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O'DONNELL, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1942.

## Aged 45-65 To Registered On Monday, April 27

Registration of all men from the age of 45 to 65 will be made here on Monday, April 27, in the American Legion building, just east of the Smith Lumber Company yard, M. Haymes, chairman of the commission, said Thursday.

Men seriously ill and unable to appear in town, will be registered by other method Monday by

of the registration follow: Page has stated that every man who had attained the 45th birthday of the day of his birth before Feb. 16, 1942, and has attained the 65th anniversary day of his birth on or before Feb. 16, 1942, is required to pre-register himself and submit to registration on April 27, 1942.

Men who are unavoidably away from home on April 27 may register at the registration place convenient on that day. Gen. Page said, but all registrants are to make every effort to register at their own local boards to avoid possible confusion in the future.

Men who must register from home also is warned to specify his home address on his registration card may be forwarded promptly to his own board.

Local registrars will be provided for men who cannot appear at a registration place because of illness or other incapacity, but men must appear in person to a registrar in their local area if their inability to appear is prima facie evidence of failure to register.

Gen. Page pointed out that those who register on April 27 are not liable for military service under the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended. They will be required later to fill out an occupational questionnaire concerning their civilian qualifications and skills, but that is for the purpose of obtaining information only.

## Local Senior Breaks Discus Throw In District Meet

Francis May, Eagle track and field star, captured top place in the discus throw and third place in shot put at the Lubbock district track and field meet this past week. May broke the existing record for the discus heave by plopping it 138 feet, nine inches.

The O'Donnell senior is entered in the regional meet at Canyon, which is to be held today.

## Rain Totaling .80 Fell Here Thursday

Clouds were still overcast when a total of .80 of an inch of rainfall was measured late Thursday afternoon by Ben Moore on the official government rain gauge here.

The precipitation will prove of many dollars benefit to farmers and give the necessary impetus to growing gardens.

## SENIORS TO PICNIC TODAY IN LUBBOCK'S PARK

O'Donnell High school seniors, totaling around 39 in all, are scheduled to hold the annual picnic today in the Lubbock park.

Should it be inadvisable to hold the picnic in the park due to adverse weather conditions, they will remain downtown and secure their eats wherever they choose.

## MRS. WELLS HOME

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## New Manager of Bowling Lanes

Tom Brewer, who isn't averse to bowling a game once a month, assumed charge of the O'Donnell Bowling Lanes Monday morning.

C. N. Hoffman, owner, has other fish to fry for awhile — after he catches 'em.

Brewer will be assisted by his daughter, Ann, and both are laying plans for interesting matches which should cause both men and women to bowl. The ladies of O'Donnell are invited to come in and bowl on Tuesday afternoons at specially reduced rates.

## RECENT BRIDE HONORED

Complimenting Mrs. Conner Williams, the former Miss Juandine Childers, a shower was given in the O'Donnell Hotel last Thursday.

Misses Lona Proctor, Marjorie Tapp and Jessie Jean Long were the hostesses.

A short program was given and punch and cookies served to the guests.

About forty-five guests called and an out-of-town guest, Miss Stokes of Lamesa, an aunt of the honoree, was present.

## "84" CLUB MEETS

Mr. and Mrs. George Oates were hosts Tuesday evening to members of the "84" club.

Concluding the usual games, a refreshment course was served.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Boothe.

Members were Messrs. and Mesdames Harvey Line, Calvin Fritz, Jack Miles, Frank Liddell, S. M. Minton and the host and hostess.

## WINS AWARD FOR NEATNESS

William Lee Harris, aviation cadet stationed at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, won an award over 300 other soldiers recently during inspection for "neatness and better dress," so the Press has been notified.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton M. Smith were business visitors in Tahoka Tuesday.

## Foods Program Slated Saturday

TAHOKA, April 23 (Special)— "Food for Freedom" will be the theme of a program held here tomorrow, Saturday, at the American Legion hall, under the sponsorship of Lynn county home demonstration clubs. Miss Maurine McNatt, county home agent announces. All women, whether club women or not, are invited to attend.

## Cellar Caves In, Kills A. T. Autry

TAHOKA, April 23 (Special)— A. T. Autry, 54, of Redwine, and a resident of Lynn County since 1925, died in a Lubbock hospital late Wednesday afternoon, from injuries sustained in a cellar cave-in at his home Tuesday morning.

Mr. Autry, who was completing a new cellar, was placing some inside braces when the timber frame work was borne down upon him.

Besides severe head injuries, and body bruises, several ribs had been fractured and one had punctured and collapsed the left lung and was causing pressure upon the heart. An operation was performed Wednesday morning, but to no avail.

The body was brought to Harris Funeral Home and prepared for burial, though arrangements for the funeral had not been completed up to Thursday noon. Burial is to be made in Tahoka cemetery.

Archie Thomas Autry was born July 6, 1887, at Chickamauga, Ga. Besides his companion of thirty-two years, Mr. Autry leaves the following children: G. L. Autry of Redwine, W. M. Autry of Camp Haan, Calif. (Mrs. Pansy V.) Boyd Pebbworth of Brownfield, Mrs. (Lida B.) Sammie Stuart, of Berry Flat, A. C., Elmer Lee, Allen V., Annie M., Tessie F., and Alma D. Autry, all of the family home. Five grandchildren also survive.

## EARL TUNE HERE ON VISIT

Earl Tune, who has been stationed with the armed forces in Oklahoma City, is here on a visit with his parents. He is attached to a special hospital field staff.

## SEWING CLUB TODAY

Owing to the Study Course for teachers at the Baptist Church Thursday, Mrs. Harvey Line will entertain the Sew and Chatter Club at her home today (Friday).

## MRS. R. C. CARROLL ILL

Mrs. R. C. Carroll has been ill at her home this week.

The book review scheduled for Thursday by Mrs. Carroll was postponed.

## Mrs. Alto Barnes and Mrs. Rep Marshall visited in the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. J. D. Minchey, Thursday, April 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henderson and Billy Bob were in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Golightly were in Post Tuesday visiting relatives.

Mrs. H. P. Terry of Lamesa visited Friday in the home of his mother Miss Hester Gates of Amarillo and Mrs. C. W. Foote of Dalhart visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gates, last week end. Little Brenda Ann Foote accompanied her mother home.

Miss June Gibson has returned to Santa Anna following a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burks of Seagraves were here over the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Golightly. Miss Laura Lavenia (Skeet) Golightly, another daughter, returned with the Burks for a visit.

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O'DONNELL BOWLING LANES

Tom Brewer, Manager  
Ann Brewer, Asst. Mgr.

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## MARRIAGE OF YOUNG COUPLE ANNOUNCED HERE

The surprise wedding of Miss Lois Hamrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hamrick, teacher in the Berry Flat school, and R. E. Golightly Jr. was announced here this week to relatives and friends. The wedding occurred Monday, April 13, in Seminole with a Baptist minister of that city officiating.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Golightly are students in the local High school and are popular.

According to the bride, the wedding was to have been kept secret longer, but the news leaked out.

Miss Esther Rayburn and Cliff Buchanan, friends of the couple, accompanied them to Seagraves for the ceremony.

## Dallas Boosters Greeted By Crowd

The cavalcade of Dallas boosters, riding in a special six-coach train, visited O'Donnell Wednesday morning for 40 minutes and brought entertainment often heard over top-flight radio stations in Texas.

Among the entertainers heard were Peg Moreland, the Cass County Kids and Early Bird Orchestra.

The trippers were welcomed to O'Donnell by Mayor Stansell L. Jones in a short, but timely, talk. Previously, C. H. Doak and B. M. Haymes, as official greeters, had met the boosters at the station.

Through the courtesy of D. T. Reed and his son, a large two-ton truck was placed at the command of the Dallas visitors and the use of a hot battery was made by John Earles, garageman.

Supt. S. F. Johnson allowed a short "vacation" for all school students in order that they might see the show.

## METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

The pastor of the local Methodist Church, Rev. H. H. Hollowell, returned Sunday night from Crosbyton where he conducted a successful revival campaign. In his absence the Rev. Cecil Tune, of Lubbock, preached at the local church last Sunday.

The services are announced for next Sunday as follows:

Sunday School—11:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship—12:00 noon.  
Youth Fellowship—7:45 p. m.  
Evening Worship—8:45 p. m.

Beginning on the first Sunday in May, the hour of the services is to be changed. The pastor asked all the people to watch the paper for this announcement.

## ON VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hinkle and daughter, Miss Emma Jo, are in Christoval, Texas, for a short vacation. Miss Hinkle is a student in a Lubbock business college.

## MRS. WILLIAM G. FORGY ILL

Mrs. William G. Forgy is ill from a severe cold at her home, and some of the "news briefs" which she writes and generally appearing in the Press are missing this week.

The Rev. C. H. Minchey and family, of Leonard, Texas, who have been visiting at the home of his brother, J. D. Minchey, and aunt, Mrs. Betty Terry, left during the past week for Lorenzo where Rev. Minchey will help in a revival meeting.

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## Clean Up Drive Planned For Week Of May 4-9 Here

A city-wide "Clean-Up" campaign, which will combine the annual drive here and the features promulgated by Governor Coke Stevenson recently, is slated for O'Donnell beginning Monday, May 4, and continuing throughout the week, according to Mayor Stansell L. Jones.

The city administration will call upon all organizations of the town and business men and citizens to make the 1942 clean-up campaign successful from every standpoint.

"We want to do the job right and see to it that all co-operate this year from both a health and defense standpoint," Jones said Thursday, "and we will if we set our minds to do so. The fire department, as asked by Gov. Stevenson, will co-operate if only to lessen fire hazards, and all waste and scrap materials should be collected off each premises." Jones' proclamation asking for the co-operation of all citizens will be issued one day next week.

## DOYLE GOLIGHTLY NOW IN PACIFIC ON DUTY

Doyle Golightly, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Golightly is now in the Pacific on board ship, so he has notified his parents. No further word was sent regarding his duties.

Golightly entered the Navy in January for aviation duty, but following a radio examination, and in which he scored one of the highest grades, he was assigned extra radio duty and it is believed he may have continued in radio work which would place him aboard ship.

Mrs. J. N. Line, who was ill for several weeks, was able to be about town this week.

# REX

Note: Evening Shows at 8 P. M.  
Saturday Matinee, 2:30  
Sunday Shows 3:00

**Fri. nite - Sat. Mat.**  
April 24 - 25  
"Lady For A Night"  
Joan Blondell - John Wayne  
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APRIL 25  
Fun and thrills of all kinds in the greatest show off earth!  
**Parachute Battalion**  
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Robert Preston - Nancy Kelly  
Plus  
"3 STOOGES COMEDY"

**Sunday - Monday**  
APRIL 26 - 27  
Frank Morgan at his funniest in this great American Comedy...  
"The Vanishing Virginian"  
with  
Frank Morgan-Kathryn Grayson  
Also **MARCH OF TIME** and **FOX NEWS EVENTS**

**Tuesday**  
APRIL 28  
Prepare yourself now! A night of terror is coming your way.  
"The Wolfman"  
It's the sensational thrill show of the year! We dare you to see it!  
Also **Selected Short Subjects**

**Wed. - Thurs.**  
APRIL 29 - 30  
"Joe Smith, American"  
with  
Robert Young - Marsha Hunt  
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Also **LATEST FOX NEWS** and **Selected Short Subjects**

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LOGNA, pound . . . 13c		
TEA McCormick With Glass Each 24c		

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

Laval Given French Police Powers As Germany Fears Invasion Threat; U. S. Bombers, Subs Smash at Japs; Increased Undersea Program Likely

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.)

VICHY:

Pressure from Berlin

Regardless of underlying causes, or of how much justification there might have been, the overturn of government in Vichy which had brought Laval back to power as "civil supervisor" had been definitely accepted by Britain and the United States as a decision to "go with the Axis."

It had come at a moment when there were some indications that Vichy was wavering in its collaboration with Germany, and that Petain and his associates were looking with longing and friendly eyes toward the United States as a possible source of food supplies.

Some favorable steps had been made in this direction, then, all of a sudden, Laval seized the police power, and before the world knew it, Laval was back in the cabinet and many believed it marked the end of the Petain regime.

London was very positive about the whole thing, saying frankly that the re-entry of Laval into the government, the man who looks, acts and talks like Hitler, "reduces France to the level of a nickel Balkan state." The spokesman continued: "It clearly indicates the complete subservience of the Vichy policy to Berlin."

Two vital reasons were seen for the Laval development and both of them were envisioned as Germany "cracking down" on the Petain regime. The first was the German fear that an American-British invasion of the continent through France is imminent.

The second was that Germany feared the growing friendliness of Vichy and Washington through the ministrations of Leahy.

Hardly anybody thought the French fleet would immediately go into the war on Germany's side, neither could most observers see French soldiers fighting against the Russians, nor French fliers manning planes to bomb Britain.

But they could see a strong effort to be made at once by Germany

U. S. SUBS:

Wolfpack Tactics

The success of American submarines in the present Pacific war with credit for a substantial percentage of the amount of Japanese warships sent to the bottom, had caused Chairman Vinson of the house naval affairs committee to present a program calling for \$800,000,000 more in undersea craft.

A program adopted in 1940 called for 65 such ships. This would call for 100 more, or more than double the amount previously authorized.

The navy, last October, had 188 submarines in service, of which only a few were of the 1,500-ton "cruiser type," which are now under construction and planned by the Vinson program.

The naval plan would be for the United States to adopt the same



CARL VINSON An \$800,000,000 program.

"wolfpack" tactics used by the Japs and Germans against American shipping. Though it was pointed out that we are building ships faster than they are being sunk, Vinson felt that an increased sub program would kick the Japs out of the war faster, as their shipbuilding facilities were limited.

MacARTHUR: In Command

Although it had seemed clear enough through dispatches from Australia that the return of MacArthur from the Philippines had been to place him in command of all armies of the United Nations in the Far East, some doubt had followed this in the eyes of the public largely because of stories about General Blamey, and the small amount of material coming direct from MacArthur.

Finally the direct question was put to the American generalissimo, and his headquarters gave credence to the rumors when it frankly said it didn't know—that the general's status was not clear.

This called for a statement by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Curtin, the former stating that it was his understanding that MacArthur was in supreme command.

The following day this had been concurred in fully by Prime Minister Curtin, who went into enough detail so that little doubt could remain as to MacArthur's command powers.

The only point remaining not clear was whether MacArthur's powers extended to New Zealand. A Netherlands spokesman had confirmed his command over such Dutch forces as had escaped from the East Indies, and the fact that General Stillwell was in command of Chinese in Burma seemed sufficient confirmation from that quarter.

PRICES:

And Labor

The chances were that President Roosevelt might "beat the punch" congressional efforts to legislate on the labor situation by pegging all prices, including rents and wages and interest on capital, thus following the Canadian and Australian systems already in effect.

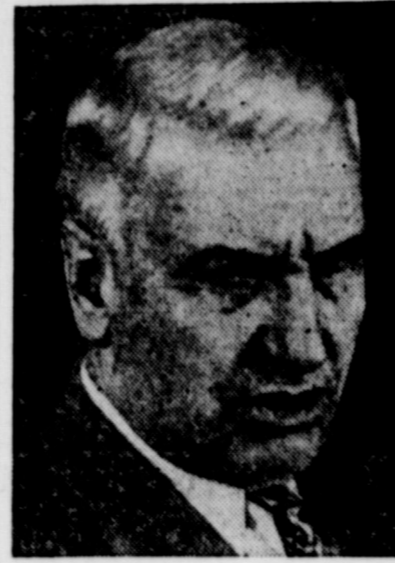
Australia, guarding against the "black market" troubles England had had, because of a dire shortage of commodities, took the same step Canada had, and brought all prices and services under control of the government.

The price commissioner was given authority to peg all prices and services at levels he might select.

The announcement already had gone out from Washington that such a move was "under consideration by the government," and most observers felt that under precedent as well as law, the Executive Branch had the wartime power to do this.

Technically, this, if carried out by the President, would tend to spike the guns of congressmen proposing laws setting the work week and the return to capital on war contracts, because it would affect all workers, pegging their wages at certain levels, and also, presumably, setting their hours of work.

JAP INTERNEES: Paid Too Much?



SENATOR GILLETTE Offers a four-point program.

Latest "scandal" to land on the front pages had been a report, given to the public by Senator Gillette of Iowa, that Japanese internees some of them were being paid \$50 a month by the government as against \$21 for selectees.

The senator said he was impressed by the sources of his information, and that he might ask for the congress to investigate.

The senator added that in any case, he was offering a four-point program, as follows:

1. Put all Japs, native and aliens, under United Nations authority and remove them from the Pacific coast.
2. Rescind all their civil rights for the duration.
3. Draft all the males between 20 and 44 for farm work under army control and for basic army pay.
4. Support this entire program with funds obtained from frozen Japanese money now in this country.

The senator said that he had information there was the sum of \$130,000,000 now available, and that several hundred millions more could be liquidated by selling frozen Japanese assets in this country.

RUSSIANS:

Place names coming out in Russian dispatches spoke volumes, more than any claims of killed or wounded, because they definitely had showed that the German "spring offensive," although well under way with hundreds of thousands of men, was getting nowhere.

For instance, the Reds had claimed to have pierced German lines in the vicinity of Bryansk; constant references were made to actions north and south of Lake Ilmen; Kalinin was a common name in the dispatches and the reports from towns like Mariupol in the south, and Vitebsk of Nazi atrocities could only have been obtained as the result of Russian advances.

There were German admissions showing Russian advances, a breakthrough admitted near Lake Ilmen, and Berlin broadcasts had said that the Reds were pounding the central front with an army of 90,000, including hundreds of tanks.

COUGHLIN:

Social Justice, the weekly newspaper which was founded at Royal Oak, Mich., by the Rev. Charles E. Coughlin, radio priest, had been barred from the mails.

Father Coughlin issued a statement denying present ownership of the paper, or any connection with its editorial content since last fall. Washington advices, however, had indicated that the principal ownership rested with the "radio priest's" father and mother.

The accusation against the publication had been two things—that it was conducted along the line of the Axis propaganda war against this country, and, second that it had been "making a substantial contribution to a systematic and unscrupulous attack" upon the nation's war effort.

AIR EPIC:

A heroic epic of the air was the story of the rescue at sea of 17 survivors of a torpedoed vessel, including one woman, by a navy patrol plane piloted by Ensign Francis E. Pinter of Bethlehem, Pa.

Pinter's plane, a twin-motored bomber flying from San Juan to Guantanamo on submarine patrol got a radio message to investigate a raft at a certain point, and to report chances of effecting a rescue.

He had taken off with 500 gallons of gas and had burned 300 gallons, or lightened his ship by 1,800 pounds, and though the sea was rough he decided to chance it "as rescue seemed necessary at once."

Down he came, got the people into his plane, all of them so exhausted that they needed help for the transfer. One was tied to the deck, the woman got a bunk, the rest sat or lay where they could, three of them in the bomb compartment.

MISCELLANY:

Detroit: Henry Ford announced that his research engineers have discovered a method of making a satisfactory auto tire with one-sixteenth the rubber used in present tires. It will wear well, he said.

London: A large number of Americans were in London taking a special course on how to defend merchant ships against attacks by U-boats.

Washington Digest

Total War Effort Demands End of Political Bickering



American Industry Now Rolling at Speed Which Means Victory for Allies; Defeat Can Only Come at Home.

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, 1343 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

As the time grows shorter and the critical moment approaches when the Axis poises itself for a knock-out blow, there is one battle which the enemy is steadily losing. The battle of France, the battle of Crete, the battle of the Netherlands Indies are all deep scars on the Allied escutcheon. But at last, despite endless delays, the selfishness and the bickering, we have begun to win the battle of America.

In the laboratory, on the drawing board and now finally in the machine shop and on the drill field America is forging the weapons and the organization which will win.

That statement is based on the confidential reports of the performance of American rifles, cannon, planes, tanks and ships tested in actual warfare.

We are still behind the enemy in some weapons. Some special artillery units of the Germans are superior. We have not reached the perfection in training of paratroops. We have not mastered the Japanese art of infiltration. We have not been able to work out the synchronization of air forces with other forces as the Germans have done on land and the Japanese have done on the sea. But wherever our separate units have been in action there is high praise for both performance of personnel and material. Where we have perfected that unity we have been highly successful.

American big bombers lead the world. With the comparatively few now in action they have put out of commission 60 Japanese ships and destroyed as many enemy airplanes.

The United States was far behind in aircraft carriers when the war began. But we can build them faster than Japan can. We are building them now. We are turning out "eyes of the navy." Our navy after Pearl Harbor was constantly shadowed by Japanese reconnaissance planes which have been in the air steadily.

General MacArthur reports that the new Garand rifle and the new carbines which have been substituted for the .45 revolvers give our mobile troops superior fire power. Our light machine guns are at least equal to anything the Axis has produced.

Our field artillery has been re-made. Our light tanks have proved themselves against Europe's best in the same class; our medium tanks are being improved in the light of experience and army men believe our armored units soon will dominate in that field.

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the Public Utilities commission, which read: "Don't kill Americans by loose talk."

You know Washington—or did have until the tire restriction started—one of the most remarkable taxi systems in the world. You can ride miles for 30 cents. There are no meters. The cabs are all sedans, no partition between driver and passengers and the drivers are very sociable.

That is one reason for the signs. Not that the drivers are spys but they frequently repeat what they hear.

The day the signs appeared I asked a driver if he had noticed any difference in the conduct of his passengers.

"Oh," he said, "it makes some of the brass hats whisper some, that's all."

I talked to a colored driver who had quite a contribution on the subject. He may have been biased for he talked like a man who was a trained personal servant. He said this:

"Careless talk is what gave the Japs the jump on us in this war. You see when an American got real rich the first thing he did was to hire a Jap butler. A lot of those butlers turned out to be captains and generals and admirals. They heard a lot of careless talk and they learned a lot of important secrets."

The opinion may have been inspired by professional jealousy, but I imagine the driver was not far wrong.

Buy Defense Bonds—

War Program

As Propaganda

The President's gargantuan war program proved to be just what he probably intended it—not merely a prescription for eventual victory in arms for the united nations, but a powerful propaganda weapon.

We Americans don't quite realize in what high esteem our ability to make things is held abroad. I was told by officials recently returned from Europe that the thing about America's war effort (before Pearl Harbor) which most impressed Europeans was the statement by Henry Ford that he could produce a thousand planes a day.

Why? Because the name Ford means more around the world in terms of concrete experience than the name of perhaps any other living man. Almost everybody has seen a Ford.

The second thing that most impressed Europeans (which occurred since Pearl Harbor) was the news that American pleasure car factories were to be turned over 100 per cent to defense.

Why? Because few towns in Europe are unfamiliar with the name of some branch factory of an American automobile manufacturer.

Polter-Geist

Did you ever hear of a poltergeist?

It is a strange kind of ghost that breaks dishes, rattles pans, upsets tables and chairs. There are plenty of records of their behavior.

Well, one visited me the other day. While I was shaving I heard a crash. I thought the dog had got loose, jumped up on the dresser and knocked off the alarm clock. But I looked at the kitchen door. It was closed. The dog couldn't open it. I went into my bedroom. Sure enough the clock was sitting at a weird angle on the dresser. I picked it up. The key that sets the alarm was bent almost flat. When I tried to straighten it, it broke off.

Now who could have done that but a poltergeist?

Twine—and Japs

Farmers who get binder twine must sign a statement that they will use the twine for handling farm products only. Sisal products were cut off by the war in the Far East.

And the Japs have got hold of some of the best—Manila hemp. Rope made from Manila hemp is especially valuable to sailormen because it is like a certain well-advertised soap. It floats.

There is, however, one satisfaction about having the Japs get hold of that rope: perhaps if we give them enough they'll hang themselves.

Golden Silence

In all Washington taxicabs there are signs, placed there by order of

Walter Winchell

Notes of an Innocent Bystander:

The Story Tellers: Because war-time economic difficulties, mags have ceased publishing. Of the regrettable casualties is The Living Age. The Nation's The Wind Dep't is its zippiest feature. World Digest reports there are five thousand press agents in America. And twice as many wastebaskets, thank goodness. Back in June 1931, Gen'l MacArthur wrote a piece for a vets' magazine getting a draft of 4 million men for army training. Naturally, Hoover listened. Hoover was President. Wm. B. Ziff's new book, due in June is called "The Coming Battle of Germany." We hear it is dynamite designed to tumble an avalanche of brass-hat thinking. Duell, Sizer and Pearce will publish. Ziff is the one responsible for the reinstatement of the late Billy Mitchell. "The Murder That Rocked Broadway" (the Arnold Rothstein affair) in the current True Detective is our favorite murder story.

The Editorial of the Week:

(From the Memphis Commercial-Appeal) "Sedition laws need immediate re-examination for the purpose of getting them teeth. There is desperately needed a policy of government which will lump all traitors, reactionists, and subverters, whatever their citizenship status, into one category. In a total war when internal attack is a chief technique, we cannot expect survival from incongruous and piddling policies. The Government now follows in doing with those who seek its destruction or overthrow. George Christy (of Chattanooga) a crackpot and a fool? Once they said that of the Nazi paperhanger, who has engineered the greatest revolution and bloodiest conflict in all history. Let's swap the kid gloves for a pair of brass knuckles!"

The Front Pages:

Editor & Publisher's thumbnail editorial: "It's anything we can't print, you shouldn't be talking about it!" Newsweek is used to see convicted Nazi agent Viereck in Washington say that he acted as though he was above and beyond arrest, that he rated himself invulnerable.

A notorious Sixth Columnist

argues that writers who pen malicious things about women in public life deserve to be shot. . . . What a fraud! That from the Americounterfeit, who has made a career out of malice. He has written dozens of dishonest pieces about persons in public life, including Mrs. Roosevelt, whose politics his boss opposes. Like a shady lady, he can be hired for an hour or a weekend. Every one of his attacks on Axis enemies in the U. S. is repeated over the short-wave circuits from Berlin, Rome and Tokyo. . . . If he had any intellectual honesty—he'd shoot himself.

Scrambled Eggs:

No matter how little you have you're rich if you envy nobody. The Indians who sold Manhattan for \$21 weren't such goons. It didn't belong to them! The island had to be bought back again from the owners. . . . If I owned the paper I'd tell my editorialists, copywriters and staff: "Before you write anything always ask yourself the question—'Will it be anything Hirohito, Hitler and Benito would enjoy reading?' . . . Or hearing?" . . . A scholar tells me that the style Time uses in part isn't so modernistic. That some of Time's literary acrobatics are patterned after Homer's "Iliad."

The friends who are most deserving

of your favors are those who were your friends before you were in a position to do them any. Nobody's ever perfectly content. The poor man is often bored, the rich man blase.

Next time anyone complains about cuffed trousers remind him that they don't wear 'em in the Army and Navy, either. . . . The only actual talent possessed by many celebrities is the knack of getting their names in the papers. . . . If the late William Rhodes Davis, the oil promoter (he tried to interest the State Dep't in a peace with Hitler) were alive—would he be in the headlines? . . . Whatever became of Verne Marshall, the Cedar Rapids editor, who said Davis was his backer in "The No Foreign War Committee" gag? One report had him in a sanitarium—mentally upset, etc.

Joan Edwards says that what the country needs most right now to win the war is a blockade around Japan and fewer blockheads around Washington. . . . Comes the real blackboard what happens to guys carrying torches? . . . Nifty crack by the drafter: "Well, s' long. . . . What sages for MacArthur?" . . . What we need, too, are more editors like Jack Carley of the Memphis Commercial-Appeal. The way he laid out that Chattanooga Coo-Coo, who patterned himself after Hitler. . . . Boy, how they are being dealt with.

BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

One of the men most feared by congress is Jesse Jones. He is a powerful political figure and he holds many purse-strings.

Now that the Day Care Nurseries are being started for war-working mothers, we'll probably pay the baby's cost several times over the way we do on our hats with the cost of checking them.

A listener writes me she heard the tingle of her 3 1/2 year old grandson's toy telephone and then his very businesslike voice say: "Hello. Baukhage talking? Well, about this war—I don't advise it."

The British National Federation of Women's Institutes thanks America for gifts of "seeds, fertilizers, and hand-sealing machines."

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# WELL FARMERS WIN \$3,000

Farmers of Lynn County have won a \$3,000 prize in a contest just announced. The contest was held by the National Farm Service Administration and the National Farm Home Administration. The prize was awarded to the farmer who built or remodeled his barn, poultry house, machine shed, or other service buildings, or who has an opportunity to do so. The contest was held in Lynn County, Texas, and the prize was awarded to the farmer who built or remodeled his barn, poultry house, machine shed, or other service buildings, or who has an opportunity to do so.

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## From where I sit...

by Joe Marsh

nothing can be wrong about a couple of glasses of beer.

There's another reason, too. The beer industry is cooperating with the army and with the law-enforcement officers to help keep the places where beer is sold, clean and decent. The brewers don't want their beer sold to soldiers in places where bad conditions exist... and they're right.

Seems to me that we Americans ought to get together and do everything we can to make things pleasant for the boys who are in training. They're doing their duty... maybe we have some duties, too, in this direction.

There are lots of ways of helping. We ought to support them all. All of us have our part to play in winning this war... and making life a little easier for the boys in camp is something we all can do something about.

Joe Marsh

only demand, however, since shelled eggs are being used in increasing amounts by our armed forces and by our civilian population.

**Thirteen Per Cent Increase Needed**  
Texas poultrymen are being asked to increase production in 1942 by 13 per cent. A thirteen per cent increase in eggs will require a better management program than that here-to-fore followed.

**Suggestions To Meet 1942 Goals:**  
1. Start with chicks of proven quality.  
2. Feed complete ration of high quality ingredients.  
3. Provide succulent green feed.  
4. Fill poultry houses to capacity.  
5. Use sanitary methods and protect birds from internal and external parasites.  
6. Increase profits by marketing quality eggs.  
7. Encourage poultry raising among rural youth.

**Quality First**  
Poultrymen should be thinking of purchasing chicks for flock replacement, and it is extremely important that they think in terms of good quality chicks. One should buy quality and not be influenced by attractive prices on cheap chicks. Heavy laying ability is an inherited characteristic.

## Political Announcements

The following announce their candidacy for public office, subject to action of the Democratic primary:

**For County Judge:**  
For Chief Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, 7th District:  
J. ROSS BELL of Childress Co.

**For Judge, 106th Judicial District:**  
LOUIS B. REED (re-election)  
CHESTER CONNOLLY (re-election)

**For Tax Assessor & Collector:**  
R. P. WEATHERS (re-election)

**For District Attorney:**  
ROLLIN McCORD

**For County Attorney:**  
CALLOWAY HUFFAKER (re-election)

**For County Clerk:**  
W. M. MATHIS (re-election)

**For County Treasurer:**  
MRS. LOIS DANIEL (re-election)

**For County Superintendent:**  
LENORE M. TUNNELL (re-election)

**For Sheriff:**  
B. L. PARKER (re-election)  
SAM FLOYD

**Commissioner, Prec. 3:**  
JOHN A. ANDERSON  
E. O. SLAUGHTER

**Dawson County**  
**For Commissioner, Prec. 2:**  
G. C. (Cleve) ATEN (re-election)

WHEN YOU HAVE EYE TROUBLE!  
Dr. J. M. Harrington  
Lamesa, Texas

ity and not be influenced by attractive prices on cheap chicks. Heavy laying ability is an inherited characteristic.

**Good Feed Vital**  
Regardless of how good a flock might be as to breeding or how comfortably they are housed, it takes good feed, properly fed to get top essential and should be available at

all times since it is the protein feed which stimulates production. Most poultrymen are feeding a ready-prepared mash or using a protein concentrate with their home-grown grains. This supplement or concentrate is a properly balanced protein mixture of both animal and vegetable protein, together with essential minerals, vitamins, etc. It can be

used in combination with grain produced on the farm to provide a well-rounded mash, by using two parts home-grown ground grain to one part concentrate. Of course, when concentrate is bought from a manufacturer his recommendations as to proportions of ground grain should be followed.

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KOOL-ADE . . . . . 2 pkg. for 13c

Strawberries-Blackberries  
BOX . . . Each . . . 10c

PICKLES, Kuner's Old Fashioned, 14 ounce . . . 15c  
SWAN SOAP, regular size . . . . . 2 for 15c  
BARTLETT PEARS . . . . . no. 2 can 15c

Shredded Ralston 12c  
RINSO, large box 24c

HEINZ BABY FOOD . . . . . 3 for 23c  
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ROLL ROAST . . . . . 1 pound 23c  
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But He's Getting Milder

### POP-Like Most Big Bosses

By J. MILLAR WATT



### THE SPORTING THING

By LANG ARMSTRONG

"He says the whisk-broom is too old-fashioned."

### HIDDEN TREASURE

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

ASKS HUSBAND WHAT HE IS LOOKING FOR? OH, THE SILVER CHARRETTE LIGHTER HE GOT LAST CHRISTMAS?

EXPLAINS HE NEVER SEEMED TO USE IT, SO SHE PUT IT AWAY IN THE DESK DRAWER WHERE IT WOULD BE SAFE

RANSACKS DESK, MURMURING THAT'S FUNNY

CALLS SHE REMEMBERS NOW, SHE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE SAFER IN THE GENT'S HALL BUREAU

GOES THROUGH BUREAU AND MUTTERS IT'S VERY QUIET. SHE WAS SURE SHE PUT IT IN THERE

SEARCHES BUREAU'S TABLES AND CUPBOARDS AT RANDOM, MURMURING SHE CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT

A LONG WHILE LATER CALLS HERE IT IS, IN THE DINING ROOM SIDE TABLE. FINDS HUSBAND HAS BY NOW GONE OUT

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Raleigh Cigarettes are again offering liberal prizes in a big jingle contest to be run in this paper. One hundred and thirty-three prizes will be awarded each week.—Adv.

### Acid Indigestion

What many Doctors do for it

When excess stomach acid causes sourness or heartburn, doctors prescribe the fastest-acting medicine known for systematic relief—medicines like those in **Bell's Tablets**. No laxative! If your very first trial doesn't give you better results, write to us and get double your money back.

### When Your Back Hurts

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It may be caused by disorder of kidney function that permits poisonous waste to accumulate. For truly many people feel tired, weak and miserable when the kidneys fail to remove excess acids and other waste matter from the blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, disordered bowels, frequent and scanty urination with smarting and burning in action, other signs that something is wrong with the kidneys or bladder.

There should be no doubt that prompt treatment is wiser than neglect. Use **Doan's Pills**. It is better to rely on a medicine that has won countrywide approval than on something less favorably known. Doan's have been tried and tested many years. Are at all drug stores. Get Doan's today.

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# SHE LOVED A SPY

by SYLVIA TAYLOR



**THE STORY SO FAR:** Joan Leland, secretary, in love with handsome Karl Miller, night club owner, is horrified and disillusioned, when he shoots his business partner, Eric Strom, and threatens to implicate her unless she continues to work and remains silent. He confesses he has a wife in Germany and presses her to join a Nazi spy ring. Paul Sherman, his manager, reveals to Joan that he really is Paul O'Malley, an FBI agent, trying to trap the spy-ring higher-ups and Joan agrees to help him. Joan's sister, Sybil, is missing and Paul believes Karl is holding her as a hostage. Steve Hines, a new singer for Karl, is really Paul's young run-away sister, Patricia, and she innocently betrays Paul's identity to Karl, who captures Paul and Joan as they discover incriminating evidence. He spirits them away on a boat and they find they are in love. A submarine appears to pick up bomber plans stolen by Karl. Thomas, a victim of Karl's, slips a gun to Joan, who shoots Karl as he is about to shoot Paul. Then Paul sends Thomas to recover the evidence from the ship's safe. They escape in a lifeboat.

Now continue with the story.

## CHAPTER XVI

Paul looked from Joan to Thomas. "Now listen, both of you. This may be something of a shock but Karl was not dead. He had a nasty wound but he's probably still very much alive."

Thomas looked terror-stricken. "Then he'll find us."

"We were allowed to escape from that ship for a purpose. We will doubtless be picked up by other members of the ring as soon as we land. We're off the coast of Mexico now. About Mazatlan, if my calculations are correct."

And less than an hour later they were picked up by a fishing boat and landed at a Mazatlan hotel.

The hotel proved to be old and magnificent, with beautiful tiled floors and high-beamed ceilings and ramps instead of stairways. It appeared practically deserted except for the yawning clerk who assigned them to rooms.

Joan was surprised that Paul spoke Spanish. "Is there anything you can't do?" she asked.

"I specialized in languages in college and it comes in handy with my job. I never know where I'll be next."

Joan felt better after a hot bath. Joan enjoyed her first taste of papaya and the oversized cups of coffee served with hot milk and huge lumps of unrefined sugar. "No wonder everyone seems so lazy. Nothing to do but eat and sleep and breathe this heavenly air."

Thomas looked up in disgust. "Sometimes I think you two are nuts. You sit there and wait for Karl's gang to come after you as if the whole thing is a joke. I don't get it. Why don't we get out of here right now while we still have a chance?"

"If you tried it, you'd find out how much chance you have."

"Where are they then?" Thomas demanded.

"Don't be impatient. They'll be with us soon enough."

But when Thomas had gone back to his room and Joan and Paul walked in the tropical garden patio of the hotel, she said seriously, "Thomas is right, Paul. Why don't we leave before it's too late?"

"This is the end of the trail, honey. Even if they let us get away, which they won't, what would we have gained? Their next move will lead to the heart of this affair. It's what I've been waiting for all these months."

They strolled through the garden where every variety of tropical fruit and flower was exhibited by nature's lavish hand.

"It's so beautiful and so peaceful," Joan whispered.

Paul held her hand tightly. "Patient, dear. Just a little while longer and everything will be cleared up, and when we're married I promise you I'll take a vacation and there won't be a single mystery to solve."

"Darling, I don't care where we go just so we aren't being followed," she added laughing, "following someone else."

"Not a single person," Paul promised. "I'll guarantee to be under foot every hour. You'll probably be tired of seeing me around so much."

During the next three days Joan's fortitude began to waver. She understood Paul's devotion to duty, but to her heart she longed to escape, to go home, to be married, to give up the chase which seemed to grow more dangerous and futile all the time.

"I don't know why I'm sticking around here," Thomas complained to the three of them sat in the deserted hotel bar watching the shafts of sunshine fall through grilled iron windows.

"You're staying because you're afraid to leave," Paul said, "and you're smart enough to realize it."

Thomas stared at him. "This face is driving me crazy." He looked around the empty bar in disgust. The bartender dozed. The warm sweet air was heavy and languorous. "Where is everybody?"

"Didn't you ever hear of a silent film?" Paul inquired.

"I've heard of it," Thomas said, "but people who have Karl Miller's name after them aren't apt to waste time taking siestas."

"Nothing doing. I'm sorry you have to stay but it isn't safe for



Someone was tapping gently at her door. She sat up in bed. "Who's there?" she demanded.

you to leave alone. Believe me, it wouldn't work."

Thomas sighed. "Okay, if you say so. . . . Bartender!" he yelled, "bring me another bottle of beer."

The bartender shook his head, muttered "Si, señor," and hurried over with the beer. But at the sight of Joan he paused.

"You are Miss Joan Leland? Yes?"

"Why?" Paul asked flatly.

The bartender broke into Spanish. "There was a torrent of words and gestures."

"What does he say?" Joan asked.

"It seems there was a man looking for you here. An American. He gave him ten pesos to get some information about you. He doesn't know what his name was though."

"Karl?"

"Not a chance. Karl wouldn't be apt to row all the way to shore. And the ship isn't in sight. I've been watching to see."

"But who in the world could it have been?"

The bartender, feet on the bar, had returned to his siesta.

"What a country!" Thomas muttered. "If someone wanted Joan, why didn't they telephone the hotel? We're all registered under our own names."

Paul laughed. "This is what is known as the subtle approach."

"Paul! Be serious!" Joan insisted.

"Okay," Paul said, leaning forward and surveying her with his kind brown eyes. "It's probably one of Karl's men. They want to get the idea across that they're around, and this is their way of doing it. They may want to make further contact with you. I don't know. They're probably picking on you instead of me as a gentle warning that if anything goes wrong, you'll be the one to pay for it. However, that's looking at it in the worst possible light." He took her hand.

"Don't worry, honey. I'll do all I can."

"Maybe Karl has some Mexicans working for him," Thomas suggested.

"I don't think so. Besides, this man spoke English, and if he had been able to speak Spanish he certainly would have done so, because the bartender was barely able to understand him."

"So now we start waiting all over again?" Thomas asked.

"That's about it."

She shivered. "Let's go," she urged.

They visited the cathedral, the park, and finally took in a movie. They walked leisurely back to the hotel. Dinner was never served until nine o'clock.

As they turned on to the long avenida which bordered the sea, one of the few automobiles they had seen turned the corner sharply.

"That man!" Joan cried. "I have the strangest feeling I know him! I couldn't see him very well, but I'm sure of it."

"Maybe it's the man who was trying to get in touch with you," Thomas said. "Maybe it's one of Karl's men that you used to see around the club in San Francisco."

"That could easily be possible," Paul said.

"But I don't connect him with anyone at the club," Joan said puzzled. "It gives me the queerest feeling."

She was still worrying about it after dinner when Thomas announced that he was going to "do the town."

"Watch your step," Paul advised. "Don't get absent-minded and try to escape."

"Don't worry about it, Mr. O'Malley! You've got me buffaloed. I'll stick around and watch the fireworks."

Joan retired early but she lay awake in the huge four-poster bed wondering about the man she had seen. Who was he? Why couldn't she place him? The roar of the sea and sweet night air filled the room. Moonbeams fitted across the stone floor like shimmering mist. She looked uneasily towards the old-fashioned door. She had locked and bolted it but it rattled in the wind.

She was almost asleep when a sound disturbed her. Someone was tapping gently at her door. She sat

up in bed. "Who's there?" she demanded.

No one replied. She drew on the colorful Mexican robe and slippers she had bought and tiptoed to the door. "Who's there?" she repeated.

Thomas' voice came to her. "It's me, miss. I've something to tell you."

Quickly she unbolted the door and snapped on the light. "What's the trouble?" she asked, annoyed. "Why don't you tell Mr. O'Malley whatever it is?"

"I can't," Thomas whispered, looking over his shoulder. "I've found a way to get out of here."

Joan eyed him coldly. "Have you been drinking?"

"Only a few," Thomas insisted. "Listen, Miss Leland, I met a man tonight who will take us back to the States. He's an American and he's flying back home tomorrow. He has his own plane and when I told him we were stranded . . ."

"You shouldn't have done that!"

"Maybe not, but I'm scared, Miss Leland. This guy is okay so I took a chance. He was swell about it. Said he'd be glad to help us. I told him I thought you'd be willing to go too and he wants to see you. He's downstairs right now."

"Paul will never consent to leave," Joan said slowly, "and I can't leave him. I don't blame you, Thomas, but you know Mr. O'Malley said it wasn't safe. However, if you want to go, I suppose it's all right."

"Now look, Miss Leland," Thomas begged. "At least go down and talk to this man. He's waiting for you. After all, he's been pretty decent about this whole thing. If you don't see him, he'll think there's something phony about it and he won't even take me."

Joan considered for a minute. "All right, for your sake I'll see him. But I'm not going to leave. No one can persuade me."

"Okay," Thomas said hurriedly. "Just back me up on my story. That's all I ask."

He departed and Joan dressed quickly, thinking how strange it was that now that she had a chance to escape she could not take it. It was impossible to consider leaving Paul. Even so, she could not blame Thomas. And if corroborating his story would help, she would be glad to do it. After all, he had given them all the aid possible on the ship.

She walked down the stone ramp to the dimly lit lobby. A man was waiting for her, a man who was at once familiar to her. It was the same man she had glimpsed in the car that afternoon from the street.

"Mr. Mulford!" she cried in surprise as she realized that it was in truth her former employer who now rose smilingly to greet her.

"Joan! This is a surprise!" Arthur Mulford said.

"It is to me," she admitted.

"I heard you were here. I even went so far as to ask the bartender for information about you, but I didn't connect you with Thomas."

"Possible. Now tell me, what is this all about?"

They both sat down in the deep leather chairs. "I suppose Thomas has explained the situation?"

Thomas was standing on the veranda smoking a cigarette, apparently preferring to let Joan do the talking.

"Yes," Mulford said with concern. "He tells me you are in danger of being recaptured by some gang. I must say it sounded a little fantastic."

"It's the truth," Joan said gravely. "After you discharged me I went to work at a night club, the Club Elite, owned by a Karl Miller. I learned later that he is head of a spy ring in this country. I also met Paul O'Malley, of the FBI, who is trying to get evidence against Karl."

"And why don't you leave Mazatlan?" Mulford inquired.

"Paul, that is, Mr. O'Malley, is still trying to run down the rest of the gang. And he believes they are keeping tabs on us. He is determined not to give up."

"Thomas seems quite willing to leave."

"Yes. He worked for Karl in return for Karl's promise to save his wife from a Nazi concentration camp," Joan said bitterly.

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| <p><b>The Questions</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What is the meaning of tele as used in a word such as telegraph or telescope?</li> <li>2. Sanskrit is the ancient sacred and literary language of what country?</li> <li>3. What is called the first law of nature?</li> <li>4. For what sentence of four words is the word "good-by" a contraction or abbreviation of?</li> <li>5. Is Alaska larger in area than Texas?</li> <li>6. What does "pettifogger" mean?</li> <li>7. What is the difference between astrology and astronomy?</li> <li>8. How do pearls range in size?</li> <li>9. Wreckage of a ship or its cargo found floating is called what?</li> </ol> | <p><b>The Answers</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Far off.</li> <li>2. India.</li> <li>3. Self-preservation.</li> <li>4. God be with ye.</li> <li>5. Yes. Alaska, 590,884 square miles; Texas, 265,986 square miles.</li> <li>6. A lawyer who practices in petty cases.</li> <li>7. Astrology is the art pursued of foretelling or forecasting the future of mankind by reference to the influence supposed to be exerted by the stars. Astronomy is the study of the heavenly bodies.</li> <li>8. Pearls range in size from the tiny "dust" specimens which weigh less than one-twenty-fifth of a grain up to the giant paragon which have been known to weigh as much as 337 grains, or about 8,500 times more.</li> <li>9. Flotsam.</li> </ol> |
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We will meet the fourth at the church and have lesson in our study book.

**EUZELIAN CLASS MEETS**

The Euzelean monthly meeting held at the home of Mrs. Vaughn with Mrs. Albert DeBusk as hostess.

A business meeting was held and a mystery sister revealed. Several games were enjoyed and at the end of the hour, delicious refreshment plate of strawberry shortcake, sandwiches and cheese niblets was served to Mmes. Burl Koening, Nevel, Jane Enlee, Marcus Neely, Dick Golightly, Hollis Hunt, Truett Hodnett, L. C. Vance, Miller, and the hostesses, Mrs. Vaughn and Mrs. DeBusk.

**MOVES**

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Thomas and two sons moved this week to the O. E. Ray residence south of Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. J. T. Middleton Sr.

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Mrs. Sherrill conducted a business session, during which time the minutes were read and approved.

After an opening song, Mrs. Joe Schooler led the devotional, from Hebrew 11.

Mrs. Coffee was leader of the program from "Our Times." Others helping with the lesson were Mmes. Sherrill, Pickens, and John McLaurin. The meeting was dismissed in prayer by Mrs. Coffee.

Those present besides the above mentioned were Mmes. Gates, Stark, Dulin, Koening, Warren and Hollowell.

Next meeting will be a social and business meeting with Mrs. Hollowell.

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# My Week

by Eleanor Roosevelt

WASHINGTON.—It is curious how one can live near people one wants very much to see and still see them rarely. I finally succeeded in having Secretary and Mrs. Morgenthau here to dinner. I have been trying to see Mrs. Morgenthau ever since I returned from the West. Our only other guest was Judge Robert Marx of Cincinnati, Ohio.

After dinner we had a newsreel and a movie called "On the Shores of Tripoli," a picture about the marine corps. We were, therefore, able to induce the President to stay and see it. It proved to be a good picture and very entertaining, but I don't know whether we were wise to beguile the President away from his work, because I found him still at his desk at one o'clock this morning.

We have left spring weather behind us in Washington and are right in the middle of summer. Our flowering bushes are too beautiful for words. Someone remarked to me this morning that the weather was so lovely one could not be annoyed with anyone. I am not sure that this is my feeling. The effect on me of these first warm days is so completely relaxing that I think I am too lazy to take much action of any kind, but that doesn't imply a completely kindly attitude toward the world in general.

I put the top of my car down and went to meet the train at noon. Unless I have something which really must be done, I don't feel that tires or gas should be met. But, since trains have to be met, I enjoyed the drive and had a nice chat with some soldiers, who came up to my car when I parked near the station. They asked for autographs and told me they were on their way to receive training. One boy told me he had just come in and hoped that he could do a good job.

The usual crowds of school children were in the station, but this year there have been far fewer than usual in Washington. Some of them have written me that they had given up their trips to buy Defense Stamps and Bonds. Others probably found it impossible to find any place to lay their heads.

Dr. Herbert V. Evatt, attorney general and minister of state for external affairs of Australia and Mrs. Evatt came to lunch, accompanied by Mrs. Felix Frankfurter. I enjoyed very much talking to them. It always seems to me that the Australians have a point of view very much akin to our democratic aspirations.

After a very pleasant party last night, which was given by some young friends, we drove around the Basin and along the river to get a glimpse of the cherry blossoms. I know nothing lovelier than the reflection of the light in the river. The quiet and peace seem to take one out of this world of turmoil for a few minutes at least.

I listened to a news commentator this morning who gave such a gloomy picture of the future and of the leaders in every field in this country, that I wonder whether the effect would not be to discourage people.

Just to give the gentleman a ray of hope as to the good intentions of some people, I would like to draw his attention to an item in the newspaper wires on April 7: "The Executive Board (of the United Automobile Workers) proposed today a legal unit of \$25,000 a year on family and individual incomes for the war's duration, in return for which union workers would accept non-negotiable Defense Bonds in lieu of all overtime pay for more than 40 hours a week."

The gentleman said that there was no unselfishness left in any of us. I am not going to contend that this suggestion is entirely unselfish, but at least it is a constructive suggestion showing that someone is doing some thinking.

**WARTIME ADJUSTMENTS**  
HYDE PARK.—Yesterday morning, we visited some of our neighbors. All families lead uncertain lives these days. They are constantly trying to adjust to new conditions. One of our neighbors depends on a gas station and a small lunch room with guest rooms above to make her living. In winter she weaves very beautiful homespun material, which she sells to established customers and passing motorists in summer.

Another neighbor, whose husband had retired from the navy, had to see him return to active duty some six months ago. She heard from him the other day from the West coast after a long cruise. Now she is preparing, if he should be there more than a few days at any time, to take the long trip with her daughter for a glimpse of him.

I have not been over yet to see one of our neighbors whose boy was on a destroyer last autumn. I am most anxious to get news of him. Another boy I am interested in, is the son of one of the other men, who works for the President.

I read a charming story last night about a little brother who tried to follow his big brother into the army. It reminded me of a little boy who came to see me here last autumn to talk over his brother's enlistment. He looked so worried that I felt quite sure that the first break in any large family was never easy for the youth.

# IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Revised by Western Newspaper Union.)

## Lesson for April 26

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### WAYSIDE CONVERSATIONS

LESSON TEXT—Luke 13:22-35.  
GOLDEN TEXT—And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.—Luke 14:27.

Learning by talking with Christ as they walked from place to place—such was the training for service which the disciples received. That was the greatest school this world has ever known, for while it had no great buildings, no beautiful campus, no learned faculty, it had the Son of God Himself as preceptor and teacher. With all due regard for our fine colleges and seminaries, we say this is still the outstanding need of Christian workers—to walk and talk with Christ.

On the day of which our lesson speaks the subject considered was how to be saved, and who should be saved. Several trends of thought emerged, but all pointed in the one direction of a diligent following of God's plan. In order to be saved, we learn, a man must

#### I. Make an Earnest Effort (vv. 22-24).

The question regarding how many were saved received no direct answer for our Lord wished to direct attention to the far more important question—Are you saved? Get that settled and the other matter will care for itself.

Here some who assume that it is an easy thing to be saved will receive a surprise, for our Lord says (v. 24) that it is something one must "strive" over, for so may the word "strive" be translated. The door into eternal life is so narrow that no man can pass through it with his sins—they must be taken away. Seeking is not enough (v. 24), one must "strive" to enter in.

#### II. Enter While the Door is Open (vv. 25-30).

The door stands open for all who will, to come in. (What a friendly thing is an open door!) But men idly ignore it, or definitely reject its opportunity. Or they seek it, but do not strive to enter in, and all at once it is closed. Then in a frenzy they seek to enter, but it is too late. What an appalling thing—to be eternally too late!

Note their claims of acquaintance with the Lord (v. 26). One is reminded of those who think they are Christians because father or mother belonged to the church, or because they attend an occasional church supper or listen to a sermon by radio. Unless we know Him personally as our Saviour, He will have to say to us, Depart from me, ye workers of iniquity" (v. 27). Let us make that matter very clear to those to whom we minister, lest they be eternally lost.

#### III. Follow the Fearless Christ (vv. 31-33).

To know the high and unwavering character of one's leader is to go forward with real confidence. What about the Captain of our salvation? Here we find Him facing the indirect threat of a powerful and wicked earthly ruler, in perfect calmness, with the very poise of eternity upon Him.

Christ, conscious of His divine mission and with determination to do the Father's will (Heb. 10:7), knew no fear of man. As we are in His holy will as Christian men and women, we too may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me" (Heb. 13:6).

Consider the rebuke to Herod (v. 32). There is probably no place in Scripture where our Lord spoke with such stinging contempt of any man. It is almost as though the black cloud of eternal judgment already had settled around the head of this man who was so sly and crafty that the tenderhearted Jesus called him a "fox." One wonders of how many He would have to say the same in this our day of supreme and malicious wickedness.

We find one more vitally important thought here. Our Lord offers Himself. He calls sinners to repentance, but they must

#### IV. Respond to His Invitation (vv. 24, 35).

To fail to accept His proffered love is to be left desolate. To reject Him as Saviour (either by neglect or by definite act) is inevitably to bring judgment. To the Jews this meant loss of their national home—their leading city, but to us it means the loss of our eternal souls.

"There is terrible suggestiveness in the two statements in verse 34, 'I would,' 'Ye would not.' The whole secret of Jerusalem's desolation and destruction is found in the words, 'Ye would not.' The whole secret of the loss of the individual soul is found in the words, 'Ye will not' (John 5:40)" (John W. Bradbury).

This lesson presses home to the individual reader the question, Are you saved? What is your answer? It also affords the Sunday school teacher an excellent opportunity to seek to lead the members of the class to a definite decision for Christ. The Sunday school is a good place to give an invitation

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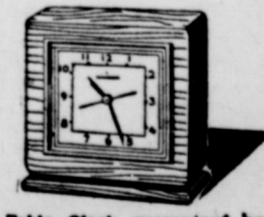


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### Sugar Rationing Plans Are Made

TAHOCA, April 23 (Special)—Retail and wholesale grocers, cafe and hotel operators must register Tuesday for the sugar rationing program, and all consumers will be required to register on May 4, according to W. O. Thomas, chairman of the Lynn County Rationing Board.

Tuesday's registration will be held in Lynn county at Tahoka school gymnasium, O'Donnell, Wilson, New Home, and Draw school buildings. Rationing of retailers and wholesalers of sugar is a complicated process and requires much detailed information, according to Supt. W. T. Hanes, who is in charge of

registration in Tahoka. For this reason, he asks that local business men secure blanks prior to that date in order that they may compile their figures properly in advance of the registration date. These blanks are to be filled in except for signatures, which will be affixed at the school Tuesday.

Consumers will not come to the school Tuesday, but will be expected to appear for their ration cards on May 4.

#### OUT-OF-TOWN GUESTS PRESENT AT CLUB MEET

Mrs. W. V. McElroy and Mrs. Jesse Gurley of Tahoka were guests Tuesday when Mrs. J. Mack Noble entertained Tuesday Bridge Club members.

Mrs. L. E. Robinson won defense stamps for high score prize and Mrs. Newell Hughes and Mrs. Gurley won slam prizes.

Others playing were Mmes. Boyd, Bradley, Forgy, Hafer, Henderson, Hoffman, Jordan and Whitsett.

#### JESSE BOLCH IN CALIFORNIA

Friends of Jesse Bolch received word this week that he has been transferred from Sheppard Field to Santa Monica, Calif.

#### IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. J. A. Barnes has returned from California, where she visited her son, Ike, "Mutt", another son, had already been sent to Pearl Harbor.

B. L. Davis has been in South Bend this week, taking the baths at the Stovall Wells.

#### MOVED TO LOCKNEY

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. W. Killer left this week for Lockney to make their home. He was employed at Whitsett Drug here.

Mrs. Jack G. Cathey and young son, of Lamesa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cathey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Naymon Everett and daughter, Nancy, and Mrs. H. H. Hollowell and Helen Joyce were in Crosbyton Sunday evening, the Rev. Mr. Hollowell accompanied them home.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Hollowell visited in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Garrard accompanied Tahoka friends to Tampico, Mexico, on a fishing trip this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Eason of Big Spring visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wimberley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Skinner have returned here from San Diego, Calif. to make their home.

Mrs. Harvey Line and Mrs. J. N. Line were business visitors in Lamesa Saturday.

Miss Jo Ann Campbell has returned from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Joe Henderson, in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Stark returned Sunday from a ten-day vacation trip.

#### MRS. H. H. HOLLOWELL ILL

Mrs. H. H. Hollowell has been ill from the flu this week, running a high temperature for a time. Late reports indicate she is feeling better.



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### NEW CONSTRUCTION

"NEW CONSTRUCTION" includes, not only homes, ranch and farm buildings and improvements, commercial structures, etc., but also additions to or design changes in any existing structures of any type.

For Farmers and Ranchers

Any farmer or rancher can make additions to, or build new, any individual building, structure, project or improvement (other than his home) costing less than \$1000. Each individual project must cost less than \$1000 in any 12 month period. (But remember, repairs and maintenance are unlimited.)

Residential Replacement

Residences damaged or destroyed by fire, flood, earthquake, storm, act of God or the public enemy since December 31, 1941, can be completely replaced. This applies to both city and rural homes.

For Home Owners, City and Rural

Construction of a new home or additions and design changes in existing homes must cost less than \$500 in any 12 month period. This applies to farm, ranch, and city homes. But "Defense Housing" is unrestricted. (But remember, repairs and maintenance are unlimited. This includes paint, wall paper, roof replacements, etc.)

For Business Concerns

Any industrial, commercial, or recreational business institution can add to, or build new, any structure or improvement costing less than \$5000 in any 12 month period. This same applies to schools and public institutions. (But remember, repairs and maintenance are unlimited.)

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