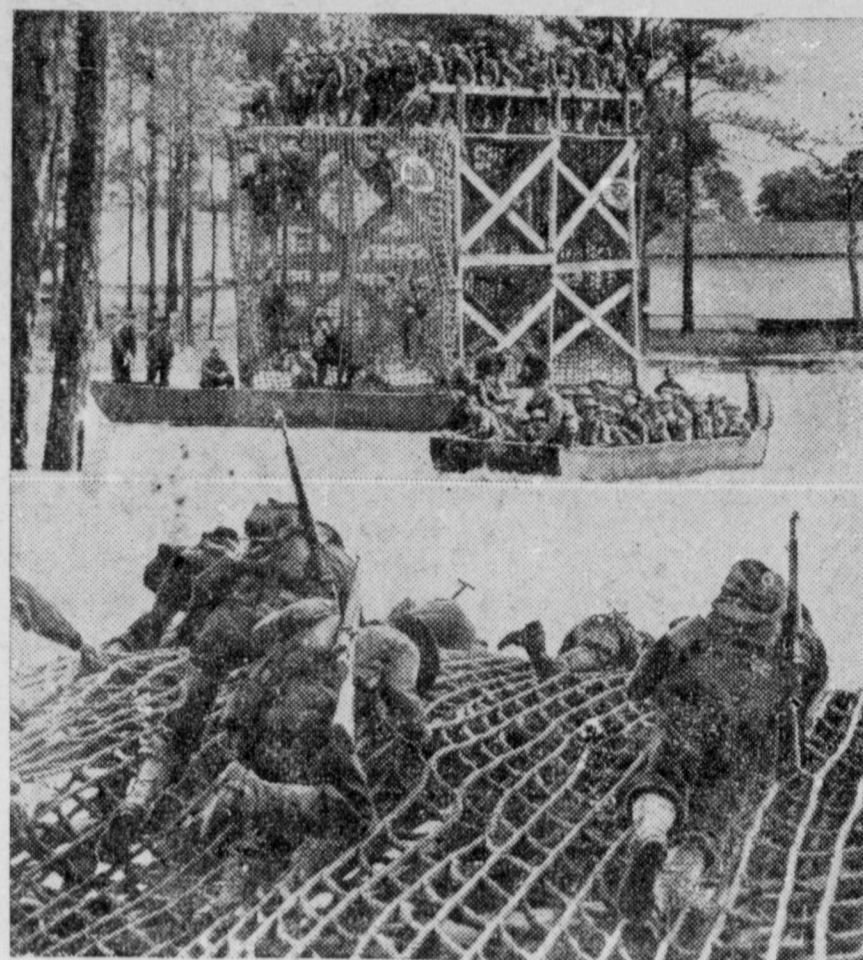
Navy Answers Many Queries

WASHINGTON — The war has brought an expansion in the less publicized activities of the navy, such as:
Giving advice to the lovelorn.
Allaying fears of wives about their husbands in the service.
Enforcing a mothers' edict that her sailor-son must drink a daily quota of milk.
Suggesting a proper gift for a naval aviator.
Here are excerpts from some of the hundreds of letters received by the navy:
"Last week my son who is in the navy sent me his picture. It has been worrying me much, as he does not look well and is so thin. How much milk does the navy allow each man? My son is used to having a lot and I hope he is able to get it now."
"I would appreciate it if you could trace my boy friend. No one seems to have heard from him since Nov. 24."
"My brother is a naval aviator and I want to get him a birthday present. I selected an overnight bag but am wondering whether a suitcase to hold uniforms would be better."
"Our son enlisted a week ago Saturday in the navy. He has been told that the first three weeks they are treated terribly (quarantine period). What do they do to the boys the first three weeks that is so bad or is that just talk?"
"Since I wrote my first letter I have heard from my husband. I am trying to decide whether I should leave here and try to join him when his ship comes to port. I am in the same quandary, I suppose that thousands of navy wives are."
"Perhaps you might help us to get in touch with our nephew. We have written to him regularly and sent him the home town papers, and they must have reached him or they would have been returned to us. He has always been a good boy and we do not wish to write to his commanding officer."

White Collars Volunteer For Harvest Work

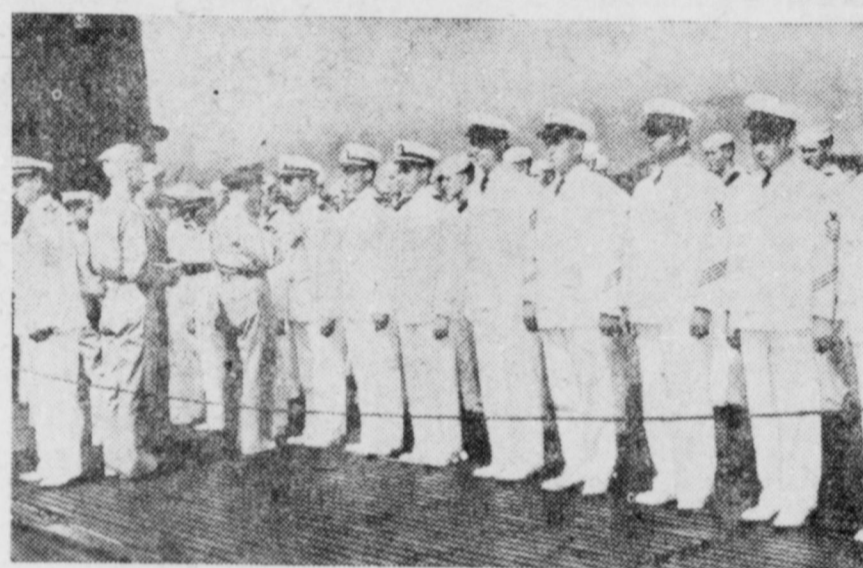
GOODHUE, Minn — Goodhue business men and townspeople have signed up as emergency farm laborers to aid in harvest season and help solve the labor shortage.
The plan was originated here during the last war and revived recently by L. E. Cook, Goodhue newspaper editor. It is designed to plug one of the biggest gaps in the entire food-for-victory program—an adequate labor supply. The Goodhue experiment, farm leaders say, may be copied throughout the nation.
The Goodhue "white collar" men made a 100 per cent response and on registration day signed an agreement that they would be "on call" to farmers whenever any emergency exists.
Druggists, grocers, butchers, dentists, store clerks and others will be available to perform such jobs as preparing fields for planting, cultivating, cutting hay, and harvesting grains.
The volunteers emphasize that the plan is not charity—they will charge the farmer the prevailing wage scale.
The plan, however, entails some financial sacrifices because stores and offices will be closed, if necessary, to assure the harvest.

Landing Operations From a 'Transport'



The "transport" is a platform built in a pond on the Fort Bragg, N. C., reservation, and serves as the deck of a ship for training men in transferring to landing boats for the short jump to the beach. At top, a general view of the scene as the men leave the "transport" for their rubber boats. Below: A crosup of the men swarming over the side.

Army Decorates Crew of Submarine Trout



Lieut. Gen. Delos C. Emmons, commanding general of the Hawaiian department, is shown decorating officers and men of the submarine Trout at ceremonies held at Pearl Harbor, in recognition of their successful performance of an unnamed mission for the war department in enemy-controlled waters. At left is Lieut. Comdr. Frank Fenno, captain of the Trout. The army presentation was directed by President Roosevelt for extraordinary heroism in carrying out the war department's mission. (Photo approved by the U. S. navy.)

Nazi Agent



Aviator Laura Ingalls leaves the federal court in Washington, D. C., where a jury of ten men and two women found her guilty on charges of being an unlisted Nazi agent. The famous flier faces two years' imprisonment or \$1,000 fine, or both.

Care Should Be Taken of Family Washing Machines

Families fortunate enough to own electric washing machines had better take good care of them, for production of war equipment has curtailed the supply of new washers.
Mrs. Bernice Claytor, Extension Service specialist in home improvement, says rural electrification has made it possible for many Texas farm and ranch families to install washing machines as one means of saving homemakers a great deal of hard work. To these families she offers some sugges-

Treasure Cache is 'Undelivered Mail'

PHILADELPHIA — The nugget found secreted in the wall of an old Philadelphia house by Mr. and Mrs. James Heugh has taken on a brassy shine.
Heugh and his young wife, a pair of curious niche-probing artists, thought they had found a pot of gold when they recently discovered part of the loot taken in a mail robbery on the Philadelphia-Baltimore railroad in 1852.
Chief Inspector K. P. Aldrich, of the division of Dead Letters, has chilled their hopes appreciably. He informed them the stamps, cancellations and envelopes in the cache are worth less than \$200.
And what's more, the articles still have the status of undelivered mail and must be considered the property of the addressees, senders or their heirs, according to Aldrich.

Mrs. Raymond Black returned this week from a visit in Houston with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Estill.

Mrs. Of W. Williams, Jr., of Brownsville is visiting Mrs. Edward Barnard this week.

tions on making the present machine last longer and serve more efficiently. Here are some of them:
Follow the manufacturer's directions for oiling the motor, wiring gears, or any part of the machine. Do not over-oil any part.
Keep the washing machine clean. Rinse and drain it well, wipe out any lint, and dry the machine inside and out. To keep the outside frame from rusting, if it is made of steel or iron, rub it occasionally with a little oil. If the machine is out in the open, cover it to provide added protection. Between washdays, leave the drain faucet open and prop the lid open an inch or two, the specialist suggests.
Now that rubber is scarce it is especially necessary to take care of rubber rolls in the wringer. "Don't stall or strain the wringer by putting too much clothing through at one time," Mrs. Claytor warns. Buttons and buckles should be folded to the inside of the clothes before they are wrung out.
After every washing the rubber rolls should be wiped clean and dry and the pressure on them released. One added warning is: Never use harsh scouring powders on any part of the machine, especially the inside.

Dummy Periscope



A submarine torpedoman is shown here with a dummy "periscope," found floating near Pearl Harbor. Designed to lure army and navy patrols into wasting bombs, the device resembles the visual gear of a full-scale submarine. It is held upright in the water by means of coral weights and tin cans. This "sub" fooled nobody but the Japs.

Mrs. Hunt Returns To Cafe Business

Its Hunt's Cafe again. After selling the business three weeks ago, Mrs. L. W. Hunt resumed management of the cafe again Thursday.

Announcements

The Pilot is authorized to announce the following named candidates for the offices under which their names appear. The candidacies are subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

For State Representative:
HARVEY SHELL

FOR SHERIFF ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES:

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- MILBURN W. HAYNES
- CARL C. BRUNDRETT
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- WALTER F. PAUGH

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Pedestrians' Collision Labeled Hit and Run

FORT WORTH, TEXAS—Police argued whether it was a case of careless collision or failure to stop and render aid.
They agreed, however, that "leaving the scene of an accident" would be a charge that would cover the circumstances.
What happened was that an unidentified woman bumped into Mrs. Beulah Briggs, 50, in a collision of pedestrians on a busy downtown sidewalk.
Mrs. Briggs was bumped so hard one of her wrists was fractured. The other woman fled.
"Hit and run, case, clearly," said investigating officer, C. E. Neal.

Classified

WANTED—Passenger to share expense on trip to Helena, Mont. or points in between. Leaving 12th. P. O. Box 561.

For Sale: Sow and Barrow, wt. about 150 Lbs. each. See Mrs. Ethel Finley Crusier. Box 372. 2tp

FOR SALE: 1 oil stove, 4 burner Nesco and a 50 lb. capacity ice box. Mrs. Jim Barber

FOR RENT—4 room unfurnished house. Three piece bath kitchen sink, garage, water furnished. Attractive year around. SEE EMORY M. SPENCER

FOR RENT cheap, 1 apt. furnished for light housekeeping; 1 two room furnished cottage with bath, modern, electric refrigeration. Murphy's Shady Grove Trailer Park

VIOLIN FOR SALE: Used violin reasonable. See Mrs. Murphy—Shady Grove Trailer Park 1Tp

FOR RENT: Two room apartment, bills paid, Hunters Court \$20 MRS. G. H. GENTRY

WOOD FOR SALE — Seasoned oak wood cut in short lengths, \$8.00 cord delivered in cord lots. J. H. Mills. tf1-8

FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom, or will arrange for light-housekeeping for one person. Two blocks north of depot. 3-19-4f

FOR SALE—Ford Car Model A in good shape. See John A Young, Jr. 2tp-4-1

WANTED—Second hand electric water pump. Write Box 392, Arkansas Pass.

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SOAP, C W. 4 Gt. Bars	19c
LARD Pure Hog, 4 Lbs.	62c
SHREDDED WHEAT, Bcets.	10c
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CREAM, Rich 1/2 Pt.	15c,	Pt.	30c		
COTTAGE CHEESE Homemade	2 Lbs.	25c			
PRUNES, Fcy, Lge.	2 Lbs.	25c			
DESSERTS, Kremel or Mityfine,	Pkge.	5c			
GELATINE, Royal or JELLO	3 for	20c			
APRICOTS, PEACHES No. 2 1/2 Can	12 1/2c				
APRICOTS, PEACHES No. 1 Can	10c				
SORGHUM SYRUP, Staleys, Gal.	60c				
SYRUP, Staley's Golden, Gal.	65c				
BONES, Fresh, Pork, Monday, Lb.	10c				
Fresh homegrown CABBAGE	free with order				
STEW MEAT, Packing House, Veal, Lb.	20c				
CORN, Country Gent., Whole Grain Can	10c				
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