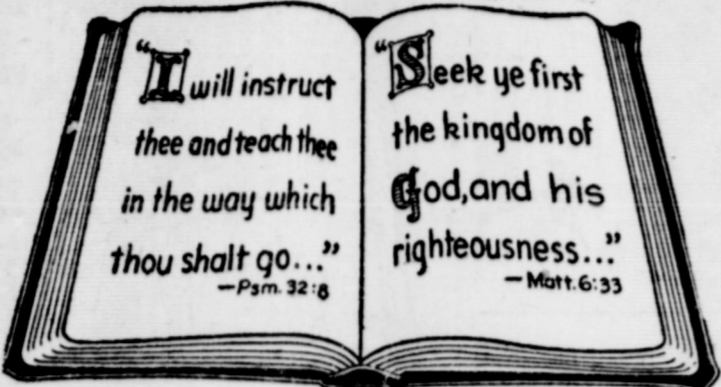


# O'Donnell Index-Press

25th year; no 22 O'DONNELL, LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS, Thursday, March 4, 1948 \$1.50 PER YEAR

## Red Cross Opens Drive Here



### BRING YOUR CHILDREN TO CHURCH SCHOOL

#### J W Stuart, Jr. Injured in Car Mishap Thursday

J W Stuart, Jr. of O'Donnell Rd 1 was seriously injured last Thursday night in a car accident on the highway between Lamesa and Seminole. He was taken to the Veterans hospital at Amarillo Saturday and is suffering from multiple fractures as well as a punctured lung. A man in the other car was also seriously injured as well as a lady being injured.

#### Mr. Edler of Crosbyton to Speak on Hospital Plan Here March 18th

One of the main speakers Thursday night March 18th at the mass meeting for the O'Donnell Memorial hospital will be Mr. Edler of Crosbyton who organized the hospital at Crosbyton. He is the father of our own Alton Edler who recently moved to Lubbock. The meeting will be at 8 p m at the school auditorium. There will be a representative from the Amherst hospital.

#### SUMNER CLAYTON HEADS DRIVE

Judge Tom Garrard, Lynn County chairman of the American Red Cross has named Sumner Clayton as chairman of the drive to raise O'Donnell's quota of \$350. The quota of Lynn County is \$2200. The drive here commenced Tuesday and will continue thru March 10th or until this community goes over the top. The O'Donnell Rotary Club is co-operating in the drive and will furnish workers for the drive.

The Red Cross is well known to all men, women and children for its splendid work with humanity when in trouble. Locally the work of 1938 will call to mind the work of the Red Cross. That group spent approximately \$20,000 in helping those families hard hit by this disaster. More recently you will remember the Three Lakes fire. The Red Cross helped the Mexican survivors of this fire. Give as generously as you can. One half of the funds remain in the county for local needs. Last year O'Donnell went over the top on the third day; we can do better this year.

#### Two Revivals Are In Progress

Two revivals in O'Donnell are now in progress. Rev. John B. Wharton is conducting a revival at the Assembly of God Church and Rev. Orval C. Keller is holding a revival at the Church of the Nazarene. You are cordially invited to attend services at both churches.

**FARM JOB** desired by man and wife with long experience; living quarters desired; wife would consider doing house work and cooking. See LaVerne Wilmoth in care L. L. Busby, Phone 27

**LUMBER YARD** for immediate sale. Fixed assets \$6500 for \$4500 plus approximate inventory of \$3750. Ray Willingham, Lumber

**FOR SALE:** All steel factory built trailer for sale. \$450 including extra wheel and tire and trailer hitch. RAY WILLINGHAM

**FOR SALE:** Busch Camera, press type with flash attachment, range and view finder. See Billy Schooler.

**FOR SALE:** 5 Room house, hard wood floors; 1 bl. south Ford Agency; formerly occupied by Mr. Crumley. Call index for information. 2tp

**Authorized Landerall Automatic Laundry machine.** Press the button and your washing is done automatic. At PUGH Appliance.

Mrs. R. E. G. Light is visiting her sister at Carlsbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tomlinson were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Perle.

**USING A LICENSED** master plumber costs NO more. Call Pugh the Plumber; no job too large or too small

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pace visited at Knott Friday of last week.

Miss Ruth Tyler spent the week end visiting in Lubbock.

Dall Stubblefield spent Sunday at Morton where his wife had been visiting her mother and they returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson and son Eddie visited friends and relatives in Odessa Sunday.

**A WIDE** selection of phonograph records and accessories at PUGH APPLIANCE

Mr. and Mrs. Chance Mansell and Mrs. Lydia Hancock left Monday for a three week's stay in Marlin for the baths.

Bro. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Hobdy, Mrs. Spears, Burl Koeninger and R. G. Ledbetter attended a district meeting in Brownfield Sunday afternoon; the occasion being to make plans for a training union school at the church.

#### THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge Club met last week with Mrs. James Wiese. Attending were Mesdames J. V. Burdett, Ralph Beach, James Bowlin, Johnny Billingsley, Wm. Jackson, Lynn Birdwell, Louis Hochman, Shag Garrett, John Stephens, Bill McBride, James Reed, C. R. Burleson, Ken Morrison, Sue Forbes, Glenn Gibson and Mack C. Bradley. High score was won by Mrs. James Bowlin and low by Mrs. James Reed. Bingo was also won by Mrs. Bowlin.

The Thursday night Club met last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ed Singleton. Couples attending were Ralph Beach, J. V. Burdett, Johnny Billingsley, James Bowlin, Sam Singleton, and James Wiese. Ralph Beach won men's high and Dorothy Bowlin won women's high; bingo was won by Mr. and Mrs. Beach.

**SEE THE "Easy" Automatic** Mangle with dual controls. See it today to appreciate it. Pugh Appliance

## F.F.A. Stock Show Here Saturday

#### MISS GILLIAM WEDS



Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gilliam of Lubbock announced the recent marriage of their daughter, Wymia Gene to Bill Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alto Barnes of near O'Donnell. They were married at Lamesa and are living on the farm near here. Both of the young couple are graduates of the local high school. Our Congratulatory

#### School Election Saturday

Saturday March 4th residents of the O'Donnell school district and the Harmony school district will vote on the proposed consolidation of the two districts. The election will be held at the Harmony school and at the City Tax office at O'Donnell.

#### Thompson's Showing Easter Arrivals

Floyd Thompson's Toggery is opening the Easter season this week with a "Full House" of spring clothes for men, women, and children. Mr. Thompson's store here has met with a splendid reception and his store would do credit to Lubbock or Lamesa. Also he features nationally advertised goods. Go by and see the spring arrivals this week.

#### ATHLETES FOOT GERM HOW TO KILL IT. IN ONE HOUR.

If NOT PLEASED, your 35c back. Ask any druggist for this STRONG fungicide, TE-OL. Made with 90 percent alcohol. It PENETRATES. Reaches and kills MORE germs faster. Today at Corner Drug

#### A WORD OF THANKS

Thanks to you who helped us to go over the top in our Scout fund drive. Due to the help of each man who did the work and the generosity of each one who gave, we are able to report that on a quota of \$360, \$412 was collected. Again we say THANKS. The Committee Chairman: Arthur L. Golden and Alby J. Cockrell

#### First Annual Show Is Sponsored By Rotary

The first annual O'Donnell FFA Project show will be held in the Farmers Co-Op barn just south of the Howlin Gin Saturday March 6th. Judging of the 25 hogs and 3 calves will start at 10 a m with Sonny Nance of Post as the judge. Mr. Reed, our capable agriculture teacher, is the ramrod of the event. It is sponsored by the Rotary club. It is to be desired that this event will be the forerunner of a large livestock show as time passes.

H. and S. Auto and Home Supply is headquarters for DuPont Outside and Inside paints

#### Funeral Here Saturday For J B Lee

Grave-side services were held here Saturday for J B Lee with burial in the local cemetery. A previous service had been held at Seagraves at the Church of Christ with Alvis Bryan of Lubbock in charge of the services.

Mr. Lee was killed in an automobile accident between Seagraves and Denver City when the car overturned in a hailstorm. He was the foreman of an acidizing crew for an oil company and came into Seagraves from Levelland at 11 p m and was called out again to Denver City. Returning at about 2:30 a m he ran into the storm and evidently slipped off the pavement with the car overturning several times.

Mr. Lee was married to Miss Iris Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson of O'Donnell. They have three children. The shock of the tragic death left Mrs. Lee in a serious condition and the Thompsons are remaining with her at Seagraves. Our sympathy to the loved ones

**WE like fishing; so we are heavily stocked in all fishing needs. Come to H. and S. and let's talk about our favorite sport.**

**FOR SALE:** Windmill and pipe reasonable. Mrs. J. P. Bowlin, Sr. **W M Mathis Announces For County Clerk**

The Index is authorized to announce the candidacy of Walter M Mathis for re-election as County Clerk of Lynn County subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

Mr. Mathis needs no introduction to the voters of this County as he has served us well for a number of years as County Clerk. He is "home folks" as he formerly lived at Draw.

Walter said that he would try and see each of the voters personally and express his appreciation for past support and invite the continued support of residents of this county.

As a personal comment Walter has always impressed us as a most friendly and efficient official. He deserves this remark, we feel you will agree.

What you have waited for! The new Perfection oil cook ranges at H. and S. Auto and Home Supply store.

**We have two Norge Refrigerators. If you are in the market for a refrigerator, you should see them. They are self defrosting FIVE pressure pumps with the pipe to go with them**

**GOOD stock of windmills and steel towers**

**BEAUTIFUL NEW WALL PAPER**

**GOOD STOCK of water heaters, bath tubs and other plumbing supplies**

**AND MANY OTHER ITEMS**

**COME TO SEE US**

**Cicero Smith**  
LUMBER COMPANY  
Don Edwards, Mgr.

#### OLD TIMER WRITES

Algoosh! After having run here with Henry Mc for years, we suddenly find he is a mere kid having sixteen birthdays, each secured on Feb. 29th. Small that he has always been a kitten.

There have been no authorities to back us up. It is reported that during the terribly cold spell, an old fellow found dead under a cul-de-sac Lamesa who was easily identified as "The Old Tramp" who years frequented this territory at least from Amarillo to Kings. Perhaps neither of towns were his "turning points."

It is said that NO identification were found which might established the whereabouts of "sojourning" in O'Donnell from time to time, we think ally slept in gin houses. How dare become every In regarding his private affairs was always rather strange that he did not choose to go the south each winter into the toughing it out on the west Texas. Altho this showed but little respect to being especially bitter "The Gvmlnt", yet there as in the fact that he passed in the earthy picture in manner as reported --- with a mourn over the fact --- or would seem.

#### CARD OF THANKS

to express my sincere appreciation to my many friends for "Get Well" cards and thoughtful expressions while in the hospital and after return home. Again, many thanks Charley Hart and Mrs. Cubie Bray and

Commissioner Anderson has read the Index to ask farmers near the recently paved to exercise care when turning tractors on the road bed. Mr. Anderson that all have been careful but that he would appreciate continued caution.

OOO Dan Blocker of Sul Ross of Alpine spent the week home.

Mrs. Edna and Julia Edwards of Moyne Line of H-SU at Abilent week end at home.

Mr. A. L. Golden announced that services will be held at the MESQUITE Church building starting Thursday March 4 and each Thursday thereafter. Everyone is invited.

Services will begin at 7:30 and Mrs. Ed Dorsey have moved to Tulia where they have an irrigated farm.

and Mrs. Omaha McLaurin moved to Big Springs

FOR SALE --- posts see Bill

For Sale: Home made house 7. Size 18 by 7 ft. price \$315 and E Weatherly at the New Church Itp

#### CONGRATULATIONS

and Mrs. Edward Teeter of City are the proud parents of a baby girl born last week 8 lbs. 13 oz.

ward owns a bakery at Knot

#### SUPPER HELD

Future Homemakers and Farmers sponsored a picnic in the high school auditorium Feb. 26th. A short program presented before the picnic, several musical numbers were given by Doris McMillan, Betty Gerton and Lowell Wright. An interesting feature of program was the "Wedding of Culture and Homer Economy" as Doris McMillan played wedding march, the wedding maid came forward. The maids were Daphne Telchey Etter and Pat Etter. They glitsham dresses with radish. The bride grooms were Billings, Kenneth Fliem and Glenn Brewer. They dressed in blue jeans. The LaQuita Stokes, gave the bride was dressed in a milk apron. Her bouquet consists of carrots and turnips. The Harold Franklin, wore str- overalls. The flower girl, Nelms, strew lettuce petals in front of the altar where the Agr. Arvis Grogan, also dressed overalls stood. The ring Tommy Billings, carried on a bun. After the bride pronounced them married they linked arms and happily strode away. From the pie each, Mr. Merrick did a swell mentioning the pies. The high for a pie was \$4.50

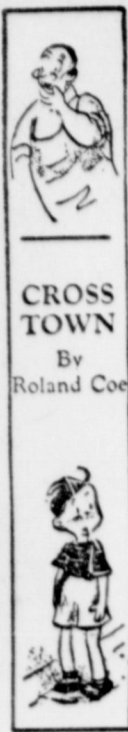
#### Rehearsal Dinner

Pen Moore Insurance Agency A rehearsal dinner was given Friday evening, Feb. 27th honoring Miss Billye Frank Gibbs bride elect of Elmer Sumrow. Hostesses were Mesdames J P Bowlin, A H. Koeninger, Irving Jones, Ben Moore, Naymon Everett, and Ella Mc Laurin at the home of Mrs. J P Bowlin. The reception suite was beautifully decorated with yellow Jonquills and purple Dutch Iris. An elaborate four course dinner was served.

#### Local College Girls To Arizona Tennis Meet

Misses Lamoyne Line and Edna Edwards are at Tucson, Ariz. representing Hardin - Simmons U in the Border Conference Tennis Meet there. Only two representatives are allowed from each college and Edna and Lamoyne will team together in doubles and then probably Lamoyne will play the singles. It will be remembered that these two girls, together with Peggy Cummins, represented the local HI School at the State Meet only two years ago. Peggy and Edna went to the State meet three consecutive years and Lamoyne went in singles last year. All three of these girls won many honors while in high school at tennis meets, and Edna and Lamoyne have won several honors while at Hardin - Simmons.

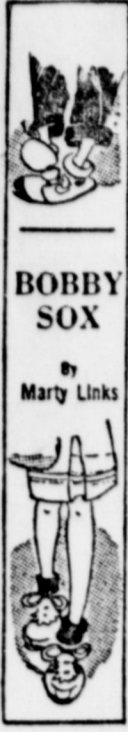
and Mrs. Geo. C Lindly returned Tuesday of this week an extended visit to several points.



CROSS TOWN  
By Roland Coe



"Hmmm—this ain't as good as his usual brand—he must be expecting some salesmen in tomorrow!"



BOBBY SOX  
By Marty Links



"Esther, do you want a slightly used diary? Marvin just didn't live up to the things I wrote about him!"



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DO THIS TO MAKE BREATHING EASIER.  
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OUCH OUCH OUCH



OUCH OUCH OUCH



HEY--WHAT'S THE IDEA?



OH, JUST TEASING THE BOYS A BIT

By Ernie Bushmiller

LITTLE REGGIE



AFTER YOU CLEAR THE WALK—GO INSIDE!! IT'S TOO COLD TO PLAY OUT IN THE SNOW!



AW GEE!



OH, I SLEEP GOOD NIGHTS AND I SLEEP O.K. MORNINGS.



BUT IN THE AFTERNOONS I JUST TWIST AND TURN! DON'T GET NO SLEEP AT ALL...

By Margarita

MUTT AND JEFF



JEFF! CONGRATULATE ME! I JUST GOT YOU A GOOD JOB AT THE BOILER FACTORY!



JEFF! WAKE UP! I JUST GOT YOU A GOOD JOB!



HUH? AW, MUTT, HAVE A HEART! I JUST DOZED OFF!



WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOU? DON'T YOU SLEEP NIGHTS?

By Bud Fisher

JITTER



I'M IN ENOUGH TROUBLE WITHOUT HAVING TO EXPLAIN YOU TO THE BOSS... YOU'VE GOT TO HIDE IN THIS CABINET ANYHLE!



HEAVENLY DAYS!



SOME PRACTICAL JOKER TRIED TO FRIGHTEN ME WITH A JACK-IN-A-BOX BUT IT DIDN'T SCARE ME A BIT!



EEEK

By Arthur Pointer

REG'LAR FELLERS



DID YOU KEEP AN EYE ON THE ROAST BEEF WHILE I WAS OUT?



YES, MOM!



AN IT'S LUCKY I DID 'CAUSE WHEN IT STARTED TO BURN—



—I USED THAT NEW FIRE EXTINGUISHER ON IT!

By Gene Byrnes

VIRGIL



BOY, AM I HUNGRY! WHAT'S ON THE MENU FOR TONIGHT, POP?



WELL, FIRST OFF, MR. BRANSKI CALLED TO SAY HIS SON RECEIVED A VERY BLACK EYE THIS MORNING.



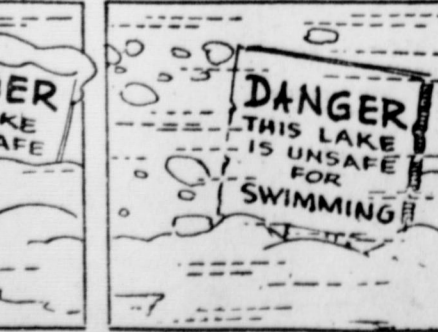
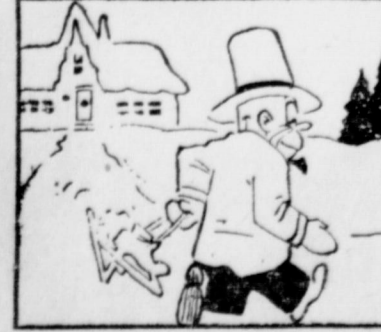
MRS. MURPHY SAYS HER INDIAN BLANKET IS MISSING OFF THE CLOTHES LINE—THREE OF MR. HANSON'S WINDOWS WERE BROKEN—MR. JAMES SAYS—



THE SAME MENU EVERY NIGHT

By Len Kleis

SILENT SAM



By Jeff Hayes

YOU'LL like the comfort of this carefully tailored shirtwaister dress—the way it suits every occasion with ease. Choose a pretty plaid cotton for summer, or a crisp starchy white.

Pattern No. 1617 is for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 42, 44 and 46. Size 16, 37 1/2 yards of 35 or 39-inch.

The Spring and Summer FASHION contains a wealth of sewing ideas for the

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

For a subtle and refreshing fragrance, hang a pomander ball in your clothes closet. This is easy to make. Take a large, firm orange and stick whole cloves into the entire surface.

When sanding unfinished furniture for painting, sand thoroughly with fine sandpaper wrapped around a padded wood block.

White woolen toys may be cleaned by making a thick paste of dry starch and water. Rub into the toy and let it stand until dry; brush off starch.

Keep electric appliances free from accumulations of dust, dirt, food crumbs, rust, water and oil.

To remove old paint or varnish from fine wood, place a wad of steel wool in a rubber crutch tip and rub lightly, being careful to avoid scratching. Then clean wood with turpentine.



MOTHER, MOTHER, I'VE BEEN THINKING OF THAT CAKE YOU BAKED TODAY; SO TASTY AND SO LIGHT AND FLUFFY. TELL ME HOW TO BAKE THAT WAY.

BAKE THE CLABBER GIRL WAY, MY DEAR, WITH CLABBER GIRL BAKING POWDER

Ask Mother, She Knows... Clabber Girl is the baking powder with the balanced double action... Right, in the mixing bowl; Light from the oven.

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Sano's scientific process cuts nicotine content to half that of ordinary cigarettes. Yet skillful blending makes every puff a pleasure.

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If you would like to make your dog comfortable in all kinds of weather, build this durable dog house. You don't have to know anything about carpentry or need a lot of different tools. The pattern offered below takes all the mystery out of constructing the dog house illustrated.

The pattern contains a complete purchase list of materials. It specifies stock size lumber readily available at most every lumber yard. Each piece of the dog house is cut according to the printed pattern and assembled as shown by step directions indicate. All directions are written in language everyone can understand. Printed assembly illustrations indicate exactly where to nail each piece and size of nails to use.

Building useful household articles out of lumber can provide a lot of fun and relaxation. The pattern method is very simple to follow. Each pattern has been designed so that any unskilled person can build the project in very little time. The projects offered each week are unique in design and have been tested sufficiently to prove their worthiness.

Send 25c for All-Weather Dog House Pattern to Fast-Hit Pattern Company, Department W, Pleasantville, N. Y.

**don't use Harsh Laxatives**

Keep regular this healthful way—

The juice of a lemon in a glass of water, when taken first thing on arising, is all that most people need to insure prompt, normal elimination. No more harsh laxatives that irritate the digestive tract and impair nutrition! Lemon in water is good for you!

Generations of Americans have taken lemons for health—and generations of doctors have recommended them. They are rich in vitamin C, supply valuable amounts of B<sub>1</sub> and P. They alkalize, aid digestion.

Not too sharp or sour, lemon in water has a refreshing tang—clears the mouth, wakes you up. It's not a purgative—simply helps your system regulate itself. Try it 10 days. USE CALIFORNIA SUNKIST LEMONS

**BACK ACHE TORTURE?**

**SORETONE Liniment's Heating Pad Action Gives Quick Relief!**

For fast, gentle relief of aches from back strain, muscle strain, lumbago pain, due to fatigue, exposure, use the liniment specially made to soothe such symptoms.

Soretone Liniment has scientific rubefacient ingredients that act like glowing warmth from a heating pad. Helps attract fresh surface blood to superficial pain area.

Soretone is different! Nothing else "just like it." Quick, satisfying results—more yours or money back. 5c. Economy size \$1.00.

To Soretone for Athlete's Foot. Kills all 3 types of common fungi—on contact!

**This Home-Mixed Cough Syrup Is Most Effective**

Cough medicines usually contain a large quantity of plain syrup—a good ingredient, but one which you can easily make at home. Take 2 cups of granulated sugar and 1 cup of water, and stir a few moments until dissolved. Or use corn syrup or liquid honey, instead of sugar syrup.

Then get from any drugstore 2½ ounces of Pinex, pour it into a pint bottle, and fill up with your syrup. This gives you a full pint of wonderful medicine for coughs due to colds. It makes a real saving because it gives you about four times as much for your money. Never seen anything better for quick and pleasing results.

Pinex is a special compound of proven ingredients, in concentrated form, a most reliable soothing agent for throat and bronchial irritations. Money refunded if it doesn't please you in every way.

**Pinex Is Dependable!**

**That Nagging Backache**

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Moderate life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—brings heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

Try Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to pass off harmful excess body waste. They have had more than half a century of public approval. Are recommended by grateful users everywhere. Ask your neighbor!

**DOAN'S PILLS**

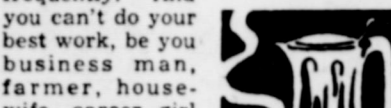


**Healthful Breakfast Will Appeal to Family If Menus Are Varied**



All those in favor of bacon and eggs have the right idea for there's no denying the importance of a substantial breakfast. In addition to bacon and eggs, the pattern should include fruit or fruit juice, toast, butter and a beverage.

You can't expect a first-class health rating if you skip breakfast frequently. And you can't do your best work, be you business man, farmer, housewife, career girl or school child, if mid-morning hunger pains bother you.



The remedy? A well-rounded breakfast that gives you foods essential for health. You say you can't eat breakfast? Nonsense. Of course, if you're one of those skip-breakfast people, it may take you a little time to get used to eating it, but little by little you can do it and really like it. It's worth it, if you feel better and can work better, isn't it?

Afraid of gaining weight, you say? No, not if breakfast includes a citrus fruit, soft boiled or poached egg, dry toast and coffee or tea without cream or sugar. You won't have nearly as hard a time resisting the snacks which put on weight if you're fortified with a nicely balanced breakfast.

We have variety in lunches and dinners, why not plan to have it in breakfasts? It will make them ever so much more interesting. Prepare eggs in several different styles, scrambled, poached, soft boiled, coddled, fried, baked or creamed. Have interesting breads and spreads.

Don't forget that meats add variety, too. Try sliced or fried ham as well as bacon, sausage, Canadian bacon or dried beef.

Then, too, you can find interesting variations for pancakes and waffles. Why not this:

**Bran Griddle Cakes.**

(Makes 15 cakes, 5½ inches in diameter)

- 2 eggs
- ¼ cup sugar
- 2¼ cups milk
- 3 cups sifted flour
- 2 tablespoons baking powder
- 1½ teaspoons salt
- ½ cup melted shortening
- ½ cup bran

Beat eggs and sugar until light and fluffy. Add milk and mix well. Sift flour with baking powder and salt; add to first mixture, stirring until flour disappears. Add shortening. Fold in bran. Bake on a hot griddle, turning only once.

You'll find that Dutch pancakes will do a nice filling job during breakfast, as well as contributing the valuable protein of eggs for this meal.

**Dutch Pancakes.**

(Serves 4)

- 4 eggs
- ½ cup sifted flour
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ cup milk
- 2 tablespoons soft butter
- Confectioners' sugar
- Jam

Beat eggs thoroughly. Sift flour and salt together and add to eggs alternately with milk to make a smooth batter. Spread butter over bottom and sides of cold frying pan. Pour in batter and place in a hot (400 degree) oven. Bake 20 to 25 minutes, reducing heat gradually to moderate (350 degrees) during the baking. Pancakes should puff up at the sides

**LYNN SAYS: Remember These Facts About Yeast Breads**

Rising time on bread or rolls usually follows this pattern: Dough made with one cake of yeast and two cups of liquid will take three hours to rise. Each subsequent rising takes less time.

Rising may be hastened by using more yeast. However, not more than two cakes of yeast should be used in the average recipe for fear of giving too much yeast flavor.

**LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU**

- Baked Salmon Loaf
- Goldenrod Egg Sauce
- Lemon Wedges
- Browned Potatoes
- Green Peas
- Apple, Pineapple Salad
- Broiled Grapefruit
- Cookies
- Beverage

and be crisp and brown. Sprinkle with confectioners' sugar and spread with jam. Roll like an omelet and serve immediately from a hot platter.

**Eggs and Pork Sausage.**

- (Serves 6)
- ½ pound bulk pork sausage
- 3 cups dry cubed bread
- 6 eggs, beaten
- 6 tablespoons milk
- ½ cup grated cheese

Saute sausage in skillet until well browned. Pour off most of the fat, then add bread cubes and brown. Combine eggs, milk and cheese and add to sausage mixture. Cook like scrambled eggs. Serve at once.

**Shirred Eggs and Sausages.**

- (Serves 6)
- 6 link sausages
- 1 cup catsup
- 6 eggs

Cut sausages into one-inch pieces and brown lightly. Place in a shallow baking dish and cover with catsup. Break eggs over catsup and bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven for 15 minutes.

**Sour Cream Coffee Rolls.**

- 2 cups milk
- 1 cup sour cream
- ¼ cup shortening
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup sugar
- 4 beaten eggs
- 2 cakes yeast
- ¼ cup warm water
- 13 cups flour

Scald milk and cream. Add shortening, salt and sugar, then cool. Add the eggs and the yeast which has been softened in lukewarm water. Add the flour to make a stiff dough. Blend well. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down. Cover the bottom of large muffin tins with ½-inch thick pieces of dough. Cover with filling and place another piece of dough on top. This may be baked as a coffee loaf in the same manner, covering the bottom of a loaf tin with dough, putting on the filling and covering with another piece of dough. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake rolls in a hot oven 25 minutes. For bread, use a hot oven for 10 minutes, then reduce to moderate for 40 minutes.

**AND THE MAN LISTENED**

WHEN we faithfully obey the Holy Spirit, he enables us to effectively witness for Jesus. We cannot be effective witnesses if we rely upon our own wisdom and our own judgment. The boy in your street who does not know Jesus will listen to your story if you go in the same glad obedience to the command of the Spirit of God as did Philip.

A lad told me this story. He had a neighbor who had never been to Sunday school, and he wanted to enlist this friend. But he was not quite sure of himself. And then he prayed, asking God to direct him. The next day the boy asked him, "What are you doing Sunday morning?" With this opening the lad invited his neighbor to come along with him, and the result was that the little neighbor, of another race, accepted Christ as his Saviour and is today a regular attendant at church and Sunday school.

**TO WHOM SHALL WE WITNESS?**

THE question now emerges, To whom shall we bear this witness? We cannot all go as missionaries, as did Dr. Schweitzer. Most of us must remain at home and carry on the work of our everyday pursuits of life.

But every Christian can witness. First, to those immediately about us. In every community in our beloved country are people who do not know Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord. We can witness to them, not to all of them, but to some of them, perhaps to one of them. And I would remind you that if you miss that particular person to whom you may be directed by the Holy Spirit, he or she may never know about the Saviour's love.

Second, we can share in the sending of the missionaries to earth's remotest bounds, through our gifts. I delight to think that I am in partnership with many great men and women on foreign fields, through my gifts and through my prayers.

Third, we can witness through personal correspondence with people in other lands. The present far-reaching media of relief for stricken peoples of the world affords a wonderful opportunity for this very witness. Ask your pastor for the name of some person your age in one of the lands to which your church is sending relief, and write that person a letter, telling of your joy in serving God.

The eunuch went on his way rejoicing. Why? Because Philip had taught him the way of salvation. He had been used as an effective witness in leading a man of another race to experience the peace that passeth all understanding.

And Jesus is saying to us today, "So send I you."

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Sour, heavy bread is caused by too high temperature during the rising time.

Crisp crusts on bread are made by brushing the top with slightly beaten egg white 10 minutes before the baking. This also will give a browner crust.

Soft crusts can be achieved by brushing with melted fat just before baking.

**THE BIBLE SPEAKS**

International Union Sunday School Lessons

By LOUIE D. NEWTON, D. D.

**The Personal Witness**

Lesson for March 7, 1948

DR. ALBERT SCHWEITZER, described by Hermann Hagedorn as "Prophet in the Wilderness," is a living example of what Sunday's lesson is undertaking to portray, namely, living for Jesus where you are.

Schweitzer, at 72, is described by Hagedorn as one who "burns like Francis of Assisi, and looks like Josef Stalin." But to the people of Equatorial Africa, he looks and acts like our Saviour Jesus did.

The lesson passage is found in Acts 8:26-39, and is the story of Philip, leaving his very successful evangelistic campaign in Samaria to follow the lead of the Holy Spirit into the way that goeth down from Jerusalem unto Gaza, which is desert. There he found a man in search of God, and through his witness the man was saved.

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Other day that classic journal of ours, the Arkansas Gazette, commented: "The government has it all figured out what people do with every penny of their money. Now, if only the people could figure out what the government does with it." That is a real poser! To be sure, government has to spend a lot of money. We are a big nation. Moreover, we find it necessary to take on obligations in many foreign lands.

But whether the government (specifically the federal government, where they throw around big sums) spends no more than is needful is important to everyone. Government is not a luxury; it is a necessity. Yet, to read the budget figures you would think all operations were on a luxury basis.

**Government Spends**  
 That government is expensive was proved again by John T. Flynn, who showed in Reader's Digest that TVA, a government project, forgot to include certain items in its book-keeping. Instead of the indicated profit, there was a real deficit of \$130,000,000 to June 30, 1944. Flynn shows there was an actual loss in sales of power to that date of \$15,000,000. This demonstrates that efficiency is a quality unknown to government operations.

Here's a prophecy. Wait until the budget is presented to this Congress, then watch the departments and bureaus fight any reductions. Increase the appropriation and swell the payroll - but shrink the swollen department? Never.

**Way to Depression**  
 This kind of selfishness means meager tax savings. It permits little tax reduction for folks who so much need relief. The more we tax and the more we spend for government, the nearer we get to depression.

Taxes of all kinds are too heavy these days. Corporation taxes are burdensome. Income taxes on all levels are too high. The individual income taxes cut down the rewards of the wage earner, keeping him from saving and investing. Instead, his tax payment is earmarked: "government expense." Some people oppose tax reductions for corporations and individuals, without realizing that continued heavy taxes will undermine our economic system and their own standard of living.

**Decisions Lie Ahead**  
 Obviously, one of the quickest ways to halt wasteful and unprofitable bureaucracy is to stop feeding fuel to its fires. Government, without a plentiful supply of tax money, could hardly be wasteful government. Congress has the power to say what the government shall spend and what amount it shall collect in taxes. It is up to us to see that our Congress keeps a proper rein on collections and expenditures.

Unwise spending and taxing could take this nation into the bankruptcy of communism. It could do it more quickly than anything else. Indeed, the power to tax is the power to destroy. We must see to it that America keeps an efficient and well-managed government, not a wasteful bureaucracy. That will be a powerful factor in deciding, in the coming months, whether America will remain prosperous and economically stable.

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If you have a child less than five years old who has been exposed to measles, your family doctor may recommend giving him gamma globulin. Through city, county or state health departments, doctors can obtain gamma globulin free when parents are unable to pay. Infants and children, whose health makes it inadvisable for them to suffer an attack of measles, may postpone the disease if gamma globulin is administered within 8 days from the time of exposure.

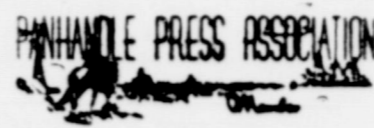
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Multiply the live weight of the bird, in pounds, by 8.

Add 25.  
Divide the total number of eggs the hen lays by 7 (e. g. 105 divided by 7 equals 15) and add this figure to the total obtained by the first two steps. An example:  
Weight of hen—5 pounds.  
Five times 8 equals 40; plus 25 equals 65.  
Hen lays 105 eggs per year. Divide this figure by 7. Result 15.  
Total feed required—80 pounds. (65 plus 15).

### Plowing Is Major Step In Garden Pest Control

It's smart gardening to double-cross garden insect pests by late fall spading or plowing in preparation for spring planting. Plowing is one of the most important steps in insect control because it interferes with the natural and normal activities of the insects for living through the winter. Insects wintering above the ground can stand severe cold but not burying in moist cold soil, and those below cannot live.

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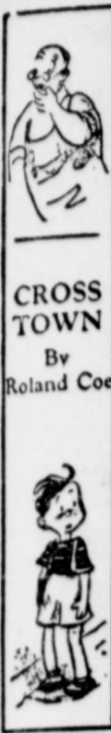
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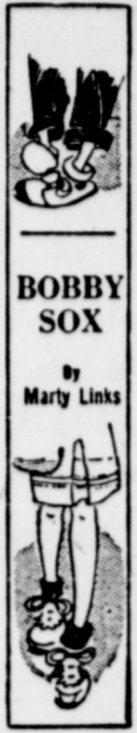
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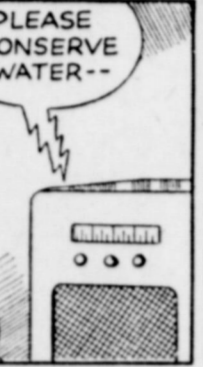


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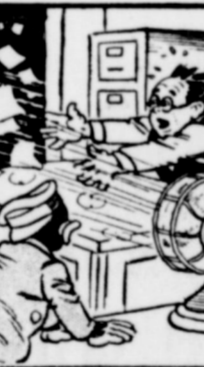
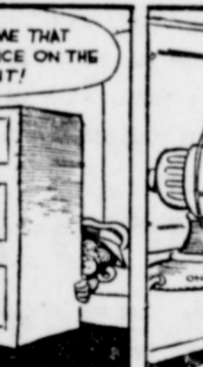
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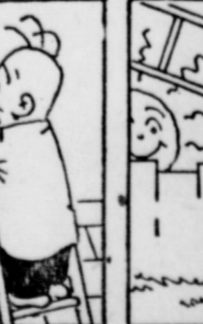
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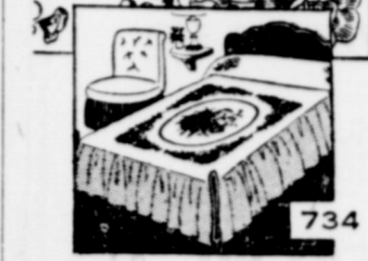


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Several months passed. Then one day the former employe stopped by for a chat.

"You're the fellow I fired some time ago, aren't you?" asked Greeley. "How are you getting along?"

"Oh, just fine, thanks to you, Mr. Greeley!" laughed the other. "You remember that letter you sent me? Well, I showed it to an editor the following day and told him it was a letter of recommendation from you. He gave me a job immediately—and for more money!"

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It shows a homemade weighing bin, which was conceived by a Midwestern farmer for use in his automatic feed handling system. It holds several tons of feed fixed to the ceiling by a series of heavy springs and turnbuckles, spring being located at each corner of the bin in the center of turnbuckles. Tension on the springs moves a pointer across a scale at the bottom of the bin to indicate weight up to 3,200 pounds. A slide gate at the bottom of the bin permits feed to spill out into a desired quantity. The bin is



Homemade "weighing bin," by Midwestern farmer.

located below a chute leading to a two-ton mixer in the barn. The entire setup operates as follows: Whole grain is blown into a overhead bin, from which it flows to a blower-equipped hammermill on the first floor. Ground grain is blown back into the mixer and then into the weighing bin. The blower and grinder are operated by horsepower motors, whereas whole grain is blown into the weighing bin by tractor power.

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# Seers Silent on Commodity Trend

## Myth of Current Price Dip: 'Truman Planned It That Way'

By **BAUKHAGE**  
News Analyst and Commentator.

WASHINGTON.—It is still open season for economists, financial experts and market wizards. It took about a week after the first drop on the commodity market to send them into their holes. Up to that time, you could get a prognostication anywhere from the Chicago stockyards to Broad and Wall streets or Pennsylvania avenue and 15th street.

But along about the sixth day of the dip, anybody who would tell you whether we were facing a permanent nose-dive or just weathering the flutter of a few yards of ticker tape was as rare as a vote against tax-reduction (that issue, itself, had changed after the sixth dip).

The reason no expert would talk was that all of them had been making wrong predictions ever since Coolidge's permanent plateau of prosperity or Hoover's corner around which prosperity was always ducking.

The most silent man in Washington was Secretary of the Treasury Snyder. He knew that too many people remembered what he and others had said two years ago last fall. Snyder, at that time reconstruction director, had predicted that by the spring of the next year (1946) eight million people would be unemployed. In fact, so many others believed that that Henry Wallace, already dreaming of a home with white pillars on Pennsylvania avenue, decided to make "Sixty Million Jobs," a come-hither plank in his platform. He wrote a book with that title and it became a best seller. His book set a goal of \$6,500,000 to \$7,500,000 civilians employed by 1950.

But somebody must have stolen the idea or else they wanted to play a mean trick on Wallace—and on Snyder—anyhow there were 57,149,000 persons employed in this country as of January, 1948—two years early, and 10 months before presidential campaign time.

Likewise, in October of 1946, several astute Washington inside-stuff letter writers were saying privately to their thousands of clients, and the AFL monthly survey was saying in public print, that by early 1947 prices would come down. One could say on January of 1947, with considerable accuracy, that there was a general agreement on recession beginning soon and followed by more little later.

Other writers predicted it a little later, and some, by summer, were insisting that deflation already was here.

But what happened? In the very year of that doleful prophecy, prices started on the upshoot that took them into their all-time high.

Many other similar bad guesses might be mentioned, all of which contributed toward making the prophets reticent, and so when the slide came in February of this year, nobody would even whisper "fox" for fear that not even a kit would appear. They knew that nobody would believe them after all the without-the-wolf-yowling that had been going on.

In any case, this dip, drop, depression or delusion, whichever it turns out to be by the time these lines reach print, or later, will have its garland of myths and legends entwined about it.

The best myth, of course, is that Mr. Truman "planned it that way."

The blueprint is simple enough if you are good at reading a blueprint between the lines. Prices were getting too high. At worst, they might bring on a real depression before election; at best, they would bring a series of strikes and work stoppages which might seriously hamper the Marshall plan on the one hand, and add to the discontent of the voters on the other. It would be like any operation, not dangerous from the surgeon's point of view. Just a little amputation of credit, at least so said doctors who work on the body economic, which would let enough blood out of some businesses to cause a little unemployment. Enough to scare off strikes and make businessmen a little more cautious about expansion.

There was some evidence that this may really have been intended because the President did ask in his November 17 message to congress for credit controls and increased bank reserves. However, when congress said "humph" to that along with the President's other recommendations, he turned around and demoted the man who is said to have written the deflation prescription from the chairmanship of the federal reserve board (Marriner Eccles), and put in a man supposed to have more sympathy with an opposite course.

However we mustn't spoil a good story by facts. There are other points which can be intro-



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### NEWS REVIEW

## Aid for China Asked; Senate OKs Budget Cut

Although it was obvious that his heart wasn't in it, President Truman presented congress with a request for 570 million dollars to be sent to China as a prop for the foundering economy of Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist government.

White House and state department sources admitted that the request was something less than a half-measure and claimed that the President had acted under pressure from the Republican congress which has insisted that the U. S. must support Chiang against the Communist revolution in connection with the European recovery plan.

At best the 570 million dollars is a token gesture—just a chip in relation to the vast amount of timber that would be needed to restore the rotting derelict of Chiang's government.

Theory behind this latest extension of aid, which will be used to finance Chinese imports of cereals, petroleum, coal, fertilizer and so forth, is that the money will enable Chiang's government to free other resources for purchase of arms and ammunition to continue the fight against the Communist guerrillas.

But that is more of an idle hope than a valid theory, because the government forces, despite their American arms and equipment, are being bested consistently by the Communists.

### BUDGET CUT: Indifferent

With little discussion and a good deal of outright indifference, the senate adopted a resolution to cut President Truman's fiscal 1949 budget by 2.5 billion dollars.

How much significance the senate resolution would have in the final analysis was questionable, in view of prevailing uncertainties which might affect both sides of the ledger.

The 2.5-billion-dollar reduction would leave an estimated 10 billion dollars for tax cuts and debt reduction. Republicans, therefore, were feeling increasingly confident that an income tax slash of up to 5 billion dollars could be enacted.

Brevity of the senate discussion and its lack of appetizing oratory was in direct contrast to last year's strident contest over the budget committee's recommendation of a 6-billion-dollar cut in the 1948 budget.

Democrats made no effort to block the proposed spending slash which had been recommended by the house-senate budget committee. It still requires house adoption.

Biggest bug in the senate's budget recommendation was the fact that it probably embodied a number of inaccurate estimates. Republican sponsors of the measure admitted that accurate estimates of budget needs were impossible at the time.

Sen. Styles Bridges (Rep., N. H.), chairman of the budget committee, compared the estimates with "a pre-game guess at the final score." But Sen. Alben Barkley (Dem., Ky.) dated the procedure "a step in the dark."

### IRELAND: New Premier

Even to members of the Eire assembly who had helped defeat him it was strange to see Eamon De Valera, premier of Ireland for 16 years, sitting quietly on the opposite side of the house as leader of the opposition.

In his place as premier was John A. Costello, former attorney general, whom the assembly had voted into office after a new six-party coalition had taken control of the legislative group as a result of the previous elections.

Costello, in a dignified speech to the assembly, explained his sudden emergence as premier of Ireland: "I consented to this nomination at the request of a number of parties who felt that the interest of the country required that there should be an inter-party government and that the premier of that government should occupy a position in political life detached from the controversial bitterness of the past."

The "inter-party government" whose choice Costello was is compounded of six political parties of apparently divergent ideals: Republican, United Ireland, Labor, National Labor, Independent and Farmers.

Just how long a government made up of so many diverse components would last was the subject of much speculation in Ireland. In their present cooperative mood the parties of the coalition may carry on for a year or two, but few were prepared to give the government a much longer span of life.

### CAT FEET: First a Dream

Like the fog that "comes on little cat feet," Carl Sandburg, honored and honorable free-verse poet and voluminous biographer of Lincoln, was creeping into the senatorial race in Illinois.

A hitherto almost imperceptible drive supporting Sandburg as a possible candidate for senator picked up considerable impetus with the release of a public opinion poll indicating that he might become a popular choice over the Democratic candidate, Paul H. Douglas, and the Republican candidate, Sen. C. Wayland Brooks.

As far as the question of how a poet can turn into a politician is concerned, those favoring him say he is a "good man," he understands the common people and is educated and well-informed about the country's needs. The opposition claims he is politically inexperienced and, since he is a writer, is an impractical dreamer and an idealist.

But Sandburg, the poet, once wrote:

*"The republic is a dream. Nothing happens unless first a dream."*



WALTER SHEARD, WNU Correspondent.

### Mirror of Opinion

SPEAKER of the House Joe Martin recently told members of the American Small Business organizations meeting here that there was an "insidious campaign" to undermine the prestige of congress in the minds of the people. The canny New Englander, a newspaper publisher himself, resents criticism of congress. Speaker Martin has been in the public eye for many years, and we cannot believe that he is so complacent or naive as to believe that the 80th congress has not given grounds for honest criticism, even for abundant criticism.

The trouble with most politicians who grow old in the profession of politics, is that to disagree with them is to criticize . . . and that seems to be the basis of Speaker Martin's plaint. This writer believes that the one single group of men in the country who most accurately mirror the opinion and thought of the home towns of the country and rural America are the publishers of the weekly newspapers of the country.

So it is with deep interest we note that a poll of country editors by a trade magazine shows a large majority of the country editors favor 7 of the 10 major proposals made by President Truman to congress. On one of the 3 which they oppose, the sentiment is almost even.

The results: 65 per cent of the editors favor universal military training; 65 per cent approve a long range housing program including public housing for low income people; 54 per cent favor the \$40 tax cut for each taxpayer; 61 per cent approve the Marshall plan and \$5,500,000,000 outlay for the first year; 66 per cent favor extension and strengthening of rent control; 60 per cent approve extension of social security benefits; 80 per cent favor granting statehood to Hawaii and Alaska; 51 per cent oppose the President's civil rights program by law, but seem to approve it by education or other means; 74 per cent oppose a national prepaid health program, and 61 per cent oppose tacking the \$40 individual tax cut onto the corporation taxes.

Surely Speaker Martin and the GOP majority in congress who oppose most of these proposals do not consider this attitude of rural editors a part of the "insidious campaign" against congress.

Carroll Reece, chairman of the Republican national committee, wrote to Eugene Hensel, general counsel for the National Association of Farm Cooperatives, declaring that his party was proud of its long record of support for the cooperatives. The chairman's face must have been red indeed when the majority committee report of the house ways and means committee on Chairman Harold Knutson's \$6,500,000,000 tax cut bill contained the statement that "small businesses are being bankrupted by competition of tax-free cooperatives." GOP members of the committee deny authorship and are seeking to pin it on Chairman Knutson himself.

### Cushion for Depression

While many here both in and out of government are jittery over the break in prices, fearful of a depression, this reporter's opinion is that there never can be a depression comparable with the 1929-1930 crash.

The truth is, the administration is doing everything possible to stave off a recession until after election, and the Republicans are doing everything they can to bring it on before election.

But many economic and social reforms will serve as cushions to prevent a catastrophe such as happened 18 years ago.

The private power lobby continues to get its foot into the door of congress and whittle away at public power. Latest instance is on the Rockwell bill, HR 2873. As it came out of committee, the bill would modernize the reclamation law and encourage development of western resources. For two or three days it withstood amendments from the floor seeking to weaken the bill. All failed. Then majority leader Charles Halleck took a hand and the bill was recommitted. It came out mangled and mutilated. It increased power rates on public reclamation projects and deprived irrigation farmers benefit of financial aid from power revenues.

### Housing Issue

Housing will be a hot issue in the presidential campaign. Congress is awaiting a six months study by a committee headed by Rep. Ralph Gamble of New York, due March 15. In the meantime plans are to grant a moratorium on rent control, which ends February 29, preparatory to ending all control. Housing expert says rents will rise 50 per cent if controls are removed. Congressmen will feel effects in hotel bills at Philadelphia conventions.

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Broadcasting system, based their report on a detailed analysis of the serialized drama, "Big Sister." Women being the chief listeners, it is they who derive the greatest benefits from these daytime dirges by having their egos bolstered and their spirits strengthened by hearing stories of fictional women going through problems and experiences that parallel their own, the scientists pointed out.

"The basic and primary theme is that good and noble women who are wives and mothers are invincible within their own arena of life, the American family," said the report.

"Men, who are superordinate elsewhere, are subordinate and dependent (in the story) on the wis-

dom of the wife. This primary theme always triumphs over the second theme which runs counter to it—that family ties can be broken and a woman's security threatened chiefly by the loss of the husband to other women, and, quite secondarily and obliquely, by death."

Moreover, the social scientists said, the program, among other things, provides its women listeners with "moral beliefs, values and techniques for solving emotional and interpersonal problems—and makes them feel they are learning while they listen."

In brief, the report added up to a clear-cut spiritual and moral victory of the soap opera over its hard-edred and base critics.



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## The FICTION Corner

### A WOMAN'S PLACE

By JOHN T. CAVANAUGH

"SO, SALUSTRI is back," Managing Editor Pepper Drislane exclaimed as he clicked down the receiver. Excitedly, Police Chief Lawton had just shouted into the telephone, "This guy is looking for blood—don't take any unnecessary risks."

In the editorial room of the Hartfield Herald, Drislane sat with his head in his hands and mournfully looked over his city staff—two old men and seven girls. "Thirty years in newspapers and this has to happen to me—a chance to make headline history and here I am saddled with a bunch of sob sisters."

The Salustri case had been spectacular from the start. The self-styled big shot of the numbers racket had challenged repeatedly: "There ain't nobody going to pin a rap on me. This gazabo's got protection all the way to the state house and back and don't forget it."

But Jerry Cowan, erstwhile rectorial star of the Herald, and Managing Editor Drislane chose to forget it to the tune of pinning a 20-year federal sentence on the numbers king. Then the slipup; while waiting for the train that would carry him to prison, Salustri outwitted the guards, slugged the marshal and was on his way.

With the news of his escape, Jerry and Drislane knew Salustri would be back. The Herald's constant and merciless headlines had galled the gangster, bored right into his pride. "Sure, he'll be back," the reporter told his editor, "and when he does, he'll head for our office first."

That was two years ago. Now Jerry was on assignment in the Pacific. Meanwhile, the managing editor waited. Of course, he was jumpy; who wouldn't be when each corner might turn into a hail of hot lead? And now the chief of police had passed the word that Salustri had been spotted in Bayside, just 11 miles this side of Hartfield.

The managing editor was dismayed fingering the last cigarette in his squashed pack when Publisher Jim Gledhorn came into the room. Drislane blinked his eyes and dropped the cigarette—doggone, if it wasn't another girl. Attractive and well built, but still another girl.

Geldhorn hustled the young woman over to an empty desk and hurriedly left.

"On a newspaper a girl reporter isn't worth the powder it takes to—to camouflage her nose," Drislane had exploded when the publisher unobtrusively attempted to install the last girl on the city staff.

"All I hear these days is 'I've got an appointment with the hairdresser, the dressmaker, the butcher, the baker—' These girls have an appointment with everyone but me and their work," he ranted. "Is this a newspaper office or a sorority house?"

"Chief," said thin-pated, fiftyish Mike Bales, the paper's first bachelor, coming up to the managing editor's desk, "I'm going to hop down to Nick's for a shave." Generally Mike shaved every second day and today was a first.

"Darn," muttered Drislane, "we're off again and it'll take another three weeks to see who is really queen bee of this hive."

The managing editor's head was poked under his desk in search of his lost cigarette when a pair of shapely legs approached.

"Mr. Drislane," he heard a feminine voice say, "I'd like to be assigned to the Salustri case."

Abruptly, a hush fell over the Herald editorial room and light expectant reportorial heads poised

over their typewriters as the managing editor took several seconds to come up from under his desk.

In the face of the gathering editorial clouds, the new girl bravely continued with her request and began to fumble with a gold locket which was looped around her neck. "The picture I have from Jerry—" she offered but got no further.

The thunder broke loose and Drislane hissed, his face purple, "On a newspaper, a woman"—he didn't finish but resignedly collapsed in his chair.

With effort he continued feebly, "Miss Whatever-your-name-is, go get a manicure—get a cup of coffee

escape from the United States Marshal's office in 1943, was recognized by the reporter as she walked through the barber shop to the beauty salon at the rear of the building. Miss Hewes, upon seeing Salustri, continued through the shop and left by a rear exit and soon returned with a squad of police officers.

The reporter said that she had identified the gangster through his picture which she had carried in a gold locket given to her by her fiancé, Jerry Cowan, formerly police reporter on The Herald and now on assignment in the South Pacific. "Having threatened the life of my fiancé, Salustri was a potential

threat to my coming marriage, so I carried his picture, knowing that I would run into him some day," Miss Hewes said. "Now that he is captured, I know that I can plan to marry Jerry as soon as he returns."

Speechless, the managing editor scanned the copy. Then, poised his pencil, he added to the message: "In the meantime, I will continue working at The Herald as police reporter."

**TOWBOAT PILOT**  
 By Elston J. Melton  
 (Caxton Printers . . . \$4)  
 By Lyn Connolly.

Here at last is an intelligently written book for adolescent boys, one of the best of its kind since the immortal Mark Twain penned that perennial favorite, "Tom Sawyer."

Tom Briggs is essentially a good boy, but because he takes precious time away from his daily chores to swim with his chum, Johnny Sanders, and because he dreams constantly of the day when he might be a towboat pilot on the mighty Gasconade river, he is considered lazy and shiftless by his cruel stepfather and many of the town citizens.

You'll share Tom's frustration when, after he works hard to buy himself a small boat so that he can fish to support his family, his stepfather sells the boat and pockets the money. You'll share his horror when his hunting rifle goes off accidentally in the post office and he is accused by Mr. Pugh, the postmaster, of having deliberately attempted to kill him.

Despite his many handicaps, Tom proves through sheer perseverance and courage that he is capable of being a towboat captain. The story carries him from the age of 12 when he is in the dream stage, through the age of 21, when he makes his first cruise as a pilot. But long before the realization of his ambition, he earns the respect of his neighbors when he clears Mr. Pugh of a possible murder charge of which only Tom knows he is innocent, thus proving that he holds no malice in his heart for the postmaster who would have sent Tom to a juvenile home when he, too, was wrongly accused of a crime.

The book is a joy for those loving the great outdoors. Mr. Melton, a prominent Missouri newspaper man, knows his subject well and handles it beautifully with the result that there emerges a book full of tears and joy, tenderness and adventure.

**New Uranium Discoveries**  
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The world is expanding its known sources of uranium, vital mineral of the Atomic Age.

Both newly independent Burma and the Union of South Africa have announced the discovery of extensive uranium deposits. National Geographic society notes. These latest finds are further evidence that the atomic-energy ore is much more widely distributed around the globe than popularly believed.

Prospecting for uranium lodes is much simpler than searching for gold. The uranium can be detected easily by a scientific "divining rod." Radioactive by nature, the mineral literally broadcasts its whereabouts in the ground. Forty years ago Hans Geiger, a German scientist, invented the instrument which hunts out the hidden ore.

## GRASSROOTS

by WRIGHT A. PATTERSON

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### THE UNTOLD STORY

FOR more than 40 years I covered national political conventions as a newspaper reporter. My job at such conventions was to find and write the story of what actuated a nomination, what trend or specific action resulted in the delegates picking the selected candidate.

At the Republican convention of 1940 in Philadelphia I did not write the real story of what I nominated Wendell Willkie. I did not find what was back of that nomination until the day after the convention had adjourned, and my story of the urge of the home folks on the delegates that had swept the convention into the Willkie bandwagon, had been printed.

The only Willkie organization I had found in Philadelphia was a group of nyloned stockinged New York social debutantes, who presided over what was termed Willkie headquarters in one of the better class hotels. They gushed over the glamour of their candidate, but knew nothing of politics and could exert no influence on the convention.

On the day on which the nomination was made, following the maximum vote both Dewey and Taft could produce, but without a needed majority for either aspirant, the delegates had been literally showered with telegrams demanding the nomination of Willkie. More than 100,000 such wires were delivered to delegates from every state.

I saw those wires rolling in, but I did not read more than three or four of them. I never before had witnessed such a demand on the part of the rank and file of either party in support of a candidate for a presidential nomination. That was the story I wrote, and put on the wires immediately after the nomination was made. I treated it as a spontaneous expression of the Republican rank and file.

On Friday the convention named a vice-presidential candidate; thanked the police and fire departments of Philadelphia; the doors of the great hall were closed and locked, and the convention was over. I was detained in Philadelphia for a couple of days. Saturday afternoon I met in the lobby of the Benjamin Franklin hotel a Washington newspaper acquaintance I had not seen at any convention session.

In response to my query he said he had been in Philadelphia throughout the convention, but had never been out of the real Willkie headquarters located on the tenth floor of that hotel. He suggested that I go with him and see what was left of those headquarters.

On the desk of my acquaintance I found the original of some 22 telegrams. He had written all of them, all worded differently, but all demanding the nomination of Wendell Willkie. Occupants of that tenth floor had been a group of public utility executives. They were directing the Willkie convention campaign by remote control.

They had supplied copies of those telegrams to utilities throughout the nation, and employees of those utilities had rung door bells in every city and town to secure signatures to wires.

Too late I had found what was back of the Willkie nomination. It was a good story, but I had missed it. It demonstrated that those backing the Willkie candidacy were not the novices political leaders had credited them with being. They had created a demand at comparatively small cost, and without the actual source of that demand being suspected.

### 'Common Man' in Action

His appearance was that of a tramp. I watched him as he wearily walked up the street. Each step was a bit slower than the one before it. At a spot directly opposite my window he stopped and made an effort to thumb a ride. Car after car passed but none stopped. Finally the seeker of a ride picked up a hefty stone. As the next car rolled by without stopping he heaved the stone through its window. His depression gave impetus to his weary legs, and he took off at a run down the street. The individual was a specimen of what Henry Wallace would class as "the common man." He was demanding what he considered his rights—a ride.

There has been too much talk and not enough action in regard to national economies on the part of congress. Individual Republicans are loud in their demands for less spending but collectively they continue to vote for things we could do without. Individuals condemn the maintenance of an army of useless bureaucrats. Collectively they vote the money to continue to pay their salaries. It is time congress, as a body, provides the economies individual members insist must be made.



The managing editor's head was poked under his desk in search of his lost cigarette when a pair of shapely legs approached.



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1/2 cup milk	
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Blend shortening and sugar thoroughly; add egg and beat well. Stir in molasses, All-Bran and milk. Let soak until most of moisture is taken up. Sift flour with baking powder, salt and spice. Add to first mixture and stir only until combined. Fill greased muffin pans two-thirds full and top with nutmeats. Bake in moderately hot oven (400° F.) 25 to 30 minutes.

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**Faith**  
 by Grace Noll Crowell

**FAITH** takes on the look of silver things: A shimmering path at night across the sea, The points of stars, the silver tips of wings, The white, still luminosity Of gabled rooftops when the moon shines down The streets of any town.

Faith is a silvered brightness in the soul: A shaft set there to point the way to heaven, And carved upon it is a lettered scroll, Its words miraculously given To guide the traveler on his shining way Upon the road today.

God help me keep my faith undimmed by tears, And uncorroded by the rust of years.

# SPECIALS

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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The young son of Mr and Mrs. W E Singleton, Jr spent several days in a Lamesa hospital.

Mrs. Vernon Caswell of Draw Big Spring hospital recently underwent surgery at a Big Spring hospital.

Shorty Wilson recovered his recently stolen car at Borger last Friday. It was left abandoned there at a parking lot.

The Lum Gilbreaths in a letter to the Index said they were moving to Merkel, and expressed regret at leaving the many friends they have made here; we shall miss them.

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We received a nice rain in our community for which we are grateful.

Bill Cathey, a former New Moore merchant, was a visitor here Tuesday.

E W New, S L Walters were in Shallowater and Southland on business Monday.

Mrs D N Ingram and Mrs. Virg. Adams were Tahoka visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Ted Rogers has her mother Mrs. Wilson and other relatives of near Dallas visiting her this week.

Mrs. Lonnie Williams and Silas Rusk visited Mrs. Ruth Ingram last Sunday.

A number in this community have been on the sick list including Donald Parker.

Mr. Dick, gin manager for the Dempsey gin, has moved to Cooper to work for Mr. Dempsey there on a gin he recently bought.

Mr and Mrs Lon Light spent the week end prospecting in New Mexico.

Jude Taylor was in Big Spring Monday having cotton seed delinted.

Mr and Mrs. Dempsey visited their son at Anson Saturday.

Dave Ingram and J F Rogers, Jr were business visitors in Lovington N M Monday.

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**"Slick" Clem Is Sheriff Candidate**

Ronald "Slick" Clem of New Home this week announces that he is a candidate for Sheriff of Lynn County.

Mr. Clem came to Lynn county in 1938, and except for more than three years in the service, he has been farming.

He entered the U S Marine Corps in 1942 and served 28 months of his enlistment in the Southwest Pacific with the combat troops and participated in three major campaigns. He was discharged October 15, 1945. Mr. Clem is married and has one child.

He says that he has no elaborate promises to make the voters, but, if elected he will handle the duties of the office as the law stipulates and to the very best of his ability.

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