

THE MESSENGER

HAGERMAN
GATEWAY TO A RICH NEW
FARMING DISTRICT
OF THE WEST

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Producers Completed In Oil Territory

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Carlsbad Is Staging A Campaign To Aid Crippled Children

Carlsbad is staging a campaign for funds to help crippled children of that area, aided by the state health department. The children to receive treatment are four selected from thirty examined at a crippled children's clinic at Carlsbad several weeks ago. The selections have been made by a process of elimination.

PAVING NEAR SEMINOLE

Texas road boosters were recently given assurance that sixteen miles of paving would be constructed from the New Mexico state line to Seminole, Texas, on Highway 83, it was learned here recently. Highway 83, running through Lamesa and Snyder, has recently been improved and it is hoped that the entire stretch of road east to Fort Worth with soon be paved.

Bankruptcy Law Is Held Invalid

WASHINGTON—The supreme court Monday wiped out the law enacted in 1934 to help cities, counties and other political subdivisions reduce their indebtedness through federal bankruptcy courts.

A five to four decision held that act violated the rights of states, and therefore was unconstitutional. Justice McReynolds spoke for the majority and Justice Cardozo for the minority. Chief Justice Hughes and Justices Brandeis and Stone agreed with Cardozo.

"If obligations of states or their political subdivisions may be subjected to the interference here attempted, they are no longer free to manage their own affairs," the majority opinion said.

It was set forth that "the will of congress" would prevail over them, should the law be allowed to stand.

OIL EQUIPMENT MAY BE TAXED

SANTA FE—The state supreme court ruled Saturday that oil operators' equipment, machinery and supplies, are subject to the state's property tax.

DR. C. L. WOMACK OF ARTESIA IN CAR ACCIDENT

Dr. C. L. Womack of Artesia suffered a painful, but not serious injury last Saturday morning, when his car collided in a head-on crash with another car north of Carlsbad. Both men in the other car, Frank Mullins of Mississippi, and Allen Penn of Lockney, Texas, received injuries from which both died in a Carlsbad hospital Monday morning.

Locals

Mrs. Alice M. Hedges visited in Lake Arthur Sunday.
Ernest Langenegger was a business visitor in Artesia Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Rufus King and Neal were business callers in Roswell Thursday.
The Girl Scouts had to postpone their hike until next Tuesday on account of the rain.
Mrs. W. A. Losey and little Miss Jean Losey were Roswell visitors and shoppers Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Chatten and family of Elkins were visitors in the Wm. Goodwin home last Friday.
Mrs. L. W. Garner entered in the flower contest a bouquet of pink and red radianse roses this week.
Mrs. Vedder Brown and young son returned Friday night from a visit in Clovis with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Michelet.
Clifford Wimberly left early Monday morning riding his pony to Capitan, where he expects to spend the summer.
Roy Dollahan, Jr., left last week for Cove, Arkansas, where he expects to spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chistensen.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nafzger and daughter Miss Esther Nafzger of Olton, Texas, came in Saturday and plan to take a course of baths at the Mineral Wells. Miss Nafzger is a trained nurse.

Many Students Returning Home

Miss Betty Mason comes early next week from the State University. She plans to spend the summer at home.
Steve Mason will graduate July 1st from the Hohenschuch & Carpenter School of Embalming of St. Louis. He will return home, but has not made plans for the summer.
Miss Ruth Utterback and Stanley Utterback will come from State College early next week to spend the summer at home.
Kenneth Stine has not made his plans for the summer, except that he will visit home folks.
Misses Marian and Maxine Key, who attended college at the Eastern New Mexico Junior College, will spend a week with their grandmother near Portales before returning home.
Miss Essie Keeth of Eastern New Mexico Junior College will remain at the college this summer.
Jesse Keeth of State University plans to come home soon.
Miss Elizabeth McKinstry of Hardin-Simmons University will return home following the finals next week.
Miss Gladys Menefee, Alton Menefee and Lawrence Menefee come from State College.
Miss Evelyn Lane will come from Park College to spend vacation at home.
Miss Beatrice Lane will remain at Park College during summer months.
Billy Jo Burck comes from Texas Tech but has not decided on summer plans.
Oscar Allison of State University spends the summer at home.
Chalmers Holloway of State College will spend the vacation with his parents.
Miss Margaret Slade of Texas Wesleyan College will be home soon to spend the vacation.
George Heick will return this week from State College to spend the summer on the Heick ranch with home folks.
Leroy Evans will return from Eastern New Mexico Junior College.

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Club Hears About Sugar Beet Seeds

The Methodist Missionary Society served a good dinner to the Men's club members Tuesday night in the basement of the Presbyterian church, which everybody enjoyed.

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An interesting and important program was given. Fred Nelson from East Grand Plains, and H. I. Gifford from the Oasis Ranch were present.

After a hurried business meeting, Mr. Stoes from the Buffalo Valley Farms introduced the speaker of the evening, Dr. A. S. Robertson from Las Cruces, who discussed the "Sugar Beet Seed Raising Industry."

Dr. Robertson is an unassuming speaker, but talks with ease on his subject. He gave the historical situation first. Many people do not know that until a few years ago that all or practically all of the sugar beet seed planted in the United States was raised in foreign countries. This being the case puts the sugar production industry in the United States in a very dangerous or hazardous position as for example during the late World War when the industry almost went on the rocks for the lack of satisfactory supply of good seed.

Through investigation it has been found that the Pecos and Rio Grande valleys, a few places in Arizona and California, are adopted to the cultivation of the sugar beet seed.

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Wreck Fatal To High School Girl

A truck driver, Jack Smith, figured in a wreck that killed Miss Grace Alexander of Congerville, Illinois, Monday night, thirty miles north of Roswell as the Illinois party were en route to the Carlsbad Caverns. Miss Alexander died in a Roswell hospital Tuesday morning. The truck driven by Smith ran into the Illinois car, a Chevrolet, while it was parked beside the highway as the headlights were being repaired, according to Chaves county officers, called to the scene of the wreck. Miss Alexander, a recent graduate from high school, was one of the five high school students en route to the Caverns with Walter Neihaus, coach at Deer Creek, Illinois.

Both the car and the truck were headed toward Roswell. Other students were bruised and hurt, but none seriously. Miss Alexander, sitting in the back seat of the Chevrolet, was crushed.

LARGE SENIOR CLASS AT ROSWELL

The second largest class in the history of the Roswell high school was presented diplomas at the final exercises Tuesday evening. Ross L. Malone, young Roswell attorney, delivered the address to the graduates. The class numbered 105.

ANNOUNCING

The arrival yesterday morning, May 27th, of little Miss Ruth Evans to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Evans and big sisters. Mother and babe are doing nicely and the rest of the family are wearing broad smiles.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bowen and Junior went to Ruidoso Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Langenegger were Roswell visitors Monday.
Miss Dorothy Sweatt spent the week-end in Roswell as a guest of Mrs. Robert Conley.
Mr. and Mrs. Fay McCollough and Jack Langenegger were Roswell visitors Tuesday.
morning for El Paso, Texas, where she will undergo an operation at the Masonic hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wimberly visited their daughter, Mrs. Floyd Childress in Roswell Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Michelet and young daughter of Clovis visited relatives in Hagerman this week.

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Slick Boyce is home from the Adam Zimmerman ranch where he has been working the past few months.
Mr. and Mrs. George Key, Clarence and Cecil of Artesia spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Key.
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Rains General Over Dry Area Of Southwest

The middle Pecos valley has been visited by the biggest precipitation in May for the past twenty years. The long drought was definitely broken by Friday night's rain, ranging from almost an inch to two inches in places.

Two and One-Half Inches of Rain Recorded Here; Other Sections Receive More; Fall Is General Over State.

Rainfall varied from a sprinkle to two inches over eastern New Mexico. Two inches was reported in the foothills west of Hope, an inch and a half in the farming district southeast of Artesia and a sprinkle at Roswell. The rainfall was fairly general from Pecos to Amarillo, Texas.

Additional moisture, which fell here Sunday and Sunday night, brought the precipitation up to 1.52 inches and on Monday over an inch or 1.02 inches fell.

The moisture will be worth many thousands of dollars to the ranges of the eastern part of the state. Stockmen were badly in need of rain. The range, dry for several months, was practically devoid of grass and weeds needed to sustain livestock. Already noticeable results are seen from the recent rains with grass and weeds making a rapid growth. Some farmers were in the midst of hay cutting operations when the rains hit and will sustain damage as result. Cropping operations, however, have advanced sufficiently to escape damage from baking ground. Cotton growers with a few exceptions have obtained a good stand of cotton and quite a few farmers report five to six leaves on their cotton plants with the plants growing rapidly.

Small grain is ready to harvest, but harvesting operations have not gotten underway. The wheat and oat acreage is about normal, likewise a normal yield is expected.

COL. W. S. WILLIAMS OF ARTESIA DIED YESTERDAY

Col. W. S. Williams, well-known ranchman of the Cap Rock country and whose home was in Artesia, passed away yesterday in a Carlsbad hospital following a short illness.

Col. Williams was engaged in the livestock business the greater part of his life. He migrated from Chattanooga, Tennessee, to Indian Territory in 1882 and from Indian Territory here in 1898.

CAPITAN GIRL KILLED

Frances Cauble, 14, of Capitan, was almost instantly killed and seven other occupants of a large sedan escaped serious injury in a Sunday evening automobile accident on the highway east of Carrizozo.

TIGHTER INCOME TAX IS PLANNED

WASHINGTON—As democratic members arranged to consult with the president Tuesday night on tax bill the senate finance committee Tuesday agreed definitely to tighten provisions of the existing law for penalty taxes on corporations "improperly accumulated surpluses."

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FLAME IN THE FOREST

By HAROLD TITUS

Illustrations by IRWIN MYERS

CHAPTER XII—Continued

As soon as the sound of his footsteps had died away Young was out of his cell, across the bull-pen and sitting on the edge of Holt's cot, where the boy lay, face in his arms.

"Buck up, son!" he whispered, a hand on the lad's shoulder. "It looks like a kind of mess, but we'll clear it up!"

A shudder traveled the lithe frame beneath his touch.

"What happened?" And when the other made no move: "Won't you tell me?"

Slowly Stuart rolled over, and the faint light from above showed his face white and drawn.

"Dammed if I know!" he muttered. "I'd packed up this afternoon. I was on my way. I didn't want to leave without some word for Nan. I'd just started to write a note when in busted Bridger, grabbed it off the desk and . . ."

"That's all; except that I lost my head and tried to take 'em all on."

"Then you were actually hauling?"

"Yes,"—bitterly.

"Why?" No answer. Stuart continued to stare at the latticed bars above him. "What was the big idea, Holt? You don't mean . . ."

"It can't be,"—tensely—"that this yarn Bluejay told—"

"Certainly not!" Stuart exclaimed, as he turned and drew both hands across his eyes.

"Hell, no! What this is all about, I can't tell you. I got enough from Bridger's boasting to see what they're driving at. And I was off alone all day Thursday and I was leaving and I did start a note to Nan with a couple of sentences that, maybe, will make it look a little tough in the beginning. But I didn't kill Cash and I didn't bury anything at Towline and I wasn't there Thursday! Somebody's trying to frame me, but it's . . . That's a detail, now."

Young drew a long and mystified breath.

"Detail! Maybe. But . . . Good Lord, chum, they've got enough stuff to hold you here until we can blow up their case. Why, it's worse looking than I'd figured it could be. . . . He scratched his temple briskly. "Damn it all, they've—"

"Where were you, for instance, all day Thursday, the day Bluejay apparently's ready to swear he saw you at the cabin?"

"All over hell's half acre."

"Alone?"

"Alone."

"Doing what?"

"Walking."

"Walking!" . . . Why, Stuart, aren't you . . . He shook his head hopelessly.

"And then you got ready to pull out and write to Nan that you've been risking all kinds of disaster—"

"And didn't I?—savagely. Didn't I stay here and eat my heart out and know all along that it was no use? That I'm too young and not big enough for a girl like that, anyhow? And then you—"

Young's head was in a whirl.

"But, good Lord, son, didn't she . . . didn't Ezra . . . Why, last Wednesday night Ezra told me what she said to him after West had been there and you'd mixed it with him! She said to Ezra that she couldn't let anything happen to you; and she cried because a mess like that had happened just when she . . . just when . . . Well, as Ezra told it to me, just when she'd fallen in love with you!"

"With me!"

The boy's exclamation gave Kerry a curious feeling; Holt's look, wide, amazed, shocked, furthered his confusion.

"With me!" he repeated, and laughed bitterly. "Young, are you mad? Is old Ezra crazy? . . . He was there; he came into the place just after she'd told me . . ."

"And his eyes and his body . . ."

"Look me into the office away from the others after West left. . . ."

"I told me that her heart would be broken if anything happened to her . . ."

"I lost my head again and I . . ."

"I told her to let me love her . . ."

"I told her that such a thing was impossible; she didn't . . ."

"I put it to her. 'Do Kerry Young?' I asked . . ."

"That's all there is to it . . ."

"Kerry, you're as blind as a bat . . ."

"I don't know what to think or say, except this: you're . . ."



. . . you're something better than pure gold. You're all man, son!" He swallowed.

"I've been working for two weeks on this thing. It's a dead certainty that Tod West killed Cash. . . . No! Don't you talk! Time for that later!"

"West kills Downer and catches away the money. Only just now, he's dared to use a little of it, some that he didn't know could be identified. . . ."

"That's what he told!" Stuart was trembling, infected by Young's intensity.

"Check! That's no hornet sting. That's bee sting. He's been fooling around bees somewhere; he gets stung and gets all daubed up with honey because there's honey on the box and honey on the crowbar he used in making the plant!"

"I touched the wall with a dull clink; it came up and he drew a great gasp of night air as his hand, thrust between the bars, closed upon it."

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cles, snuffing, looking up, white.

"Fetch!" Again he tossed a fragment and it struck the fender. With the sound Tip whirled, bounded toward the car, pawed at the ground and picked up the plaster in his mouth, trotting back to his place below the window.

"Fetch!" Now . . . fetch again! In the car, boy, in the car!" Behind him, Holt Stuart was pacing and whistling lowly, ragedly; not a musical whistle; a rather dry and husky one, to be sure, but still, it was sound. . . .

Working fine! Get a blanket and cut it into strips, about so wide—measuring with thumb and finger. "And keep whistling! For the love of God don't stop whistling! It means more to us than you'll ever realize."

But it was an S wrench and then the other glove and a screw driver; next a jack handle and then . . .

With a muttered curse, Kerry jerked it upward again. Improved the knot and tried once more. Thrice and a fourth time he was forced to open the loop before it finally swung over the end of the wrench. Then, holding his breath he drew it taut and with a muttered, "Give!" swung the wrench free.

War Debts Will Be Defaulted Again. NEITHER Great Britain nor France has any intention of paying the installments on the American war debt due June 15. And almost certainly all the other debtor nations except Finland will follow the example of the two big ones and again default.

Odd Ideas During World War. Strange ideas were rife during the World War. A German claimed that he could train bees to carry small paper messages faster than pigeons, an Englishman claimed that he could teach sea lions to accompany ships and "point out" near-by submarines, and a Frenchman claimed that he could educate eagles to attack and destroy the most powerfully equipped aerial fleets.—Collier's Weekly.

Current Events in Review

By Edward W. Pickard

Guffey Coal Act Is Declared Invalid



SIX members of the Supreme court of the United States ruled that the Guffey act to control the bituminous coal industry is invalid, and another of the New Deal experiments goes into the discard.

Senator Guffey, author of the act, declined to comment on the opinion, but it was said he was preparing a substitute measure.

John Lins, president of the United Mine Workers, said that "it is a sad commentary upon our form of government when every decision of the Supreme court seems designed to fatten capital and starve and destroy labor."

Tugwell's Housing Hit by Court Decision

THE resettlement administration headed by Rexford Guy Tugwell was declared by the District of Columbia court of appeals to be "clearly unconstitutional delegation of power" in a case involving a model community project in Somerset county, New Jersey.

Going beyond the issue before them, the justices of the Appeals court called the entire relief appropriations act of 1935 into question. The act was invalid and hence RA was invalid, according to the court. Legally, however, none of the rest of the act will be affected by the decision because the other multitudinous activities of the New Deal under the appropriation were not before the court.

Borah Is Loser in the Ohio Primaries

SENATOR WILLIAM BORAH SANK heavily on success in the Ohio Presidential preference primary, but the Republicans of that state turned him down decisively in favor of their "favorite son," Robert A. Taft, son of the late President Taft.

Uncle Sam Stands by Nine Power Pact

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President of Bolivia Is Compelled to Resign

JOSE LUIS TEJADA SORZANO was forced to resign the presidency of Bolivia by a Junta of army officers and Socialists who staged a bloodless coup d'etat in La Paz.

The immediate objective of the new administration was complete settlement of a general strike which the officers asserted was imperiling the country's economic stability.

Italy Releases Alleged Leader in King's Killing

DR. ANTON PAVELIC, alleged leader of Ustashi, the Croatian terrorist organization, and accused as one of the "master minds" of the assassination of King Alexander of Yugoslavia in Marseille, has been set free by the Italian authorities.

General Is the New Premier of Poland

POLAND feels that another European war is more than likely to break out soon, and she intends to be ready to take part in the conflict.

Inflation Bill Defeated by the House

WE ARE not going to have currency inflation, at least not this session of Congress. Frazier-Lenke farm mortgage financing bill, dragged out of committee by a petition signed by house members, and then debated for a day, was defeated by the decisive vote of 235 to 141.

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Townsend Plan Reaches Washington

WITH three truckloads of provisions, the Townsend van that started from Los Angeles arrived in Washington Wednesday at the foot of Capitol Hill.

"We have traveled hard and endured hardships for you the signatures of millions of men who insist that the plan be enacted into law," Lois Jean Johnson, Townsend youth movement leader, told Tolson.

Former Governor Small of Illinois Dies

LEN SMALL, twice governor of Illinois and prominent politician of the state for 40 years, died suddenly in a hospital from an embolism following from an operation.

His career was rather stormy. He fought them many and many friends were devoted to him. He was always loyal to his party. He served two terms as governor. He was defeated for Governor four times. He sought the Republican nomination again in the recent party convention.

Tugwell's Report on Resettlement Work in the Was

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Incubated. Up to April 15, according to report, the resettlement administration had taken options on 10,000 acres of land, of which 5,000 acres had been legal commitments.

Of 33 subsistence housing projects, construction has been completed on 18, is in progress on 12, and final plans have been prepared for 4. The report lists 15 urban housing projects, 10 from a \$31,000,000 allocation for this purpose. They are in Md., Bound Brook, N. J., and Cleveland.

On rural rehabilitation, the RA has cared for more than 800,000 families. For rehabilitation advances to "clients," the administration expended \$106,000,000 through 1935.

The petition signers included Democrats, and before the election of one of them was told by the governor of Pennsylvania, that the measure passed at this time would be just too bad for the Democrats.

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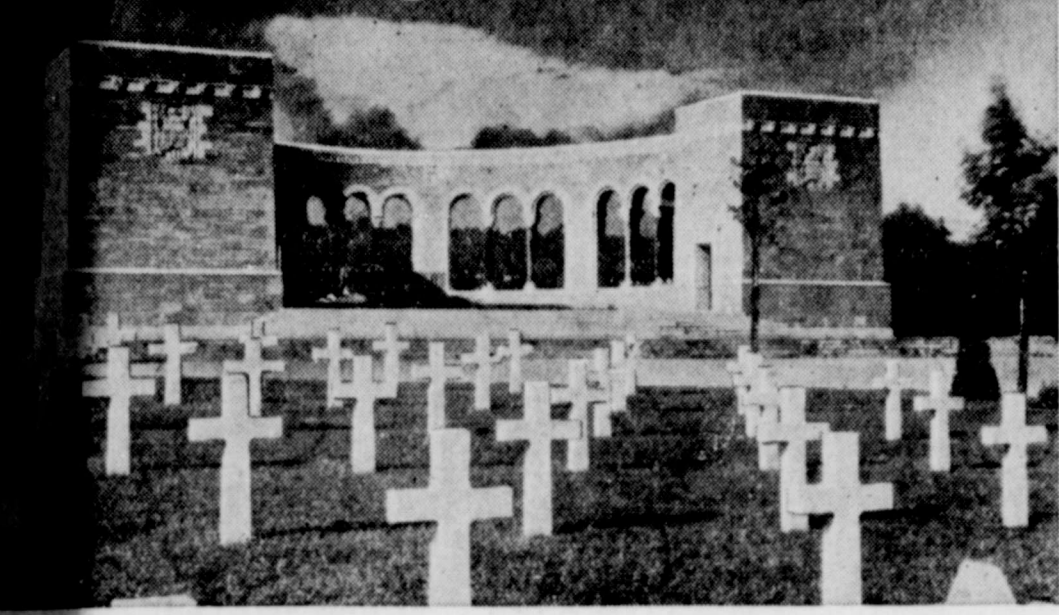
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What We Might Have Security



IN FRANCE TODAY

By ANDRE VULLIET
in the Washington Post

THE peaceful silence of the

French countryside, out where the grass is growing where death was in the making and restful cemeteries recall infernal battlefields, the air is waving in the wind like a banner of peace. The wind carries the scent of those who have not failed their duty, and those who have.

Although Memorial Day, or, as has been used to call it, Decoration day, a total of 823 cemeteries are to be particularly associated with the American soldier, those of the 823 cemeteries and friendly compatriots who are mourning today in the six American cemeteries in France might find it hard to believe that they were in a foreign land, of which they see the piety and devotion, costing them with small children from legal commitments nearby scatter wild flowers on the American tombs.

When the city dwellers are prone to forget the dreadful days of 19 years ago, those who live in the invaded sections where the decisive battles were fought and won, the peasants' subsistence here and there, the instruction has been given in progress. The list of projects, including 100,000 allotments, they are in Brook, N. J., and Cincinnati.

The Alane-Marne Cemetery, the hill above Chateau-Thierry, where Joan of Arc rode by in 1429 and where Jean de La Fontaine wrote many of his immortal fables, now stands a memorial to the glory of the American troops. Commanding a sweeping view of the Marne valley, the monument's twin rows of majestic columns rise at the right and left of two figures of symbolic size representing France and America.

Down in the valley, not far from the memorial, nearly 2,300 American soldiers rest in peace in curving rows around the vase of the Belleau Wood hill while 6,000 others sleep in honored glory in the second largest American cemetery abroad, at Fere-en-Tardenois.

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These are known as the St. Mihiel battlefield, with its Montsec monument and Thiaucourt cemetery; the Meuse-Argonne battlefield, and the Romagne cemetery and the Alane-Marne battlefield, with the Chateau-Thierry memorial and the Belleau Wood graves. The St. Mihiel area was in Lorraine, that section of eastern France which had been set aside by the French high command as the concentration area for the American army.

At Thiaucourt, the third largest American military cemetery in France, the 4,152 marble headstones gleam white as the sun marks the time on a large stone sundial carved in the form of a resting American eagle, with the following inscription: "Time will not dim the glory of their deeds."

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There, between the heavily fortified Argonne forest and the strongly defended Meuse heights, the battle raged from September 26 to November 11, with more than 900,000 Americans participating at one time, slowly and gallantly making headway until, on November 7, they held the heights overlooking Sedan.

During the battle 123,000 were killed, wounded or missing and a little further down, in the valley, at Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, facing a huge lily pond, a verdant hill and quiet trees, more than 14,200 white marble crosses and stars of David for the Jewish soldiers speak for those who acted the drama and saw not its end.

The Purpose of Memorial Day

IT IS well for all Americans to keep in mind the ideals which at its conception prompted the observance of Memorial Day. To emphasize this spirit in the many proclamations of state governors and city mayors, the Memorial day committee of the Memorial Extension commission has in three trenchant sentences set forth the main purposes of this solemn and hallowed occasion:

To visit not only the memorials and final resting places of national heroes but of their own departed relatives and friends.

To take measures and memorialize permanently local historic sites and the graves of local celebrities in order that their memory may be kept forever green.

To pay homage to the heroes of peace—scientists, educators, philanthropists, statesmen, industrial pioneers—as well as the war heroes.

Let us seek to strengthen the spiritual observance of our memorial to those who have fought the good fight, have finished the course and kept the faith.

Lift High the Torch

As this striking memorial portrays the constancy of the men who died for God and Country, so we must carry on the task they left behind—the preservation of a nation free and independent. It is our duty and our privilege to hold high the torch of American liberty and preserve our principles as they fought for them. Pray God we may not fail.

Improved Uniform International LESSON

By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. © Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for June 7

JESUS IN GETHSEMANE

LESSON TEXT—Luke 22:39-53. GOLDEN TEXT—Not my will, but thine, be done.—Luke 22:42. PRIMARY TOPIC—When Jesus Prayed in the Garden. JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus in Gethsemane. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Loyal Christ. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Doing the Father's Will.

Jesus went from the upper room, where the last supper was eaten, to the Garden of Gethsemane. Night had now fallen.

I. Jesus at the Mount of Olives (v. 39). The garden was a favorite resort of Jesus and his disciples on the slope of the Mount of Olives, a short distance east of Jerusalem (Matt. 26:30). Gethsemane means "oil press," and the garden was a place where the oil was crushed out of olives. There is a striking significance in Jesus' coming to this place. Olive oil was precious, being used both for food and lighting. The bruising and crushing of Christ in this garden has yielded the largest blessings to the world—food for the souls of men, and light for their lives.

II. His Companions (vv. 39, 40). Peter, James and John, who had been with him on the Mount of Transfiguration, were permitted to go with him into the deep shadows of the garden (Matt. 26:37). He took those who were best able to apprehend the meaning of the tragic hour, and, too, as a human being he craved sympathy. Knowing the peculiar trial that would be theirs when the Shepherd should be smitten, his purpose was to prepare them for it. It was well that they taste the bitter cup of which he drank, and of which they, too, would later drink.

III. Jesus in Prayer (vv. 41-44). 1. Withdrawal from the disciples (v. 41). Even the members of the inner circle could not go with him through this hour. He went apart from them, for he must be alone with his Father in this darkest hour. Thus alone he knelt and prayed.

2. What he said (v. 42). "If thou be willing, remove this cup from me." The cup did not primarily mean the physical sufferings of the cross, though they were exceeding great. He did not now desire to escape from the cross and thus to stop short of his redemptive work, for this was the supreme purpose of his coming into the world (Heb. 2:14). Rather it was the refusal of sin which he was representatively to bear. He, indeed, was to be made sin for us who knew no sin (II Cor. 5:21). He was so completely identified with a sinning race that the judgment of a holy God which rightfully would have fallen upon it, was about to strike him.

The cup, therefore, meant his death as the bearer of sin. He came to Gethsemane with a full knowledge of what it meant, and here he bowed in submission to the Father's will. The agony of this hour drew from his brow as it were great drops of blood, but an angel came and strengthened him, and from that place of victory he went with unflinching steps to the cross.

IV. The Sleeping Disciples (vv. 45, 46). Though they had boasted of their fidelity (Matt. 26:35), they could not watch with him one hour. They were so numbed by perplexities and sorrow that they slept, and could not watch with Jesus one little hour. In giving them a gentle rebuke, he bade them pray lest they fall into temptation.

V. Jesus Betrayed (v. 47, 48). 1. The betrayer (v. 47) was Judas, who had been at the last supper with Jesus; who had journeyed up and down the land with the Lord and his disciples. The fact that he had listened to Jesus' teachings, had witnessed his miracles, had been with him in seasons of prayer (John 18:2), intensified the horror of his deed.

2. The sign of betrayal (v. 47) was a kiss, the age-long token of most tender affection and friendship. The betrayer now degraded that symbol of love by making it the instrument of disloyalty and treason.

3. The words that Jesus spoke (v. 48) to the infamous disciple reveal the infinite tenderness of his heart. But so hardened was the heart of the betrayer that he carried through his brutal contract to deliver the Redeemer of men for thirty pieces of silver. The money was in his purse; he must not weaken. The deed was done.

Shall not those who study this lesson inquire with deep earnestness if anything in their lives may be serving as a practical betrayal of Christ? How much better than Judas are we, if we are guilty of the same unfaithfulness?

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Smiles

Properly Placed
Wife—Who is that?
Husband—Er—hardly anybody, dear.

Bitter Truth
"Yes," said the small boy regretfully, "money talks, but it never gives itself away!"

Ask Us Another
Teacher—What tense is, "I am beautiful?"
Class (in unison)—Past tense.

Just Cautious
"Then you won't have a garden wedding?"
"No; I'll take no chances of having my wedding called on account of rain."



WANTS ACTION
"Wouldn't you like to see the lion and the lamb lying down together?"
"Me for the bear and the bull!"

Search After Truth

"WHEREVER the search after truth begins, there life begins. Wherever the search ceases, life ceases," says Ruskin. Truth may be found, indeed, but never in such wise as to end the search. It is a continuous revelation, and each day the soul that is seeking it will find it in some new form and place—in nature, in the written word, in the heart of man—and by the finding and transmitting into action shall know itself a living, growing soul.

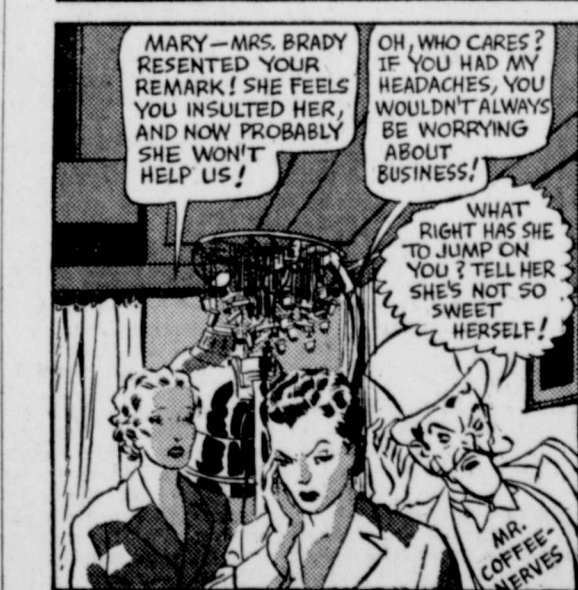
The soul closes against hate when dove-eyed Mercy pleads.—C. Sprague.

A Boomerang
An American and an Irishman were walking together one day when they passed a galloway.

"And where would you be, Mike," said the man from the States, "if the galloways over there had their due?"
"Walking alone," said Mike quietly.

Qualified
"Is this your ball in the garden, sonny?" asked the gardener. The small boy looked worried.
"Are there any windows broken?"
"No."
"Ah, then it is my ball!"

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WHO PAYS THE TAXES?

History lovers will recall a certain statesman back in the seven-hundred, one Edmund Burke, who said: "To tax and to please, no more than to love and be wise, is not given to men." Thus it appears that even back in those days, the idea of taxation was one that caused serious consideration, in other words, they were yesterday as we are today, tax conscious.

England and the United States—or we might simmer them down to London and Washington—were apparently enjoying the merry-go-round of taxation, when they suddenly awoke to realize the animal was not pacing at all, but in an ugly rough-shod gallop.

Britain thought her theory of pay-as-you-go and balanced accounts admirable. America knows she has huge deficits.

Britain's per capita tax is about one-third more than the American figures call for. Thus Washington, if we keep pace with our neighbor, John Bull, has room for increasing our per head taxation.

In other words, all these luxuries, call them necessities if you like, namely: social securities, relief costs, armament budgets, and on down the list, they must be paid for by somebody.

Always when one dances, someone pays the piper—and who?

Heart Strings

They call it "Just pulling the heart-strings" Or mingling the smiles with the tears.

Reserved, like a sweet Benediction For those who have lived thru the years.

Like a scar from some noble battle, Or a wound that is slow to heal. Half hid in our own retrospection And guarded by memory's seal.

To some it's the sound of an organ, The strum of the harp or a lute. An orchestra playing The Danube—The Mocking Bird played on a flute.

A choir is singing an anthem, A Mother a soft lullaby. Again we are dancing with someone— The last waltz, that means Good Bye.

To someone a rose means a wedding, To others, it's life's darkest hour. A milestone on somebody's highway— An emblem of memory's power.

It may be an exotic perfume, The fragrance of old mignonette. It's something that helps us remember, Or tells us we may not forget.

Alone and serene of an evening, With my pipe, a book and my dog.

I draw myself nearer the fireplace, And brighten the flames with a log.

The firelight is painting a picture, Of a time—it's no matter when. My book lies unopened beside me—I'm pulling the heart strings again.

A Springfield, Missouri, sheriff received the following post card message from McRea, Arkansas.

"Dear Sir I want you to see if you can find J. E. Hollis for me and if you can what he came to do. I want him to get my Devoise if he hidden came to stay with me and make me a liven. We ben married 2 years and he havent staid with me over 6 months he was up thire a bot 3 week a goe if he dont ame to get my Devors I ame to sue him in a bot 4 Week. He got Red Hare Light complecken got 1 gole tooth uper on the rit sid of his moth and he a bot 5 feet 8 inch hith and way a bot 135 lb."

"Buy American Mads"

"THAT LITTLE GAME" Inter-nat'l Cartoon Co., N.Y.—By B. Link



NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER JUDGMENT FORECLOSING DRAINAGE LIENS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the terms of a Final Decree entered April 11, 1936, in Cause No. 9172 in the District Court of Chaves County, New Mexico, entitled Hagerman Drainage District, Plaintiff, against Annabell Ingram, et al., Defendants, the undersigned designated in said Decree as Special Master for the purpose hereinafter mentioned, on the 23rd day of June, 1936, at 10 o'clock A. M., on said date, at the West door of the Courthouse at Roswell, New Mexico, will offer for sale and sell the highest bidder the following described property to realize the amount set opposite each tract of land herein for interest assessment, maintenance assessment and interest after due date, to-wit:

Annabell Ingram and Frank Duglas Ingram—All that part of S 1/2 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 and of S 1/2 SW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 2 in Tp. 14 S., Rge. 26 E., which lies south and west of the Pecos River: \$1.18

G. A. Davison—All that part of NE 1/4 NW 1/4 of section 3 in Tp. 14 S., Rge. 26 E., which lies East of right of way of A. T. & S. F. Ry. and South of Rio Felix: \$0.62

E. W. Mitchell—Lots 11 & 13 in Block 3 Original Town of Hagerman: \$8.36

Fructosa Lara—Lots 1 & 3 in Block 7 Original Town of Hagerman: \$3.29

Mrs. Viola L. Kaiser—Lot 4 in Block 7 Original Town of Hagerman: \$2.32

Albert M. Miller, Bert Miller, H. R. Miller, Mrs. R. C. Bruce, Marjorie Miller, Victor A. Miller—Lot 6 and North 17 feet of Lot 8 in Block 9 Original Town of Hagerman: \$2.60

J. V. Hobbs—South 33 feet of Lot 8 in Block 9 Original Town of Hagerman: \$1.29

G. C. Six—Lots 6 & 8 in Block 10 Original Town of Hagerman: \$1.19

Omer Walters—Lot 10 in Block 10 Original Town of Hagerman: \$2.28

E. R. Carter—Lot 12 in Block 10 Original Town of Hagerman: \$2.24

A. R. Teeple—Lot 26 in Block 11 Original Town of Hagerman: \$2.06

H. M. Brown—Lots 8, 10, 11 & 12 in Block 14 Original Town of Hagerman: \$0.53

R. P. Morrison and the Unknown Heirs of W. L. Card, deceased—Lot 9 in Block 14 Original Town of Hagerman: \$0.68

Fred J. Bush being same person as Frederick Bush—Lots 20 & 22 in Block 14 Original Town of Hagerman and Lot 6 in Block 5 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision, Hagerman: \$6.28

A. D. Collins and W. C. Witherpoon—Lots 25 & 27 in Block 14; Lots 18, 20 & 22 in Block 15 Original Town of Hagerman: \$11.48

E. A. Simons—Lots 5 & 7 in Block 15 Original Town of Hagerman: \$3.42

L. O. Fullen, Trustee and Mrs. O. T. Bentley—Lot 6 in Block 1 West Side Addition to Hagerman: \$1.62

R. Tanner and The Florida Land Developing Company—Lots 11, 13, 15, 17 & 19 in Block 1 West Side Addition to Hagerman: \$4.05

Adeline W. Samford, Grace C. Samford and Lucy A. Shepperson—Lot 7 in Block 2 West Side Addition to Hagerman: \$1.50

Thomas Hope—Lot 9 in Block 2 West Side Addition to Hagerman: \$3.99

J. K. Dixon—North 30 feet of Lot 11 in Block 2 West Side Addition to Hagerman: \$2.04

Mary Ann Brint—South 20 feet of Lot 11 in Block 2 West Side Addition to Hagerman: \$2.70

Gladys G. Close and Unknown Heirs of Joseph F. Close, deceased—Lot 12 in Block 2 West Side Addition to Hagerman: \$1.72

Perry Wagnon—Lots 1, 2, 15 & 16 in Block 2 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$6.91

Mrs. Lulu Turner—Lots 6 & 11 in Block 2 in Wranosky Orchard Subdivision, in Hagerman: \$5.57

erman: \$13.80

Mary Slayter, John H. Slayter, Pearl Wetmore, Genevieve Elizabeth Wetmore and Jessie Irene Wetmore—Lots 1 & 2 in Block 3 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$1.72

Pearl Wetmore, Genevieve Elizabeth Wetmore and Jessie Irene Wetmore—Lot 7 in Block 3 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$2.29

Maria Mathea Gjemre—Lot 8 in Block 3 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$2.33

Charles Peimulder—Lots 3, 4 & 5 in Block 5; Lots 11 & 12 in Block 7 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$11.13

William B. Ross—Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12 in Block 5 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$22.44

K. P. Weber and Vera Weber—Lot 1 in Block 6 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision, in Hagerman: \$3.92

Rosie Olive—Lots 5 & 7 in Block 7 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$3.55

E. C. McGill, Alberta Allee, Etta M. Black, Ola M. Trier, Elsie M. Bartlett, Mrs. Lalla R. Baysinger, Fora M. Heminghaus—Lots 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 in Block 8 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$8.08

Stella M. Jones: Lots 7 & 8 in Block 10 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$3.92

Marietta Oltimus, Ida M. Ayres and Lola M. Armstrong—Lots 10, 11 & 12 in Block 8 Wranosky Orchard Subdivision in Hagerman: \$2.92

J. A. Rose and Callie E. Davison—Lots 4 & 5 in Block 3 Davison Subdivision in Hagerman: \$7.60

Arthur A. Smith—Lot 6 in Block 3 Davison Subdivision in Hagerman: \$1.94

J. D. Mell, A. G. Crozier and F. G. Walters—Lots 8 & 9 in Block 4 Parks Subdivision in Hagerman: \$7.78

Frank Torres, Salomon Torres, George Torres, Charlie Torres, Jesuita Garcia, Mary Ginanni, Ruby Torres, Salomon Torres & R. L. Bradley—Lots 3 & 4 in Block 4 Chedesters Resubdivision of Lot 20 in West Hagerman: \$5.33

All of said land and town lots being in Chaves County, New Mexico.

To each of the above amounts there is to be added 10% attorneys' fees and \$5.00 costs of suit and sale.

The terms and conditions of said sale are as follows:

(a) Any purchaser must pay cash at the time the property is struck off to him, except in event purchase is made in the name of the above named drainage district.

(b) All sales must be reported to and confirmed by the court.

(c) Upon confirmation by the court, a deed will be made by the undersigned to the purchaser or purchasers at such sale, for the property purchased, which will convey title, subject to future installments of drainage assessments, and the lien for all taxes on said property and the right allowed the owner to redeem the property from sale by paying the purchaser, at any time within nine months from date of sale, the amount bid plus any money expended for taxes and assessments, together with 12% interest from date of sale.

(d) Each tract of land will be sold separately to realize the amounts herein mentioned.

W. A. DUNN, Special Master.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1388 Santa Fe, N. M., May 14, 1936

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of May, 1936, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, W. W. Harris of Dexter, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the underground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1500 gallons per minute by drilling a 12 1/2 inch in diameter shallow well located in the NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section

5, Township 13 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of supplementing the supply of water for the irrigation of 80 acres of land under the Hagerman Canal and for irrigating 25 acres described as follows:

NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 5, T. 13 S., R. 26 E.-----28 acres

SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 5, T. 13 S., R. 26 E.-----27 acres

NW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 5, T. 13 S., R. 26 E.-----40 acres

SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 5, T. 13 S., R. 26 E.-----20 acres

115 acres

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 23rd day of June, 1936, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCURE, State Engineer.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CHAVES COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES M. COWLES, DECEASED

NO. 1510

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL REPORT

TO Henry V. Cowles, R. F. D. Bothell, Washington, Hal Blake Cowles, 2216 North Mordica Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, Julianna Klum Chester, c/o Rogers & Whitaker, 42 Wall Street, New York City, Phillip Klum, c/o Rogers & Whitaker, 42 Wall Street, New York City, and all unknown heirs of said decedent, and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, right, title or interest in the estate of said deceased,

GREETING:

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that Walden E. Jacobson, administrator, has filed his Final Report and the Probate Judge of Chaves County, New Mexico, has fixed the 13th day of July, 1936, at Ten o'clock A. M., in the office of the Probate Judge, Roswell, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing of said report, at which time the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

The name of the attorney for the administrator is H. C. Buchly, and his post office address is Roswell, New Mexico.

WITNESS MY HAND as Clerk of said Court, and the seal of said Court on this, the 21st day of May, 1936.

RALPH A. SHEEHAN, Clerk.

By HELEN M. NEIS, Deputy.

(SEAL) 22-4t

WILL HEAR LAMB CASE ON MAY 29th

The preliminary hearing of State Corporation Commissioner J. D. Lamb has been set for May 29 at 10:00 a. m., on charges of bribery and embezzlement.

The hearing is to be held before District Judge M. A. Otero, Jr., in Santa Fe.

Messenger Want Ads Get Results

Locals

Miss Elizabeth Dollahan spent Thursday and Friday nights in Dexter visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rutledge and daughter.

Miss Isadora Dollahan spent the day Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rutledge of Dexter and accompanied them to Roswell Saturday night.

Miss Delpha Lankford has returned home from the Cottonwood where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lankford and young son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dollahan and children who now live near Artesia were week-end visitors at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Slade and Miss Anna Slade.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Egbert of Silver City spent the day yesterday in Roswell as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Curry and young son, Lola Mae Ridgley left yesterday.

The American Legion Auxiliary is planning a Memorial day program to begin at 10:00 o'clock Saturday, May 30, at the school auditorium. From there the assembly will go to the cemetery to decorate graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCarthy returned last Friday from a trip which included the young democrats convention in Santa Fe, the older democrats convention in Socorro, and the druggist's convention in Albuquerque. They report a very pleasant and beneficial trip and outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goodwin and family attended the commencement and closing exercises of Miss Vera Goodwin's school. The patrons of Miss Goodwin's school gave her a lovely hand-pieced and quilted quilt, as an appreciation of her work in the schools and community this year. The design of the quilt is the popular flower garden pattern.

Among the Roswell visitors from Hagerman Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wiggins and Miss Ruth Wiggins, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Graham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vickers and Tommie, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison McKinstry, Elbert Floto, J. W. Alters, Mrs. W. R. Jacobs and children, the Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Slade and Miss Anna Slade.

Mrs. F. L. Mehkopf, chairman of the Lake Van Auxiliary of club members, announces that everything is in readiness for the bridge party tomorrow afternoon, Friday, at the club rooms. Each auxiliary member is asked to invite three or seven players, other than club members, and there will be games or visiting, as the guests desire. Each guest is asked to pay 25c. Light refreshments will be served.

Mr. J. O. (Dad) Gardner left on the morning train Sunday for Los Angeles, California, to make his home with his daughter. Dad was a loveable old soul and will be greatly missed by the whole community. He always had a smile and kind word for everyone he saw and he hate very much to lose him but hope he will be in better health and we are sure he will find a warm spot in the hearts of the people as he has left in the hearts of all who knew him here.

Do you know the lad who started at 4:00 a. m., in a hard rain, on a long horseback ride?

Do you know the matron who is equally successful at raising Radiance roses, and making angel food cakes?

Do you know the lady who can display a handsome collection of hand-pieced and hand-quilted quilts?

Do you know the recent fair-haired graduate who will soon be driving a new car of Dad's?

And can you guess the latest pool player?

Also that we do not dare to tell of the party.

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THE CHURCHES

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m. Sunday evening service. Services on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings. Everyone welcome. REV. LEE R. MILLER, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. E. L. Askins, Pastor Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service 11:00 a. m. N. Y. P. S. 7:00 p. m. Preaching 8:00 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Preachine 11:00 a. m. B. T. U. 7:00 p. m. Preaching 8:00 p. m. O. J. Ford, Sunday school superintendent. R. M. Middleton, B. T. U. director. GEO. E. TOBY, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH

Church school 10:00 a. m. B. F. Gehman, general superintendent.

Morning worship 11 a. m. Subject: "Interrupted Religion." E. A. Paddock, chorister. Harry Cowan, chairman of board and lay leader.

Young people's service 7:30 p. m. Preaching 8:00 p. m. You are invited to come and worship with us. J. W. SLADE, Pastor.

A Line To You BY E. M. Had you heard that the equally successful school principal and musician is the proud owner of a new "Grand"?

Will someone please explain what queered a party recently, when only the two visitors smoked?

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The HEADLINES Say:



Portrait opens door to opportunity—This likeness by Norman Rockwell on the cover of a national magazine secured Terry Walker, born in Alaska, a motion picture contract.

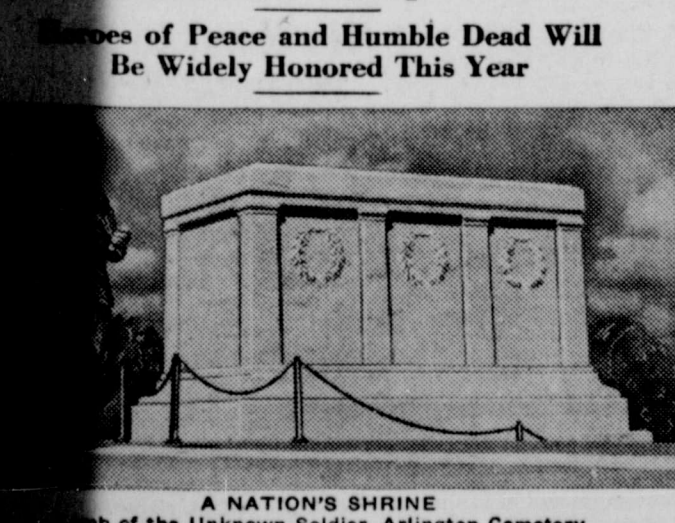
With birthday of the automotive industry's oldest active plant was celebrated at the Oldsmobile plant at Lansing, Mich. G. L. McCuen, president and general manager of Oldsmobile, presented a basket of roses to M. J. Murray, veteran Oldsmobile employee, in appreciation of his long service.

SETS ENDURANCE RECORD FOR MAIDS—Onny Melmo, 86, has worked for the Kersey family of Lawrence, N. Y. for sixty-six years, which she believes has set a record for steady employment.

MARTIN IN DEATH ROW
Hollis Martin, 18-year-old Altus, Oklahoma, youth, convicted of slaying his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wilard Shaffer, entered the state penitentiary death row Monday under sentence to die in the electric chair August 7th.

Oil Hearings Are Set In June
Conservation commission held three important hearings on location of wells in the Red Mountain field of northern McKinley county. June 11, hearing will be on the petition of the Phillips Petroleum Company for an increased daily well allowance of 100 barrels in the Cooper field of Garfield county.

"Shrines" Will Share Memorial Day Observances
Remains of Peace and Humble Dead Will Be Widely Honored This Year



A NATION'S SHRINE
Shrine of the Unknown Soldier, Arlington Cemetery

Remains of communities the scope of Memorial Day will be widened to include an expression of homage to the local and national heroes of wars and of peace.

More Tourists Entering State

Tourists are taking to the highways! The seasonal flow into New Mexico has begun, according to the traffic count taken the latter part of April and released today by Joseph A. Bursay, director of the Tourist Bureau.

The report shows that during a 24-hour period, 3,413 motor vehicles carrying 7,697 passengers entered the state through 21 ports of entry. Of this number 2,076 were foreign licensed cars carrying 4,874 people.

The number of tourist cars was 54 per cent as great as the daily average number which entered the state during the peak of the season last August, and the number of people in the tourist cars equaled 43 per cent of the daily average during August.

The increase over the January count was 15 per cent in foreign cars and 12 per cent in people.

The state's national advertising campaign got underway three months earlier this year than last, which is doubtless responsible for much of the increase in early traffic.

Count of incoming motor vehicles and passengers passing through twenty-one ports of entry during one day, April 22, 1936:

Port	Vehicles	Passengers
Anthony	300	714
Carlsbad	791	1769
Cedar Hill	50	123
Clayton	287	652
Datil	45	118
Folsom	17	36
Gallup	214	704
Glenrio	115	330
Hobbs	183	286
Jalisco	176	273
Lordsburg	230	378
Luna	6	21

GOLDEN PHANTOMS

Fascinating Tales of Lost Mines
BY EDITH L. WATSON
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BLASTED HOPES

NOT many months ago New York state troopers were told of strange sounds coming from Letter Rock mountain, up the Hudson river in Palisades Interstate park. Investigating the source of the sounds, which were said to rumble in the manner of thunder, the troopers found four small men, who had been blasting a large hole in the mountainside.

Hints To Gardeners

By Gordon Morrison
Breeding Expert
Ferry Seed Institute



Good Start Important

THE value of a garden plant, vegetable or flower, depends greatly upon the start it gets; so give your seedlings ample care.

Seedlings may best be watered in two ways: Mark a shallow trench about four inches from the row and run trench full of water, or, using a fine spray, apply water from directly above plants. Watering is most effective when it closely follows cultivation.

Nation Will Honor All Its Heroes



Lincoln Memorial, Washington, D. C.

The important public monuments of the country will be centers of patriotic ceremonies on May 30, as the American people turn out to honor their military and civic heroes.

Founded originally to commemorate the sacrifices of the Civil War, Memorial Day has expanded until today it is an occasion for reverence to those who gave their lives to their country in other wars and in peace-time services.

Memorialization of the graves of local celebrities and of family burial places is increasingly recognized by patriotic and civic leaders as part of the observance of the day set aside for memory.

The Lincoln Memorial shown in the illustration above will be decorated on Memorial Day along with the Tomb to the Unknown Soldier and other national shrines.

Nara Visa	22	48
Oro Grande	94	227
Questa	5	12
Raton	175	443
Shiprock	30	74
Tatum	98	260
Tread Piedras	18	29
Red Forks	146	332
Texico	411	868

Locals

Mrs. Elmer Lankford of Blanco, Texas, came in last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Pickers.

Mr. and Mrs. James McNamara and small daughter left last week for Hobbs where Mr. McNamara has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bauslin were in Roswell Saturday shopping and visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bullock.

Garner Mason left early this week for Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Shields' ranch, which is near Weed, where he plans to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Egbert of Silver City came in Friday for a visit with Mrs. Egbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Curry and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Heick are going to Las Cruces tomorrow to bring George home. George has just completed his freshman year at State College.

The Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Norris and family left for Tularosa Sunday morning after a week-end visit here at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Askins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Menoud recently returned from Hot Springs where Mr. Menoud took the baths for several weeks. He reports as being improved in health.

Miss Mable Cowan, who teaches at Silver City, came in Saturday morning to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cowan and Miss Dorothea during the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred McCormick were down from their home in Ruidoso over the week-end visiting their parents, Dr. and Mrs. I. B. McCormick and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Paddock.

Robt. Cumpsten and J. E. Wimberly will go to Clovis tomorrow afternoon to attend the state convention of postmasters and postal employees. They plan to return Saturday night.

Marian Woody returned last week from Dallas, where he had gone for treatment on his arm, which was broken several years ago and had not healed properly. While there the arm was operated on and the hopes for a satisfactory recovery.

Among those who visited the Bottomless Lakes celebration last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKinstry, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harshey and family, J. E. McKinstry, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. West and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund McKinstry, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McKinstry and family, Miss Clyde Pearce, Mrs. H. L. McKinstry, these took a picnic dinner, later going to the pavilion for the celebration. Others attending were: Sanford Knoll, Miss Charlene King, Mrs. Roy Van Arsdol, Roy Lee Hearn, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Menoud, and family, Miss Wilma Walden, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sweatt and Lois Jean.

TYPEWRITERS
New, second hand and factory rebuilds in portables and standards—See us before you buy. Hagerman Messenger.

Wind Erosion Plans Completed

The acceptance of applications for work under the emergency wind erosion control program ceased May 19, according to T. M. Reid of the New Mexico State College. This order affected all counties within the described "dust bowl" area.

The additional amendment to the original wind erosion program, which consisted of contour ridging of pasture sod land, is receiving favorable participation. The payment for this type of work is six cents an acre for total acres involved in pasture. However, it is necessary to run contour ridges so that not less than six per cent of total area based on solid listing is included. This phase of the program is somewhat in the pioneer stage, but this practice will be a decided help toward the maintenance of pasture land thru its ability to hold on the ground all available moisture, thus preventing run-off.

Eunice Field Is Second In State

It was learned here recently, the Eunice oil field in Lea county, is second in production in the state, being surpassed only by the Hobbs pool, and the Eunice-Monument pool, which now constitute really only one oil field, surpasses the Hobbs field in production by 6,132 barrels per day.

Out of an average production of 75,000 barrels a day for New Mexico, the various Lea county fields have an allowable of 71,000 barrels daily. The allocation for these fields is as follows:

Cooper	8,440
Eunice	21,486
Jalisco	3,034
Lea	937
Lea Extension	51
Hobbs	25,850
Monument	10,496

Health Column

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Director, New Mexico Bureau of Public Health.

Tuberculous Transient

Many New Mexicans migrated hither with tuberculosis in their chests or with tuberculous relatives. Probably most of us were never indigent, yet we have known enough of the struggle for existence to have some sympathy with those whose resources are exhausted.

At the same time the evidence piles up that the native born children of New Mexico are becoming infected. And there is developing a problem of true New Mexico tuberculosis which will become more serious and more expensive the longer it is neglected.

The most important resolution adopted at the recent conference in Santa Fe, called by the National Tuberculosis Association and attended by representatives from five states, was that which summoned the federal government to assume the function of controlling the spread of tuberculosis by the transients. The conference did not tell the federal government how this should be done. It is doubtful if any detailed plan at the present time would meet with general agreement. My own pet formula is one or more village settlements in the southwest for the rehabilitation of the migratory consumptive and his family. If we recognize the problem of the homesteader who is up against impossible physical handicaps who do not recognize that of the tuberculous breadwinner whose handicap is no less severe and whose uncontrolled wandering constitutes a menace to our children as well as to his own. He and his family must be the care of the state from which he came. They cannot care for him more cheaply at home than in a settlement in the southwest. In fact the original village settlement for the tuberculous at Papworth claims to support itself entirely by its village industries. Moreover, the medical supervisor of the Papworth colony has completely controlled the spread of tuberculosis even among the children of the village. Why should not the federal government take the initiative and enable the eastern states to care for their own tuberculous here where they want to be?

Small Boy: "What is college bread, Dad?"
Dad (with son in college): "They make college bread, my boy, from the flour of youth and the dough of old age."

Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on best grade paneled or plain stock.—The Messenger.

Hobbs Resident Critically Shot

J. W. Harper, about 37, was shot three times and critically wounded on the main intersection at Hobbs Saturday night.

Deputy Sheriff W. Kerley, one of the several hundred persons in the vicinity at the time of the shooting, arrested M. C. Moore, about 35, of Cross, Texas, almost before the echo of the shots had died out, and took from his possession a .38 caliber pistol.

Kerley said Moore told him at the county jail, where he was taken immediately after the shooting that "family trouble" was responsible for the affair. He would not enlarge upon the statement.

Four shots were fired. One struck Harper in the stomach after he had been hit in each arm.

The shooting took place in front of the Worth Hotel and the Hobbs Drug Co., shortly after 10 o'clock, when the streets were crowded with people. John Wooton, state police officer, assisted in the arrest.

Harper was taken to a hospital where physicians said his chances of recovery were slender.

Witnesses said the shooting followed an argument after the pair had met at the main intersection. They said Harper, who address was not immediately learned, apparently had no chance to defend himself. He was not armed.

Deputy Sheriff Kerley quickly grabbed Moore's arm, before a fifth shot could be fired into the prostrate form of the victim.

District Attorney George Reese said Tuesday that he would file murder charges against M. C. Moore, Hobbs boilerworker, for the slaying of John W. Harper, about 35, or direct a Hobbs officials to file them.

He said that preliminary hearing will be held for the Hobbs man today.

Harper died of four bullet wounds Tuesday in a Hobbs hospital after it was believed that he would recover from the injury.

A woman on a windy day had hard work keeping her hat on her head, and used both hands to hold it on, letting her skirts fly.

"Madam," said a man of honor, "your skirts are blowing above your knees."
"I don't care if they are," said the woman, keeping both hands on her hat. "I've had these legs for forty years and the wind has never blown them away yet, but I just bought this hat for \$18 and I don't intend to lose it."

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved.—The Messenger.

CCC Camp News

(Camp DG-41-N Co. 2842, Lake Arthur, New Mexico)
(Contributed)

Supt. M. H. Ward, Educational Adviser H. G. Ehrhardt and Enrollee John T. Roybal returned Saturday night from the CCC educational conference at Albuquerque.

This company has received twenty-four new enrollees. They were sent here from Oklahoma to bring up the company strength to 185.

Foreman W. H. Gossett and Foreman J. Williams and Enrollees Elias Costales, Tom V. Anaya, Pascual Garde and David Gutierrez went to Albuquerque for two truck loads of work project supplies on Friday, May 22nd.

The GI truck went to Fort Bliss to pick up its ten-day rations. The trucks go in every ten days to pick up supplies for the camp.

Typewriters for rent—The Messenger.

Her Big Moment

This is the first time the newlyweds are entertaining and of course the bride is a bit nervous... but of one thing she is certain... she knows the meal will be a huge success. You see she cooked it on a

1936 Roper Gas Range

It's so different it makes perfect meals a "cinch"... in a jiffy. And it's inexpensive to operate too.

Many styles and sizes to choose from and terms are liberal.

Pecos Valley Gas Co.

PHONE 50
Artesia, N. M.

Sunday Is Bargain Day

Long distance rates are reduced all day Sunday on most station-to-station and person-to-person calls

Whose Voice Would You Like to Hear?



CORONA SILENT NEVER DOES

If you would like to know why, mail this coupon to our store

I'd like to know about Corona Silent \$67.50 Sterling \$62.50 Standard \$49.50 Junior \$37.50. Send free booklet. Have representative call or phone.

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Hagerman Messenger

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Six Babies in Three Days
World's Greatest Terror
Another Mild Bad Man
How to Avoid Thought

President Sacasa of Nicaragua confirms officially the statement that a very poor woman on the "distant shore of Lake Nicaragua has given birth to seven babies."



Arthur Brisbane

The seventh name was not telegraphed, for there was no seventh, as it was expected there would be. Five of the sextuplets are already dead. Only one, a girl, lives.

What would population of the earth be if such births were the rule and all lived?

At the opening of the Catholic press exhibition in Vatican City, Pope Pius, for the second time within two days, cautioned the world against communism, which he called "the great terror which threatens all the world."

For the comfort of those that live in dread of final Communist world conquest, it may be said that thus far nothing opposed to human nature has ever succeeded.

By the arrest in California of Thomas H. Robinson, Jr., kidnaper of Mrs. Stoll, Mr. Hoover and his 6-men brought into the shadow of the electric chair the last of the group of dangerous criminals that have recently been wandering about the country.

This "bad man" like others recently gathered in, shook with fright when he found the gun pointed at him, made no effort to fight. When the guns are pointed the wrong way, "bad men" often change to good, meek and scared men.

Stamp collectors have held a celebration, grateful to Doctor Eckener for a new kind of stamp. How many ways man finds to keep busy and at the same time avoid thinking!

Collecting queer things, stamps or tear jugs; playing bridge, working crossword puzzles, playing solitaire, rushing to the far corners of the world to spend money—usually not earned; going to Africa to kill big game animals. These are some substitutes for thinking and working constructively, the only occupation worthy of a human being.

Mrs. James C. Canipe of Clovis, New Mexico, as a girl was not able to finish high school, but that did not discourage her. She waited some years. Then she joined the senior high school class with her son and daughter-in-law, and will graduate with them this month, among the most brilliant scholars.

Chancellor Hitler, who was never married, nevertheless thinks marriage a good idea. Young Nazis, in the public employ, have been told that unless they marry by the time they are twenty-six years old there is something the matter with their "courage and will power."

A syndicate is formed to seek the "buried gold bags of Alexander the Great," containing at least \$900,000,000 in yellow wealth.

Alexander the Great's ghost might be surprised to hear about that. Alexander was too busy to collect gold, and not the kind of man to bury it in a hole.

Encouraged by her father, a sixteen-year-old high school girl walked onto the wing of a small plane, prepared for a first parachute jump at 1,500 feet. The pilot perceived that the parachute cord had been pulled prematurely; pulled her back into the cockpit in time to save her from death.

Without requiring encouragement Mrs. Harriet O. Hague, eighty-six years old, flew the ocean on the Hindenburg return trip. Tell that to your friend who used to oppose female suffrage "because women are not brave like men."

The Italian flag flies over Halle Selassie's palace. He will never see that palace again, but he has boxes of gold bars with him and has moved to a safer, better climate.

The civilized world, whatever its attitude toward the slave-dealing alleged descendants of King Solomon and the Queen of Sheba, must rejoice in Mussolini's proclamation abolishing slavery throughout Ethiopia, where slaves have been the chief cash-producing product.

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OUR FAMILY CORNER

Illustrated Current News, Fashion, Household and Entertainment for the Juniors

BEDTIME STORY

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

BILLY MINK OUTWITS THE TRAPPER

As smart and clever as you are, a mink may smarter be by far. This is what Billy Mink said to himself as he uncovered the trap which had been set for him at the entrance of one of his favorite holes in the bank of the Laughing Brook. Of course he was thinking of the trapper when he said it. At first Billy flew into a great rage. It made him angry clear to the tip of his tail just to think he must now be always watching for traps where for so long there had been no danger.

At first, on discovering that trap, he had thought to go on at once up



"It Will Serve That Trapper Right if I Can Get That Fish," Muttered Billy.

the Laughing Brook and see what more he could discover. But you remember that Billy was hungry and that there was a piece of perfectly delicious fish back in that hole. He knew now just how the fish happened to be there. He knew that that trapper had put that piece of fish in there hoping that Billy

Tree on a Tower



Here is seen an aspen tree growing from the top of the Decatur county court house in Greensburg, Ind. Since the 1870s one or more trees have been growing on this tower, although they have been removed and all discoverable roots cleaned out. The first tree to appear was allowed to grow for about fifteen years before being removed. The present tree is between five and six years old. Six iron bands have been placed around the stone roof of the tower for fear that the many hidden small roots, exerting pressure during growth, might cause the roof to burst.

would be so eager to get in that he would be careless.

The more he smelled it, the more he wanted it. "It will serve that trapper right if I can get that fish!" muttered Billy. "Perhaps it will reach him that he is not so smart as he thinks he is. I wonder if I can step over that trap."

Billy sat down and studied the trap and the entrance to the hole. The more he studied the more sure he became that he would be running a very foolish risk if he tried to step over that trap just to get a piece of fish. You see, that trap had been very cunningly placed. But the more he smelled that fish the more he wanted it.

Billy stroked his shiny whiskers thoughtfully. Of course that didn't have anything to do with it, but just the same while he was stroking them he remembered something. His eyes snapped and he grinned. Way up on the bank between the roots of a certain tree was a little hole. It was the entrance to a little underground tunnel, and that tunnel led right down to the very hole in front of which the trap was set. It really was a sort of back door.

Billy turned and in a flash had scrambled up the bank. With his keen little nose he made sure that there was no scent of the trapper up there. He felt sure that the trapper had not found that little hole between the roots of that certain tree. But though he was sure of this, he took no chances. As he approached that hole he took the greatest care to make sure that no trap was in there. There was none.

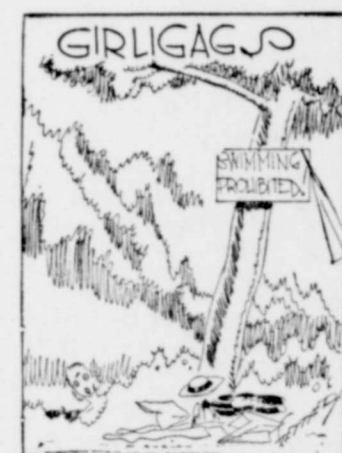
Once inside the hole, Billy ran along that little tunnel chuckling to himself. He knew that there was no danger. He could get that fish. He did get it. He got it and ate it right there. Then he turned and ran out the way he had entered. Somehow that fish had tasted the best of any fish he had ever eaten. It was because he had outwitted the trapper.

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Costumes for the "Dust Bowl"



THESE three young ladies of Pueblo, Colo., are wearing three variations of the masks now used by farmers who have to be out in the open during the "black blizzards" which have swept over parts of Colorado, Oklahoma, Texas and Kansas during the past two years.



"It's getting so now that you can't sneak down to the old swimming hole for a little dip in the raw," says modest Mitzel, "without having one of those nudist camp scouts trying to sign you up."

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THE ARISTOCRACY

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THESE are the aristocracy: The man who makes my shoes for me.

My clothes, the roof above my head. The very comfort of my bed. The food my body nourishes—Yes, even for my very breath. Upon some other I depend, My noblest neighbor, nearest friend.

I never see a hand of grime, A brow of summer sweat, but I'm A bit ashamed no look of toil Have mine, of contact with the soil. My little greatness is less great, A thousand times, than his estate Who makes a habitable earth For many men of lesser worth.

I am entitled to my ease, My lighter task, by serving these Who serve mankind for then we all Are workers, be we great or small. I thus become, the best I can, The equal of this other man To whom I look, who looks to me— Both then the aristocracy.

© Douglas Malloch.—WNU Service.

Plated Ruffles



Binche lace edges the plated ruffles that form the sleeves and petticoat effect on this prim little frock of black and white printed chiffon. The shantung straw hat is Schiaparelli's new one trimmed with colored "glass" flowers.

Eve's Epigrams

Hubby usually wants a good understanding, but the little woman gets more out of a good misunderstanding.

Invented the Lancers Dance The dance called the lancers was probably invented about 1819, either by Joseph Hart, who published the following year, Les Lancers, or by Duval of Dublin, who also at this time published a set. The lancers was first danced in London in 1830, but had been introduced in Paris by Laborde in 1836.

MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

MARKETING FOR THE HOME

IT IS a heartening sight to visit the city markets and see the handsome, high-powered cars lined up at the curb and the lady of the house walking from stall to stall choosing the food for her family, along with the housewife of the poor man who must count every penny.

One of the hardest things for the average woman to do is to regulate her purchases to the amount she has to spend for food. It takes real self-denial to pass by the attractive delicacies for the table and confine one's self to the urgent needs. Shopping and marketing are fine things to develop self-control.

In too many households the marketing problem is left to haphazard buying or the last minute order, and so it is either a feast or a famine to which the family look forward.

The tender cuts of meat do not contain any more nourishment and they lack the extractives which are found in the more active muscles and so they lack the flavor. Cheap cuts which are used for meat are often thrown away because of the idea that they have lost their food value. The fact is all the

food value is still there, the lack is in the flavor or extractives, which may be supplied in various ways—adding flavorful vegetables, meat sauces and condiments, thus making palatable and nourishing dishes from meat left from broths.

When we learn that marketing is a household science which needs study and observation and that extravagant buying, however full the purse, is never to be indulged, we are in a fair way to improve in that part of household management.

We are told by those who have made a study of family needs that before a pound of meat is bought a quart of milk should supply the daily need of every child in the family. Milk may be used as a drink, as a main dish, in puddings, sauces, with cereals for breakfast and supper.

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TRY THIS TRICK

By PONJAY HARRAH

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X-RAY VISION

TO DEMONSTRATE his ability at X-ray vision, the magician takes a pack of cards from its case. He lays them on the table and asks some one to insert a card from the pack. The card must be put in face down.

Picking up the case, the magician holds it to his forehead and promptly names the value of the card. He may repeat the trick if he desires.

Be careful, in performing this trick, to specify that the card must be put in the case while the latter is on the table. Why? Because you have previously cut a small hole in the lower corner of the card case. When you pick up the card case, you can see the index corner of the card within. That is why you are able to name it.

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TALL TALES

As Told to: FRANK E. HAGAN and ELMO SCOTT WATSON

Steel Drivin' Man

HOEL S. BISHOP, who knows the history of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad backward as well as forward, and vice versa, has often heard the old-timers tell about the difficulties they had in driving a tunnel through Cruzeo mountain. Among their negro laborers was a young fellow named Henry, a likely lad only seven or eight feet tall.

Right away they discovered that John Henry was a mighty good hammer man, even though he hadn't got his growth yet. He was so fast with his 12-pound hammer that he wore out his handle every nine minutes. He always had to have a boy standing by with a pail of water so he could keep the hammer from melting.

The result of this was that the C. and O. had to hire a gang of Tony Beaver's lumberjacks to log off the whole state of West Virginia in order to provide John Henry with enough hammer handles to keep him busy. Also they had to make the Potomac river run backwards so there'd be enough water to keep his hammer cool.

Just about the time John Henry began to wear out a handle every six and three-quarter minutes, a fellow showed up with a steam-driven drill and challenged John Henry to a drilling contest. "Boss man, how many days' stant you-all want so I won't ketch up with you too soon?" asked John Henry. The steam drill man said they'd start at the same time, so at it they went. And, as everybody in the South knows, John Henry—Beat that steam drill down. Rock was high, po' John was low. Well, he laid down his hammah an' he died.

Laid down his hammah an' he died. It was too bad that the contest resulted fatally for the victor. If John Henry had ever grown up to be a full-size man, he might have hung up some real records.

The Good Ship "Wobble"

THE first stories about the good ship "Wobble" were written by Frank Ward O'Malley and printed in the New York Sun, but other newspaper men have added details to its history. It was "O'Malley of the Sun," however, who first interviewed its master, Capt. Heine Hassenpfeffer, and discovered that he wasn't quite sane. Captain Heine had been a second story man in New York. When he sought new fields for his talents in Africa and found that the houses there were only one story high, the disappointment unbalanced his mind.

The "Wobble" was unbalanced also. It had only one paddle-wheel, and when it started out on a voyage with its cargo of subways and artesian wells, it just steamed around and around in a circle.

To correct this defect Captain Heine junked the engine and paddle-wheel, installed masts and sails and set out across the Atlantic. Four and a half days out, the ship ran into what seemed to be a dense black cloud. But the captain soon found that it was a flock of mosquitoes. By the time the "Wobble" had passed through them, the insects had eaten off every scrap of sail and tarred rope from the ship.

For a month the ship drifted with the tides. Again it ran into a cloud of mosquitoes. By a queer coincidence it was the very same flock that had stripped the ship. Captain Heine knew they were the same because every mosquito wore a pair of canvas overalls, made from his sails, held up by tarred rope suspenders!

A Shout for Bellow

AROUND Horse Cave, Kentucky, the natives will tell you never get the best of Herman Bellow.

Herman's knowledge came from a study of nature in the numerous caverns of his neighborhood. Once an Englishman visited Horse Cave, so the story goes, and engaged in argument with Herman. The result was a bet, the loser to be the man who couldn't answer his own question.

Said Herman: "Why is it a woodchuck leaves no dirt when he digs a hole?"

"That's your question," retorted the Englishman. "Because he starts to dig the hole at the bottom instead of at the top," replied Herman proudly.

"But how does he get to the bottom?" the Briton wanted to know. "That's your question!" cracked Herman Bellow.

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Palace as a Home

Some 3,000 of the 32,000 people of Split, one of the seaports of Yugoslavia, live within the walls of the Diocletian palace, which covers nearly nine acres, and is one of the largest private residences ever built. Travelers who visit Split spend most of their time outdoors, so that they can enjoy the brilliant sunshine.

Wind Spreads Seeds Seeds are spread in various ways, but the wind is the most important agent.

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Floyd Gibbons Adventurers' Club Hello Everybody!

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MEET Fellow Adventurer Jack Kapsol of Brooklyn, N. Y. Jack is a gas station attendant and comes into the club with colors and a story of a hand-to-hand battle he had with a pup man.

Speaking of hold-ups in gas stations, I want to tell you of Bill Kernan, a friend of mine who runs a service station in Miami, Fla. Bill was sitting alone in his lonely station one night in winter.

There had been a lot of gas station holdups in town recently and Bill was feeling pretty nervous this night. He had quite a bit of money in the cash register and didn't like the looks of the weather. It was raining cats and dogs and the streets were deserted.

Suddenly the light of a big car driving into his driveway startled him. He added to a stop and two men jumped out and entered the office. He took one look at them and nearly fainted. Both wore masks!

Masked Devil and Pirate Hold Up Gas Station. Without waiting for the command, Bill raised his hands over his head and dropped weakly into a chair. He looked his night visitors over with big eyes. And no wonder! One of them looked like the devil—I mean that—he was dressed in a devil's costume complete from horns to tail! The other masked man was a pirate and pistols and daggers dangled threateningly from his belt!

What a disguise, Bill thought, and with chattering teeth he told them to help themselves to the cash register. Bill's boss had told him not to resist in case of a holdup and Bill, being an obedient employee, obeyed. But the men paid no attention to the cash register. The pirate instead drew out a long pistol and leveled it at Bill's trembling head:

"Give us some gas or your life," he growled. Bill jumped at the command and quickly filled their tank. He spilled the gas on the road but that didn't matter. All he wanted to do was get rid of his dangerous customers as soon as possible. A few gallons of gas was a cheap price to pay, he thought.

Holdup Turns Out to Be Revelers' Lark. As he finished filling the tank Bill got another shock. The devil and a mysterious pocket and handed him a five dollar bill. Bill looked at the money in amazement. A strong whisky odor came from the devil's breath.

"Keep the change," he muttered thickly. And the two "bandits" climbed into their big car and drove back to the city. Bill had just left!

This Time It's Really a Serious Affair. That's one service man's story. Jack Kapsol's experience wasn't quite so funny and his bandit hadn't been to any masquerade either.

Jack had the night watch at his father's service station on Liberty avenue in Jamaica, L. I. One Saturday night—or rather Sunday morning, for it was 3 a. m.—Jack was sitting alone waiting for customers. The date was December 1, 1934. Business had been good that day and there was plenty of Jack's cash register.

The street was deserted when a big blue Buick drove up and two looking characters asked for 10 gallons of gas. Jack gave it to them



They gave him a two dollar bill in payment. When he started into the car to get the change one of the men—a big fellow in a heavy overcoat—blowed him.

"Hand all the dough over," the big man ordered with a curse and a heavy black-jack out of his coat pocket. Jack says the black-jack was an ugly looking weapon and the sight of it almost made him obey. He figured he couldn't give up his father's money without a struggle. Jack is an amateur wrestler and a pretty big fellow himself.

Jack's Knowledge of Wrestling Was a Life Saver. He reached for the cash register, pretending to obey, and then suddenly made a flying tackle at the holdup man. Wham! the black-jack sailed through the air and down went both men. Jack had been too quick for the black-jack. He got under it as the weapon whizzed by his ear and the bandit's arm applied a "Japanese arm lock."

Did you ever see that hold? It's a pip and you can snap a man's arm with it. But the arm Jack held had a heavy overcoat on it and its powerful owner broke the hold. Jack got a "full Nelson" on him next and was able to keep away from the black-jack.

And now comes an ending as any professional wrestler would give you. The bandit had been smoking a cigarette when he came in. Jack's attack had knocked the lighted cigarette on the floor. The cigarette of the office was a keg of highly inflammable anti-freeze.

Danger of Explosion Was Greater Than Robbery. The anti-freeze had leaked and as Jack struggled desperately on the floor he saw the cigarette had lit the anti-freeze. A blue streak and through the air and down went both men. Jack had been too quick for the black-jack. He got under it as the weapon whizzed by his ear and the bandit's arm applied a "Japanese arm lock."

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Daytime Tailleurs of Net or Lace

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



A MOST significant trend in current fashion is the preference shown for materials that are decidedly sheer. Not only does the employment of dainty sheers pertain to the evening mode but the real news lies in the fact of their outstanding vogue for practical daytime wear. From all style centers comes the persistent report of the supremacy of nets, laces, marquisettes, tules, mousseline de sole and various other media of like character.

The fact that designers have taken to tailoring net as if it were a heavier material is providing one of the most exciting and fascinating ventures ever recorded in the annals of fashion history. To refer to the new tailored net suits and ensembles as costumes of sheer delight is no mere play on words for they are just that—delightfully cool, sheer and smart as can be to wear on a late spring or a midsummer day.

A jacket suit strictly tailored of net in black, navy, Dubonnet red or any other dark color is about the neatest daytime fashion one could choose for immediate and summer wear. The net employed for these practical tailleurs is of an especially firm and dependable weave which, however, does in no wise detract from its sheer coolness.

Tailored frocks of printed net (many suits are also of net prints) are among the best successes of the season. A very handsome dress of plaid-patterned net is worn by the young woman seated in the group pictured. It is ideal to wear to an afternoon bridge party. In fact it is

DARK BLOUSE

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Wear a dark blouse with your light suit and be fashionable. Very smart folk are carrying out this edict by toning up their natural or white linen suits with blouses in navy, brown, black or Dubonnet red lines. The ensemble in the picture selected from among showings in the Chicago wholesale market district plays up the slogan now popular in fashion circles that three fabrics are better than one or even two for the spring and summer costume. In this instance the color of the blouse picks up the leading shade in the plaid of the jacket suit.

Amethyst Jewelry The tremendous vogue for purple and violet in the fashion scheme has brought back the amethyst as a favored stone for jewelry. Amethyst necklaces and clips are being shown in Paris to wear with new gowns in these tones.

the dress-ideal for most any daytime social event where one hopes to look smartly gowned and to keep cool at the same moment. The sheer frill that enhances this dress is also an important style note for these frilly accents are inevitable this season if you would be chic. By all means have a printed net frock. It is exactly the sort that you will love to be wearing the whole summer through.

Lace for daytime wear has come definitely into its own this season. White cotton alencon makes up stunningly, as you will see by the swank gown to the left in the illustration. For all its tailored simplicity, it takes its place charmingly and definitely for afternoon wear and the cocktail hour. This attractive model features the newest silhouette. It buttons demurely all the way down the front, and has a little stitched collar and cuffs of white linen. Lace has every advantage in tailored clothes, for it has pattern and texture in itself that allows for no extra trimmings or furbelows.

The tailored day dress centered in the group is as honest-to-goodness a product of the lace looms as the chewyby laces and various cotton laces to which we have been accustomed. The dress is made of wool in one of the fabric laces so much talked of this year. The colors are navy and gray with an accent of navy wool for the neckline and belt. Rosevienne of Paris is the creator of this high-style gown. The model wears it very smartly with a dark tulle Dache hat.

VEGETABLE COLORS DOMINATE STYLES

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

Vegetable colors will dominate the summer styles, according to a fashion preview held in New York. Rhubarb pink, wax-bean, parsley green, red cabbage and garden blue (bluebonnet) were shown in every gown or its accessories. Hats were all in color, contrasting with the gown.

Two organza frocks for lunching in town indicated that dark sheers will replace prints for summer wear. With a black organza tunic dress was worn a large Swiss hair hat in rhubarb pink, with black streamers at the back. Gloves in rhubarb and nail polish in rose, carried out the color of the hat.

The ensemble that won the biggest hand was a bicycle culotte of Mt. Alry cloth. Beautifully tailored and practically wrinkle-proof, this new fabric made its formal bow to the world of fashion. Under her pert, tiny straw fedora, the model wore a light tan make-up and rust nails and lips carrying out the off-red tone of her belt and scarf.

Coats shown for travel were of tweed or lightweight wool with exaggerated shoulders. Long coats were fitted at the waist; swaggar, boxy models were finger length. Particularly effective was a swaggar top-coat in red cabbage over a navy suit. The mannish line of the large rolled straw fedora was softened by a veil, both in navy. Shoes and bag were navy, and ruby lips and nails carried out the purple red tone of the coat.

Prints Are Designed for Girls Who Take to Golf

The golf-minded girl may carry a country club course on her back this season, if she keeps an eye on the new prints which manufacturers are introducing. Topping the list for novelty patterns introduced this season is the fairways print, ornamented with an entire 18-hole golf course. Designers also have taken inspiration from sea and sky to introduce figured cottons and silks containing piscatorial prints and the signs of the zodiac.

Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

Somebody has said that it is not so remarkable that Columbus discovered America as it would have been if he hadn't discovered it. But, though Columbus never dreamed that he had discovered America, or even that there was an America to discover, the credit for his exploit can never be taken away from him. Today looking out of a window on the coast of Maine I can see dozens of channel buoys without which steamships would find it as difficult to find their way into the harbor as it was for the Genoese explorer to discover San Salvador. Some of these marks are light-houses, some of them are red or black spars, some of them are great

Iron buoys which blow a warning whistle with every lift and fall of the sea. To maintain this system of warnings, which is found at the entrance of every port on both coasts of America, required not only a great deal of money, but an almost incredible amount of courage on the part of the lighthouse builders, and the men whose business it is to see that the buoys are always in their place, ready to give their warnings. Neither storm nor cold can turn from their watchful task. Let a single buoy go astray, or a single lighthouse fail to "throw its beam across the wave," and every ship entering or leaving port may be in danger. To build up this almost perfect system has required many years and a great deal of risk. But were the marks not carefully watched and tended, reaching a port either by night or by day would be a perilous business. There was once a master mariner who when asked how he could know every rock in the entrance to a harbor said: "I don't. But I know where the deep water is."

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Foreign Words and Phrases

Ab uno disce omnes. (L.) From one learn all. Anno aetatis suae. (L.) In the year of his (or her) age. Bonne fol. (F.) Good faith. Caput mortuum. (L.) A worthless residue. De trop. (F.) Too much; too many; out of place; not wanted. Ecce signum. (L.) Behold the sign! Here is the proof. Fata obstant. (L.) The Fates oppose. Honi soit qui mal y pense. (F.) Evil be to him who evil thinks. (Motto of Great Britain.) Inter se. (L.) Between (or among) themselves. Lex non scripta. (L.) Unwritten law; the common law. Mal a propos. (F.) Ill-timed; unsuitable. Nemo me impune lacessit. (L.) No one attacks me with impunity.

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(Items for either this column or the calendar must be turned in by not later than Wednesday noon)

Social Calendar

The American Legion Auxiliary will have a Memorial Day program Saturday morning at 10:00 at the school auditorium. From there they will go to the cemetery to decorate graves.

The Girl Scout troop, known as the Rose and Blue Bird patrol, will meet for their day camp on Tuesday afternoon, June 2nd, at 4:00 o'clock.

The Woman's club will hold their last meeting for the year, on Friday afternoon, June 5th, at the home of Mrs. Richmond Hams. This is an important meeting, as it is to be election of officers. All members are urged to attend, and each is asked to bring something for the picnic lunch afterwards.

The Girl Scout troop, known as the Morning Glory and Daisy patrol, will meet for their day camp on Wednesday afternoon, June 3rd, at 4:00 o'clock.

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. E. A. Paddock Wednesday, June 3.

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L. C. CLUB

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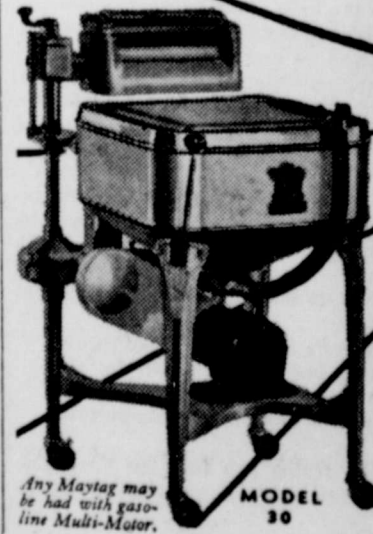
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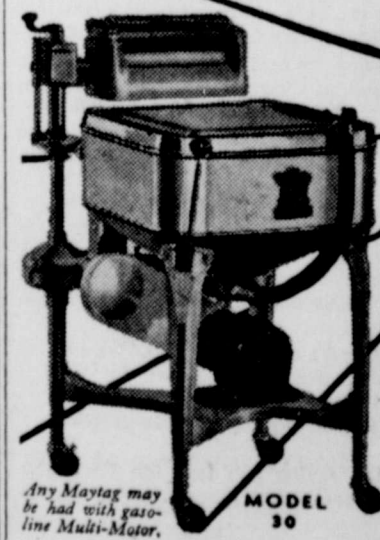
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