

# O'Donnell Index-Press

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Mr. Molotov: ... are the true bosses of the press? You asked that in a recent speech before a conference rules committee would like to try to answer you.

... to answer it because we you may think of the American in terms of "big city" press. It is easy to understand anyone living outside of New York or Washington as a metropolitan press, and their newspapers typifying the American press.

... closer study of the distribution of the population of the U. S. reveals that the metropolitan press are a comparatively small area. Only 12.1 per cent of the population live in cities of over 500,000.

... BUT 70 per cent live in cities of under 100,000 population. The 10 largest cities have a combined population of 44 per cent of the total population.

... give you these statistics to see this point: America, as a nation, is still a nation of small towns and farms -- and this is the vital part of the American press.

... quote from a few of them: "The Grass-Roots press is the backbone of the democracy." "The Grass-Roots press is the backbone of the democracy."

... the still small voice of the newspaper editor in his office swells into the voice of an informed public through the country.

... Mr. Molotov, the owners of newspaper chains don't rule America. It's the little publisher who is lucky.

... Mr. T. W. Long of the ... and community spent the ... in Abilene visiting with ...

... Mrs. Thompson returned last week from Gallup, N. M. ... being employed there for a ... with a large store, she ... with Rev. and Mrs. Atkin-

**DO YOU SEE THE NEW WALLPAPER AT SINGLETON'S**  
... WE HAVE A FULL LINE YARDLEY ENGLISH LAVENDER SOAP CORNER DRUG

## I GIVE YOU TEXAS

**By Boyce House**  
We have heard and read many times that Robert E. Lee was second in his class at West Point. What happened to the fellow who was first?

Worry is the interest people pay on trouble before it becomes due. They say that J. Evetts Haley, noted Texas author, once visited a Ft. Worth book store. His newest volume was on display. Picking up a copy, he asked the saleslady, "Is this book any good?" Not knowing she was speaking to the man who had written it, she answered, "You bet it is! The pictures were drawn by Harold Bugbee!"

Bugbee is, of course, the Clarendon artist. One of us can resist the temptation to say, "I told you." Last summer, I warned that an effort would be made next January when the legislature meets, to repeal the tax exemption on the gasoline the farmers burn in their tractors. Well, those in favor of removing the exemption didn't wait till January; the campaign has already started.

The farmer is the most heavily taxed man in Texas in proportion to income and property. His land can not escape taxation because it is out in the open where everybody can see it; he couldn't hid it, even if he wanted to. And he pays 4 cents a gallon on the gasoline he burns in his automobile and mainly drives over community roads that are dusty half the year and nearly impassable with mud the rest of the time. And they are going to try to make him pay a tax on the gasoline he uses in his tractor.

Science has made another great stride. For years, everyone in a cafe was at the mercy of any customer who had a nickel; that is to say, when one man put his nickel in the juke box, everybody had to listen to the tune, though it might sound to all the other customers like the one the old cow died to.

But in a coffee shop in Waco, when someone drops in a nickel, the tune is announced and if you want to hear it, you have to put in a nickel, too. If you don't want to hear it, you just eat your food, if any.

Will Beauford Jester name Sen. James Taylor as his successor on the State Railroad Commission? Both men are from the same county. There are 253 other counties in the State.  
If the elderly are having a hard time getting by on an average of 80 cents a day -- and they are having a hard time, too -- what would be their plight if the ceiling of \$35 million had been only about half.

## 39 STUD CLUB MEETS

Mrs. D. E. Sumrow was hostess to the 1939 Study Club October 2nd in the home of Mrs. E. T. Wells.

The study subject for the afternoon was "The American Home." Mrs. P. A. Mansell gave an interesting discussion on "Development of the American Family." Mrs. A. H. Koeninger reported on "Personality and character building in the home."

Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, potato chips, olives, punch and cookies were served to fourteen members. -- Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mensch and family and Raymond Pierce and family and M. Rand Mrs. Reed Yandell visited their new granddaughter and niece at a Lamesa hospital.

## The Eagle SCREAMS

**FOURTH GRADE**  
Those making 100 all week in arithmetic are: Jack Worthington, Hershel Lindley, Joyce Pearson, Frankie Jo Young.

Those making 100 all week in spelling are: Billy Pennington, Hershel Lindley, Barbara Harris, Carl Gene Jones, Joy B. Barnett, Anette Mahurin, Joyce Pearson, Marshall Barton, Edmund Hobdy.

Those making 100 all week in reading are: Frankie Jo Young, Joan Griffin, Nancy Everett, Joyce Pearson, Carole Anne Thompson, Carl Gene Jones, Barbara Harris, Kay Hancock, Hershel Lindley, and Billy Pennington.

**FIFTH GRADE**  
Spelling honor roll: Martha Edwards, Retha Gillespie, Lillie Reynolds, Bobbie Rogers, Ann Singleton Shirley Sutton.

Honor roll in math: Jack Kirkland, Wayne Davis, Martha Edwards, Sallie Gray, Norman Hooten

**Mary Sanders Juniors Win over Slaton**  
The Juniors flashed a daring victory over the Slaton Juniors Thursday afternoon at 2:30 until 3:45. Brock and McCarty sparked the O'Donnell team; the score was 25 to 19 in favor of the locals. The Juniors will return the game by going to Slaton Thursday, October 17th.

## EAGLE EYE VIEWS

What were Dorothy Barnes and Louise Pearson doing in Lamesa Sunday. Were they with Gene Jones and Bill Schooler??  
Who did we see Margie Dohy and Juanita Lang in Tahoka with Wednesday night? Could have been R. T. Rains and Bob Carlisle.

We think perhaps Bob Moore -- Jean Smith and Harold Franklin -- Peggy Beach are double dating.

The bracelet Trula Harris is sporting around has Wayne Vandiver's initials on it. They were seen at the game Friday night with Harold Mires and Sis Schooler.

What has happened to Shirley and Arvis?? Shirley was with "Henry" Saturday night, and Arvis seems to like Mary Vance.

## SPOOK CARNIVAL TO BE HELD

On the night when the spooks, and witches come out, Oct. 31st, the O'Donnell High school is sponsoring a Halloween Carnival. Details of this will be given at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Wheeler have purchased a ranch near Lamesa and will move there about the first of the year; we will miss our friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Smith and family of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hill Sunday.

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**SORE THROAT -- Tonsillitis! For quick relief from pain and discomfort try our Anesthesia - Mop. It is a doctor's prescription that has given relief to thousands. Guaranteed superior o' your money back. CORNER DRUG STORE.**

Mrs. C. L. Hafer of Brownfield is visiting friends here this week.

## REYNOLDS LIFE TIME ALUMNIUM SINGLETON'S

## Local News

**L. T. BREWER** is in a Lamesa hospital keeping company with the flu. O. L. McClelland left for Lubbock Wednesday to shop around for an eye. It seems O. L. dropped his new orbit on the floor when instructions called for removal over a mattress; he plans to buy a non-breakable plastic eye.

Dr. J. F. Campbell and wife visited their son on the ranch near Midland over the week end.

Mrs. Lula Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wells and son helped Mrs. E. J. Bean celebrate her 67th birthday last Sunday.

Mrs. H. L. Wood left Tuesday to be with her father who had an operation in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Autrey spent the week end at Wichita Falls visiting her parents, the A. L. Shooks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bloodworth were visiting in the P. H. Mansell home Friday. Mrs. Bloodworth is a sister of Mrs. Mansell.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Whitsett are visiting in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Autrey spent last week end in Wichita Falls having carried Doris Autrey to a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Jolly visited in Lubbock and attended the rodeo; O. L. Harris took second money in calf roping Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Isaacs, owners of a new furniture store here, visited Mrs. Isaac's mother Mrs. M. B. Gibson in Lamesa Sunday.

C. L. Davis and son, R. C. Davis, left Sunday for Monticello, Utah to look over the hunting situation. B. L. and wife will probably leave Thursday for Monticello; that little southern Utah town has some of the finest big game hunting in the nation; the Indexman knows because he lived there for two years.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Davis spent Sunday.

Ellis Barnes flew back a training plane from Ponca City, Okla. to Lubbock last week; next week he is going east to fly back a big transport ship; the Country ed. has an invitation.

Dick Simpson was "courting" over Gail way this week; he said there were several divorce cases and a land suit on docket.

G. W. Line came thru O'Donnell enroute home to California and visited with his brothers and sister.

Mrs. Earl Curtis and Miss Mozell Wilson attended the Big Springs -- Lamesa game Friday night.

Mrs. Velma Fleming has been ill with asthma; her mother Mrs. Pemberton has been with her.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie and Mrs. Buchanan visited their relative, Stelvin Doloff of Joel, N. M. who was injured while working on an oil test well; he is now in a Kermit hospital and is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. P. P. Brewer and Mrs. G. P. Bray visited Mrs. Brewer's daughter, Mrs. Nettie Anderson of Tahoka Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farley of Amhurst visited Mrs. Abernathy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McLaurin were in Lubbock Monday on business.

Miss Nell Howard of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. O. D. Howard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weir, Sr. visited with their sons, J. E. Jr. and O. D. Weir Sunday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Birdwell and the arrival of a fine son weighing 6 lb. 10 oz at a Lubbock hospital last Friday. He has been named Louis Lynwood, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hill visited in Brownfield Monday of this week.

Bryant Jordan is remodeling the old Rogers house. This house is one of the earlier houses in O'Donnell being built in 1905; Boots Turner will make his home there.

## Cemetery Group To Reorganize

There will be a meeting at the Methodist Church Thursday night, October 17th at 7:30 o'clock to elect officers and reorganize the O'Donnell Cemetery Association and to make plans for the Thanksgiving dinner, a custom of several years standing, but which was discontinued during the war years. All those interested in improving the physical beauty of our cemetery are urged to attend this meeting.

This week is to be cleanup week at the cemetery and all who are interested and possibly can, are requested to clean off their lots.

Thursday afternoon has been set aside for a real working.

Mac Noble, W. L., Billy J. W. Gardenhire, Hoot Gibson, Mr. Von Roeder of Snyder, T. Garrard, J. T. Middleton, D. J. Bolch, Benny Middleton, and Dallas Vaughn as well as others left over the week end for Saguache, Colo. for two weeks of hunting.

Mrs. Bunea Cox, Worthy Matron of the O'Donnell Eastern Star and Mrs. Dallas Vaughn are leaving this week end for Houston to attend the meeting of the Grand Chapter of OES.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McMillan returned Sunday from Stephenville after spending several days with relatives there.

Preston Stokes and Mr. King returned Saturday from Portales, where they had been looking after farming interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Tyler have as guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Nathan E. Smith and baby of Memphis, Tenn.

John Ellis and Felix Jones made a business trip to Snyder and Sweetwater Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reed were visitors in Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Eason of Morton were visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gass left for east Texas to visit.

Edward Teeter, John Stephens, Buster Phipps hunted near Colorado Springs, Colo. returning with a nice buck.

I. C. Dorman recently returned after 11 day visit with Kenneth Moore at Corpus Christi. He reports that Kenneth is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shoemaker, Jr. spent Sunday visiting their daughters at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hill and daughter of San Jon, N. M. spent the week end with Mrs. Hill's brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nowlin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Wright and children spent the week end in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Burkett were surprised by a bridal shower at Mesquite Saturday night. Mrs. Burkett with Miss Sanders before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Raven of Big Spring were visitors in the Pace home over the week end.

Mrs. Lois Coston, who is teaching at Big Springs, visited home folks over the week end.

Mrs. John Etter, Mrs. Buster Phipps, Mrs. Edward Teeter went to Sundown Sunday to visit the Wood row and Raymond Wilson families.

## WANT ADS

**FOR SALE:** Good Philco Cabinet Radio. See at Singleton Hardware Worth the money. T. Garrard

**LET US demonstrate the new Marquette REA electric welder at Gibson's Motor Freight office. Also wiring installation. W. "Snookie" SHUMAKE 6p**

**You must find DURHAM'S RESORCIN the best preparation ever used for itching scalp, loose dandruff or falling hair or purchase price promptly refunded. Large bottle only 75c at WHITSETT DRUG STORE**

**FOR SALE:** 5 rooms of household furniture, new gas range, new Philco electric refrigerator. Can not be shown until after Monday, Oct. 21st. See Mrs. E. T. Fertsch (Old Mattie Shook place in O'Donnell.)

**FOR SALE:** One Seegler Oil Circulating oil heater, used very little. Mrs. T. R. Tume; can be seen at B. and O. Store.

**FOR SALE:** 320 acres, all in cultivation, good three room house, new windmill, plenty water, 3 miles N.W., 1 mile South of Wells store. See E. C. Ward, rt. 3

**FOR SALE:** Bundles. See W. W. Williams.

**FOR SALE:** Several good clean, nearly new comforts, and a pair of feather pillows. Index.

**FOR WHEAT DRILLING** See J. V. Burdett, JR.

**O'DONNELL** has a new wood working shop. We can make to order your doors, windows, cabinets, etc. -- in short anything made of wood. Give us a try -- we guarantee to please you. Lester Parker and Son, owners. Located at north Y in former Woodrow Wilson Garage.

**FOR SALE:** Baby Bed, practically new, "All Screened Kiddie Coop" size 3 by 5 feet, Ivory color. Call Mrs. Ray Willingham at Willingham Lumber Co.

## DINNER DANCE GIVEN

Mrs. Bob Carroll entertained Friday evening with a dinner party and dance in her home introducing her daughter by marriage, Mrs. Joe (Edwana) Carroll.

As the couples arrived they were introduced to the honoree, then seated at lace covered tables laid with silver and crystal; a two course dinner was served. After dinner music and dancing was enjoyed.

Guests were the following couples: Junior Hash, J. V. Burdett, Roy Everett, Bill Autrey, Wm. E. Singleton, Terry Hunt, Gwen Ladell, Everett Cook, Paul Mansell, Miss Peggy Robinson, Elwood Jackson, Miss Alice Finlan, Melvin Boothe, Miss Pauletta Middleton, Bobby Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll; several couples unable to attend called their regrets and congratulations to Joe and Edwana.

At the regular monthly meeting of the City Council the three council men present discussed purchase of the local sewer system with the present owners who have offices at Dallas. Action was deferred until later.

Every crow thinks his chickie is the blackest; we pass this one on. While at Dime Box recently the ed. J year old son went out with grand pa to see the cows. Upon returning, his mother asked the Smith -- heir what the cows were doing; his reply made his dad feel right proud; he said simply "chewing gum."

## ASKS FOR NEW FIRE PUMPER

New firemen recently enrolled in the O'Donnell fire department are James Crumley, Billy Schooler, Jack Reed, Ernest Cummings Lee Simpson and one other man whose name we missed. The new men were instructed in standard fire drill procedure, and from hence forth the group will meet twice a month, according to Chief Calvin Fritz. The City council voted favorably to make application to the War Surplus Corp. for purchase by the city of a new pumper. Seventeen firemen were present and the group is working on several worthwhile projects.

Mrs. Bob Carroll, Mrs. Eldon Carroll and Pauletta Middleton attended a tea honoring Mrs. Joe Carroll with a linen and china shower Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Carl Roundtree of Lamesa.

Mrs. Jeff Shook is visiting at Amarillo this week.

Carl Gunter dropped by the Index and kept the paper coming, as well as subscribing for his son Billy Carl who is attending college at John Tarleton college.

Funeral services were conducted for W. L. Spence, father of Mrs. James N. Cathey of O'Donnell. Mr. Spence passed away Thursday morning at Brownfield. Our sympathy.

Pvt. C. W. Stubblefield of Seattle, Washington, is home on leave with home folks.

Dal Stubblefield was carried to Lamesa Wednesday of last week with pneumonia but returned home Saturday much improved.

## BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Johnny Billingsley was hostess to several tables of bridge last Saturday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Irvin Street; guests enjoyed nice and tasty refreshments.

## 46 STUDY CLUB MEETS

The 1946 Study club met with Mrs. Burl Koeninger in the A. H. Koeninger home last Wednesday. Mrs. Will Ed Tredway led the discussion; Mrs. J. B. Terrell gave a paper on Interior decorating and Mrs. Floyd Thompson gave a lecture on Landscaping. Fourteen members were present. The next meeting will be Oct. 23rd with Mrs. Wm Edward Singleton. Officers are president, Mrs. Floyd Thompson, vice-president Mrs. Sam Singleton, recording secretary, Mrs. Harvey Jordan, treas., Mrs. Burl Koeninger, and Mrs. J. T. Middleton, secretary, and Mrs. Leroy Waggoner, rules.

## BIRTHDAY PAITY

Mrs. J. W. Gardenhire honored her son, Tommy with a birthday party on his fifth birthday Saturday afternoon. Refreshments of birthday cake and chocolate milk were served to the following guests: J. D. and Shirley Faye Evans, Mike and Johnny Billingsley, Jimmy Ray Moore, Joe and Marilyn Beth Evans, Linda Heath, Wilma Sue Waggoner, Jimmy Garrett, Ronnie and Jimmy Stokes, Lanny Joe Brewer, Richard Carlisle and Harvey Lee and Larry Jordan, Dick and Dale Jordan, Paty Cook, Mary Beth Gardenhire, Sherry Middleton, Mesdames W. L. Gardenhire, Darus Sumrow, Frankie Cook, Orville Evans, F. M. Page and Harvey Jordan.

# Your Week

**OCTOBER 14-20**

**WEEKOSCOPE**  
YOU ARE BORN UNDER THE SIGN OF LIBRA AND POSSESS A SERENE AND WELL-BALANCED TEMPERAMENT

**MON 14**  
GENERAL "IKE" EISENHOWER CELEBRATES HIS 56TH BIRTHDAY TODAY

**TUE 15**  
TODAY'S THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FIRST PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION OF ETHER AS AN ANESTHETIC (AT MASS GENERAL HOSPITAL)

**WED 16**  
ON THIS DAY IN 1940 (NATIONAL SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION DAY) 17,000,000 REGISTERED FOR THE DRAFT

**EUGENE O'NEILL**, 3 TIMES PULITZER PRIZE WINNER, AUTHOR OF "EMPEROR JONES," "LUNA CHRISTIE," "STRANGERS INTERLUDE" IS 58 TODAY

**THUR 17**  
FIVE YEARS AGO THE U.S. DESTROYER "MORROW" WAS TORPEDOED OFF ICELAND

**FRI 18**  
IT'S ALASKA DAY

**SAT 19**  
ATLANTIC CABLE LAID BY SAMUEL F.B. MORSE 104 YEARS AGO TODAY

**SUN 20**  
165TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE SURRENDER OF LORD CORNWALLIS AND THE BRITISH ARMY AT YORKTOWN, VA.

**TWO YEARS AGO GEN. MACARTHUR "RETURNED" TO THE PHILIPPINES -- FIRST COAST OF LEYTE**

**WEEL KENS THE MOUSE WHAN PUSSIE'S IN** *SIXTH GRADE*

READY, SET . . .

## Safety Precautions Listed As Hunters Flock to Fields

WNU Features

With thousands of ex-G.I.s joining the nation's estimated eight million hunters who will take to the field this fall, observance of safety precautions becomes more necessary than ever before if hunting is to uphold its record as one of the nation's safest sports.

This is the caution sounded by Dot and Ernie Lind, famous exhibition shooters, who have taken time out from their coast-to-coast tour to show hunters how to avoid some of the common causes of accidents in the field.

Best short-cut to a safe hunting trip is to observe the "Ten Commandments of Safety." It's a good idea, Dot Lind suggests, to clip out

the rules and to put them in your hunting case to read before unlimbering for action.

When the observance of these fundamental rules becomes second nature, hunting easily can become the safest sport in America.



POINTER . . . Point your gun away from your companions when in the field so that you can control the direction of the muzzle even if you stumble.

### Ten Commandments for Hunting

1. Treat every gun with the respect due a loaded gun. This is the cardinal rule of gun safety.
2. Carry only empty guns, taken down or with the action open, into your automobile, camp and home.
3. Always be sure that the barrel and action are clear of obstructions.
4. Always carry your gun so that you can control the direction of the muzzle even if you stumble.
5. Be sure of your target before you pull the trigger.
6. Never point a gun at anything you do not want to shoot.
7. Never leave your gun unattended unless you unload it first.
8. Never climb a tree or crawl through a fence with a loaded gun.
9. Never shoot at a flat, hard surface or the surface of water.
10. Do not mix gunpowder and alcohol.



AT EASE . . . Always unload your gun when you're resting after long tramps through the field.



NO BARBS . . . Crossing fences, unload gun, open the action and place it through the fence first.

### Gun-totin' Woman Is Town 'Flatfoot'

CARRIER MILLS, ILL.—A gun-totin' policeman is "the law" on the east side here. She is Mrs. Mary Brown, a Negro widow, who long has been interested in social work. Regularly she patrols her beat from 4 p. m. to midnight but she insists she "hasn't been scared yet." Decked out in the customary blue suit and visored cap, Mrs. Brown sports a shiny new badge, club and pistol.

Previously employed as a guard at the state training school for girls, she was unable to get another job with the state and decided to work as a "flatfoot" instead.

### No Fun in Own Job, Resorts to Clowning

SHREWSBURY, MASS.—Because he doesn't have any fun on his own job, Walter Gleason likes to put on a clown suit and lead a parade. Gleason, 72, distinguished and graying, is the town's undertaker.

For many years drum major in the Shrewsbury brass band, he took up clowning as a hobby two decades ago. He has led parades in clown costumes some 15 times this year.

Although townfolk find it hard to realize that the local undertaker is one and the same person as the nimble prancing clown, Gleason chuckles, "but the kids always know me."

### 'Honor' Parking Pays Dividend

ST. LOUIS, MO.—If Diogenes were to come to St. Louis, he would not need his famous lantern to find an honest man. All it would take would be a trip to one of the two "honor system" parking lots operated in downtown St. Louis.

After three years of operation, owners of the parking lots conclude that 95 per cent of their customers are honest. That percentage, they declare, voluntarily deposit their

nickels and dimes in rusty, country-style mailboxes.

"The customers are so honest," Lewis J. Drury, who manages one of the lots, reports "that those who don't happen to have the exact change will drop a promissory note for the next day in the box."

High cost of attendants plus faith in their fellow man prompted the owners to install the system in April, 1943.



LAST OF THE OZETTES . . . Elliott Anderson, 70, sole surviving member of the Ozette Indian tribe, is owner of all tribal rights in the Ozette reservation in Washington. With him, above, are two children of the Makah Indian tribe, with which he now lives.

### IN THESE UNITED STATES

## One-man Indian Tribe Retains Sole Rights to Reservation

WNU Features

A one-man Indian tribe is disclosed by records of the office of Indian affairs. He is Elliott Anderson, 70-year-old widower, who is the last surviving member of the once populous Ozette tribe and therefore the sole owner of tribal rights in the 719-acre Ozette reservation in Clallam county, Washington.

But the last Ozette no longer lives on that wild, roadless area of forest and ocean beach, now uninhabited. Several years ago he moved to the Makah reservation at Neah Bay, Wash., at the urging of friends that at his age he should not live alone on his own remote reservation. Until recently he has been employed irregularly by a Makah tribal enterprise.

In 1939, while still living on the Ozette reserve, he applied as the last living Ozette for the \$71.53 remaining in the tribal funds. He received the money, the incident marking the first time in Indian Service history that tribal funds were turned over to one man.

Anderson was born in 1876 near the Ozette river. Two devastating smallpox epidemics struck the tribe at about that time. In the early 80's a count showed 67 members left. In 1906 there were 35, and in 1923, the number had dwindled to 8.

Excelled at Fishing. The Ozettes once were mighty fishermen. Stories still are told of whaling and sealing expeditions so dangerous that only the strongest men could take part. Even in Anderson's youth the seals still abounded off Tatoosh island. He still likes to tell how he and his brother used to swim into caves and holes in the cliffs, hit the seals with clubs and swim back with them to their cedar canoes.

Anderson attended the Makah reservation boarding school at Bahadad Point. Later he became a telephone line repairman. One of his favorite stories concerns the time when, from the top of a tall tree, he espied a group of Indian youths and maidens who had consumed too much "firewater." Cupping his hands, he sang an ancient song. Frightened by the music apparently coming from the air, the young people ran, and Anderson privately enjoyed the weird stories which circulated among the tribe the next day.

A gold watch presented to Anderson for heroism signals his efforts to save lives when the barge "W. J. Pirrie" foundered off the coast in November, 1920. In gale and rain it took nine hours of running and occasionally swimming to make his way from Neah bay to a point near the place where the ship sank.

The Ozette reservation was established by executive order in 1893. It is within the jurisdiction of the Taholah Indian agency, of which George P. LaVatta is superintendent. It is deserted except that occasionally Indians fish in the Ozette river.

Once it was famous for cedar which the Ozettes used for canoe making and for barter with their friends, the Makahs on the north and the Quileutes and the Quinaliets on the south.

### Baled Straw Used For Wall Material

OMAHA.—Another means of combating the lumber shortage has been proposed by Homer Greer, Omaha bus driver, who has applied for patents on a process to use baled straw as bricks in housing construction. Describing straw as a "near perfect insulator," Greer says he could raise the walls of a six-room house with a two-car garage adjoining for about \$155.

## "Off We Go" AVIATION NOTES

### MORE PLANE MODELS

Forty-seven different models of personal and transport planes currently are in production by 29 American aircraft manufacturers, a directory of civil aircraft performance specifications issued by Aircraft Industries association reveals. Planes range from two-passenger, 90-miles per hour personal planes to 200-passenger transports capable of 400 miles per hour.

Most of the 1946 planes, as well as models subsequently tested and approved for production, will be shown at the Cleveland National Aircraft show Nov. 15-24. This will be the first postwar industry-wide exhibition of new models.

Some new experimental and production models are not yet listed in the directory because it covers only models approved for quantity production or undergoing government approval tests on Aug. 31.

A similar publication recently released in Britain disclosed that 14 British manufacturers had announced 28 models of civilian planes.

Under the premise that air-marking is essential in expanding rural aviation, inducements are being offered for all towns in Iowa, Nebraska and Michigan to properly air-mark their towns. Michigan offers free paint for the purpose.

### NO PARKING WORRY

Flying farmers who wish to trade in the little town of Argonia, Kas., don't have to worry about transportation to town. A street leading directly from the airport to the downtown section has been designated as a plane taxi strip. There is even a place arranged downtown for parking.

### KNOWLEDGE COMES HIGH

Time was when school books went to class only under a reluctant scholar's arm. But now, it seems, school books are flying—part way, at least—to their destination. Capital Airlines-PCA, in conjunction with a Syracuse, N. Y., publishing firm, are flying text books to schools throughout much of the nation. Initial shipment consisted of 10,000 fourth grade readers.



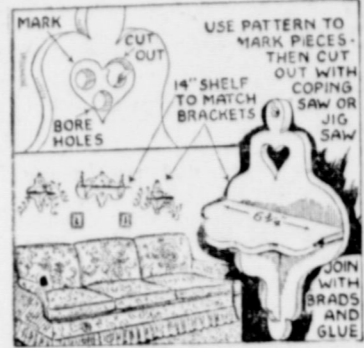
NEW 'THUNDERJET' . . . This is the first aerial photograph of the army's new P-84 jet fighter plane, the Republic Thunderjet, in flight. Although its maximum performance is still a military secret, it is reputed to be in the 600-mph class. Wing span is 36 feet, 5 inches; overall length, 37 feet.

### FARES SLASHED

Substantial reductions in trans-Atlantic air passenger rates became effective with approval by Civil Aeronautics board of fares adopted by International Air Transport association's North Atlantic conference. Reductions average 12½ per cent but will be effective only until Feb. 28, 1947, when the one-year IATA agreement expires. Represented in the conference are American Overseas Air Lines, Pan American Airways and Transcontinental & Western Air Lines.

## Wall Brackets Are Easy to Make; Add Charm to the Living Room

By Ruth Wyeth Spears



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OF ALL the things that a beginner in woodworking can make, nothing adds so much interest and charm to any room as a well designed set of wall brackets.



### Presidential Seal

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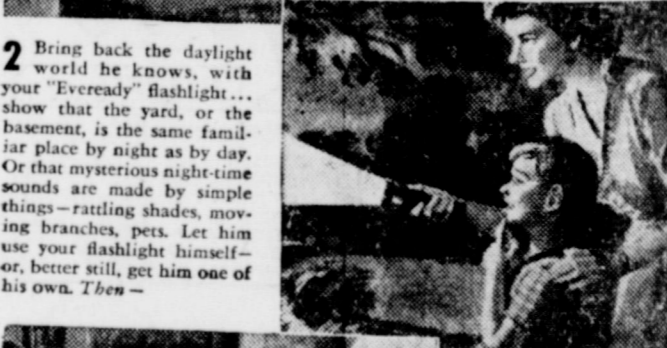
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# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers



## Use Vegetables, Cheese to Serve For Meat Dishes



Certain combinations of vegetables and cheese taste as if there were meat in them. Serve foods like this often if you find meat is scarce.

### Meat Savers

When the meat supply is lean, every homemaker is confronted with the very acute problem of what to serve as a main dish. This becomes an acute problem when the men folk of the family require heavy foods that are both tissue building and satisfying.

Fortunately there are many dishes that may be made with little meat that satisfy these requirements. Then too, if you have a dish with plenty of cheese, poultry, eggs or fish, this may be substituted for the main dish without any qualms as to whether it's really good for the family.

When you do have meat, make the most of it. First, do not shrink it by cooking at too high a temperature; and second, cut off every edible piece and use it wisely.

When you make anything that contains cheese, use a moderate temperature if you want the dish to be palatable, as a high temperature makes cheese stringy and tough.

**Baked Cheese and Hominy.**  
1 tablespoon butter or substitute  
1 tablespoon flour  
1 cup milk  
1/2 cup grated cheese  
1/2 teaspoon paprika  
1 teaspoon salt  
2 cups cooked hominy  
1/4 cup buttered bread crumbs

Melt butter, blend in flour, then add milk slowly, cooking until thickened. Add cheese, paprika and salt. Place hominy in buttered baking dish and pour sauce over it. Cover with crumbs. Bake in a moderate (350 degree) oven for 20 minutes.

**One-Dish Meal.**  
(Serves 6)  
1/2 pound raw, smoked ham or cooked leftover meat  
1/2 pound cheese  
1 green pepper, chopped  
6 ounces fine noodles  
1 1/2 cups water  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 can mushroom soup

Put ham, cheese and green pepper through a food chopper. Add noodles, water and salt with soup to meat and cheese mixture. Pour into a well greased casserole and bake in a moderate (350 degree) oven for 1 hour. Keep casserole covered.

(Note: 1 cup of medium white sauce may be used in place of the soup.)

### LYNN SAYS:

**Cooking Tips:** To cook tough cuts of meat, add 1 tablespoon of vinegar or lemon juice to meat before baking.

Render fat from chicken and use for frying. Bacon dripping may also be used. Keep these fats well chilled so they do not become rancid.

In making custard that calls for more eggs than you have on hand, one or more eggs may be omitted if 1/2 tablespoon of cornstarch is added for each one omitted.

In making fruit or berry pies, if the berries are too juicy, beat in one egg with the sugar and prevent juice from running too freely.

Heat lemons and oranges by dipping in hot water, and they will yield juices more freely.

Add a few grains of salt to coffee while making it to improve flavor.

When making applesauce cake, use ground apples instead of applesauce.

### LYNN CHAMBERS' MENUS

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Creamed Potatoes  
Sliced Cold Meat  
Jellied Fruit Salad  
Biscuits with Honey  
Caramel Pudding Beverage  
\*Recipe given.

Leftover meat can be stretched in any number of ways, but one of the best methods is to cream it and add vegetables. Leftover meat tends to dry readily even though it is wrapped when refrigerated, and any sauce, tomatoes or other liquid that is added will make it savory and juicy.

### Creamed Veal.

(Serves 6)  
7 medium-sized potatoes  
1/2 cup milk  
1 egg, well beaten  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 tablespoon butter  
2 cups cooked, diced veal  
1 cup medium white sauce  
Paprika  
Parsley  
12 small, cooked carrots

Peel and boil potatoes until tender. Drain and mash. Add milk, egg, salt and butter. Whip until smooth and fluffy. Form mashed potatoes into a circular border on a well oiled baking sheet, using a pastry tube or a cookie press. Brown in a hot oven (450 degrees). Transfer to a large platter. Fill the center with the veal which has been mixed with well-seasoned white sauce, thoroughly heated. Garnish with paprika, parsley and carrots.



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1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
1 egg  
1/4 cup milk  
1 cup finely shredded carrots  
1 cup mashed potatoes  
1 cup finely shredded cabbage  
Mix all ingredients together in order given. Bake in a loaf pan in a moderate (350 degree) oven for 1 hour.

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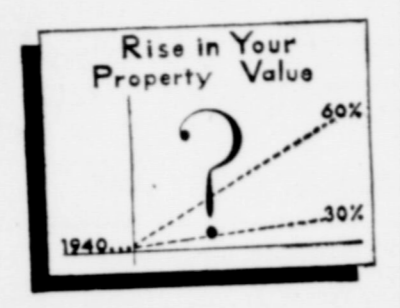
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### Soapless Soaps Ease Household Chores

AN INCREASING number of farm women are using soapless soaps or wetting agents to help them in a variety of household tasks, an article in nationally circulated Capper's Farmer points out.

These wetting agents usually come in very granular form and are proving superior to ordinary soaps because they actually do double duty—soften water and cleanse—the magazine declares. Formulation of scum by soap in hard water is a characteristic common to all soaps, but not to wetting agents. The substance in these synthetic detergents combines minerals in hard water to make salts dissolve, instead of making the curd-like substance or scum which is an insoluble salt, the article explains.

Giving better contact between the washing solution and surface to be cleaned, these wetting agents get a material or surface wetter and do it quickly. Near neutral in reaction, instead of alkaline, the wetting agents are most effective for cleansing milk utensils and separators.



Soapless soaps cut separator cleaning time.

Among numerous uses in which these wetting agents are being employed, says the magazine read by 1,300,000 farm families, are: dishwashing, fabric-washing, including woolens, blankets and sweaters, window-washing, family car washing, washing fabrics on furniture, washing milk buckets and separators.



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### Home Water Treatment

A phosphate compound, Micromet, and a feeder to add the compound in right amounts to water will prevent scale and control corrosion in a household water system, writes the Rural Home editor of nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer. It also helps prevent "rusty water" caused by iron. The feeder device is installed in a vertical position on cold water intake line of water heater. After the initial charge of one pound of Micromet, only one fourth pound needs to be poured into feeder each month, says the magazine read by 1,300,000 farm families.

John Bunyon's Pilgrim's Progress has been translated into more than 100 languages and dialects.

There are 36 columns in the Lincoln Memorial, representing the number of states in the Union at the time of Lincoln death.

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### LUBBOCK ON COTTON MAHON TO SPEAK AT

Congressman George Mahon announced from his Lubbock office this week that on October 24th a Congressional Committee would hold a hearing in Lubbock in regard to future policies and legislation affecting cotton and cotton producers.

The purpose of the hearing is to get the views of cotton producers with respect to legislation to be considered by the next Congress. A portion of the AAA law, including that part which enables producers to establish national and local cotton acreage quotas will expire next year.

The Committee is coming to West Texas upon the invitation of Representative Mahon. The Committee will be headed by Congressman Steve Pace of Georgia, author of the well known Pace Parity bill. Mr. Pace is an influential member of the House Committee on Agriculture. Six other members of this important Committee are scheduled to accompany Mr. Pace to Lubbock for the hearing. In the group will be Congressman Bob Poage of Waco, well known in farm circles.

Mahon said that the committee would hold two hearings in Texas, one at Cameron in Central Texas and the one at Lubbock on Oct. 24. The exact place in Lubbock where the meeting will be held is yet to be announced.

Mahon emphasized the importance of cotton to the future prosperity of West Texas and expressed

the hope that each county in this District would have at least one representative at the Lubbock meeting. The committee is seeking the viewpoint of the cotton farmer as to support prices, loans, parity, acre age restrictions, and numerous other questions of concern to cotton producers.

### Accidents Most Frequent at Nite

Unlighted streets and highways in Texas will be the scene of over 4550 night time traffic accidents this year with the fatal accident toll amounting to over 650 if the present nationwide increase in motor vehicle accidents continues, according to the Traffic Safety office at Cleveland, Ohio.

Traffic accidents are already up 20 per cent over last year, said the Bureau which has just completed an analysis of the motor vehicle accidents in Texas based on 1945 figures.

The study showed that 4032 accidents and 623 fatal accidents occurred on unlighted Texas

ways in 1945. A total of 1302 accidents were recorded for year with 694 occurring during hours of darkness when there was only one third the volume of daytime traffic.

American Indians did not refer to their future state as "the hunting ground." Application of term was made by early day explorers as a result of descriptions given them by hunting tribes.

On November 11, 1794 the U. S. signed a treaty guaranteeing the Indian on the tribal rolls of the Nations, six yards of calico annually --with calico selling at \$1 a yard a day that aint a bad gift!

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Editor's Note: While Winchell is on vacation, Jack Lait is acting as guest columnist.

News Nuggets—

A former screen star, who made a fortune, lists her youthful husband, on her income tax questionnaire, as a dependent. . . . The only Rolls-Royce in Saratoga belongs to Mrs. Leo Best, of our Hotel Plaza. . . . My item, that the Warner-Joan Crawford contract is unsigned, was verified to me. The reason: Joan demands a clause that her every picture be released within six months. "Humoresque" is being held back because the studio wants it in competition for next year's Oscar awards. . . . Walter Florell, the hat designer, won't break through his OPA ceiling—only \$100. . . . The Windsor's check in at the Waldorf, Oct. 1. . . . Jimmy Savo is seriously ill in a Los Angeles hospital. . . . The much-sought Nijinsky is reported in Vienna. . . . Lew Ayres will be best man for Jennifer Holt and Bill Blackwell, Sept. 25.

New York's newest fabulous party thrower is Dick Cowell. I don't remember seeing his name in print before. He has a Park Ave. home that—well, he entertains 300 guests at one time. And that's almost nightly. . . . He goes in for gold in a big way—dishes, trappings, even his personal toilet articles. . . . One guest swiped his all-gold nailfile recently. . . . Please return; no questions asked.

A Crisis Is Imminent in the domestic affairs of the John Jacob Astors. . . . Virgo, the model, calling it all a mistake after one week of marriage. . . . Midtown hotels are still clearing out permanent guests; some refuse to rent rooms that accommodate two as singles—at less than the double rate. . . . Platinum, up from \$80 to \$90 an ounce, will go to \$120, jewelers anticipate. . . . Swedish filmagnate Gustav Walley is here to line up acting talent. . . . Faith Dorn, Howard Hughes' movie protegee, whose name he spent a fortune to ballyhoo, will be billed in Preston Sturges' "Vendetta" as Faith Domergue. . . . Col. Charles Lindbergh is occupied with a new scientific experiment, nothing to do with aviation.

Beatrice Kay stops me to dab her eyes with a hankie and say, "I'm mourning for a dear friend, who just went to his eternal rest—he got a political job in Washington!"

John Boles, ex-screen star, has come back—as a floorshow singer. His click at the Arrowhead Inn brought him a string of cabaret offers. . . . Lew Lehr, the comical clown, bought the 68-acre Colonial mansion of the late Col. E. R. Bradley at New Canaan, Conn. . . . June Havoc is in again for a plastic—her third, or is it fourth? This one is a dilly, I hear—to remove rings from under her eyes! . . . Three months ago, James Barry, baritone at the Havana-Madrid, ran an elevator in the Paramount Bldg. . . . Bee Palmer, Al Siegel's first wife and first star, after a 20-year chill, came to him to say she would stand by him in any threatened litigation. . . . The Tommy Farrells (he's Glenda's actor son) have their final decree.

Jerome Wildberg, producer, has never tasted liquor in his life. He had to make a phone-call and had nothing smaller than a \$5 bill. He went into a cheap grocery, ordered whisky which he didn't touch, handed over the bill. As he waited for the change, a lush put his arm on his shoulder and hoarsed: "You know, we're a couple o' damned fools!" (And with that he passed out.)

Sen. James Mead is in for a decisive trouncing by Gov. Tom Dewey in his forthcoming race for governor of New York. . . . I raise my former prediction of a 500,000 majority to 600,000. . . . Ex-Gov. Herbert Lehman, foremost contender for the Democratic nomination to Mead's senate seat, can scarcely overcome such a sweep, although he is expected to run 200,000 to 250,000 ahead of Mead. . . . Gen. Hugh A. Drum, apparently Dewey's choice, is an unknown in politics, a regular army man, commissioned by President McKinley when his father, a captain, was killed in the Spanish-American war. . . . As a campaigner he has no record, and it is difficult to predict what sort of individual showing he will make.

Barbara Stanwyck and Bob Taylor have applied for passports, with visas to Sweden. . . . Anne Sothorn's sister, Bonnie Lake will lead a 10-singer ensemble. . . . Good for David Brooks! He discarded his microphone at Cafe Society Uptown, and is even more effective. . . . "Three Broadway Girls," a smutty current contender, is Zoe Akins' oldie, "The Greeks Had a Word for It." It was a Goldwyn picture, with Ina Claire, Joan Blondell and Madge Evans in leading roles.

# Washington Digest

## Diary of 46 Years Ago Points Way for Present

By BAUKHAGE  
News Analyst and Commentator.

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WASHINGTON, June 11.—Mary Condit Smith, a young Washington society girl, visiting diplomatic friends in China, and a 'leven-year-old boy in a little town on the Erie Canal both were keeping diaries at the turn of the century.



Baukhage

Mary, alone in her room in the American legation in Peking on June 11, 1900, slipped on her pink silk dressing gown, sat down and wrote:

"The telegraph was broken last night. We have no more communication with the outside world; our world is this dangerous Peking."

That same day, though it was really the day before, according to the strange tricks Old Sol plays as he pushes the clock around while he marches westward and paradoxically reaches the Far East—that same day, Monday, June 11, a boy in the fifth grade of the High street school painfully inscribed this entry in his book:

"It rained this A. M. Two more weeks and we'll be free from this School of Misery." (The next day it is of record that he broke the crank of his "wheel"—bicycle to you.)

The boy's name appears at the head of this column and what he wrote isn't important, but just 46 years later he was to read Mary's diary. She had gone to her reward long since but not until her diary became a book and she had become Mrs. Hooker, a colonel's lady.

**White Man's Prestige Slipped to Low**  
As I read this fascinating story, told in simple, boarding-school English, those awful days when the foreign colony in Peking lived in the daily horror of massacre during the Boxer rebellion, became very real.

Today the fires of civil war are spreading in China. Voices are being raised, demanding that our marines be withdrawn. American prestige has fallen almost as low as it was when Mary Hooker in her diary told the dramatic story of the Boxer Rebellion—that moment in China's history when Americans, along with all foreigners reached their nadir. History repeats.

The Empress Tzuhsi, a reactionary, encouraged the activities of the Boxers and other groups whose chief purpose was to cleanse China of the "foreign devils." It is only fair to say that China had passed through a period during which the accidental powers had exploited her to the hilt.

Attacks on foreigners, especially missionaries, began in 1899, but as Mary Hooker records, "the diplomats and people in general put these things down to the usual spring riots which yearly seized Peking."

By June and July of 1900, however, the foreigners found themselves besieged in Peking. As late as June 7 Mary's diary reports:

"Mr. Pethick . . . forty years a resident of China and an intimate friend of half the political leaders, knowing their weaknesses by heart, urges the minister to state to Washington the situation as it is, but all to no avail."

Three days later, as I mentioned, the foreign colony "had no communication with the outside world."

The next day's entry states: "Such intense excitement! This afternoon the Japanese Chancellor of the Legation went down to the railway station in the official legation car to see if there was any sign of troops. Returning by the principal gate, he was seized by the Imperial (Chinese) troops, disemboweled and cut to pieces."

**Eagerly Awaited Arrival of Troops**  
From then on the entries become even more exciting. . . . twenty of our marines have been sent by an officer to guard the big Methodist Mission . . . the Russian secretary . . . has figures at the ends of his fingers about the number of troops Russia can land in Tien-Tsin . . . are

they trying to prepare us for a Russian coup d'etat? Each day the arrival of foreign troops was awaited. On June 17 the entry reads:

"Just one week ago today we got the telegram that the combined forces of England, the United States, France, Japan, etc. . . . had left to go to the relief of the legations in Peking . . . when the time comes that the American and Russian legations can no longer hold out, the British legation will be the stage for the terrible last act."

The Roman Catholic church was one of many burned, and the converts and their families in the vicinity slaughtered.

"In some cases," says the diary, "the Christians thought it better to be roasted in their houses than try to escape." (She herself had decided that she might as well be massacred in her pink silk dressing gown with a pink bow at her neck as in her golf clothes.)

On the 19th of June, the Chinese government offered to give legation members their passports and escort them and their families to the port. There was a division of opinion as to whether to trust the Chinese. In the evening the German minister started to confer a second time on the question when he was murdered in the streets.

The situation grows worse.

**Dead Piled Around Ramparts**  
A bullet knocks off the headpiece of a baby's crib.

All the women are sewing sandbags.

The Dutch and Austrian legations burn.  
On July 1: "There are so many dead dogs, horses and Chinese lying in heaps all around the defensed lines, but too far for us to bury or burn them."

They used the dead horses closer by, however: "The . . . mess has an invariable menu. At breakfast, rice, tea and jam; at tiffin, rice and horse; at dinner, rice, horse and jam."  
With the privations and fear of the Boxers grew the suspicion and distrust of the members of the foreign missions of each other. Russians and English hated each other; Americans were the buffers. Racial ructions have no date lines. Mary Hooker notes:

"The dislike of the Russians for the British is so cordial that it is only equalled by the feeling the British entertain toward them. Our compound joins the Russians, and they love us and we love them in as strong a fashion as they hate their English neighbors on their other side."  
And so pretty Mary Hooker wrote history. . . .

But it was more than history. It was drama. It was tragedy. Just look over her shoulder once again: "July 9 . . . day before yesterday, the Austrian Charge d'Affaires was shot at the French legation. . . . At first we kept a record of the dead or badly wounded . . . but now they come in so often we cease to note the exact number. . . .

"July 16 . . . I was en route to the hospital carrying a pot of coffee to the doctors and nurses when some soldiers passed me, carrying a rough litter, bearing Captain Strouts (the British commanding officer) mortally wounded."  
Then July 16:  
"It is discussed quietly by men that they will certainly kill their wives when that time comes (to make a final stand). God grant it never may! Apropos of this, I have in my pocket a small pistol loaded with several cartridges, to use if the worst happens. A Belgian secretary stole it from the armoury for me—in case you need it, mademoiselle."

Then finally this note on August 15, when the Chinese were closing in on the improvised fortifications manned by lord and flunky, soldier and civilian making their last stand . . . "a veritable ring of flame on all sides of the defenses."

And then!—"Through that racket that was around us all night, we could faintly hear the unmistakable sound of the foreign guns of our troops."  
That page of history, let us hope, will not be repeated.

## BARBS . . . by Baukhage

"Joy-buzzers" which give you a shock handshake, the American Machinist says, produced a profit of \$140,000 in one year. Better than a clammy paw. . . .

A new non-fogging glass for auto windshields has been invented, according to Business Week. Now if we can assure a non-fogging brain for the driver we'll be okay.

There will be more cranberries for your Thanksgiving turkey this year, department of agriculture says. Now all we need is the turkey. . . .

The army and the navy at last have gotten together on the question of how long is a mile. The nautical mile was 800 feet longer than the infantry mile. But the sailors didn't care. They didn't have to walk it.

## WOMAN'S WORLD

### Two Worn Dresses Often Yield One Good Wearable Garment

By Ertta Haley

WE'VE all had the experience of seeing two worn dresses in the closet, one with the top perhaps all worn beyond repair, and another dress with a skirt that is out of style or no longer useful. Have you ever thought of combining the wearable portions of each dress and making a chic dress from the combination?

Yes, it can be done, and with very good results provided you really take the care to mold the two into one complete garment.

First of all, you may have several dresses as possibilities. For the combination, select two dresses which have a harmonious color scheme, and what is even more important, harmonious fabrics. In other words, don't try to combine a cheap cotton with a rich rayon crepe or a jersey with a wool.

Here are some combinations which you will find compatible: velvet or velveteen with lace or taffeta; two kinds of rayons, provided the texture doesn't clash; wool with silk or rayon or even taffeta (provided there isn't too much of the latter); cotton with cotton, wool with wool, etc.

It's best not to try to match colors, since this is really too difficult, but rather to strive for a good contrast. If the dresses simply don't go together, you might try dyeing one of them to contrast with the color of the first one. Always select the easiest one to dye for the job.

Speaking of things that harmonize or contrast well, you might very well try combining a print with a solid color, or a plaid with plain, etc., as these offer interest.

### Dressmaker Sleeves



Molly uses the Norfolk silhouette with dressmaker sleeves and a wide turn-back collar in this suit of gray gabardine. Note the well-tailored detail and button interior.



Two old dresses can make . . .

ing combinations. And if the print does not match the solid, it often can be dyed so that the shade will contrast well, without ruining the print.

**Hints on Combining Two Dresses Properly**

No combination of two-dresses-into-one will be successful unless you do the combining completely. First of all, the dresses must be either washed or cleaned properly. Every piece of the garment must be pressed carefully so that it can then be re-cut and sewed properly—just as though it were new fabric.

To remove any lines or stitches left on the garment after ripping, press with a damp cloth under the iron. Be sure to remove any small pieces of thread by pulling them away from the garment.

A pattern can be of great help in putting together a dress of this type as many of them show how to combine two fabrics cleverly. Many fashions are adaptable to remodeling of this type, and it won't be hard to put the garment together if you have a guide.

Don't waste work by trying to reclaim garments that do not have material worth sewing on. If you



One new, smart one.

find just one dress that's good enough to remodel, then buy enough material to go with it, instead of using material that is already too worn.

**Secrets of Combining Dresses Smartly**

To give you some help in selecting dresses that really go together, I'm going to give some concrete ideas that have worked and may be useful to you.

### Guarding Your Woolens

Dry cleaning is preferable for cleaning most woolens as it preserves the nap, but many knit garments, flannels and challies wash well with tepid water and a mild soap.

Avoid rubbing as this gets the fibers out of place. Hot water and strong soaps are taboo; so are chlorine bleaches.

Mend woolens before washing them or the holes will easily stretch larger by the washing procedure.

If blankets show strains of yanking and pulling (because they weren't long enough to begin with) place a strip of cloth at top or bottom or around all sides before the blanket is ruined. Satin ribbon or binding is well used in this case.

Never iron wool with a hot iron. Follow the guide on your iron if you have one of this type. It's always a good idea to use a damp cloth over the wool when ironing, both to prevent scorching and also to give the fabric a nicer, softer finish.

## Fashion Forecast

Look for the side fringe on slim skirts this season. It's very new. And gray flannel skirts are a must—can be worn with anything.

Incidentally, sweaters are being worn inside skirts more often than out. Responsible for this is the passing of the "sloppy joe" sweater, and also the new belts which add nice tailored touches to the costume.

Sandals for lounging still show very definite effects of Greek inspiration. There are lots of straps and grace to them, and the colors are an inspiration to see.

Stripes have not passed along with summer. They are here to stay in the soft, lightweight woolens that make up such nice tailored dresses for business, shopping or school.

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When we came in late the other night and told the wife she could never guess where we had been, she said she could, but to go on and tell our story anyway.

We understood that the nudist who recently held a convention in New York wouldn't even permit a book in camp if it had its jacket on. We wrote a book one time entitled "The Revolving Door", and the publishers rejected it as too revoluntionary.

### SAFETY HINTS

It is said that half a million matches a minute are lighted in the United States. But it takes only one of these, dropped unextinguished or left within the reach of a venturesome child, to cause a destructive and tragic fire. The Texas Safety Association asks you always to break matches in two before they are discarded. And store them beyond the reach of children's hands.

This week is the anniversary of the Great Chicago Fire of 1871. Probably you don't have Mrs. O'Leary's cow in the Garage but are you sure you don't have any fire hazards in the house? Have you had your heating apparatus cleaned and checked recently? Are your electrical appliances in good repair? Do you always keep cigarette trays empty and see that it is not left smoldering at night.

The Texas Safety Association gives a word of warning about burning dead leaves. The word is "watch!" Watch the fires closely. Watch it all the time it is burning and see that it is not left smoldering at night.

The Texas Safety Association says one little word could save thousands of lives lost each year thru fires. That one word is THINK! A match has a head and can't think; YOU CAN! Use your head to save a life — maybe yours!

The Holland Tunnel, connecting New York City and Jersey City, and built under the Hudson river is the most expensive automobile road ever built in this country. It is only 1.6 miles long but cost \$48 million

The girl who sinks in his arms of ten ends up with her arms in his sink.

### A Nation's Good

Gentlemen of the Continental Congress, who years ago made some important decisions for us, today deserve a vote of confidence. Will we keep the form of government they outlined and set up for us or do we change to something like that in Britain, France or Russia? Let us make our decision on a basis of results. If we don't make it soon somebody will make it for us.

Selecting our course ourselves, doing so wisely and soon is extremely important. Small items of business can be bungled today and corrected tomorrow; but not this one. If the United States should once go collectivist completely, it would never be a republic again until people who live now are forgotten. There are no practice shots; we make this decision once, and that's how it will be.

In comparing the American system with any socialistic plan, one point must be held in mind constantly; Freedom to think. Nothing is more valuable than good ideas and everybody has them. Nobody has a corner on them. Where any person is free to get ideas and put them to work at his own risk, good ones come to light in a hurry and are put to work in a way that helps everybody; that's democracy.

Under any socialistic system of central planning, only a few are considered worthy to think. They have ideas occasionally, of course, but do not try them out at their own risk. They put them to work on a big scale at the nation's risk. By this system the whole people must suffer for the blunders of a few. That's collectivism, and the differences show up clearly in general prosperity.

America is the most prosperous country on earth. At the last check, national income in the United States was equal to that of the six next highest countries; national income being the grand total of what everybody earns. Under the American system, incomes are different; some higher than others but all high. In socialist countries incomes are more alike, uniformly low.

America's national enemies cry out against capitalism in tones that make the word sound like a dread disease. At least, under the American system, accumulated wealth is used rather than hoarded. Savings in America are invested in machinery to help workers produce more and earn more. Where profits are unlawful, dividends are impossible, production and wages both low.

Let me illustrate what the American system is worth to the world: Solomon, King of Israel, and George Washington, the first President of the United States, lived about alike. They rode in horse-drawn vehicles, wore hand-loomed clothes, used animal oil for light and wood for fuel. They lived nearly 3,000 years apart. Think what you have now and remember that Washington died less than 150 years ago.

The system of private enterprise has many critics. Students in modern colleges and high schools are able glibly to point out defects in America's manner of life. Admittedly, it is not perfect because nothing is perfect that is made up of imperfect people. Just the same, when the time comes to choose a successful system, pick one that makes the average man richer.

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### Harmony

During the recent months of industrial strife and popular confusion, current events have been almost as common a topic of conversation as the weather. Wherever people congregate, somebody opens the subject of "What's the world coming to, anyhow?" It's a wholesome condition. The common sense of Tom, Dick and Harry has saved this nation from many a bad spill.

Recently an old man (slightly deaf) sat near me on the train. With him was a teen-age girl, a grand-daughter perhaps. They had divided a newspaper between them. Granddad spoke first. "There's nothing wrong with this country if everybody would get together and do the right thing," he observed. The girl looked at him, shifted her gum and replied, "Many an honest heart beats beneath a wooden head."

Maybe she lacked respect for her elders but the young woman was practical. People in a country this large don't get together. Moreover they don't do the right thing unless they know what it is, and their education in economic matters has been sadly neglected. Unless that very situation is corrected before long, our people will trail the British into the wilderness of Collectivism.

I believe in specialization but I think no specialty should be so narrow as to exclude good citizenship. I believe in versatility, but how can any collection of miscellaneous knowledge be complete without some facts about how men became free to pursue knowledge and get understanding? No people can remain free long after their youth cease to appreciate their sacred liberties.

Within the last 12 months, I have been privileged to talk with the students of a great many high schools and colleges in widely scattered states. I have discussed private enterprise and state socialism with them, and I can testify that most of them seem to consider private enterprise a failure. Some of them have been extremely well coached to debate against it.

Questioning them sympathetically, I find that very few of the students I meet have a clear idea about what private enterprise is. They consider it a system that gives special advantages to rich men and big corporations. They point out that our system has not maintained full employment, has not prevented alternate depressions and booms, and has never equalized living standards.

It is no surprise that studious youngsters are able to pick the obvious flaws in any system, but here is a surprise: Almost without exception these young people seem to think all the imperfections of America's present system can be corrected by government management. With the scandalous exhibitions of incompetence from WPA to the OPA, how can anybody expect politics to help?

Harmony is really needed in American industry, and American government, but it will be found only on a plane of better knowledge. Text books must be prepared and instructors trained to teach Americanism if human freedom, individual opportunity and intellectual liberty are to continue. When enough of us know the truth we can do the right thing whether we can actually get together or not.

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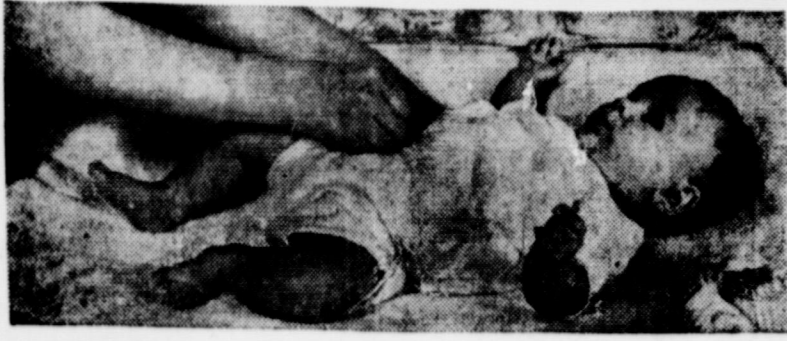
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"Too often gifts are chosen because they are clever and cute," she writes in the magazine read by 1,300,000 farm families.

"Mothers appreciate gifts of shirts, nighties and suits of clothing in 1- to 3-year-old size that the child can grow into. Also useful are simple, durable toys that can be boiled. Sterilizers and bottle warmers and blankets are especially practical.

"In the furniture line for babies, one of the popular new pieces is a high chair which can be converted into a small playpen.

"Homemade gifts for the new baby add a special touch. Even if you're a beginning knitter, tiny in-

fant clothing will be easy to make." Among other gift suggestions for the baby which mothers have found practical, she adds, are rubber pants, sleepers, sweaters for the child to grow into, Custard cups for heating food, funnels, glass cups or pint measuring cups marked in ounces, juice squeezers, small strainers and tongs will help mother in the kitchen.

Toys may not be useful at first, but the child soon will be old enough to appreciate them. Teething rings, beads, waterproof soft balls, wooden cymbals and rattles are nice gifts. When buying toys, the writer admonishes, take care there are no sharp corners or removable parts that could cause injury to the child.

The time of the year the child is born should always be considered in selecting the most appropriate gifts, the writer concludes.

Health Department alike believe that it is better to remain healthy than it is to get well after becoming ill, but the Department is engaged in the control and prevention of disease as it affects the general population of a community or state. The field of treatment and cure of those ill belongs solely to the general practitioner of medicine.

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### BREAKFAST IS GIVEN

Surprise breakfast was given in C. A. Bearden home last Thursday morning to celebrate the birth of Mrs. Albert Lamb, daughter of the Beardens and in honor of J. A. Bearden, mother of Mr. Bearden, who is leaving for points to visit other members of her family.

Those present were: Mr and Mrs Bearden, Thelma and Lena Bill, J. A. Bearden, Mr and Mrs. Stephens and Alta B., Mr. Mrs. Albert Lamb and Carol McKeen, Mr and Mrs. Hughey McKeen, Marcus, Ethel and Winifred Kee.

### NAVY CORPSMEN TO BE RELEASED SOON

New Orleans -- Progress of the Navy's hospital corpsmen training program will allow release of all men involuntarily retained on active duty by January 1st, 8th Naval District headquarters announced today.

Orders issued in early August, when the remainder of the Navy's mobilization program was drawn to a close, retained on active duty all male hospital corpsmen who had completed less than 18 months of service, regardless of eligibility for discharge until an 18 month duty period was completed.

### DUTIES OF STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Austin -- Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, was recently asked to give the duties of the Texas Department of Health in connection with those of the general practitioner of medicine.

He stated, "The Health Department is charged with protecting the public health. This it does by educating the people as to how they may secure protection against disease, such as vaccination against smallpox and typhoid fever and immunization against diphtheria; by investigation of sources of outbreaks of disease, by quarantine and isolation of those ill with communicable disease; by the prevention of spread of disease; inspection of water supplies; by advocating the production and use of safe milk and prevent threatened outbreaks of communicable diseases.

"People will become ill and accidents will happen. The cure of sick and the repair of accidents are within the scene of the duties of the practitioner of medicine and surgery. The general practitioner of medicine is also engaged in preventive medicine when he advises others to have their children protected against diphtheria and smallpox or the family as a whole immunized against typhoid fever before planning travel such as cross country trips."

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Notes of a Newspaper Man:

Churchill and Ass't Sec'y of State Berle thrashed out a lot of problems at 10 Downing street during the war. Berle protested Churchill's support of only one Yugoslav party (Tito's)...

The Democrats were going to use "You Need Mead" for the N. Y. gubernatorial campaign slogan...

Quotation Marksmanship: Goethe: There is no more terrible sight than ignorance in action...

"How are the Dodgers doing?" "Which do you mean — the ones in Brooklyn or the ones in the State Dept?"

Sounds in the Night: In the Stork: They seem to be treating Henry Wallace like he was Henry Aldrich...

Whatever became of that old gag about the restaurant patron who asked the time of a passing waitress...

Sallies in Our Alley: They were discussing a Broadway actor on the skids. "I hear," said a Lindyite...

International Weather Report: Dark war clouds over Europe; continued fog over Washington.

A foreign correspondent tells about his conversation with a Russian scientist who deplored those who discuss atomic energy only in terms of war...

Manhattan Murals: The Hamburger Heaven opposite St. Patrick's cathedral on 51st, which serves little paper envelopes (of sugar) on which is printed: "And stir like H—!"

Bigtown Smalltalk: The Army-Notre Dame game will make the local hotel site cheery again on November 8-9.

Washington Digest

Nation Suffers Scarcity Of Competent Teachers

By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, 1616 Eye Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Less than a year and a half after the question of which would triumph, nazism or democracy, the United States is being forced to meet a crisis in its competitive struggle to maintain its way of life.



Baukhage

Two years ago the prediction, based on trends of that moment, was made that "our school system faces one of the greatest crises in its history—American schools have lost 200,000 competent, well-prepared teachers since Pearl Harbor."

At that time only one out of a hundred school teachers held "emergency certificates"—certificates issued to persons admittedly not in the "competent, well-prepared" class.

Today, according to an estimate made in an article in the October issue of Coronet magazine, one out of every eight hold such certificates and out of the 200,000 teachers lost to war industries, the draft and other wartime activities, Coronet finds at least 75,000 of those teachers "lost" for good.

And not satisfied with what is now being done, the Soviets are demanding still higher standards of "ideological and political" knowledge for their teachers.

The office of education of the United States government is fully aware of the danger facing our public schools. Its functions are strictly limited, however, to the acquisition and distribution of information.

Actual promotional activities are forbidden and improvement of conditions rests fundamentally with the states and local communities. The office of education is doing all it can. Full co-operation in the gathering of data is provided and for the last six weeks or so special efforts have been made to bring information on this subject up to date for distribution.

National Education association, which began an intensive campaign two years ago to assist in the recruitment of teachers, improvement of working conditions and higher salaries, has renewed its efforts as a result of action taken at the organization's convention this July.

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Cheat Pupils Out Of Proper Education

Meanwhile, as Charles Harris says in the previously quoted Coronet article, "we are cheating our boys and girls of their right to the kind of an education they desire," by permitting this teacher shortage which has closed more than 7,000 class rooms and over-expanded classes so that individual attention to pupils has virtually vanished.

The worst phase of the situation is the turnover. As is evidenced by the number of "emergency certificates" issued, the standard has fallen sharply. Harris mentions one school which permitted a convict to be released from jail because no one else could be found to teach the pupils.

BARBS . . . by Baukhage

Secretary Anderson says we ought to be glad the hogs and cattle are on the ranges putting on more weight—even if we aren't.

If you read both the Republican and Democratic house organs, you'll be as confused as Alice was when the Red Queen asked her what remained when you took a dog from a bone.

pils had never had more than a fourth grade education herself. Low pay is, as it has always been, one of the chief difficulties. It is a strange paradox that the business and industrial groups, who are most anxious that the principles of democracy and free enterprise be thoroughly taught, are the greatest competitors of the schoolhouse.

Here in Washington the minimum wage of teachers is below that of lower grade clerical assistants and file clerks in the government. In industrial centers, the gap is wider. In business, there is more of a demand today for college-trained personnel.

Chambers of commerce, disturbed by the threat of untrained minds in their communities, have appealed to the government to promote special teachers' programs as a part of the veterans' re-training programs but here again the federal government would be treading on thin ice.

Not only poor pay but also lack of social life drives many prospective teachers into other fields. That is something that only the community can change.

If the teacher's position is not changed for the better and the public school system is not restored to its normal place in our democracy we will have lost the one thing without which democracy cannot grow. Democracy cannot renew itself, it must be renewed in the hearts of each new generation.

Slips Over Fast One on Censor

One of the few joys left to a newspaper correspondent in one of the foreign cities where censorship still prevails is trying to beat the censor. One of the most amusing "beats" of this kind was scored by Drew Middleton writing from Moscow for the New York Times.

Perhaps it fooled many American readers, too. It reads: "Ilya Ehrenburg, writing in Izvestia, continued his long series of articles on the United States, a group of articles which for depth and understanding are superior to anything written on these lines since the works of Charles Lutwidge Dodgson."

The dispatch was passed by the censor who didn't know that Dodgson was the real name of Lewis Carroll who wrote, "Alice in Wonderland," some of the most delightful nonsense ever penned.

I do not know whether Ehrenburg's articles as published in Moscow differed from those which he published in the United States, but I must say that some of them reflected life in America as truly as the scene at the Mad Hatter's tea party followed the pattern of an ordinary tea party in England.

"Very uncomfortable for the Dormouse," thought Alice; "only it's asleep, I suppose it doesn't mind." The Hatter was the first to break the silence. "What day of the month is it?" he said, turning to Alice.

"Two days wrong!" sighed the Hatter. "I told you butter wouldn't suit the works," angrily looking at the March Hare.

"It was the best of butter," the March Hare meekly replied. Although Middleton's comparison between Dodgson and Ehrenburg was probably well-chosen, I doubt if the censor would have passed the comment had he ever read "Alice in Wonderland."

Don't be effusive with dogs, just polite. Too much familiarity may breed resentment, and mud on your front.

The Archbishop of Canterbury told his motorcycle escort that it thrilled him to go through red lights. A good American traffic cop could get a bishop through the eye of a needle.

Kathleen Norris Says:

The Shortest Way Home

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"Why not give them your blessing and buy them some sturdy boots and shirts and ship them off to Canada and Mexico."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

JIM PHILLIPS' mother wrote me an anguished letter a year ago, when Jim was reported dead in a Japanese prison camp. Later, by one of those miracles that just a few mothers were privileged to know, Jim came home; thinner and graver and older, but back safe into their arms once more.

"Telka is three years older than Jim, she is 28," writes Jim's mother. "She is American born, of Russian and English parentage, never finished high school, and has been working for nine years. Jim met her when she came into my household as a practical nurse, during my father-in-law's last illness; that there was anything between them I never dreamed, but it seems there was, and my splendid, generous boy made her his legal wife before he went away."

"When the report of his death came, Telka was away in an army hospital, nursing, and that report was denied by his return before we heard anything from her. Now she is home, living with her mother, father, and some younger brothers and sisters, in the crowded way such families do live."

"If Jim still loved her, I would not be writing you this letter. But he seems to have had all feeling drained out of him by the frightful experience through which he has passed. Twenty-one months of starvation, cold, loneliness, and the sufferings and deaths of his friends all about him, have left him only terribly tired—confused—helpless."

"Into our lovely home, perfectly kept by the old colored servants who have been with me since the first of my children was born, comes this strong, big, foreign-looking girl with her claim as my son's wife. She is as shy and confused as Jim is, but when my husband very considerably talked to her, she gave no signs of surrendering her claim. Telka, I may add, is thought unusually handsome."

"We are all in the same agony of perplexity that has seized upon the younger pair. Telka will not agree to hushing the matter up with a quiet divorce, although my husband would pay her expenses to Nevada and support her there indefinitely. She says the whole thing must be made public, for the sake of her own reputation, as quite a few of her friends and her own family are aware of the situation, and she will not have any suspicions floating about in future days."

"Jim appears bewildered, and tired—tired—tired. He has no job, and as my husband is a portrait painter he cannot make a job for his son. At one moment, Jim says of course he loves Telka—at another he says to me wearily, 'You tell me what to do, Mom.' I am at my wit's end, and I in turn am turning to you—what shall we do?"



"If mother would stop fussing . . ."

GIVE THEM A CHANCE

Too much protection and solicitation are bad for the returned soldier. He wants time to think things out. His mother's ideas of what is good for him may not fit in with his ideas.

Jim married his grandfather's nurse secretly, just before he left for the army. He served in the Pacific area, was captured and reported dead. His wife Telka, a big handsome girl of Russian and English descent, did not marry. Now Jim is back, but he seems uneasy in his wife's presence. His mother thinks that he does not love Telka, and would be glad to be rid of her.

Miss Norris replies that the most difficult and unreasonable element in this quandary seems to be Jim's mother. She thinks that she is doing the best thing for her son in trying to get him separated from his wife. Probably, however, they still love each other, and only need a little time and favorable circumstances to get used to their new state.

Leave Them Alone.

Here is another of the wartime problems that simply don't admit of a solution. But I think I read between the lines of this letter something that Louise Phillips didn't know she put there. I think Jim Phillips has come back on the brink of that nervous breakdown that is putting thousands of our returning servicemen into hospitals. I think perhaps Telka's bigness and shyness and beauty still have their appeal for him, if only Mother and everybody wouldn't make such a ghastly fuss. I think the smartest thing to do would be to use that money that was meant to send Telka away for the double purpose of sending them both away, together, and giving Jim a year's holiday to get adjusted to the new life that is so bafflingly like and yet unlike the old.

Why not give them your blessing and buy them some sturdy boots and shirts and ship them off to Canada or to Mexico, for tramping, camping, exploring? A small second-hand car, a promised income of some two hundred a month, and the devoted big handsome wife for companion and nurse may be the things that will save Jim's reason, and save you all from ultimate anguish.

Let him get his bearings with only one woman for companion, and with the long beautiful roads and mountains, rivers and oceans for setting. After nearly two years of unimaginable horrors, our young men can't settle down quietly to our ordered and protected lives. The contrast is too shocking; the young minds continue to work restlessly, morbidly, on the causes of this world ruin and world despair, and even the loveliest home and the most perfect servants are not the cure. Telka sounds to me like just the right medicine for Jim; in any case this is your best bet and I hope you'll be sensible enough to suggest it.

'Bottled Crime'

A Baltimore policeman told the 1,000 white ribboners at the 72nd annual Woman's Christian Temperance Union convention that she had ferreted out the criminal behind the crime. She said she wasn't guessing—the criminal was alcohol. The speaker was Mrs. Violet Whyte. "Alcohol has a lot to answer for in the record of any police court," she said. "In brief, alcohol is so often the criminal back of the crime that we should never relent in our efforts to drag it into the light."

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## DOAN'S PILLS

# Murder in Plain Sight

by GERALD BROWN W.N.U. FEATURES

Duke McCale, private detective, is engaged by wealthy old Miss Bigelow, to guard her niece's wedding presents. McCale guesses there is something sinister in the situation, and so accepts. He meets Mrs. Sybil Bigelow, the bride's mother, Victoria and Stephen Bigelow, the bride's brother and sister, and Mrs. Stephen Bigelow, a strikingly beautiful blonde woman. Later he becomes acquainted with Christopher Storm, a noted architect, who is too inquisitive to suit McCale. Then he meets Veronica, the bride-to-be, an attractive and intelligent girl, and the bridegroom-to-be, the extremely handsome Curt Vallaincourt, big and masterful. He gives Veronica a strange, meaningful glance.

## CHAPTER IV

When Curt began to take his leave, he doled himself out. Stephen he treated like a brother. Storm as an affectionate friend. It was the woman who bit at his heels most avidly. Miss Adelaide glowed, turned coy. Sybil shook herself out of the sulks, simpered. Victoria looked at him hotly, and Karen's eyes kindled with an icy fire.

Veronica waited tolerantly, as if she could well afford to do so. He crossed to her finally in his negligently graceful stride. He took her hands in his big ones and, leaning over, whispered in her ear. She laid her bronze head against the massiveness of his chest for a moment.

Everyone must have heard her say, "... But it's all right now, darling. All right. I'm so glad—I was devastated."

Victoria's eyes were half-closed, mere pencil strokes in her Beardsley face, and Karen's only movement was the tapping of a carmine fingernail on the arm of her chair.

Curt kissed his fiancée. And then McCale knew. This was no acting in that kiss. There was no embrace in the thundering animal way of a Tarzan. This was not the selling power behind perfect merchandise. In spite of the stories, in spite of the man's reputation, he was really in love with Veronica Bigelow. It was in his eyes. It was unmistakable. How could anyone in that room not know it?

Then the party broke up. It was after that that Victoria laughed derisively, and in passing Christopher said slyly, "You big, big fool! To give them The Nest. Don't tell me you wanted to."

Christopher smiled in a depressed manner, got up and took her arm. As they headed for the door, McCale heard him say, "Calm yourself, Vicky, my girl. To the victor belongs the spoils."

"Rats," she answered. "You're a congenital idiot."

Adelaide Bigelow had been snuffing out candles here and there. She switched off a table lamp and came over to McCale, who stood in the firelight, a dark figure, sorting his impressions. The old furniture and trappings seemed to flicker and dissolve in the half-light. The fire pulsed in the grate.

"You won't need me tonight?" he asked, as if it were finished.

"No—I think not—" she faltered.

"Will you telephone me in the morning?"

"Of course."

"I shall need you," she said with emphasis. She looked older and more haggard in the gloom.

He nodded as she followed him to the door.

"I think I should have one of my operators on duty here tonight."

"Oh, no—it won't be at all necessary."

"—The wedding gifts." There was an oh-so-subtle tinge of sarcasm in his tone.

"She smiled uncomfortably."

"They'll be all right."

"Very well."

"He was outside, in the corridor."

"Mr. McCale."

"Yes."

"You saw the bridegroom. What do you think?"

He hesitated. "Very handsome."

He knew that wasn't the answer she wanted.

"Is that all?"

"Character? I couldn't say. I simply recognize him as a type—one over which I'm not enthusiastic."

"I watched you this afternoon. You are so calm. Don't you ever get excited?"

He chuckled. "I have a very even temperament."

She looked disappointed, but he would make no further comment.

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**I GIVE YOU TEXAS**  
 By Boyce House  
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 that -- which Taylor tried to make it?

The recent State Democratic convention ignored the Governor-elect's campaign pledge to remove the ceiling and pay the \$40 a month in full. In view of the action of the platform makers at San Antonio in giving the old folks the run-around if the new Governor appoints an arch-enemy of the old age pensions to one of the highest offices in the State, then the elderly and their friends -- who helped provide a large part of Mr. Jester's big vote in both primaries -- might begin to wonder about things in general. Mr. Jester courageously carried the banner of the old folks high during the campaign and they are counting on him.

E. J. Headlee of Denton asked a man from Dimmitt how the name of the town was spelled. He said, "After a good rain, we spell it with an 'i' but if it just won't rain, then we spell it with an 'a'."



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**BERRY FLAT NEWS**  
 Miss Billye Jones, Reporter

Talk lately is about the nice rain we received last week and the nice sunshine of the past few days.

The Berry Flat children, parents and the teachers all enjoyed a nice day at the fair at Lubbock as the bus and several cars made the trip.

Mrs. Robbie Lane and Mrs. Bill Staggs were pleasantly surprised when their husbands returned from a trip to town with a pair of nylon each. Mr and Mrs. Roscoe Kropp and daughter, Bill Staggs and son, Robbie Lane and Mr and Mrs. L. B. Jones, Billye, Snookie Simpson, Joyce Swartz, Mr and Mrs. Fuller and daughter were visitors in Lamesa Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. Lynn Smith and son spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. L. B. Jones and family; Nolan is home where he has been working at Crane.

The Berry Flat Children are ready for another game with Mesquite.

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