

Martha Wayne



THE LITTLE TREE THAT TALKED



A Christmas Story



Korean Truce Agreement Is Falling Apart As Predicted

By PHIL NEWSOM
United Press Foreign Analyst
The Korean truce agreement, held together with string and beeswax, is falling apart just as so many gloomy predictions said it would.
Not that either side seems to expect a renewal of the fighting. But any hopes for the orderly procedure which was to advance the military armistice to a permanent peace and a unified Korea now are all but abandoned.
Washington doubts that a Korea peace conference ever will be held. Meanwhile, pressing deadlines forestall new crises.
Most pressing is the disposition of war prisoners from both sides now held by the neutral nations repatriation commission.
Talks End Soon
"Come home" talks to prisoners of both sides end Dec. 23, two days before Christmas.
And as of now, on Jan. 22, all prisoners officially revert to civilian status, free to go to any nation of their choice willing to receive them.
Included are more than 22,000 anti-Communist prisoners taken from the Reds, and some 359 pro-Communists who originally fought for the United Nations but who now have rejected the free world.
It seems now that Allied "ex-plainers" won't even get a chance to talk to 22 Americans whose spokesmen say they have refused to return home, and that on Jan. 22 the Americans and the others will vanish behind the Iron Curtain to whatever fate awaits them.
If a crisis is to arise between the two powerful armies poised at either side of the Panmunjom neutral zone, it could come on that date.
The United Nations already have decided they will make no great effort to hold men who have gone over to communism.
Reds Already Protesting
But the Reds, whose own stalling tactics brought on the present situation, already are protesting.
They base their claims on the original terms of the armistice which directed that at the end of the "explanation" period, the prisoners fate should be turned back to the political conference which would be given 30 days to reach a decision.
The Communists claim that if no political conference is held, or until it is held, the United Nations cannot legally free the prisoners.

'Greenhand' Gang Pair Apprehended

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 16—UP—Oklahoma City police held two alleged members of the Fort Worth "Greenhand" gang Wednesday after burglary loot was found in their expensive automobiles.
Cecil Roy Green, 37, and Leroy Eggleston, 36, were booked for vagrancy and investigation. A prominent Oklahoma City criminal lawyer's secretary was arrested with the men Tuesday, but was later released without a charge being filed.
Police said both Green and Eggleston had long criminal records. The Fort Worth gang has been suspected of a number of Oklahoma City safe thefts, but police have never been able to get enough evidence to file charges.

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Unusual Santa

CHARLOTTE, N.C., Dec. 16 —UP—Children at the Union Hills Orphanage were a little shocked at Santa Claus' appearance when he parachuted onto the orphanage grounds as a part of the ninth Air Force's "Operation Christmas."
First of all Santa, radio commentator Frank Edwards, forgot his beard. Then, as Edwards was distributing toys he noticed the rather startled expression on the faces of the children.
"I looked downward," Edwards said, "and discovered to my dismay that my pants were around my knees."
Santa, who inherited the liquor from his father, said "if they'd only taken some ordinary stuff nobody would have cared."

Custom Tailor Wants Shorter Pants For Men

By HARMAN W. NICHOLS
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 —UP— I'm 100 per cent in favor of shorter skirts for women, but I wish this fellow Ben Russell would leave us men alone.
This man Russell is a custom tailor and chairman of the men's division of the Fashion Foundation of America.
Ben thinks "if we start walking around with our pants about four inches above the ankle we'll have more appeal. Sock salesmen ought to love him."
More Socks Appeal
Russell figures narrow pant legs will provide more socks appeal, particularly if the pant legs are chipped off a little.
"The new lengths and styles will be a boon in inclement weather and will save many a pressing bill," says he.
Could this lead backward — or upward — to knickerbockers?
While he was at it, Russell listed a bunch of gents he thinks are particularly well-groomed.

In civic affairs, he gave the nod to Robert Wagner Jr., the mayor-elect of New York. How could he miss the well-dressed leader of our land, President Dwight D. Eisenhower, as the best of class in public life? In movies, his choice was actor Caesar Romero. And Charles Evans, president of Evan-Picone, Inc., of New York, for business.
In the arts, it was architect Frank Lloyd Wright; in hotels, Frank G. Wageman, manager of a couple of hotels in New York.
Godfrey on TV
Arthur Godfrey, who used to spiel for peanuts in Washington, is supposed to be the best-dressed man in television. He can afford it. In sports, it was Mel Allen, and in society Henry Cabot Lodge, the ambassador to the UN.
In the theatre it was Charles Boyer; in radio, Jerry Marshall; and in industry, William Harlow, president of a New Jersey firm.
There was a special citation for Edward Quigley, postmaster of Brooklyn, and his "best-dressed uniformed postman."
If you catch any of these fine gents in pants that show their bony ankles, I'll send you a Christmas card in 1954!

Old Vintage Lovers

PARIS, Dec. 16 —UP—Two plumbers were serving jail sentences Wednesday for drinking five bottles of 1875 vintage armagnac while they were supposed to be fixing Marcel Sournier's bathtub.
Sournier, who inherited the liquor from his father, said "if they'd only taken some ordinary stuff nobody would have cared."

Factory Is Closed For Accident Probe

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 15 —UP—A women's coat and suit factory closed Tuesday while authorities investigated an elevator accident in which two women were killed and 12 others injured.
Carolyn Meadows, Liberty, Mo., and Sophia Jameson, Kansas City, were killed Monday when an elevator at the Lewis Walter Co. plunged from the fifth floor into the basement. Damage and injuries were compounded when a weight fell from the top of the shaft through the elevator roof.
Five of the injured remained in hospitals overnight, and doctors said all were in fair condition.
The weight splintered the walls of the elevator cage, splattering blood over the 12-foot by 12-foot lift.
The accident occurred as the 4 p.m. shift left the building.
Julius Karosan, president of the company, said all production will be shut down while the mishap is investigated.

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Younger Set Entertained With Dance By Misses Cox, McDonald In Palm Room

Miss Karla Cox, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Cox, 509 Davis, and Miss Linda Joyce McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. McDonald Jr., 518 N. Russell, entertained a group of young friends with a gala dance Saturday evening in the Palm Room. Festive red and green streamers were festooned among the lights overhead which were hung with mistletoe and Christmas balls. Two huge bells hung above the red covered table. The center piece was a "snowman" with top hat and tie and surrounded by pine cones, Christmas bells and holly. Old Saint Nick sat on one end of the table and a Christmas boat filled with mistletoe decked the other end. Across from this Merry Christmas greeting hung. Punch and cookies were served to approximately 125 guests.

Mrs. W. D. Waters Entertains Music Teachers, Husbands

Mrs. W. D. Waters, 1224 Christine, president of Pampa Music Teachers Association, entertained members and their husbands with a Christmas party in her home recently. Following dinner in town, the group proceeded to the Waters home for a social hour. Records were played and movies made during the evening while guests played games. Mrs. Lillian Zamora won a word game contest. Names were drawn and gifts exchanged.

Xi Beta Chi Plans Christmas Party At Business Meet

Xi Beta Chi of Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Mrs. Roy McKee, 701 Deane Drive, for a regular business meeting. The ways and means committee reported on the sale of tickets for the Calendar doll which will be given away this Saturday night in front of Anthony's. The winner doesn't have to be present. A dinner party for husbands was planned for Jan. 11. The Christmas party will be held at the home of Mrs. H. H. Hicks Dec. 21, with the Upsilon Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

Knights Of Pythias, Pythian Sisters Plan Children's Party

Pampa Lodge No. 480 Knights of Pythias and the Pythian Sister Temple will hold the annual Christmas party at the Castle Hall, 317 N. Nelson, Dec. 16, at 8 p. m. for all Knights, Sisters, and their families.

Thursday Review Club Has Christmas Party In Earl Barnes Home

WHEELER — (Special) — The Thursday Review Club met recently in the home of Mrs. Earl Barnes for a regular meeting and Christmas party. In the absence of the president the vice-president, Mrs. Carroll Pettit, presided over the meeting. Mrs. Dick D'Armet was accepted as an associate member.

Jeannie Willingham and a group of her dancing students will furnish the program.

The Lodge will have Christmas treats for the local children and will serve light refreshments to the members.

H. L. Meers, Lonnie Parsley, J. C. Hopkins, Kenneth Huey, and Carl Sexton, assisted by members of the Sister Temple are in charge of the party.

Smooth And Sleek Coiffure The New Trend



Creator of the whittle cut, a method which is having a marked influence on both hair styling and grooming, is a man named D. J. Brown. When whittled, hair that has only the slightest bend will wave so easily permanenting is unnecessary. The sleek, sculptured look is no trouble to retain between shampoos since the hair is cut, not set, into waves. The waves are cut (left) to conform to both the shape of the head and the face. Note that the cut hair falls in curls. Then (left center) Mr. Brown determines the styling by pressing the waves into place. When he has decided exactly how the hair should be arranged, it is set in pin curls. When it is dry, he brushes it thoroughly and (right center) arranges the waves. Her visit to the salon a complete success, our girl (right) admires her "naturally" waving hair. She'll need to set only a few curls at bedtime.

by ALICIA HART NEA Beauty Editor Ever since skirts took the famous plunge of '47, hair styling has been undergoing some mighty radical changes. The cropping of hair to a few inches inspired considerable comment, but far more important, it heralded the most important advance in hair dressing since the introduction of the permanent. The problem of new hair styles was not to resolve itself so quickly as the couturiers question, however.

Parent Education Club Children Assist In Party

Parent Education members entertained their children with a party in the City Club Rooms yesterday afternoon. Hostesses, Mrs. Bob Vail and Mrs. R. C. Goodwyn, were assisted by Norma Jean Fatheree who presided at the punch bowl, and Anne Hofessa who greeted the little guests. In the center of the serving table was a big tray of red, silver and white Christmas balls surrounded by small pots of ivy and candy canes, both of which were presented to each child as they left. Flanking the centerpiece were small drums topped with greens and huge white candles. Mrs. Susan Foster distributed gifts from the Christmas tree.

Hobart St. Baptist WMS Circles Meet

Circles of the Women's Missionary Society of the Hobart Street Baptist Church met recently for business and study. The Juanita Harper Circle met in the home of Mrs. H. H. Keyser for Bible study led by Mrs. W. O. Col. Meeting opened with the Women's Missionary Union watch word and song. Prayer was led by Mrs. W. D. Pale and business by Mrs. M. H. Keyser.

Methodist Women Have Social In R. T. Dyess Home

Twenty-eight members of the Women's Society of Christian Service gathered in the Harrah Methodist Church parsonage, 629 S. Barnes for a Christmas party. Mrs. R. T. Dyess, hostess, gave a Christmas Story and guests played parlor games.

Manners Make Friends

When your teen-age daughter is going out on a date, get the matter of when she is to get home settled before her date arrives. She'll be embarrassed if you start laying down the law in front of her date. Teen-agers' feelings are sensitive — so try hard not to step on them.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

- WEDNESDAY
1:30 — Circle 2 of WSCS Christmas party with Mrs. Charles Brauchle, 1206 Russell.
2:00 — Prayer Service in Kelly Chapel of First Presbyterian Church.
2:30 — Circle 8 Christmas party with Mrs. Bob McCoy, 210 W. Harvester.
2:30 — Women's Auxiliary meets in First Presbyterian Church.
2:00 — Ruby Wheat Circle meets with Mrs. T. V. Lane, 222 E. Brown for Christmas Party.
3:00 — Mary Alexander Circle meets with Mrs. T. O. Trout, 1004 Huff Rd.
3:00 — Letha Sanders Circle will meet with Mrs. D. A. Caldwell, at Humble Camp west of town.
6:30 — Dress rehearsal in Junior High Auditorium for Messiah singers.
7:30 — Cuppy group of the First Christian Church meets with Mrs. Fred Tinsley, 1004 E. Fisher.
THURSDAY
8:00 — American Legion Auxiliary Christmas Party in City Club Rooms.
FRIDAY
9:30 — Junior High Mothers will sell fruit cakes and baked goods in lobby of Hughes building.
9:30 — Gamma Delphian Society meets in City Club Rooms.
6:30 — Cities Service Gas Company Doherty Men's Fraternity dinner party in High School Cafeteria.
8:00 — Messiah at Junior High School Auditorium.
SATURDAY
7:00 — Winsome Class of First Methodist Church Christmas dinner in Fellowship Hall.
8:00 — Square Dance Club benefit dance at Knights of Pythias Hall, corner of Alcock and Nelson.

If washable and color-fast, rugs can be shampooed at home. Use a cloth, brush, or sponge to apply "dry" suds made by beating soap and a little water to a thick lather. Work on one section at a time, overlapping to avoid rings. Remove soiled suds with a clean rinse cloth and blot all possible moisture with a clean, dry cloth. Work quickly, avoid saturating moisture, and keep the windows open to speed drying.

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Mrs. Carl Anderson Entertains Neighbors. Mrs. C. D. Anderson, southeast of town, entertained other residents of the Cities Services Gas Camp southeast of town in her home Monday evening. Gifts were exchanged from a traditional Christmas tree and guests served fruit cake with whipped cream and coffee from a white covered table lighted with tapers. Assisting Mrs. Anderson with the serving were Mrs. Tommy Bruce and Miss Sue Scherer.

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Favors Increase In Cotton Acreage

MALLEN, Dec. 16.—(AP)—A Benson told a Deacon Wednesday that cotton acreage quotas should be increased immediately.

Rep. Lloyd M. Benson (D-Tex.) wired Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson that the latter's order cutting the nation's cotton acreage by seven million acres next year would "wreak havoc with an agricultural economy already in a depressed condition."

Benson said he was "one Benson for the farmers."

"I have called on the farmers to a curb in one year the emergency built-up reserve on hand," Benson said. "Much of this buildup is the result of a presidential proclamation which called on farmers to make a mighty production effort to meet the defense requirements of the nation."

"If it is now your opinion that this emergency reserve should be reduced, then the reduction should be over a period of years, rather than in one abrupt economic dislocation. Action should be taken immediately because farmers in Texas are now preparing their land for cotton planting," the Texas Democrat said.

Benson, when he called for a nationwide referendum on cotton quotas and announced the allocation of 1954 cotton acreage by states, said he knew the cut was too severe, but he had no choice under existing law. The agriculture secretary said he would ask Congress

Dear Santa

I have been good and helped my mother when she needed me. Please leave me a set of dishes, a make-up doll, a little cook stove, and an iron. My brothers, Randy and Mike want a truck, tricycle, and some candy. Love
Barbara Elaine Ziegler
1001 Duncan

I am a little girl 6 yrs. old and have been pretty good. My brother Danny is 2 1/2 and has been a good boy too. I would like a walking doll and a nurse's set, and Danny wants a Negro doll and a dump truck and anything else you can bring us. Remember all the other boys and girls everywhere.
Sandra Kay and Danny Searl
10218, Christy

We're two little girls, 2 1/2 and 4 1/2. We have tried to be nice. We want a walking doll and a wooden train in all colors. Also, we want a baby bottle. Bring something to the other kids. Thank you.
Brenda and Jamliou Schaffer

Please bring me a Sun babe. Bring me a set of dishes. Bring me a doll trunk. Bring me some

Dear Santa

doll clothes. I love you
Dolores Walker

Please bring me a sun babe. Bring me a set of dishes. Bring me a doll trunk. Bring me some doll clothes. I love you.
Sharon Walker

I am six years old. I have been a pretty good girl. Please bring me a cowboy outfit with hat, boots and two guns. I also want a high chair for my dolly and some candy and fruits. Don't forget all the other boys and girls. Love
Sherri Lassiter

P.S. I live at 517 Doucette. I'll leave you some milk and cookies by the Christmas tree like I did last year. — Thank you, Sherri

I am almost 5 years old. I have tried to be a good girl. Please bring me a cowgirl outfit with hat, boots and two guns. I also want a doll and anything else that would be nice for me, and candy and nuts. Don't forget the other boys and girls. I live with Sherri on Doucette Street. Love
Becki Lassiter

My name is Paul Scott Wilson. For Christmas I would like to have a pair of boots, a cowboy hat, a gun set and a stick horse. Please bring my little brother Jimmy Don who is 1 1/2 yrs. a rocking horse and some other toys. I am 5 years old, we have been very good little boys, mama works and we stay with Lillie. Be sure and bring all the other children something too. Barbara is writing this for me. We love you,
Paul Scott and Jimmy Don Wilson
113 S. Sumner

I am a little redheaded girl, 7 yrs. old, and I am in the 1st grade in Skellytown Grade School. My teacher is Miss Pauline Binion, and I like her very much. Santa, I want a Saucy Walker Doll, a buggy and some doll clothes, and a set of dishes. Please bring lots of things to the poor little girls and boys. Thank you very much.
Sue Bradford
Skellytown

I am a little boy four years old. I would like to have a table and chairs, cork gun, and bow tie shirt. Please remember my baby sister. She wants a doll. Don't forget my little cousins and my playmates. I have been a pretty nice boy. Love,
Jacky Culppepper

Please bring me a couple of presents I'll be four in January. I want a little bitty dump truck to have gravel and a car. Please

Dear Santa

bring Shirley, Carol Ann and Junior some nice presents and all the other little boys and girls too. Love from
Larry James Taylor
720 N. Somerville

I am 7 years old. I would like to have some doll clothes I would like a storybook doll. Don't forget the other boys and girls, I will leave you something to eat. Please remember my pets.
Joan Franklin
513 N. Magnolia

I'm 10 years old and would like for you to bring me a tweed, turtle neck dress. I would like for you to bring me some sweaters and don't know just where they will be but you will get them just the same. Bring me some candy, nuts and fruit in my stocking. Please don't forget all the children of the world especially the sick and the orphan children. If you can't bring me what I asked for I'll be happy with what you do bring me. Oh! yes, a n d don't forget my dog, snowball and my little fishes.
Janice Franklin
513 N. Magnolia

I am a little girl 4 years old. I would like a doll — a doll trunk and some doll clothes for Xmas. Please don't forget other little girls and boys.
Jan Burch
White Deer

I am a little girl 5 years old and I have tried to be a good girl. I'd like a little bicycle with 3 wheels on the back and a new doll that will walk. My little brother is 3 and he would like to have a teddy bear and a little red wagon. We need some new books and would like a color book and crayolas. Thank you Santa and we love you
Cecilia and Bruce Corgill
1000 E. Jordan

Our mother is writing this for us as we are a bunch of little folks. First, Dickey is 5 years old and he wants a bicycle and a gun. Nancy is 3 1/2 years old and she wants a pretty doll, dishes and a washing machine. Gary is 2 years old and he wants a big truck, and a gun that shoots corks. Ronny is 15 months old and he wants a little horse with wheels and a little tractor. We have been pretty good kids and have fun together. We help our mama and

Dear Santa

want you to remember all the little boys and girls. Love
Dickey, Nancy, Gary and Ronny Sims
817 E. Denver

I am a girl 3 years old. I have been a good girl and would like to have a cook stove and a doll. I hope you will be able to leave all the boys and girls some presents. I live at 618 N. West.
Sue Frashier

I am a boy 5 years old. I would like a filling station and a turn-a-hopper for Christmas. I have been good and live at 616 N. West St. Please bring all the other boys and girls presents, too.
David Frashier

I am 5 years old and have tried to be a good boy so maybe Santa will bring me a few toys I would like to have. I have a little Sister named Mildred Linda and she has been good. She is nearly 2 years old and she wants a doll and some pots and pans. I would like to have a gun and holsters set, a tricycle with a wagon and a boxing bag. I sure would thank you along with my little Sister. Merry Christmas Santa and the world.
Linda and Larry Jeffreys
Lefors

I am a little girl 7 years old. I have been pretty good all year. I would like for you to bring me a big bicycle, a pretty Doll, a nurse Kit, and a Make up Kit, and don't forget to Fill my sock with candy. Love
Glenna Deemer
Canadian

I am a little girl four years old. I would like a walking doll and a set of guns and holsters. Please don't forget the other little boys

Tough All Over

ANGOLA, La., Dec. 16.—(AP)—The Angolite, a weekly newspaper published by prisoners of the Louisiana state penitentiary, has reported that complaints from "peaceful poker players" resulted in a crackdown on gambling by the convicts.

"It was getting so a man with two deuces and a sugar cane knife could beat three aces," the peaceful players complained.

and girls, Merry Christmas
Cathie Deist
328 N. Davis

I am a little boy 6 years old I have been a good boy this year. Will you please bring me a Bicycle and drum, also candy & nuts, and don't forget my brother Doug. he wants a ball glove. Love
Johnny Lueddecke
915 S. Reid

I am 7 years Old Please bring me a football suit, skates and fire truck. MY brother is 5. He WANTS a GUITAR and an electric football set. Love
Preston and Johnny Newman
424 N. Wells

I am a little boy 4 years old. My little brother is named Scottie Smiles and he is 8 mo. old. We have been good boys. Please bring me a wagon and little Bicycle and some little cars, and bring Scottie some plastic toys, and a baby stroller. We Thank You
David James Smiles
109 S. Sumner

I have been a good girl and I am nearly 3 years old. Please bring me a doll and a table and chairs and a little ironing board. Bring all little girls and boys something nice. Thank You
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See how she thinks I'm cute.

Well, the Coach Roomah, when you decided I could escort you to the big blood game you could of knocked me over with a feather...

AW!

YOU'RE CUTE!

HEY I JUST NOTICED THE TWINS HAVE DIFFERENT PRESSED ON!

OH, OH! WE'LL JUST HAVE TO BUY NEW ONES! TAKING US OUT TONIGHT, DADDY?

THERE'S A SALE TO WHO ACROSS THE STREET AWAY?

LISTEN TO WHO DRESSED THAT WAY ON PURPOSE?

SOMETHING TELLS ME JAN DRESSED THAT WAY ON PURPOSE?

SHE KNOWS THE QUIETEST WAY TO CHEER UP A GIRL IS TO LET HER BUY CLOTHES.

OKAY? THAT TAKES CARE OF JILL? NOW WHO'S GOING TO CHEER UP THE OLD MAN?

DACWOOD I WAS GOING TO GIVE YOU A WATCH FOR A BONUS, BUT BUSINESS HAS BEEN SO BAD...

REALLY?

ANYWAY HERE'S A PICTURE OF THE WATCH I WAS GOING TO GIVE YOU

GOLLY

GOLLY THAT'S A VERY VERY EXPENSIVE WATCH, MR. DITHERS

NOTHING IS TOO GOOD FOR YOU, MY BOY

CEE, I'VE SURE GOT A HIGH-CLASS BOSS

BUT THEY AN'T NOTHING BUT A BUNCH OF CLAIM JUMPIN' BANDITS...

LEAVE HERE? OH NO WITH WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR, I RATE PRETTY HIGH UP IN BRASS!

THEY'VE GOT NO BUSINESS COMIN' OVER HERE FROM FRANCE, TRYIN' TO TAKE THESE BRITON'S LAND

MAYBE NOT, OOP, BUT THEY'RE GONNA MAKE IT STICK!

NOT WHILE I'VE GOT A BREATH, THEY'RE NOT

AW, COME OFF IT, OOP, RIDE A WINNING HORSE FOR A CHANGE!

HORSE? HOLYCOW, I WONDER WHAT'S WENT WITH BUSTACE!

WIND THAT MUTT OVER HERE—HELL NEVER GET AWAY AGAIN WHEN I'M THROUGH WITH HIM!

GR-RR WOOF GR-R GR-RR

GRR YIFE GRR

QUICK! GRAB HIM OR HE'LL GET AWAY!

ATTA BOY! COME ON BEFORE THAT MAN CAN GRAB YOU AGAIN!

SO! YOU DON'T SEE FIT TO FOLLOW THE CHAIN OF COMMAND, SAH-YER! YOU PREFER TO GO OVER MY HEAD!

I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU MEAN, COMMANDER.

THEN I'LL TELL YOU WHAT I MEAN, I'VE REFUSED STUDENT'S PERMISSION TO RY ADVANCED JETS, AND YOU WENT TO THE ADMIRAL ABOUT IT.

TO THE ADMIRAL?

YES, TO THE ADMIRAL! PERMISSION IS GRANTED FOR YOU TO MAKE SPECIAL FLIGHTS IN THE FURY, BUT I WARN YOU, SAH-YER—DON'T EVER GO OVER MY HEAD AGAIN!

NOW WE'VE GOT A TRANSMITTER, BUT ITS RANGE IS SHORT... MAYBE SOMETIME WE'LL GET CLOSE ENOUGH TO SIGNAL ANOTHER SHIP!

IN THE CONTROL ROOM.

IT'S A FREIGHTER, COMMODORE! A FAT PRIZE!

GENERAL QUARTERS! BATTLE STATIONS!

PRIZE HO! TWO POINTS OFF STARBOARD BOW!

WE'RE CLOSE TO SOMEBODY NOW CHRIS, BUT WILL HE HAVE TIME TO THINK ABOUT US?

THANKS FOR GIVING ME YOUR SEAT, SIR!

OH, THAT'S O.K., LADY!

A GENTLEMAN SHOULD GET UP TO GIVE A LADY HIS SEAT!

SOME GUYS ONLY OFFER THEIR SEATS TO YOUNG AND PRETTY GIRLS—

BUT TO ME IT DON'T MAKE NO DIFFERENCE HOW UGLY YOU LOOK!

HEY, ELMER!

I'M NOT GOING TO LET THAT WACKY VABBIT SELL ME ANYTHINGS TODAY!

I WONDER IF TH' LIL' CLUCK'S TRYIN' TO AVOID ME—HMM!

YIFE! CRUM!

I GOT SOME BIG SPECIALS ON T'DAY, DOC, THAT YA CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS!

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BUT I'M NOT SURE

OH, DO SO BY ALL MEANS, MRS. NUTCHELL!

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MAYBE WE OUGHT TO THINK THIS OVER A LITTLE MORE.

OUT OUR WAY By J. R. Williams OUR BOARDING HOUSE with MAJOR HOOPLE

HOLY SMOKE! THEY CALLED THIS FUN!

THEY INSISTED BUT I EXPLAINED THAT WE USED FAST, SNAPPY GAITED HORSES. NOT WORK STOCK!

I KNOW, BUT THEY'LL NEVER GET OVER THE IMPRESSION THAT WE LIVED IN A DAZE!

THE RELIC

DRAT! WHY SHOULD A MAN IN THE PRIME OF LIFE BE PLAGUED BY THE DEMONS OF INSOMNIA?—WHENEVER I RETIRE EARLY I BECOME AS WIDE-AWAKE AS AN INDIAN SCOTCH HEARING A TWIG SNAP

JOVE! DO ANY SHARP EARS DETECT SUSPICIOUS SOUNDS DOWN-STAIRS?

IT'D BETTER INVESTIGATE! IT COULD BE NOCTURNAL PROWLERS—ANYWAY, A SALAMI SANDWICH OR TWO MIGHT PUT ME TO SLEEP

THREE SURELY WOULD DO IT = 12-16

GRACE, DEAR, I'M RIGHT SCARED WE'RE GOING TO RUN SHY OF DIPLOMATIC CORPS FRIENDS WHO WILL TAKE THE HALLS IN OFF THE STREET...

NOW, YOU STOP PRETTIN', GIL! HALL! YOU KNOW GOOD AN' WELL I'LL HAVE PEOPLE CLAMORIN' FOR DINNER INVITATIONS WHEN THEY KNOW Y'ALL ARE OUR HOUSE GUESTS...

BUT—AH—WHERE IS THE HAN-SOME MISTHR HOMER TOLD US ABOUT?

MY FIANCEE FELT IT WAS MORE SEEMLY FOR HIM TO GO TO A HOTEL!

HOMER, WHAT IN THE WORLD IS THAT LOVELY CHILD TALKIN' ABOUT? DOES SHE REALLY KNOW WHAT FIANCEE MEANS?

I ONLY HOPE CANNON KNOWS—AND THAT HE HAS A GOOD HEAD START!

TAKE SPECIAL CARE OF YOURSELF TODAY, TACKY.

MORNING BRINGS THE SADNESS OF AN ANNIVERSARY TO TACKY THOMAS' FOSTER MOTHER, MRS. MULVANE.

HI, TACKY! YOUR MOM DIDN'T COME TO THE DOOR, IS SHE SICK?

NO, BUT NINE YEARS AGO TO DAY, MOTHER, MULVANE LOST HER SON IN THE WAR. I PRETENDED I DIDN'T KNOW, BUT VIC FLINT TOLD ME.

VIC'S MY PRIVATE DETECTIVE FRIEND. HE OWES HIS LIFE TO MOTHER MULVANE'S SON, JOHNNY. THAT'S HOW COME HE TOOK ME TO HER, SHE'S SURE HIGH ON VIC!

SOMEBODY MUST'VE RENTED THAT HOUSE, THE GION'S GONE.

AND TROUBLE IS STANDING IN FRONT OF IT!

GOSH, WHAT'LL POP SAY WHEN HE SEES THIS?

REPORT CARD

DO NOT OPEN UNTIL CHRISTMAS

FOR POP

UING FULLER

FOR PRECIOUS MINUTES EASY STALLS ALL EFFORT TO LOAD THE MISSILE, AND SLOWS THE WORK AFTER REINFORCEMENTS ARE SENT OUT. TILL FINALLY...

BLAZES TOO MANY OF THEM NOW, I'LL HAVE TO SCRAM!

THE SET PILOT SAID THE CRUISER IS ABOUT WHERE THE MISSILE LANDED, COLONEL! WE BETTER HURRY IT MOVED OUT OF THE WAY QUICK!

THE QUESTION IS WHY WOULD TWO SWELL KIDS LIKE ANNE AND JIM HANSLY WANT A DIVORCE?

I THINK IT'S A DIFFERENCE IN TEMPERAMENTS!

BUT TEMPERAMENTS DEAL WITH EMOTIONS—AND HOW CAN ANY MECHANICAL BRAIN SOLVE EMOTIONAL PROBLEMS?

WHILE THE RUGGLES FAMILY ARGUES THE PROS AND CONS OF A. P. SOLWAY'S MYSTERIOUS MURDER, A TELEGRAM IS RECEIVED AT A PALATIAL MANSION MANY MILES AWAY...

HERE YOU ARE! DO YOU WANT TO GO BACK TO THE CLUB?

NO! I'M GONNA TAKE IT EASY FOR THE REST OF THE DAY!

AREN'T YOU GOING TO TRY THE OTHER CLUBS? THERE'S FOUR OR FIVE OF THEM!

WE'LL DO THAT TOMORROW! I'VE GOT TO GET BACK TO THE HOTEL NOW—THE MAN I'M STAYING WITH ISN'T FEELING SO GOOD!

AT HIS AGE TUTTLE MAY NOT BE OVER THAT FALL FOR DAYS! SO I'M SURE I'LL GET AWAY IN THE MORNING AGAIN—WITHOUT ANY TROUBLE!

T-THE PAIN IS ALL G-GONE?

COMPLETELY, PHIL! SO YOU'LL BE GIVING ME MY FIRST LESSON TOMORROW! WE'LL TEE OFF AT NINE O'CLOCK!

HEY POP! TURN DOWN THAT SCREAM-BOX—IM TRYIN' TO HEAR WHAT SPIDER'S TELLIN' ME!

IM IN LOVE!

HEAVENLY! LISTENING TO THE WEATHER REPORT?

SMACK!

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C'MON! C'MON! I PUT MY DIME IN... WHERE'S MY HOT CHOCOLATE??!

SHAKE! SHAKE!

SMACK!

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Government Workers Wary Of Accepting Yuletide Gifts

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—UP—Government workers are pretty cagey about who sends them Christmas presents. It's as much as their job if they aren't. Anything from Santa Claus is all right. Or from close relatives. But a freer or a TV set from a grateful official of a company doing business with the government is dangerous.

Federal regulations bar any government worker from accepting "any gift or gratuity even of small value either directly or indirectly from any person or firm with whom (his) department has official relations."

Rule in Force

A survey of government agencies shows the rule is very much in force and that it will be applied firmly if there are any infractions. Although special reminders have not been sent out, spokesmen said

all federal employees are expected to exercise good judgment in accepting gifts and are well aware of the possible penalties—such as dismissal—for any indiscretion.

In the Commerce Department, gifts received from someone like a government contractor must be returned immediately along with a "letter expressing thanks and explaining the department's policy."

In the Treasury Department, a spokesman said he believed the reg-

ulations also provide that no employee may receive a gift to a superior nor accept one from a person of lower salary or solicited funds for a gift to a superior.

Grounds for Dismissal

D. Otis Beasley, an Interior Department official, said "I would think it would be grounds for dismissal of the employee" if he was found violating the improper gift rule.

Most government agencies reported they had specific regulations against the acceptance of gifts from people doing business with the government. The State Department issued a special reminder of this last April 20.

But some agencies—the Post Office, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, and Interstate Commerce and Federal Communications—said they had no written policy.

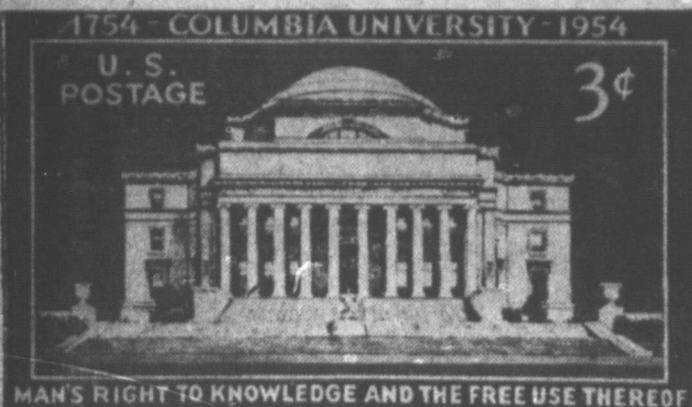
But spokesmen for all four said employees were expected to use "good judgment." Gift offers were not a problem with them, however, they said.

"Employees are expected to return gifts from anyone doing business with the department," said the Health, Education and Welfare spokesman. "But no one ever sends us any."

All in all, it will be a merry Christmas for the administration if no one is caught accepting gifts in return for favors.

POW's Pay Accumulates

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—UP—The military pay of the 22 Americans refusing repatriation in Korea still is accumulating and will be turned over to them if they renounce communism and return home, army officials said today.



MAN'S RIGHT TO KNOWLEDGE AND THE FREE USE THEREOF

HAIL COLUMBIA—This new three-cent stamp commemorating the 200th anniversary of Columbia University will go on sale in New York City, Jan. 4. The stamp will be blue and its design will feature a front view of the Low Memorial Library.

Dog Locked In

CHICAGO, Dec. 16—UP—Don A. Simpson called the fire department to rescue his dog, Prince, after the 100-pound German Shepherd locked himself in Simpson's bathroom.

Simpson said the dog apparently jumped against the bathroom door locking himself in.



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