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### KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR?

Do you know your neighbor, are you aware that Hagerman is in the midst of some very fertile farming country? To the southwest is being developed some amazing fertility in soil production. To the south-east, intermingled with some older districts, are some in their infancy, that show indications of marvelous outgrowth. Try knowing them, get acquainted and you'll find your next door neighbor a kindred spirit of this great southwest, and eager to talk matters of home and state.

### NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING

The old gag or alibi: "What's the use in advertising in the paper, they know I'm here." Yes, possibly so, but do they think the man living ten miles away is going to come to town to find what bargains are stenciled on the windows? We recall one pay day, among a crew of men, and them asking for the paper, that they might find where they could best spend their money for groceries. And the other day, in a neighboring town, we saw a head of a family (knowing that he had to pass through Hagerman) buying a huge box of groceries. And in a sister city, a Hagerman lady was getting a permanent wave. Sure they know about these windows in town, but when they draw their weekly pay checks, it is much easier to sit in a chair and study where best to spend it, than driving several miles and tramping blocks, to find bargains.

### CAN YOU VOTE?

Every red-blooded American, or you prefer, blue-blooded, should feel it a privilege to be able to express himself at the polls, it is one thing that he can show his preference or choice, and he should feel it his duty to see that he may be properly registered. Each of us, must be that each other knows of the registration boards, and their locations. There are two more Saturdays in July, and tell your neighbor, it is your duty to pass this information non down the line.

### Hints To Gardeners

By Gordon Morrison  
Breeding Expert  
Ferry Seed Institute



### Miscellaneous Hints

**FLOWERS:** Most flowers should have little or no artificial watering until they are at least half grown.

When watering is begun, lay the hose on the ground and soak the soil between the rows. Sprinkling requires the use of more water and is less thorough.

To get better and larger blossoms, cease watering when buds appear.

For a continuation of bloom, pick flowers regularly. This is most important with sweet peas and pansies, less so with petunias.

**VEGETABLES:** Avoid the common mistake of Americans of letting vegetables grow too large before picking. Younger vegetables are more tender, more nourishing and more palatable.

With a large percentage of the vegetables, get them while they are yet in the full flush of growth. Root crops—radish, carrot, beet—are at their best when hardly half grown.

Pick peas just before pods fill out completely. Pick corn just at the "milk" stage, that is, when the kernel, gouged with the finger nail, yields a milky juice. Use Summer squash when small, just after the bloom has dropped off.

Other vegetables, of course, should be allowed to mature more completely before using. Tomatoes should be ripened well on the vine, as should Winter squash. Cantaloupe are at their best when they need not be pulled from the vine, but roll off the vine at a touch.

There are exceptions to many of these rules of course. Some may wish to use green tomatoes for pickles or for canning, or may wish to allow beans to mature to the dry bean stage.

## "THAT LITTLE GAME" JUST LIKE A WOMAN



### A Line To You

BY E. M.

If this isn't a boost for the Pecos valley, just listen to what we heard. Harry Cowan said: "Two years ago, I had to irrigate my cotton early in June, it was, I thought, too small, but I had to take the water when I could get it. When we returned from a trip in July, someone discouraged me by telling me my crops were ruined because of the drouth, that year I cultivated my cotton over once, and part of it twice, and I made 104 bales of gin run cotton from 115 acres of land." Another report states that Kern Jacobs made this year over 200 bushels of wheat from a little over ten acres of land. Still another report says that Jim McKinstry made forty tons of alfalfa hay at one cutting, top hay, from twenty-five acres of ground. Can you beat that?

We heard a story of a young man who had his girl out car driving the other night and wandered too near Lake Tolliver and was he gloriously stuck, and the next day called in a four-horse team to pull out the car, know him?

Do you know the matrons, who string their Sunday noon day green beans on Main street Saturday night? Suppose the next request of the PWA or the XYZ will be adequate street lighting so that the week's mending may be done in the same manner.

Do you know the young author and his wife, residing in the nearby mountains, who keep a real latch key hanging out for their friends?

Do you know the ladies who are going on that cherished trip to the romantic city of Mexico?

Can you guess which lady climbed a barbed wire fence, with rather painful results?

In the old days you could tell that a young couple was engaged to be married by the ring on her finger. Nowadays you can tell by the fact that he stops getting out of the car to ring the doorbell—and sits there blowing the horn instead.

Man is the only animal that can be skinned more than once.

Recently German chemists beginning, where Ehrlich also began, among the dye compounds have found one which seems sometimes to cure infections with the streptococcus. English research workers have confirmed the German results. How the cure is effected no one knows. The new compound does not work in the test tube but only inside the animal body.

If the report is true that an American chemist has determined the formula of that compound made by the body itself which makes us immune to disease, then the announcement deserved bigger headlines than it was given. For where this American research meets the research of the chemists in Europe there is waiting a discovery of tremendous moment. The chemical cure is not the simple poisoning of bacteria that Ehrlich was expecting. But it is no delusion. The pioneers of chemistry have not worked in vain.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROBERT C. REID, DECEASED.  
No. 1088

### NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL REPORT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: JOHN H. REID, HARRIET L. HECKER, ROBERT C. REID, AND TO ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ROBERT C. REID, SOMETIMES KNOWN AS R. C. REID, DECEASED, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS CLAIMING ANY LIEN UPON OR RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST IN OR TO THE ESTATE OF SAID DECEDENT, AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that John H. Reid and Robert C. Reid, joint administrators of the estate of Robert C. Reid, deceased, have filed their Final Account and Report as such administrators with the County Clerk of Chaves County, New Mexico, and the Probate Judge has fixed the 15th day of August, 1936, at 10 A. M., in the office of the Probate Judge of Chaves County, New Mexico, at the courthouse at Roswell, New Mexico, as the time and place for the hearing of objections if any to said Final Account and Report, and that said Probate Court will at said time and place proceed to examine and inquire into said Report and if found to be correct will approve the same and discharge said administrators and will also proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent and the ownership of his estate and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof as provided by law.

That Hervey, Dow, Hill & Hinkle, whose postoffice address is Roswell, New Mexico, are attorneys for the administrators.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Probate Court of Chaves County, New Mexico, this 29th day of June, 1936.

RALPH A. SHEEHAN,  
County Clerk.  
By HELEN M. NEIS,  
Deputy.  
(SEAL) 27-4t

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE AND LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF GERTRUDE E. REID, DECEASED.  
No. 1505

### NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL REPORT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: JOHN H. REID, HARRIET L. HECKER, ROBERT C. REID, AND TO ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF GERTRUDE E. REID, DECEASED, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS CLAIMING ANY LIEN UPON OR RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST IN OR TO THE ESTATE OF SAID DECEDENT, AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that John H. Reid, executor of the estate of Gertrude E. Reid, deceased, has filed his Final Account and Report as such executor, with the County Clerk of Chaves County, New Mexico and the Probate Judge has fixed the 15th day of August, 1936, at 10 A. M., in the office of the Probate Judge of Chaves County, New Mexico, at the courthouse at Roswell, New Mexico, as the time and place for the hearing of objections if any to said Final Account and Report,

and that said Probate Court will at said time and place proceed to examine and inquire into said Report and if found to be correct will approve the same and discharge said executor and will also proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent and the ownership of his estate and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof as provided by law.

That Hervey, Dow, Hill & Hinkle, whose postoffice address is Roswell, New Mexico, are attorneys for the executor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Probate Court of Chaves County, New Mexico, this 24th day of June, 1936.

RALPH A. SHEEHAN,  
County Clerk.  
By HELEN M. NEIS,  
Deputy.  
(SEAL) 27-4t

### NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1399 Santa Fe, N. M., July 2nd, 1936.

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of July, 1936, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, R. W. Cumpsten of Hagerman, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 240 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 16 inch well approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the NW corner of NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 2, T. 14 S., R. 25 E., N. M. P. M., to be used for the irrigation of 80 acres of land described as being the N 1/2 SE 1/4 of said Sec. 2.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 11th day of August, 1936, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE,  
State Engineer.  
29-3t

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, July 9, 1936.

NOTICE is hereby given that Benjamin H. Chapman, of 325 E. 8th Street, Roswell, New Mexico, who, on November 19, 1931, made Homestead Entry, No. 044851, for W 1/2 Section 21, Township 12 S., Range 30 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, New Mexico, on the 20th day of August, 1936.

Claimant names as witnesses: William D. Addington, Frank A. Lively, James Weaver, these of Roswell, New Mexico, Dallas Morgan, of Dexter, New Mexico.  
PAUL A. ROACH,  
29-5t Register.

### NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1400 Santa Fe, N. M., July 2, 1936

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of July, 1936, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, R. E. Cole-

man of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 240 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 16 inch well approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the NW corner of NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 2, T. 14 S., R. 25 E., N. M. P. M., to be used for the irrigation of 80 acres of land described as being the N 1/2 SE 1/4 of said Sec. 2.

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NOTICE is hereby given that Jim Weaver, of Box 344, Roswell, New Mexico, who, on July 6, 1934, made Homestead Entry, No. 049-890, for NE 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, W 1/2 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 25; SE 1/4, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 26, Township 12 S., Range 29 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, New Mexico, on the 21st day of August, 1936.

Claimant names as witnesses: Edward J. Atkinson, Ennis J. Atkinson, Clyde M. Ivie, these of Roswell, New Mexico, Joseph Brannon, of Dexter, New Mexico.  
PAUL A. ROACH,  
29-5t Register.

### Health Column

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

### The Chemical Cure

Ever since a chemist proved that bacteria cause disease, chemists have sought for a compound which by killing bacteria would cure disease. Many antiseptics have been made which kill bacteria in the laboratory. But when attempts are made to use the same chemicals to kill bacteria in the human body the attempts have failed over and over again. Either the antiseptic proves as poisonous to the body as to the bacteria or else the latter hide away inside some organ which the antiseptic cannot reach.

Despite hundreds of failures to find the chemical cure the search still persists. A very few brilliant successes keep up the hopes and inspire the unwearied efforts of the chemists. Most notable among the successes is the discovery in 1909 of salvarsan. Ehrlich had manufactured 605 different compounds of arsenic before he came upon the one which he called salvarsan and which we now call arsphenamine. This chemical compound made possible the elimination of what is probably the world's greatest plague. The fact that we have stupidly neglected to take full advantage of the discovery does not lessen its scientific value. One interesting fact about arsphenamine is that it does not kill the germ of syphilis in the laboratory

## THE CHURCHES

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Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Sunday evening service.  
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REV. LEE R. MILLER,  
Pastor.

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

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
B. Y. P. U. 7:30 p. m.  
O. J. Ford, Sunday school superintendent.  
R. M. Middleton, B. Y. P. U. superintendent.  
Visitors cordially invited.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Church school 10:00 a. m.  
B. F. Gehman, general superintendent.  
Morning worship 11 a. m.  
Young people's service 7:30 p. m.  
Preaching 8:00 p. m.  
J. W. SLADE, Pastor.

### HAGERMAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
Morning service 11 a. m. Theme: Endeavor discontinued for a couple of months.  
JAMES A. HEDGES, Pastor.

### "SAUER RUBEN" IS NAME OF "TURNIP SAUERKRAUT"

Europeans have long used fermented turnips, beans, and other vegetables as well as fermented cabbage or sauerkraut. "Sauer ruben" is the German name for fermented turnips, an appetizing, easily made food. Both spring and fall turnips may be used, but the fall crop gives better results.

Recent studies of sauer ruben by the Bureau of Chemistry and Soils show that the best-sized turnips range from 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 inches in diameter. This size produces a sauer ruben of superior flavor and texture compared with very small or very large roots. The sweeter variety of turnip the better.

The investigators say that unpeeled shredded turnips produce a sauer ruben of superior quality resembling the texture of sauerkraut more closely than when the turnips are ground or sliced. Peeling the turnips removes some of the sugar and results in a product with a very mild flavor but low acidity and inferior keeping quality.

Slightly less salt than is used in making sauerkraut gives the best-flavored sauer ruben. When the fermentation reaches the desired stage of acidity the sauer ruben may be canned in tin, or kept in open stone jars with the surface completely covered by mineral oil; or it may be fermented from the start in glass jars and sealed without processing as soon as the fermentation stops. Detailed directions for these three methods of treatment are given in a circular issued by the United States Department of Agriculture.

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—By Talburt

### Personnel Farm Program Is Same

According to W. A. Wunsch of State College, the agricultural conservation program in the state will maintain the same administration during the next six months under which it has been working in the past months. All regularly elected county and community committeemen in the various counties under the program as elected formerly will continue to hold office until January 1, 1937, provided they qualify as members of the county associations.

In order to be a bona-fide member of a county association a committeeman must be an actual producer, making his income from the farm and living in the community which he serves.

He must have signed a work sheet under the program, and if he disqualifies himself by failing to sign a work sheet, a committeeman must relinquish his office and an election be held in the community which he represents. The election will be held in accordance with the method which was used in the first election. The alternate who was elected in the past election will hold office until this election is held.

Any committeeman, either county or community, can be removed from office by the county committee if he fails to perform his duties as outlined in the articles of association. When such a removal is effected, a regular election must be held to fill the office vacated.

In elections held now, only members of the association, producers who have signed work sheets, will be eligible to vote. There shall be no voting by proxy.

### Killer Hangs 33 Minutes In Dying

SAN CARLOS, Arizona—Boastful Earl Gardner, three times a killer, hanged from a government gallows for thirty-three minutes Monday at dawn while armed men stood guard as a warning to tribesmen not to interfere.

Gardner, 31 years old, who insisted that the government hang him for killing his wife and infant son, met a horrible death. His body struck the side of the trap as the trigger was sprung and dangled there as the helpless victim groaned and kicked.

Those in charge of the execution talked of dropping him again, but decided against it.

Every minute for twenty minutes the physician made an examination and shook his head that Gardner was not dead.

Excited Young Father: "Quick! Tell me! Is it a boy?"

Nurse: "Well, the one in the middle is."

The gal who says she wouldn't marry the best man on earth generally doesn't.

Friend: "Which of your works of fiction do you consider the best?"

Author: "My last income tax return."

"Laugh that off," said the fat man's wife as she sewed his vest button on with a wire.

Chinese women plaster their hair with gum.

Father: "Why were you kissing my daughter in that dark corner last night?"

Youth: "Now that I've seen her in daylight, I sort of wonder myself."

One man who recently had his teeth extracted, says the operation is not only painful, but it looks like his chin and nose are going to touch in spite of the dickens, now that he had his teeth out.

The Great Salt Lake, Utah, has a surface area approximately six times that of the Dead Sea in Palestine.

A "broiled live lobster" is not broiled alive. Death comes when the lobster is split just before the broiling process.

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### Locals

Albert Jay was a business visitor in Roswell Tuesday.

Mrs. W. L. Heitman was a shopper in Roswell Tuesday.

Mrs. Fay McKinstry of Roswell was a visitor in Hagerman on Monday.

Miss Wilma Walden and Miss Agnes McCormick visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Walden of Lake Arthur Sunday.

Mrs. George McGuire of Roswell spent the week-end in Hagerman as a guest of Mrs. Ernest Langenegger.

Messrs. Ermon Miller, Herman Crockett and Arland Mullinax of Morton, Texas, visited at the A. S. Key home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Watford and children and Mrs. W. P. West motored to Roswell Saturday to see the "White Angel."

Thomas W. Barham, president of McMurry College, Abilene, was a caller in Hagerman yesterday morning, conferring with the Rev. J. W. Slade on items of interest to the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Newsome, Mr. and Mrs. James Burck, Mrs. L. R. Burck, Miss Joyce Watford and the Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Slade and Coy Knoll were among the Hagerman visitors in Roswell Monday.

Misses Anna and Margaret Slade left early Saturday morning for Alpine, Texas, where they will enter the Sul Ross College for the remainder of the summer. The Rev. Slade took them as far as Pecos, returning home that afternoon.

Mrs. Stafford Brown and young son have returned from a vacation trip which included Gallup, and fishing on Bluewater, and Grand Canyon, Arizona. They were joined in Gallup by Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Woods and C. J. and Mr. and Mrs. Seborn Price and young daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Jim King, Mr. and

Mrs. F. J. Sebastian of Rosebud, Texas, visited this week with Miss Dorothy Sweatt. The two young ladies were roommates when they attended Colorado Woman's College. Mrs. Sebastian will be remembered as Miss Helen Hocken-hull, daughter of former Governor Hocken-hull.

Mrs. Mary Wilken, who conducted a laundry and ironing school at Mable-Lowreys Saturday was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Orvis J. Atwood Monday morning. She said if there were several who were interested enough the Ironite company would put on an ironing demonstration at Mrs. Atwood's sometime.

Among those who attended the Will Rogers show in Roswell Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Langenegger, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Newsome, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Menoud, Mr. and Mrs. Raynal Cumpsten, Mr. and Mrs. Wyley Grizzle, Ilan Campbell, Bill Langenegger, Ross Langenegger and Miss Ida Langenegger.

### CCC Camp News

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

We won the game with Dark Canyon Saturday, July 11th, by a score of 11 to 19. It was a mighty close game with the score changing back and forth several times. The other game was played with Mayhill Sunday afternoon, July 12th. This was also a very interesting game, the final score being 6 to 3. Both games were played here at camp. The team is looking forward to a hard game Saturday which is to be played at Carlsbad with Dark Canyon for the championship of the Carlsbad sub-district. We have high hopes of winning this game which will put us in first place in the sub-district and a trip to El Paso to play in the district tournament.

A dance was held here in camp Friday night, July 10th. Excellent music was furnished by Knowles' Orchestra of Lake Arthur. This dance was sponsored by the Assistant Leaders club, which was organized last week.

W. L. High, foreman, returned from his vacation last Friday.

Dr. Hinkly is installing a new bench lathe and a band saw. These are to be used by his manual training class.

Foreman Gossett's crew has started a new project. The members of the crew are building fence for Mr. Runyan who furnishes the material. Nute Epps taught the leaders the proper method of setting corner posts and braces when he was here last week. The method he demonstrated has an added feature in that the slack in the wires can be taken up any time in the future by simply tightening the brace wires at the corners.

### Ten of Seventeen State Oil Tracts Sell For A Total of \$8,095.10

### Poultrymen Keep A High Standard

Good quality and prices for eggs continue thru the warm weather for the experienced poultryman, says W. M. Ginn, extension poultryman. On the other hand, the poultryman who does not know the rules or does not follow them in the poultry business finds both the quality of the product and the price which he receives lowered during the warm months.

Some of the precautions which the experienced poultryman takes are of interest to those who wish to secure better prices for their eggs and also to those who find price and quality dropping during the summer months. First, the high quality producer disposes of the roosters as soon as the breeding season is over, thus producing infertile eggs. Good breeding stock is maintained by securing chicks from breeders whose chickens have established records for large eggs. Then, this poultryman gathers the eggs often, sometimes as many as three times a day, and markets them at least three times a week. When the eggs are being kept for market, they are stored in a cool place such as a cellar. As soon as they are collected, they are placed in wire baskets for a few hours so that the cool air can circulate and cool them before they are put into egg cases. They are candled, the spotted, cracked, dirty and small eggs being removed from the quality group. The wise poultryman does not wash the eggs nor expose them to sun or rain, as such exposure causes eggs to lose their good quality more rapidly. Clean eggs are produced by keeping nests and poultry houses clean. A well balanced ration, one which does not contain cottonseed meal and which will produce a high quality egg, is fed. By these methods this poultryman is able to secure a premium price for his product which makes his net profit.

Ten out of seventeen oil lease tracts offered by the state land commissioner were sold at the monthly auction sale at Santa Fe, July 10th, and netted the state \$8,095.10, including \$50.00 filing fees.

Tract 1, consisting of 1,080 acres and located in twps. 9-10-11, ranges 28-31-36, sold to Ed W. Owen of San Antonio, Texas, for \$323.00. Tract 2, consisting of 860 acres and located in twps. 12-13-17, sold to William Spurck of San Antonio, Texas, for \$111.00. Tract 3, consisting of 400 acres and located in 18, ranges 29-31, sold to Rolph Gallinger of Hollywood, California, for \$107.00. There were no bids on tracts 4, 7, 8, 9, 12, 14, 16. Tract 5, consisting of 400 acres and located in 20, ranges 30-31, sold to Rolph Gallinger for \$117.00. Tract 6, consisting of 1,040 acres and located in 15-35, sold to Cary P. Butcher of Midland, Texas, for \$3,642.50. Tract 10, consisting of 1,680 acres and located in 18-34, sold to The Texas Company of Houston, Texas, for \$1,797.60. Tract 11, consisting of 800 acres and located in 19-34, sold to Ed W. Owen for \$801.00. Tract 13, consisting of 160 acres and located in 20, ranges 34-35, sold to the Shell Petroleum Corp., for \$302.00. Tract 15, consisting of 400 acres and located in 17-36, sold to Rolph Gallinger for \$427.00. Tract 17, consisting of 400 acres and located in 23-19-35, sold to Rolph Gallinger for \$427.00.

Traffic Officer (stopping car with lady at the wheel): "Say, where's the fire?"

Lady Driver: "In your eyes, you great big gorgeous policeman."—Imperial Round Table.

Nursing is the most popular profession among Chinese women.

You know these Indian calendars the Santa Fe railroad has been putting out. Well, a lady came in the other day and wanted the advertising cut off of her calendar and said: "You know these calendars are typical of the Santa Fe. The figures are all sitting down."

Ireland has most spinsters.

"If of nervous temperament," writes a motor expert, "you must be prepared to go through a good deal while learning to drive a car." Including, possibly, the windshield.

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# The HOME CIRCLE

INSTRUCTIVE, ENTERTAINING AND AMUSING READING FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

## BEDTIME STORY

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

**BILLY MINK AND BOBBY COON WARN THEIR FRIENDS**

BOBBY COON had been so frightened when he had sprung that trap there by the Laughing Brook that probably he would have run clear back to his home in the Green Forest had he not found Billy Mink waiting for him at the old log where they had met earlier in the evening. Billy was grinning. "What are you running for?" he demanded. "I thought you were not afraid."

Bobby Coon stopped. "It—tried to catch me!" he panted. "It—jumped right at me!"

Billy Mink chuckled. "But I see it didn't catch you," said he. "Did-



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### Bernhardt's Jewels



Ornate jewelry which formerly belonged to Sarah Bernhardt, noted actress, is displayed by Lucille Montney. It is now on exhibit in the collection of international art at the California Pacific International exposition in San Diego.

sprung, Billy Mink kicked it aside as he passed. It was plain to see that Billy Mink had known what he was talking about when he said that now that trap was perfectly harmless. Then, without hesitating, Billy slipped through the little opening in that fence the trapper had built. That proved there was nothing to fear there now, so Bobby followed. He had to make the opening big enough to get through, but he did this by pulling up a couple of the sticks.

When they reached the Smiling Pool they saw Little Joe Otter sitting on the Big Rock. Jerry Muskrat was swimming over toward his house.

"Hi, you fellows!" cried Billy Mink. "Come over here. We've something to tell you."

Little Joe Otter dived into the Smiling Pool and he and Jerry Muskrat had a race over to the place where Billy Mink and Bobby Coon were waiting. "What is it you have to tell us?" demanded Little Joe. "I don't believe it's anything important."

"That depends on how you look at it," retorted Billy Mink. "Somebody has been setting traps along the Laughing Brook. I've found three of them. Bobby Coon and I have sprung two of them. We thought we'd just come down here and give you fellows warning." Then Bobby and Billy told Little Joe and Jerry all about those traps.

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## MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

### GOOD THINGS FOR COMPANY

FOR the busy housewife a meat loaf that may be prepared and served easily is always welcomed and appreciated.

#### Ham and Veal Loaf

Mix all the following ingredients and pour into a well-buttered loaf pan: Two cups of cooked, chopped ham, one cup of cooked, chopped veal, three tablespoons of chopped celery, one tablespoon of chopped onion, two tablespoons of chopped pimientos, one teaspoon of salt, one-fourth teaspoon of paprika, two beaten eggs, one cup of soft bread crumbs, one cup of milk and two tablespoons of butter, melted. When well mixed, bake 30 minutes in a moderate oven. Garnish with parsley when serving.

#### Mashed Sweet Potatoes

Take three cups of mashed sweet potatoes, mix with one egg yolk, two tablespoons of butter, one-half teaspoon of salt, one-fourth teaspoon of paprika. Beat well then drop portions on a buttered baking sheet and spread with the stiffly-beaten egg white. Place in a moderate oven to brown. Remove carefully to a hot serving platter and garnish with small pieces of candied pineapple.

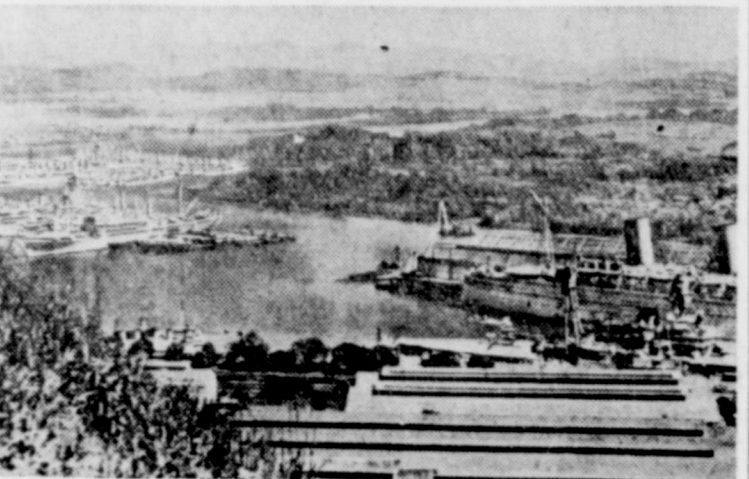
#### Pear Salad

Use two tablespoons of mayonnaise mixed with one-half cup of celery and one-third of a cup of candied ginger. Arrange eight halves of pears on lettuce and stuff the centers with the above mixture. It may then be topped with mayonnaise.

#### Chocolate Pie

Prepare a pastry shell and bake. Fill with the following: Two-thirds of a cup of sugar mixed with four tablespoons of flour, a pinch of salt and one and one-half squares of melted chocolate. Add two cups

## It's Rush Hour in Panama Canal



THE United States fleet crowding the harbor at Balboa at the Pacific entrance to the canal. The U. S. S. Pennsylvania, flagship of the fleet (right foreground), is dwarfed by the Empress of Britain, returning from a world cruise.

## Eve's Epigrams



Men and Women are made on different patterns.—Men are supposed to be straight and square, and Women all curves. 3-7

## DO'ING NOW

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

DIVIDE the week in seven equal parts. Divide the seven into twenty-four. And then by sixty, ere the morning starts. The sixty then by even sixty more—And yet we think in years, yea, even lives. When with each second all life re-arrives.

We think in years, who ought to think in these, Of months to come, of weeks to yet appear. Delay in days, waste hours, the minute flees. While ev'ry second life again is here. We dream tomorrow, plan the afternoon; It is too late, and now is not too soon.

Live now, do now!—for now is all you own— Whatever you endeavor, now begin! Who thinks tomorrow finds tomorrow flown, The season gone before the seed is in. For all men do, whatever fields they plow, They do by doing, and by doing now!

## Striking Dinner Dress



Chanel makes a striking dinner dress of black net embroidered with white thread in a pattern forming horizontal bands. The top is cut on tailored lines, the skirt is flared from the knees with stiffening at the hem. The white bow at the throat is grosgrain ribbon, the belt, black patent leather.

## PAPA KNOWS—



"Pop, what is a geranium?" "Bartender's nose." © Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

## BRISBANE

THIS WEEK

In Ancient Nile Mud England Keeps Ready Let the Dead Sleep Murder Starts Early



Paris.—Reclining on her side, her body covered with gold, gold necklaces on her neck and on the ground nearby, archaeologists discover the well-preserved body of an Egyptian princess whose father, the Pharaoh Chephren, built the second biggest pyramid; it was his brother, Cheops, who built the largest.

Those pyramids were tombs for kings, and searchers found the princess in one of them. The Nile mud seeping into the tomb had helped to preserve her.

That princess, living 5,000 years ago, could tell an interesting story for the movies. She "built herself a small pyramid with stones given to her by her many lovers." Where do you suppose she is now? In some strange Egyptian heaven, perhaps, with all those admirers around her.

England, alarmed by European war threats, issues an official "white paper" explaining why—"The relation of our own armed forces to those of other great powers should be maintained at a figure high enough to enable us to exercise our influence and authority in international affairs."

Unfortunately for all plans, the airplane in the hands of a desperate nation might upset all national "authority," just as a pistol in the hands of a desperate man upsets individual and police authority.

One bullet will stretch individual authority in the dust; 1,000 airplanes, attacking the heart of a great city, might cause national "authority" to end in demoralization.

England's new defense increase will be largely in her air force; that wise nation knows that the real "ocean" in future wars will be the ocean of the air.

In a desert of southeastern Utah, men and women, belonging to the cult of "truth seekers," were gathered around the body of Mrs. Edith Dakhal, who died more than a year ago. You read about it, perhaps. Mrs. Ogden, leader of the "truth seekers," prayed over the body, which appeared marvelously preserved. The "truth seekers" believe they will bring the woman back to life, but the pathetic fact is that it would not in the least matter if they did.

The important thing is to improve the condition of 1,800,000,000 actually living on the earth. For one safely out of it to be brought back would be unimportant, in these days, and perhaps cruel.

America holds the world's "murder championship" for all kinds of murder, at all ages—quantity, quality, variety, volume.

A New Jersey boy, 16 years old, was sentenced to death.

In Wisconsin, a coroner reports that little David Holl, two months old, was killed by two boys four and three years of age.

They each held one hand of the younger one, and dropped it on the floor. It cried and would not stop. Then, one of the small boys explained, "We pounded him." "These youngest 'killers' puzzle the law. You can't 'try' a four-year-old child.

Railroads tell the interstate commerce commission they would like fares reduced to two and a half cents a mile, instead of two cents. The railroads should have all possible consideration, for they have built up this country, but at two and a half cents a mile they will not compete successfully with automobiles carrying passengers for one-quarter of a cent a mile.

New York proposes to fingerprint everybody, new babies included. The baby of the future will be busy, with fingerprinting, tonsil and appendix removal, vaccination for smallpox and a half dozen other diseases.

The new treaty with France, reducing the duty on French wines and liquors by 50 per cent, interests California and other wine growing states. It should persuade them to stabilize the production of wines, establish official guarantees of purity, freedom from adulterations, mixtures, and especially "fortifying" with alcohol.

In Europe, notably in France, adulteration of wines is an offense against the law. With us, it is a business.

For advertising reasons, a group of men made a long distance hike on a diet of broken grain to prove the superiority of that diet. They were surprised when 53 hikers showed a total loss of 211 pounds in weight, while one, 66 years old, showed a gain of three pounds.

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## Matron's Dress with V



Pattern No. 1907-B

This dress designed with soft capelet sleeves and a contrasting vestee is one of those perennial styles. It is always a pleasure to show by popular request. They're so universally becoming to larger and more mature women, and so adaptable to conventional occasions.

The model shown is a clever street frock which takes into consideration the fitting problem encountered by many women whose tastes incline toward conservative rather than complicated dressmaking. The lines are studied to give slenderness without sacrificing a trim and neat appearance, exemplified in the beautiful pointed up bodice, especially graceful and smart. Sheer cotton, prints and chiffons are delightful for town or country.

Barbara Bell Pattern No. 1907-B is available for sizes: 34,

## Key to Man

The key to every man is his thought. Sturdy and defying though he look, he has a helm which he obeys, which is the idea after which all his facts are classified. He can only be reformed by showing him a new idea which commands his own.—Emerson.

## CLABBER GIRL Baking Powder

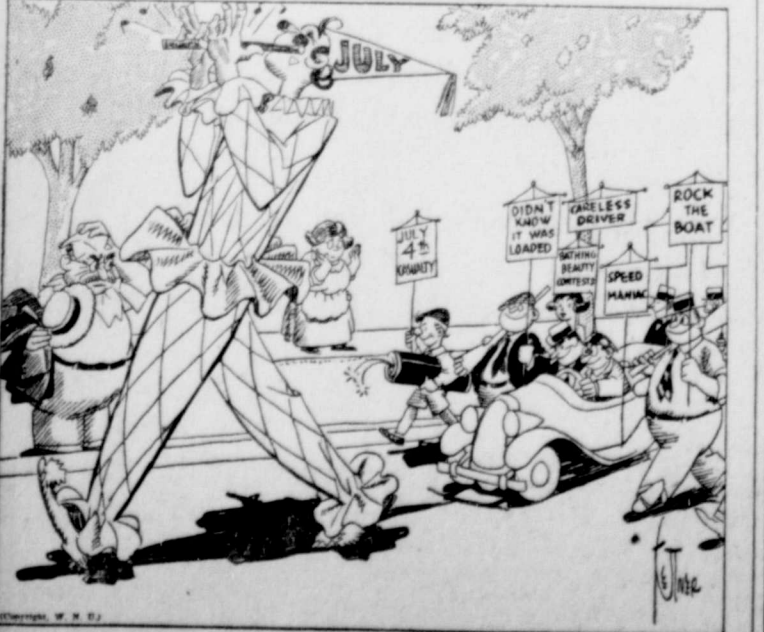


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## The Folly Season



## ANNABELLE'S ANSWERS



DEAR ANNABELLE: WHY IS IT A GIRL CLINGS TO A MAN, EVEN AFTER SHE DISCOVERS HE IS A BAD EGG?

"MOLL."

Dear "Moll": THAT'S WHY SHE'S AFRAID TO DROP HIM!

Annabelle.



**SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**

Lesson for July 19

**SERVICES IN THE EARLY CHURCH**

**TEXT**—Acts 4:32-35; 11:29-30

**LEADER**—He said: "It is blessed to give than to receive."

**TOPIC**—How Jesus' disciples shared their goods.

When Christians share their goods, they are sharing with the Lord and with one another. This is the true meaning of the Holy Spirit. A Spirit-filled church is always a praying church. It was a church which had its members in preaching the word of God (v. 31). The Spirit-filled church will not give an apology for the Bible, but it will enthusiastically preach it. It was a united church (v. 32). They were all of one heart and one mind. They held nothing back from one another. The needs were met from a common fund. This kind of communism any more than the church today helps from the church find those who have needs. The church had a powerful witness (v. 33). It was a church whose members were unblemished characters (v. 34). Great grace was upon them. Acts of Barnabas (v. 35). A piece of land and turned it into money. It is not said that he sold all the land he had. Therefore, cannot in any way be used as a precedent for the sale of goods in the church. The Deacon (Acts 6:1-6). The church had organizational troubles, difficulties. Up to this time the problems of the church were in the hands of the congregational meeting. The case placed before the church instructed seven men of good report, Spirit-filled, to administer, giving the people for prayer and the word of God. Among the men thus chosen, Stephen was chosen. While engaged in his work as a deacon, he sprang light as an eloquent and powerful preacher. Good Deeds of Dorcas (v. 9). She was a practical Christian who was full of good works. She was a woman of prayer and she was full of good works. She was a woman of prayer and she was full of good works. She was a woman of prayer and she was full of good works.

# Floyd Gibbons Adventurers' Club

## Hello Everybody!



"Death Ship"  
By FLOYD GIBBONS  
Famous Headline Hunter.

GET ready for action. Here comes Distinguished Adventurer Hobart N. Deane of New York city, and he's bringing with him a tale so packed with thrills that—well—I didn't know whether I was coming or going when I read it, and I'm betting you won't either.

It took place on a ship called the S. S. Barstow, a gasoline tanker, anchored at Fort McHenry, just outside of Baltimore, Md. You could go through all the harbors of the world looking for that boat today, and never find a trace of her.

She just ain't any more. By the time Hobe Deane got through adventuring with her, there wasn't enough left of her to pick your teeth with. That's the story.

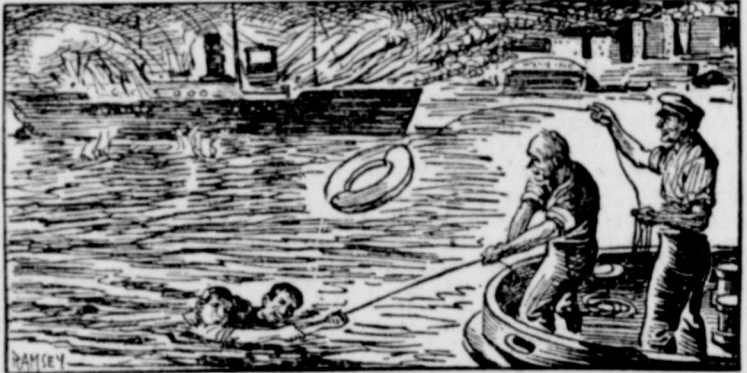
It was February, 1918, along toward the close of the World War. Hobe and his shipmate Al were in the merchant marine in those days, and the Barstow was the ship they were working on at the moment.

Hobe's Adventure Starts With a Boom! Hobe's adventure started with a big BOOM! Yes, I mean that literally. Six or seven sailors were sitting in the mess room about three o'clock one cold February day, when suddenly there came the sound of a loud explosion. Along with it came a shock that seemed to lift Hobe right out of his clothing. He jumped to his feet and ran to the deck, with the rest of the gang right on his heels.

"We arrived on deck," says Hobe, "in time to see a big gas ventilator from the forward tank land like a rocket in a heap of barreled oil that was piled up on the deck, ashore. At the same time, a sheet of flame several hundred feet high shot out of our forward tank. Thousands of gallons of naphtha were ablaze."

Down on the dock, some of the crew were casting off the ropes. A tug came alongside and began to haul the Barstow out into the bay. About a third of the way out, the tug's captain decided it was too risky for him to stick around any longer, and beat a retreat without taking the trouble to ask the men aboard the Barstow if they wouldn't like a ride back to shore.

Two Heroes Sacrifice Their Lives Courageously. "There were about twenty of us aboard," says Hobe, "and from all appearances we were in a swell way to be blown to chop



The Exhausted Men Finally Reached the Tug. We were about to get in when it occurred to us what might happen if the ship drifted in close to land and went up.

"The boatswain and his storekeeper, two heroes if I ever saw any, went forward and released the anchor. But on the way back there was another explosion and they were blown to bits. The magazine where we kept the ammunition for our anti-submarine gun had started to go up, and it had taken the boatswain and the storekeeper along with it."

After that, the ship got too hot for comfort. Shells meant for submarines were whizzing from that burning magazine in all directions. The crew made a run for the lifeboat—and just as they reached it, a shell hit it and blew it to splinters. "Believe it or not," says Hobe, "but neither Al nor I were touched by the flying debris." By this time the whole fore and midships were a mass of flame.

Al and Hobe Leave the Floating Bomb. "It was raining molten metal, chunks of iron and steel and pieces of timber. Al and I and a deck boy made our way back to the stern and, after a conference, decided to jump. We hadn't much time to lose. Even then the ship seemed to be swelling beneath our feet like a giant bomb."

Hobe couldn't swim a stroke, but Al told him to jump, and he'd bring him to shore. The deck boy hesitated until Al assured him he'd be right behind. Then he dove into the icy water. "Al and I waited for him to come to the surface," says Hobe, "but the seconds became minutes, and he didn't show up."

"We never saw him again, and I have never felt so desolate in all my life. But life is sweet, and I realized that no matter how slim my chances were, they were better in the water than on the Barstow. The nearest life preserver was below deck, and by this time, burnt to a crisp, I had to depend on Al."

Tug's Skipper Gambles to Help in Rescue. Well, sir, Hobe took the plunge. The shock of the cold water numbed him, and he thought he'd never come up. "I didn't much care, either," he says. "But I hit the surface at last, and Al had a hold of me before I knew it. I grabbed his shoulder with one hand and paddled with the other and we set out for a tug that was lying a thousand yards away."

"It seemed we were moving at a snail's pace. We got some distance away from the ship, but I could see the February water wasn't doing us any good. He was fagged out. My heart and lungs felt as if they were in a steel vise. I was done. All I wanted to do was let go and rest."

Hobe was right. Al WAS fagged. He stopped swimming and began to tread water—shouted to the tug for help. The tug's skipper knew it was dangerous to go any nearer to the burning vessel, but he took a chance. "They came at a good clip," says Hobe, "but it seemed forever before a couple of husky seamen got hold of us and lifted us up onto the deck."

Hobe says he'd like to end his story by saying both he and Al got pneumonia. But they didn't even have a cold the next day. The Barstow, though, didn't do so well. She burned to the water's edge.

Bought Land by Inch. Land values reared a new high level in Australia recently when £50 an inch was paid by a Melbourne hotel owner for four and one-half inches. When constructing a wing for his hotel, P. W. Tewsbury took over an adjoining building and gained legal right to half the garden wall. He wanted the entire nine-inch width of the wall, but the owner refused to sell. At last, however, Tewsbury gained the disputed four and one-half inches for a total cost of £135.

Indians Good Imitators. Similar to the Ohio Indians' manner of imitating forest fowls in order to attract birds was their ability to bawl like a fawn so that the doe could be drawn to the spot. True men of the forests, the Indians could imitate the bleating of a fawn in distress so successfully that a doe, alert to the instinct to protect the young, would come dashing through the brush toward the sound. Then all the Indians had to do was kill the oncoming doe.

### Pup Trouble

By DONALD S. AITKEN  
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THE proprietor advanced to the front of the shop rubbing thin bony hands together.

"Good evening, sir." The plump middle-aged man who had entered from the street adjusted his pince-nez and looked around curiously. It was the first time Mr. Gillis had been inside a pet shop.

He wrinkled his nose. To Mr. Gillis, the place was a babel of noise and confusion. Cages full of hopping, chirping birds. Somewhere a monkey chattered.

Mr. Gillis finally brought his little round eyes to bear on the proprietor. "I stepped in to inquire the price of the little fox terrier puppy you have in the window. The one with the black patch over one eye."

The pet shop man looked sad. "Sorry—it's sold. I'm just holding it for a party. Now, I've got some Airedales—"

"Not interested," said Mr. Gillis. He turned to leave, hesitated a moment, then swung back again. "How much did you get for it?"

"The fox terrier, sir? Ten dollars—a bargain."

"Suppose I give you fifteen?" suggested Mr. Gillis.

"But—"

"No 'buts,' my man. Look, I'll make it seventeen-fifty. You can tell your other customer the pup died."

It was only a few blocks from the pet shop to Mr. Gillis' suburban home. Walking along he felt entirely satisfied with his deal.

The puppy to which he'd taken such a fancy was to be a birthday present for Sammy. His son would be twelve years old next week. Sammy had had his heart set on an airplane ride at the local airport for his birthday present.

The following week, on the evening of Sammy's birthday, Mr. Gillis called in at the pet shop on his way home and learned that the little fox terrier puppy was dead. A monkey had bitten him, the proprietor said, and infection had set in.

Walking home, Mr. Gillis felt wholly dejected. As he reached his front gate, a small freckle-faced boy in a bright red sweater came running out. Sammy stopped when he saw his father. He had something in his arms. Something that quirmed.

"Hello, Pop! Look what Mom brought me for my birthday—a puppy!"

Mr. Gillis looked. He looked so hard that his bulging eyes almost dislodged his pince-nez. There was no mistaking the animal. It was the fox terrier pup from the pet shop.

Inside the house, on learning that his wife had paid twenty-five dollars for the puppy, Mr. Gillis almost exploded.

Mrs. Gillis, a frail little woman, grew tearful. "I didn't mean to spend so much," she told him. "Last week I bought it for ten dollars. But today when I went to get it, the man said it was dead. A monkey had killed it, he told me. But he was telling a lie—I happened to see the puppy hidden behind a packing case."

"Then why," thundered Mr. Gillis, "did you let the scoundrel charge you twenty-five dollars for it?"

"The man insisted it was a different one. A more expensive puppy. Oh, I had to have it!"

Before Mr. Gillis could express himself further, Sammy came rushing back into the house. His freckled face was tear-stained. He was out of breath.

"Some boys over in the park!" he gasped. "They threw the puppy in the lake and he didn't come up. He's drowned!"

Next morning Mr. Gillis strode into the pet shop. There was a dangerous glint in his eyes.

Before he could say anything, the proprietor led him over to a dog pen. Mr. Gillis' eyes grew bigger and bigger with amazement. He was staring down at the little fox terrier puppy with the patch over one eye!

"But—but—" he stammered. "Last night—"

"Forget last night," advised the pet shop man. "Take the pup away without asking any questions and you can have it for ten dollars."

Nothing in the world could have stopped Mr. Gillis from asking questions.

"All right," said the proprietor. "I double-crossed you. I sold the pup to a lady yesterday. She must have lost it, because last night a kid came in with it. Picked it up in an alley, he told me. I gave him five bucks and made him promise to keep quiet about it."

"A—kid?" asked Mr. Gillis, weakly.

"Yeah. A freckle-faced kid with a red sweater. He wanted some money to buy a ticket for an airplane ride."

Nosing Them Out. The sergeant was giving the rookies bayonet drill. They were practicing charging a dummy. One awkward fellow tumbled, missing the dummy with his bayonet, but flattening his nose against it. "That's right," encouraged the sergeant, "if you can't stick 'em, bite 'em." — American Legion Monthly.

### Luxurious Peacock Motif



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### The Mind Meter

By LOWELL HENDERSON  
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Similarities Test

In each problem of the following test there are three words. The first two bear a certain relationship to each other. Write in a fourth word which will bear the same relationship to the third word that the second does to the first.

1. Bat, baseball; racket, \_\_\_\_\_
2. Norway, Haakon VII; Sweden, \_\_\_\_\_
3. Minnesota, gophers; Michigan, \_\_\_\_\_
4. Colorado, Denver; Arkansas, \_\_\_\_\_
5. Homer, poetry; Plato, \_\_\_\_\_
6. Telephone, Alexander Bell; lightning rod, \_\_\_\_\_
7. Mississippi River, United States; Amazon, \_\_\_\_\_
8. Kentucky Derby, horse racing; Poughkeepsie regatta, \_\_\_\_\_

Answers

1. Tennis.
2. Gustaf V.
3. Wolverines.
4. Little Rock.
5. Philosophy.
6. Ben. Franklin.
7. Brazil.
8. College rowing.

### All Around the House

A cup of peanut butter mixed with half a cup of mayonnaise and one finely chopped raw onion makes a good sandwich spread.

Oil or oily substances should never be used on waxed floors. They soften the wax, sink into wood and eventually darken it.

When making pastry use only enough water to hold ingredients together. Mix quickly, roll and handle as little as possible if you wish pastry to be flaky.

Cloths saturated with polishing liquids if stored away in a closet often cause spontaneous combustion. Keep these cloths in a covered tin container.

The fat side of beef should be placed nearest the flame when roasting. The melting fat will flavor and baste the meat during the cooking.

Use the purest of cider vinegar for pickles and pickled preserves. Do not mix two different kinds of vinegar.

Lingerie must be tinted occasionally to preserve its dainty appearance. A faded blue garment will tint a delicate orchid with the aid of a pink dye, a pale yellow will shade into a delicate green if dipped in blue dye and a pink dye will change the yellow to a soft pink. Be sure to use small quantities of the dye for these pastel shades.

Annual seeds of such plants as annual poppies, larkspur, sweet alyssum if sown out of doors now in equal parts of soil and coarse sand will be strong enough to live through the winter if well protected.

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**D. P. Greiner—**  
(Continued from page one)

Serving several months as county clerk, filling out the unexpired term of George Foreman, in 1934, Mr. Greiner made a fine record, being faithful, courteous, industrious and painstaking, in his conduct of the office.

Educated in his native state of West Virginia in the common and normal schools, Dave Greiner came to New Mexico in 1905. He immediately became a part of the business and social life of Roswell and has always taken an interest in all community matters.

In making this announcement of

candidate for county clerk, Mr. Greiner states that he believes he is fully competent to successfully carry on the office of county clerk and believes that he has already demonstrated that fact. He declares that if nominated he will give faithful and competent service to the people, serving them all to the best of his ability. He will be courteous, faithful, industrious and fair to all and will devote all of his time and talents to the conduct of the office.

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## IN SOCIETY

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

### Social Calendar

Girl Scouts meet on Tuesday afternoon, July 21st, all second class tests must finish class if possible.

#### GIRL SCOUT ACTIVITIES

Under leadership of Miss Mary Burck, Mrs. Raynal Cumpsten and Mrs. Jack Menoud, thirty Girl Scouts went to Lake Van on Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by their families.

Fifteen out of the thirty passed the fifty-yard swimming test. The fifteen are: Polly Cumpsten, Gladys Graham, Dorothy Sue Devenport, Jimmie Wheeler, Bessie Mae Langenegger, Helen Goodwin, Elizabeth Dolahon, Wanda Matthews, Lolita Davis, Jeanne Marie Michellet, Isadora Dolahon, Blanche Lane, Marie Wheeler, Hannah Burck, Lila Lane and Willa Smith. Life guards were Alma Nail and Orval Ford.

This trip was through the courtesy of E. E. Lane, a member of the Lake Van club.

#### BUFFET SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Kern Jacobs were hosts to a lovely buffet supper Friday night, in honor of Miss Frances Welborne, who is visiting here. Those who enjoyed the supper were: Messrs. and Mmes. E. R. McKinstry, Cliff Hearn, Kern Jacobs and Miss Welborne and Donald West.

#### STEAK AND FISH FRY

A very delightful time was had Sunday night when a group gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Hams for a steak and fish fry. Those present with the hosts were: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nail, Mrs. Anna D. Lange and their house guests, Mrs. Herbert Lange and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lawing and Bertha Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Davis and Smokey and Jewel Davis and Kenneth.

## What Rogers Said to Post

By CHARLES D. HAVENOR

The newshawks and the cameraman, Each with the other vie, To build upon those fateful words, 'How Post and Rogers Die,' O laggard pen, O feeble scribe, To miss what means the most, The epic that no man may know— What Rogers said to Post.

That nimble wit, that homely sage, His voice forever stilled, The silent, cagey, daring Post Who tens of thousands thrilled, Together at life's journey's end, Deep in the Arctic night, And side by side as they would wish, To start that greater flight.

As men are called to meet their God And seconds intervene, Each clock tick seems a century With all one's life between. 'Twas then the great philosopher Would choose to cheer his host A smile, an epic farewell in— What Rogers said to Post.

All praise be to the Eskimo And to his grueling dash, Across the ice to bring the news, That made the headline flash. And to Joe Crosson, Arctic ace, His sad and daring flight, 'Twas fitting that he bring them home, No other had the right.

What you or I may feel would be An epic last farewell, Dare not ascribe to Dear Old Will, Nor angels thoughts foretell. 'Twere better that within each heart, There dwell a silent toast, And let it be a worthy one— What Rogers said to Post.

IS there anything more satisfying, more succulent, more truly American than creamed chicken and waffles— waffles crisp and brown on the outside, soft on the inside— done to a turn! They say Thomas Jefferson ate waffles in Holland, and liked them so well that he had a waffle iron sent to him upon his return home.



**Monticello Waffles**  
2 1/2 cups sifted cake flour; 2 1/2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder; 2 teaspoons sugar; 2 egg yolks, well beaten; 1 1/2 cups milk; 2/3 cup melted butter; 2 egg whites, stiffly beaten.  
Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and sugar, and sift again. Combine egg yolks, milk, and butter; add to flour mixture, beating until smooth. Fold in egg whites. Bake in hot waffle iron. Serve with creamed mushrooms, chicken, or sweetbreads. Makes five or six 4-section waffles.

## WPA Funds Used For School Bldgs.

Looking back over the first nine months of Works Progress Administration operations in New Mexico, Lea Rowland, state administrator, was able to report that his organization not only gave work to as high as 14,000 men and women, but that ninety-four per cent of the funds allocated went to schools, public buildings, parks and other structures which will be of lasting benefit to the state.

Of each dollar spent in that period—October 1, 1935, to June 30, 1936—about sixteen cents was used for building schools.

Five cents went to other public buildings, such as city halls, libraries, and the Carrie Tingley hospital for Crippled Children at Hot Springs. A little over forty cents went for highways and streets.

The rest of the dollar was divided as follows: parks and other recreational facilities, five cents; conservation, such as flood control, dams and malaria control, nine cents; public utility projects, such as water supply, water purification and sewage disposal, twelve cents; and women's projects, including sewing garments for relief clients, seven cents.

A total appropriation of \$4,635,000 was handled at an administrative cost below the established limit of ten per cent, Rowland reported. The administrative cost was 9.2 per cent.

Three hundred projects were completed during the nine months—an average of more than one every day.

Operations were underway on 266 projects in the last week of June. Workers completed seventy-five new school buildings, many of which relieved overcrowding or replaced antiquated structures, which overburdened school district could not have replaced otherwise. Fifty more school buildings were under construction.

The number of persons employed varied, reaching a peak of 14,000 persons in the week ending February 21. The minimum was 7,300 in the week ending May 22. Latest figures show 8,230 men and women at work.

Funds for the period were allotted to the following projects, either completed or underway: 187 highway and street projects; 161 public buildings, including schools; 25 recreational projects; 45 conservation projects; 23 public utility projects; 30 educational projects; 40 sewing projects; 37 sanitation projects; 14 projects for assisting the commodity division, and several miscellaneous projects.

In comparison with the total which the Works Progress Administration spent in providing labor, cities, towns, counties and other local agencies sponsoring the projects contributed for materials a sum equal to 22 per cent or approximately \$1,015,000.

#### THE PIG CROP REPORT

An increase of about twenty-nine per cent in the spring pig crop of 1936 over the very small spring crop of 1935; a prospective increase of about fourteen per cent in the number of sows to farrow in the fall season of 1936 over the number farrowed in the fall of 1935; an indicated increase of about twenty-four per cent in total farrowings in 1936 over the total of 1935; and a moderate increase in the number of hogs over six months of age on June 1, 1936, over the number a year earlier are shown by the June 1 Pig Crop Report of the United States Department of Agriculture. Although the number of litters farrowed in 1936 promises to be substantially larger than the abnormally small numbers in both 1934 and 1935 it will be nearly twenty per cent below the average of 1932 and 1933 and probably below any other year in the last twenty years at least. This report is based upon information secured in cooperation with the Post Office Department through the rural mail carriers.

A polite motorist, passing thru a western village, wishing to show proper respect for the village ordinances, accosted a street corner policeman.

"What is the speed law here, please?" "Ain't got none," replied the cop; "you fellers can't get thru here any too fast for us."

## LOCALS

Miss Ione Allen was here from Roswell visiting home folk Sunday.

J. T. West made a business trip to the Weed country this week.

Miss Eva Mae Toby of Roswell is a guest this week of Miss Irene Newsome.

Mrs. Marcella Puckett of Roswell was a visitor in Hagerman Monday morning.

Misses Joyce Watford and Bertha Askins, Messrs. Travis Boykin and Charles Weir enjoyed a trip to the Bottomless lakes Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Carringer is visiting in Clovis this week and A. H. Pilley is staying in the lunch room during her absence.

D. P. Greiner of Roswell, candidate for county clerk of Chaves county, was a visitor in Hagerman on Monday.

The flower judging committee received a bouquet of gladioli to be judged from the C. W. Curry gardens last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Seborn Price and young daughter are leaving for Albuquerque where they plan to make their home.

Entries in the flower contest are shasta daisies from Mrs. Richmond Hams and a bed of zinnias at the Harry Cowan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Menoud and children and Mrs. Alice M. Hedges returned late last week from a several days sojourn at Pine Lodge.

Messrs. and Mmes. Kern Jacobs, Cliff Hearn and Cormer Caekran of Roswell and Miss Frances Welborne and Donald West enjoyed a trip to the Bottomless Lakes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Finn Hesten and son of Gurdon, Arkansas, came in Sunday for a visit with Mr. Hesten's sister, Mrs. D. A. Marrs. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Marrs in Carlsbad Tuesday.

The sewing project, under supervision of Mrs. I. B. McCormick, states a change of hours this month. Hours each week have been shortened, but a slight increase in pay has been added.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ridgeway and children came down from their home in Roswell Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Merle Porter of the Felix ranch, returning home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edison Craft of Pecos, Texas, visited during the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jacobs and their little daughter, Miss Jackie Craft, who is spending the summer with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wimberly went to Capitan on Saturday afternoon, returning on Sunday afternoon. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Sears. Clifford Wimberly returned with them for a week's visit in Hagerman.

Among those who attended the B. T. U. meeting at Artesia Sunday were: Mmes. E. A. White, M. A. Hamilton, W. R. Goodwin, F. W. Sadler, A. L. Van Arsdol, Elton Lanford, Miss Essie Keeth, and Dalton Keeth, Carl Eminger and Corman.

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## Political Announcements

### RATES

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City Offices.....	\$ 5.00

The following candidates submit their announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary:

- For State Representative:**  
C. N. MOORE, Dexter
- For State Senator:**  
J. H. MULLIS, Roswell
- For Commissioner, District No. 3:**  
JOHN W. HAVEN, Lake Arthur  
LEVI BARNETT, Hagerman
- For County Clerk:**  
D. P. GREINER, Roswell

Lawyer: "You want to divorce these women? Can you name any co-respondents?"  
K. Solomon: "Not offhand, of course, but I strongly suspect the 97th Regiment of the Royal Light Infantry."

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