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In The Land Of Cotton



New Orleans beauties prepare to welcome visitors to their city's annual Spring Fiesta, March 16-30. The part cotton has played in the building of New Orleans will play an important role in the Fiests program with a cotton party scheduled as one of the main events of the program. Hostesses will wear ante-bellum costumes of cotton.

Card Of Thanks

I want to take this opportunity to thank my friends for the many lovely gifts, flowers, letters and cards that I received while in the hospital. May God bless each and every one of you

Mrs. Frank Pereifull

Wallace Clift spent three weeks in South Texas visiting relatives husbands with a picnic Tuesday in Corpus Christi and Taft.

and Mrs. H. D. Gann was called to the bedside of his moth-fine supper. er at Denton, Tuesday night.

Methodist Church

Dr. K. P. Barton, superintend ent of San Angelo district will preach at the Methodist Church and hold the 4th, quarterly conference this Sunday morning. You are cordially invited to be with us.

G. T. Hester

The W.S.C.S. entertained their night at the home of J. S. Craddock's. About 30 enjoyed the occasion, playing games an

Richardson-Creamer

Mr. William B. Riehardson and Miss Irene Creamer were united in marriage Aug. 18, 1941 at Ryan Okla., by Justice of Peace George Tabbor. Miss Creamer lived in San Angelo until recently and Mr. Richardson lived Observer, at Robert Lee. They will make their home in Dallas, Texas where he is employed by the North American Aviation Inc.

Death Of H. W. Walton

Mr. H. W. Walton, an old timer of Ceke County died at the home of his son T. C. Walton of Blythe Calif. Aug. 20, 1941. Mr Walton lived in the Valley View relatives. community several years. He built the first cotton gin at Rob. ert Lee. He is survived by four daughters and three sons. Mrs. M. S. White Bangs, Texas; Mrs. L. A. Lackey Tuson, Ariz.; Mrs. M. J. Richardson, McKinney. Texas; Mrs. Willard Jones Abilene; T. C. and Martin Walton Blythe Calif. and Willie Walton, Snyder.

Mr. Walton was buried at home the last few years.

Defense Help

More than a thousand chain stores in Texas, acting at the request of the U.S. treasury, began selling defense saving stamps

rearmament propram, it was announced by C. B. Roberts, pres of the Texas Chain Stores Asso-

Democracy-Dictatorship

the spirit must bolster America's physical resources in the present world crisis, Newton J. Friedman told approximately 700 Universi ty of Texas summer graduates at the school's summer baccalaur-

eate service here last Sunday nite "There can be no compromise between the freedom of democracy and the slavery of dictator- and Myra Sue of Fort Stockton, ship" he declared.

may loose hope, but we must not Barger home last week. dispair. Tyrants have come, have had their day, and then passed on. Religion has survived them all. The innate brotherhood of man, the striving for decency and dignity that disting-

or by brute force. "Nations which have worshipped false gods have crumbled and disappeared from the face of the earth. God's word alone remain eternally true. The commandment that men should love their God, and their neighbors, though temporarily forgotton in some parts of the world, will nevertheless live forever."

Frank Percifull our sheriff, is spending a few days atChristoval taking the baths and treatments.

Local Items

Miss Thora Roach of Miles visted her aunt Mrs. S. C. Adams, first of the week.

Ada Bell Fish returned Sunday rom Miles where she had been visiting Dorothy Simpson for two weeks.

Albert Baze Jr. and family of San Angelo visited his parents la few days last week.

Mrs. W. M. Simpson of Marfa is spending a week with her moth er Mrs. John McCabe, and other

Mr. and Mr. T. A. Richardson and little daughter, left Saturday for Tyler to visit her mother for a few days.

home south part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Taylor and sons, Billy and Harold of Bangs Texas, where he made his Commerce visited in the home of must register through the office. Geo. Taylor first of the week.

Twenty-six chain store com- turned home Sunday from Los band and 7th; Eunice McLure, panies are cooperating in this Angles, Long Beach, and other 6th; Lois Bradford, 5th; Naomi effort to make it easier for Amer- points in California, where they Dawson, 4th; Juanita Borger, icans to invest in their country's have been visiting relatives and friends the past five weeks.

> Bill Humphreys of Liberty Hill has returned home after spending the greater part of the summer with his aunt Mrs Bailey Russell

week. Mr. Baze is coach in the covers. school at that place this being his 4th year.

Robert Lee enjoyed a fine rain Saturday evening and another Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Barger and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sparks of "It is in times like this that men Clerndon, were visitors in the fall shades.

> Mrs. G. T. Hester went to San Angele Tuesday to stay a few days where she can be under the treatment of the doctor.

Mrs. Frank Perciful returned uishes us from the beast, will not home last week after nearly two be downed. The love of God and months stay in San Angelo spendthe desire to serve Him are deep ing the greater part of the time rooted in the soul. No earthly in a hospital recruperating after ruler can destroy them by decree a major operation. She is reported to be improving nicely.

> FOR SALE Good Row Binder See W. R. Thomason

> > LOST

Square paste-board box conaining hand work and embroadery patterns, with A. F. Landers and Bill Ratliffs names on the box. Finder please leave at City Drug Store.

Robert Lee School Opens Sept. 8th

The 1941.42 term of the Robert Lee Public Schools will open Ben Brooks of Tennyson is a Monday morning, Sept 8 at 9:00 new subscriber to the Robert Lee a. m. The term opens with a general assembly in the school auditorium. There will be a short program with the necessary announcements by the superintendent. Plans now to enroll all pupils by 12 o'clock and dismiss all pupils at that time. It will expadiate the registration if all pupils will bring their old report cards and book cards to the respective teachers when registering

I am asking that all high school pupils come to the school building and register with me Friday. Sept. 5th. This will give me plenty of time to work with each pupil so that he can get the best program possible. Every high Mr. and Mrs T.W. Roach mov school pupil that can possibly ed into the home made vacant by come Friday please do so and T. A. Richardson and family register. We are expecting 400 moving to Mrs. Lucils Donnell's pupils this year and we cannot register them all in one day if the high school pupils do not register early. All high school pnpils

The faculty at this time consists of: Geo. L. Taylor supt; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wyatt had A. F. Landers, history and prin. as their guests the past week, her P. P. Fitzhugh, voc. agri.; Ray V brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Stark, math.; Rosc Fisher, eng. Boone Richardson. He had been and Spanish; Dayton Walston,, working for the North American science and coach; Virginia Clay-Aviation Inc. of Inglewood Calif. ton, commercial; A. M. Jackson, Doris and Lurlyne Pettit re- music and 7th; Delbert Harrell, 3rd; Clarice Harsch, 2nd; Mary Russell, 1st.

Busses will run Monday over the regular routes so as to have pupils here by 9;00 a. m. They will return at 12:00 a m.

We are again indebted to Coke Mr and Mrs. W. E. Baze of Motor Co., the City Drug. and Austin, Texas.-Resources of Pt. Pleasant, visited his parents Coca Cola Bottling Co. for fur-Mr. and Mrs Albert Baze, last nishing all pupils with free book

You are all invited to be at the school opening Sept. 8th.

Lets all make this the best year yet. This is your school so lets all boostit for Robert Lee and you Geo. L. Taylor. Supt.

New dress lengths in new

See Cumbie & Roach

Interesting Visit

Last Friday the Observer visited the Bryan Dairy and Wilson's hog barn. Mr. Bryan has a heard of choice dairy cows that any dairy man could be proud of, his milking stalls were fly clean.

Wilson is entitled to some very extraordinary praise as he has really put Coke County on the map in regard to hog business. He has two strains of registered hogs that are outstanding in the United States. The New Superba in the boar line and the Wave master Stiles Family, in the sow strain. He is producing pigs for the 4-H Club which should wear blue ribbons if the boys do as Wilson has, never, never saw prettier pigs.

FOR SALE-Delane Bucks See A. B. Shepperd

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

World War II Enters Into New Phase As Roosevelt-Churchill Conferences Indicate Continued Soviet Resistance; Unrest Report in Occupied Nations

(EDITOR'S NOTE-When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



Back in Washington after his momentous sea conferences with British Prime Minister Winston Churchill, President Roosevelt conferred immediately with Secretary of State Cordell Hull. The two are shown here in an auto leaving the railway station for the White House. Secretary Hull carried a number of important papers for the President and the Far East situation was said to be the vital topic of their first discussions.

WORLD WAR II:

New Angle

The many-faceted chances of war. which had seen Hitler reaching another peak of successes, suddenly seemed to veer more to the British-American side following the dra-matic conclusion of the Roosevelt-Churchill talks at sea.

Not only did the eight-point pact between the two executives strike with a powerful sound across the front pages of the globe, but the promise of aid to Russia was reportedly based on the assurance felt by Britain and the United States that the Soviet troops would be able to hold the Germans at bay throughout the winter.

Indeed, Mr. Roosevelt on his return to this country, made such a positive statement, declaring that "consumers' goods," such as foodstuffs, would be made available for Russia during the rest of the summer; that it was assumed the Russian winter would bring at least a partial halt to hostilities, and that more substantial aid could be made ready by Britain and the United States for the opening of the spring campaign.

fidence as to the outcome of the war, and its continuance through a considerable period of time, that was in sharp contrast to the feelings outset of the President's dramatic 'vacation trip' on the Potomac.

Beside this sort of feeling throughout Britain and the United States and particularly since the President | therefore. said he did not believe this country was "any nearer in the war" than rumbling criticism of congressmen and the byplay of press criticism over mere matters of pictures and the identity of reporters at the scene seemed "small potatoes."

Because Churchill presumably invaded. was being well informed by the British military mission in Moscow as to the real carrying on of the war in the East, and if the President was so broadly confident of the continuance of the Soviet dehave good authority.

PRESS:

Its Reaction

The press reaction to the Roosevelt-Churchill conference and the eight-point statement was far from unanimously favorable.

The criticisms, however, ranged all the way from an echoing of the Berlin reaction that it was a "poor plagiarism on Wilson's 14 points,' down to a milder reproach that Roosevelt should have risked his life on the battlefield of the Atlantic.

In the main, however, the leading independent papers of the country agree with the philosophy and the idealism of the statement, though almost all of them agreed that it was a carefully timed and dramatically staged "counter peace offensive" against that expected to be launched by Hitler now that his campaign against Russia was about one-third accomplished.

There were many smaller sidelines of criticism, however. Some papers had headlines about "oneway censorship," apparently believing that certain British newspapers and press associations had been permitted to be represented.

NEW ROUTE:

For Planes What was declared by the White House to be "an important step to speed delivery of planes to the British forces in the Middle East" came

when the President announced a new plan for ferrying aircraft to Africa. Under terms of the arrangement worked out with Pan American Airways, planes needed by the British will be flown from the U. S. to Bermuda, thence to Natal, Brazil and

American will return the fliers to the United States. It was pointed out in the President's statement that the route was so arranged that at no time would the U. S. fliers pass "through the

across the Atlantic to Africa. Pan

UNREST:

Taking Substance

zone of actual warfare."

The unrest stories from occupied portions of Europe, which had been largely couched in general terms, as though the writers of the reports, figuring that the Germans had removed large numbers of guards for the war with Russia, and had let their imaginations run riot, now began to take some real substance.

The stories came from Norway, of menace and of instability that from occupied France, and from had been marking the news at the within Germany itself, though the details in the latter had to be gleaned from the highly propagandized Russian war communiques and were somewhat discounted

The Norwegian story was that the Quisling government was tottering. it was before the conference, the These sources were Swedish newspaper stories, and the Swedes, though generally unfriendly to the Axis, were staggering along the fence of neutrality and so far had been able to keep their country un-

The Swedish stories had considerable detail. They told of Quisling himself doubling and trebling his bodyguard, and being on the verge of a nervous breakdown; of one of the cabinet ministers seeking to fense, it was reasoned that he must take poison and of others who had been ordered to take "rests" of three months because of the utter failure of their several objectives.

> The French story also had substance and came from Nazi-capitulated Vichy itself which, throwing off censorship, announced that the Paris police were offering a million francs' reward for information leading to the arrest of train wreckers who were menacing the food supply of the former capital of France.

> Those commenting on the dispatch said it brought to mind the statement of Petain that he "felt an ill wind rising in many sections of France." The disorders, at first blamed in dispatches entirely on Communists and Jews, brought from General Stuelpnagel, commander of the German armed forces, that if the train wrecking continued, the entire public of France would be held responsible.

> This statement, added to the million-franc reward story, gave the unrest almost the tone of a revolution, and coming on the heels of the Petain-Darlan-Laval surrender to the Axis, made some think that perhaps loyal Frenchmen had been asked to surrender more than they would stand for.



HATTIESBURG, MISS. When she was graduated from Mississippi Southern college this month, Miss Winnifred Moore (above), native of New Orleans, again proved the mastery of courage over handicap. Born blind, she has specialized in music and reads music in Braille with her toes while using her hands on the piano keys. Her constant companion is her dog Rex, shown here with her.

FORTRESS:

In Battle

During the first few daylight bombings of Germany and occupied territory by the huge American flying fortresses, the stories were that the big planes flew so high and so silently that the Germans were not aware of their presence until the bombs began to fall, and that by that time the Nazi fighters could not get within reach of them.

Presumably, after unloading their bombs, the big ships were able to turn about and with their high speed, get back to England before the fighters could climb level with

Finally the report came of one of them being in a fight, and apparently suffering some damage. But the report told of one fortress bomber being attacked by seven Nazi fighting planes, and beating them all off and getting back, somewhat damaged, and with some casualties, to its base again.

This began to bear out what American flying officers had said about the B-19, still undelivered to Britain, and the huge Navy ship even bigger than the B-19, still untested at the Martin plant. Both of these, before many months, will be in the lease-lend program.

Flying officers had said that the four-motored American bombers. with their high speed and maneuverability, particularly after their bombs were dropped, and because of the number of their crew, their armament and its location at various parts of the plane, would be more than a match for enemy fight-

Apparently none of them had believed one such bomber could fight off seven fighters, but all were surprised when they learned this had been accomplished, even though with casualties and damage. The still larger bombers project-

ed, they said, would be still more able to withstand and fight off at-

The tale of the battle in the sky headlined a summing up of British air efforts in which it was stated that more than 1,000 British bombers had dropped over 2,000,000 pounds of bombs on enemy territory in four weeks, while in the same period only about 400 bombers from Germany had gotten over British territory.

LONDON:

Press comment revealed that the country is reconciled to a long war. The Evening News said:

"It is good that we should be told that a long war is now inevitable. It should silence those dangerous optimists who preach the fallacious doctrine that immediate 'shooting' by the United States would be certain to end the war next year."

The Express:

"We are entitled to take new heart. We are not entitled to relax our efforts. Pessimism is idiotic. Optimism may be dangerous. Realism is what we need at this moment. Our position now is sound, if difficult. We want victory, not stalemate, and that is not yet. Only our utmost effort and sacrifice can give it to us."

London, always horror-struck at being badly dressed, is calmly considering a proposal for the mass production of a single-styled suit of clothing for all the civilians of Britain-one that will save cloth and

Courage Plus



the members of co-operatives which furnished electric light and power

have been hearing about a new idea. The idea has to do with a judicious mixture of kilowatts, vitamins and dollars-its purpose is to bring the

Washington, D. C.

Walkington Wigh

Placing of Nourishing Foods on Rural Dinner Tables.

By BAUKHAGE

kitchen to the schoolhouse and more nourishing food into the home. The idea was launched at a dinner at Grand Island, Neb., and the dinner was addressed by four prominent persons who weren't there

(they talked by telephone and loud-speaker) and by officials of the Rural Electrification administration. The people who weren't there were the secretary of agriculture, Claude Wickard, the federal secu-rity administrator, Paul McNutt, the commissioner of education, John Studebaker, and the REA administrator, Harry Slattery.

The next day the plan was described in detail to the Grand Islanders.

Wallace Statement.

Perhaps the best way to explain the plan is to begin with a recent remark of Vice President Wallace: "On a foundation of good food we

can build anything. Without it, we can build nothing . . . We want to make sure that our millions are so fed that their teeth are good, their digestive systems healthy, their resistance to premature old age enhanced through strong bodies and alert minds."

That is part of the credo of the "food for defense" program. And the Rural Electrification administration hit on the idea of starting things in the one-room schoolhouse.

The electric power and light wires of the 824 systems which receive loans from the government pass by some 11,545 school buildings. More than half of them are one-room. Many already are electrically lighted and more lines are being constructed by more schoolhouses.

Says the REA to people in these communities: "Install electric equipment in these one-room schools which will make it possible for the children to have warm lunches. Make the school a nutrition center where the proper choice and preparation of foods is taught. If possible, obtain equipment for three methods of preservation of food for the use of the community. (The three methods are refrigeration (perhaps freezing), canning, and dehydration.) Also, add an inexpensive mill for the grinding of whole grains which have the vitamins and the other contents which we know the American diet now lacks.

Asks Free Equipment.

The REA also suggests to the men who own the co-operative power lines that they install the equipment free. Two large manufacturing companies have already agreed to sell the schools the necessary equipment at low rates and on easy terms.

The cheapest equipment, without the refrigerator, would cost about \$50. That would provide hot plates, a roaster, a small flour mill, a small dehydrator.

The most expensive equipment includes a walk-in refrigerator with a freezing equipment, larger mills and dehydrators, water pressure and water heater systems.

The purpose of making such installations is two-fold. One is to make available proper lunches and demonstrate their preparation to the children in the hope that they will carry home the ideas. The second is to provide centers for demonstration by experts, and also a place where the women of the community can preserve food, where food can be kept in frozen storage and where facilities for drying and canning for the use of members of the community are at hand.

The final goal of this plan is expressed in Vice President Wallace's reference to "strong bodies and alert minds." The immediate purpose is to provide a practical means of starting the nutrition program in the place where it will sproutthe school.

Food From Home.

Imagine the child, instead of carrying a cold lunch to school, taking the food that can be cooked there. There is food on the farm. Suppose the children bring their own aration for peace.



National Farm and Home Hour Commentator, WNU Service, 1343 H Street, N. W. | wheat, have it ground in the mill. Suppose some of the bread is taken home, and the folks get to eating For the past few weeks the direc-Then, suppose the farmer detors of rural utility companies and cides to buy a little mill of his own;

Say he has an average of 41/2 people for whom he grinds his own grain in the grinder. Then -he gets six times the vitamin B that he would get from store bread, he gets five times the iron, four times the phosphorus, twice the calcium, eight times the magnesia, and-he saves \$34.50.

The kitchen has been to school,

and paid for its education.

Suppose Hitler

Stubs His Toe? In a grass-covered triangle in historic Pennsylvania avenue's "elbow," where it obligingly stops to keep from running into the Treasury building, stands a temporary glass house. Around it are booths and tents, a bandstand, and fiercelooking cannon. In the glass house defense bonds are sold. In the booths, there are representatives of the Red Cross and the United Service organizations. Recruiting officers for the army, navy, and ma-rines will politely explain the tools of their trade.

That square is the symbol of this capitol city, once more a seething town, into which government workers have poured at the rate of 3,000 a week for a whole year. And still they come. New government build-ings have pushed far outside Washington's borders, across the Potomac. One after another, apartment houses are being changed into of-

Dollars pour out of the treasury at the rate of more than a billion

That's Washington today. If a Toe Is Stubbed.

But suppose that Hitler stubs his Suppose he doesn't stub it until

1944—that is when we will have reached full production, total employment-and suddenly peace is upon us. Over night 23,000,000 men will

have to find new ic planes and ships and tanks and bombs and shells will be a drug on the market.

Three and a half million more men in the armed services will have to be demobilized, and most of them will have to earn their keep at peaceful trades.

There are some people who think it is not quite patriotic to think about such things, right now. But the thoughtful ones know that preparation for peace is an even bigger problem than preparation for war and now is hardly soon enough to begin thinking about it.

Planning Board.

And so they are thinking about it. Especially a little group with modest offices in the state departmentthe National Resources Planning board.

The chairman of this board is Frederic Delano; one of the vice chairmen is the noted political scientist, Charles Edward Merriam. The board was established in 1939, under the Reorganization act, as a principal division of the executive office of the President. It operates with technical assistance, co-operating with federal, state, regional and private agencies and institutions, preparing reports and outlining plans and programs on the use and

conservation of natural resources. Right now, this board is beginning the tremendous job of preparing for peace. Its members believe that switching back to production for peace will be easier than switching over to production for war.

These planners say that production of peacetime goods can be balanced by consumption; that the process, thanks to this nation's great resources, will pay for itself, and that a higher standard of living will be possible for everyone.

Two things are necessary to achieve this end: First, detailed planning. Second, co-operation of government, industry, agriculture and labor. As in all such government-guided efforts, the degree of co-operation obtained will determine the amount of regulation required, so that, in the end, it comes down to the individual. In the hands of each of us rests the solution of this great problem-the prep-

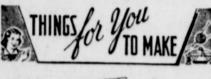
Gems of Thought

GOOD manners is the art of making those people easy with whom we converse. Whoever makes the fewest persons uneasy is the best bred in the company.-Swift.

I love children. They do not prattle of yesterday; their interests are all of today and the tomorrows .- Richard Mansfield. I have enjoyed earthly happiness,

But he that filches from me my good name robs me of that which not enriches him and makes me poor indeed.-Shakespeare.

I have lived and loved.





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If you live according to nature, you never will be poor; if according to the world's caprice, you will never be rich .- Seneca.



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"'I will show,' said Agesilaus, 'that it is not the places that grace men, but men the places."-Plutarch.



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THE STORY SO FAR: Buck Hart, Jim Tetlow, and Pete Tollman, alleged rustlers, had been "drygulched"-shot in the back. In retaliation, Lee Hart, brother of one of the victims and brother of the sheriff, is believed to have taken

Terry had his answer. He had found out what he had come to learn. "You will have to count me out," he told the No, By Joe manager, and rose to go.

"That's no way to talk, Cal," his host reproved.

"I want you to know exactly where I stand. You can tell the others too. I haven't been given a square deal, and I don't like it. All over this country I'm suspected of being at the bottom of this. I'm telling you now that if there's any more monkeying with the cards I leave the table."

He turned and walked out.

CHAPTER XIV

It had come on to rain, a soft, fine rain that blurred the landscape. The mountains were no longer visible, and the foothills were vague and shadowy. Calhoun Terry had untied his slicker from the saddle and put

Terry descended a long slope at a walk, forded a trickle of a stream winding down the draw, and put his mount at the slope. The rim above was fringed with bushes, and back of these rose a small grove of aspen.

A bullet whistled past him. There was a puff of smoke from the aspens. Terry swung his horse swiftly and raced for the wild cherries on the bank of the little creek he had just left. There was another shot. A slug tore through the arm of the slicker he was wearing. After this, scarce three seconds later, two more explosions sounded. But before the echo of the last had died away Calhoun was in the bed of the stream, crouched behind a screen of wild cherry tangle. He had freed the horse and let it wander down the draw, but not before he had withdrawn the rifle from its boot.

His gaze swept the slope, to make sure his enemies were not circling the hillside for a flank attack.

For there were at least two of them. The first two shots were from a rifle, the others from a revolver. There was something strange about this. The man with the revolver had waited until Calhoun was practically out of range. Nor had Calhoun seen the bullets strike on the hillside.

While the foreman waited there came to him news on the breeze. Back of the rim and out of sight a man was riding from the aspens. He heard the swish of bushes and the clink of a hoof against rock. A vague, distant rumor told Terry that the horseman was still going. There might be two of them. He could not tell that.

Terry did not intend to come into the open, nor did he mean to wait there for a possible rear attack. He slipped along the bed of the little creek and reclaimed his horse. Leading the animal, he came to the end of the draw and circled a hill, taking care not to let himself be seen by anyone who might still be watching from the aspens. He mounted, but still kept to the low country until he had made a circuit which brought him back of and below the grove from which the shots had come.

This had taken time. Twenty-five minutes or half an hour, Calhoun guessed. He tied the horse and began a slow approach to the rock rim. Before he left he meant to find out all that could be learned about this attempt on his life.

Darkness was beginning to fall. He found the tracks of two horsescut the sign of them where they had come in and again where they had left. A few moments later he came on a discovery that shocked him. The body of a man lay face down on the mold formed by last year's leaves. To his back a paper was pinned. On it was written, "This is what happens to rustlers."

The body was still warm, though the heart had ceased to beat an hour ago. Calhoun turned it over. The man was Black Yeager, a notorious bad man, the first one to have his name put on the black list at the meeting in Denver. He had been shot twice. One bullet had torn into his stomach. A second had struck him between the eyes. Evidently the revolver had been fired at close quarters, for there were powder marks on the face. Yeager's rifle lay beside him, still clutched in one hand.

Terry tried to reconstruct the scene. Two men had ridden into the aspen clump together. They had dismounted and tied their horses. INSTALLMENT SEVEN

a shot from the back at Cal Terry. manager of the big Diamond Reverse B ranch. In Denver the big ranchers decide to call in a large number of Texas ex-peace officers to invade the rustlers' territory and kill them. Terry objects

or whether there was an old animosity between them, he did not know. At least there had been no open enmity which would have prevented them from siding each other on this ride.

To guess the details of what followed was not possible. Yeager had taken two shots at him. The empty shells showed that. Had the other man protested? There had been hardly time for an exchange of words after Black had fired. Moreover, the dead man's face was a witness to the contrary. Fixed on it was a look of shocked surprise, as if the impact of his companion's slugs was entirely unexpected.

It smelled to high heaven of treachery. Yeager had been killed by an accomplice. But why?

The Diamond Reverse B foreman read again the message on the paper. The meaning of it was perfectly plain. Terry knew the cattlemen's association had stock detectives living among the settlers and gathering information. Ellison had admitted as much when Turley's name had come up for voting at the Windsor Hotel in Denver. Some one of these spies must be the

Terry left the body where he found it and rode to the ranch. He wrote



"More trouble," he said.

a note to Lane Carey and sent it by a messenger.

About eleven o'clock Jim Wong woke him. "Two men want see boss," the Chinaman said.

CHAPTER XV

Ellen was playing a game of checkers with her father. The shiny face of Jim Budd ap-

peared in the doorway. "Man to see you, Mista Carey,"

he drawled. "Brought this here note Carey drew a sheet of paper from the envelope. He spent so much time reading it that his daughter

grew curious. "More trouble," he said.

Ellen read two or three lines of the letter, then turned back to the signature. "From Calhoun Terry," she murmured, surprised.

I am writing from the ranch (the girl read). If possible, will you come here at once? An hour ago I found the body of Black Yeager about four miles from my house. He had been killed shortly before under very peculiar circumstances. While he was firing at me from ambush a companion of his shot him at close quarters. Please withhold judgment until you realize the facts.

If Jeff Brand is within reach will you bring him with you? He may be able to get a clue as to who the killer is from studying the situation. Until you have seen me, better not discuss this with any others.

"Let's have the messenger in here where we can see him in the light," Ellen suggested. "You ought to make sure the letter is from Mr. Terry."

"A good idea."

The man who had brought the letter was a Diamond Reverse B cowboy called Slim. Both of the Careys Whether they had been quarreling, knew him. He said that Calhoun

to the plan. Ellen Carey, daughter of the postmaster, seems somewhat intrigued by the dashing Jeff Brand who with Jack Turley, another rustler, are most outspoken against Terry. Ellen asks Terry to stop the killings.

Terry himself had put the letter in his hands. Slim had no idea what was written in it. But the boss had told him to be sure the letter reached Carey, and that he was to wait and ride back with him.

It relieved Ellen to know that her father would not travel alone in case he did not find Jeff.

Ellen smiled at the young fellow.

"Will you tell Mr. Terry that I'm loaning him my father on condition that he is returned safe and sound under escort?"

"Nonsense!" her father demurred promptly. "I've looked after myself quite a spell unassisted, and I expect I'll make out to do it for a while yet."

"But you'll tell him just the same, won't you, Slim?"

"I sure will, Miss Ellen." It occurred to Slim that it might be a good idea to leave the impression with the boss that she had asked him personally to come back with

The two men vanished at a road gait into the darkness.

"We're going to pick up Jeff Brand," explained Carey. "He's up at Roan Alford's place. Been gen-

tling some horses for Roan." Slim, astonished, looked at his companion. "Did Terry say for us to get Jeff?"

"That's what he said." There was a gleam of satiric humor in the older man's eye. "Maybe the lion and the lamb are going to lie down together."

"Would you tell me which one is the lamb, please?" Slim asked, chuckling.

"Maybe I'd better have said the lion and the tiger."

Brand had gone to bed in the little bunkhouse and was sound asleep when the two riders arrived. Carey was careful to call from a distance before knocking on the door.

"Hello the house!" he shouted. After he had repeated the call several times a voice answered sleepily. "Who's there?"

"Lane Carey. I want to talk with Jeff Brand."

After Brand had pulled on his trousers and boots he walked out to meet the man from Black Butte. 'Didn't know you'd taken to nightriding, Lane," he drawled. "Honest, I'm wore out busting Roan's broncos. Even if you are raiding the Diamond Reverse B range I'll have to beg off tonight."

"Have your little joke, Jeff," Carey answered. "But that's exactly where I'm going-to the Diamond Reverse B-and I'm taking you along.

The friendly derision went out of the rustler's face as a light does from a snuffed candle. "What's in yore mind?" he asked.

Carey took from his pocket the letter received from Terry and handed it to the other. "Read that."

Jeff read. "What in Mexico does he want with me there?" Brand asked. "I don't get it. The thing doesn't make

"I don't know what he wants, but I've got a sort of notion. He wants us to hear his story and look the ground over with him. My opinion is, and you can take it for what it's worth, that Cal hasn't had a thing to do with these killings. Naturally, if that's so, he would like to clear himself from blame."

"And if it isn't so, he'd like to whitewash himself just the same." Jeff jeered.

"That's so. He would. But say he could convince us of his innocense in this case. We would be two pretty good witnesses in his favor. I'm supposed to be a neutral, and you are strong for the small

"Mr. Terry wouldn't put it just that way about me," the outlaw said. "He'd go quite considerable strong-

"Anyway, I'm convinced he's not setting a trap to get you. But if you think so of course you had better not-"

"Hell! I'm going with you, Lane. I'll take my chance of any shenanigan. I want to see what the fellow is up to. Be with you soon as I've caught and saddled."

They rode across-country through the sage until they cut the trail to the Diamond Reverse B. Slim led the way.

Jim Wong shuffled out to the porch and took the two visitors into the room the ranch manager used as an office. Here Terry joined them

(TO BE CONTINUED)

shortly.

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By CHERIE NICHOLAS



THIS is the home-from-vacation time of the year and "so what"! There's no guess work about the answer. Throughout shopping districts from coast to coast the very air is vibrating with the message of a wild "rush" in pursuit of clothes such as go to make up the perfect campus and classroom wardrobe for Miss Collegiate and her pert little sister, who must answer "present" when the back-toschool role is called.

Campus clothes collections are so intriguing this fall it is going to be difficult to arrive at actual choices. After you have window shopped and looked to the limit, the better part of wisdom is to calmly and deliberately take time off to go into con-ference with yourself. To think it through with the aid of notes you jotted down as you meandered through miles and miles of aisles to the 'nth degree of chic and and aisles of sports clothes sections, | charm. dress shops and departments, millinery displays and so on.

Sifting it through you'll find that all signs point to woolknits, also handknits, jersey dresses and gay plaids (especially smart for suits) playing the role of "Big Three" in a college girl's wardrobe. Invest in a woolknit two-piece, a plaid suit that has the "new" look silhouette.

Plaid Ensemble



Every little girl starting out to join the fall and winter style parade will be wanting a cunning little plaid ensemble that teams a Stuart plaid kilt with a matching plaid tam o'shanter as pictured here.

The idea of a little jumper skirt that can be worn with a change of blouse each day, will delight mother, for it solves the problem of sending forth little daughter each morning to school looking as "fresh as a daisy" and quite picturesque too with a wee bit of Scotland injected curved wire frame, to stand behind into her costume.

tern of chic simplicity as expressed in the new drop shoulders, deep armholes and sleeves cut in one with the yoke (see illustration) and you will be started in the right direction toward a wardrobe that will serve you faithfully throughout your fall and winter campus career.

A new day of triumph is dawning for knitted fashions. Sweaters especially were never more attractively designed and varied in mood. Plan to buy several sweaters for they are so versatile they tune to every occasion, from most formal to most informal and sports.

The new woolknits are simply amazing. One of the big favorites is the trim swank jacket suit that looks as if it had been expertly mantailored of a stunning wool weave. Once try on a woolknit jacket twopiece and instantly you will be making an inroad on your clothes allowance to the extent of the amount on the price tag. There is a great deal to be said for woolknits "as is" these days. Their production has been so perfected they neither stretch nor sag and they are styled

See the charming machine-knit dress shown to the left in the illustration. This casual two-piece of gold nubby wool chenille yarn has all the appearance of a "classy" exclusive handknit. Its only trim is the knotted plastic buttons and crescent bordered pockets. With it is worn a new and flattering handknit hat made of bows that stand up behind a pompadour, the bows attached to a band of the same hand-knitted yarn. The accent on knitted and crocheted hats and trimming details on wool dresses is "strong" this season.

Jersey for this, jersey for that, jersey for everything from hats to dresses and blouses is a trend that is bringing vast influence to bear as to what must be included in every well-ordered wardrobe of schoolgirl and college miss. For office wear, unwrinkable, unstretchable jersey is regarded as the ideal fabric. The jersey dress pictured to the right is designed on a pattern of simplicity that's news for fall of 1941. Smooth "dropped-shoulder" yoke, elongated molded midriff, accent on hips are exclamation points of high fashion that point to a definitely new silhouette for this casual gray jersey frock. The plaid suit in the oval also announces a silhouette so new and "different" it is sure to intrigue the interest and fancy of every style-conscious school-faring maiden. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Fashion Notes

Wooden beads in colors look grand on a belt. *Try wearing with a green sport dress.

Your vacation wardrobe can be made more complete by the addition of a chambray in light blue or

Terry cloth makes the best beach robe. Add monograms in color, They wash well time and time again.

Suede gloves, slashed over the wrists are new. They show your wrist watch and bracelets without removal.

Play little girl by fastening an enormous navy grosgrain bow to a your curls.

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Lesson for August 31

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JOHN URGES CHRISTIAN LOVE

LESSON TEXT-I John 3:13-18; 4:7-21. GOLDEN TEXT—Let us not love in word, neither in tongue; but in deed and in truth.—

We do well to redefine the meaning of love in our Sunday school classes this next Sunday. Love is not that sentimental, "wishy-washy" feeling which prompts the writing of emotional ballads, which are (like the supposed love of which they speak) 'here today and gone tomorrow.' Nor is it that lustful thing which now parades itself shamelessly as love, when it is nothing but animal passion. Nor is it that weak thing which totalitarian dictators make it out to be when they declare that to attain, a people must hate, not love.

"Love is a desire for and delight in the welfare of another." reaches out to all mankind, coming from God and being manifested in the gift of His Son as our Saviour. It is stronger than any earthly bonds. It is able to bear unbelievable burdens; yes, because He loved us Christ bore the sins of the whole world on Calvary. It expresses itself in courtesy, in high standards of life, and in sacrifice. Love is, as Henry Drummond put it, "the greatest thing in the world." Read I Corinthians 13 for Paul's exalted description of love.

Our lesson reveals two important facts about love-

I. Love Is an Evidence of Regeneration (I John 3:13-18).

There are two groups of people, the saved and the unsaved. The unsaved in Scripture are designated as "the world," meaning, not the physical world, but the world of unregenerate men who are against our God and His Christ. The saved are those who have come to God in Christ, who love Him and are in the center of His love. That love is, according to John, an evidence that we know God. There is an interesting contrast here.

1. The World Hates and Kills (vv.

Today the wicked heart of man apart from Christ is revealed in the tragic events which have embroiled the whole world in conflict.

The point is that we as Christians should not be surprised if that kind of a world hates us. In fact, we should be troubled if it does not hate us, for if our Christianity means anything, it must be utterly distasteful to a world driven by hatred and the lust for blood.

2. The Christian Loves and Gives (vv. 14, 16-18).

The mark of a Christian is love for God and love for the brethren. That love demonstrates its genuineness by giving freely to meet the need of a brother, just as God freely gave His Son for our redemption. (cf. James 2:14-17).

The background of such an attitude is a proper understanding of our relationship to God, and an appreciation of His nature. II. The Very Nature of God Is

Love (1 John 4:7-21). God not only loves, but He is love.

1. God Is Love (vv. 7, 8).

"Love is the very essence of His moral nature. He is the source of all love" (R. A. Torrey). Only the one who knows God as love knows Him at all.

The fact is that the love of God has no real meaning unless it is understood in the light of the cross.

2. God's Love Is Manifested in Christ (vv. 9-16).

He was sent as the giver of eternal life, the propitiation for our sins, our Saviour, and thus as the highest and deepest expression of God's love. Faith in Christ (v. 15) puts the believer in the very center of the love of God. Precious hiding place!

3. Love Casts Out Fear (vv. 17-19).

Fellowship is impossible in an atmosphere of fear, but love rules fear out. In Christ we realize that God first loved us, and then our hearts go out to Him in a warmth of devotion which brings us so close to Him that all fear is gone. The result of such fellowship with God follows, for

4. He Who Loves God Loves His

Brother (vv. 20, 21). If a man loves God, he will obey Him, and His command, which to the Christian is, "Love your brother." That is "the first and great commandment" (Matt. 22:36-40; Deut. 6:5; Luke 10:25-28).

As a Beginner Two cavalry recruits were having a

that.
"Talking about riding," said one, "I once saw a chap in a circus who jumped on a horse's back, slipped underneath, caught hold of its tail, and finished up on its neck."

"So what?" retorted the other. "I did all that in my first riding lesson!"

Handed Down

"And do you really mean to say I'm the first girl you've ever

"Yes, darling. Any skill I may have is inherited."

NOT ELASTIC



Chairman of the Dance Committee-Can't you stretch the music a little-just a dance or two more?

Orchestra Leader - Say, this ain't no rubber band!

Private Performance

"And is there any instrument you can play?" asked the hostess who was pressing a guest to entertain the party. "Not away from home," he re-

"That's strange. What do you

play at home?" The guest sighed deeply as he answered:

"Second fiddle!"

Don't bother about the size of the man in the fight. What counts is the size of the fight in the man.

Internal Use

"And how did you find the bath salts, madam?" asked the drug-

"Well, they taste very nice," said the shopper, "but I don't think they have the same effect as a real bath."

Not His Want
"Well," asked the landlady, showing a prospective lodger her best bedroom, "what do you think of it as a whole?'

"Oh, I suppose it's all right as holes go," was the reply, "but it was a bedroom I wanted."

And Half Wrong "Jane says she thinks I'm a

great wit." "Well, she's half right, any-

The theory of flight is being taught in some jails to prisoners. Some of them would probably be more interested in its practice.

Surprised Him

Speed Fiend (after the run)—Whee!
Don't you feel glad you're alive!
Timid Passenger — Glad isn't the word! I'm amazed.



Serving Country

He serves his party best who serves his country best.-Rutherford B. Hayes.

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Tasteless, Thoughtless

They never taste who always drink; they always talk who never think .- Prior.



From the Heart Prayer is not perfect without the presence of the heart.



Coward and Hero

the backbone, will fight for an This creature man, who in his idea like a hero.-George Bernard own selfish affairs is a coward to Shaw.





AHOY! A FREEZE AS FRESH AS AN OCEAN BREEZE (See Recipes Below)

WEEK-END SUPPER IDEAS

Guests for the week-end? or just the family? Whichever it is you'll want to take a brief vacation from the kitchen or it won't really be Labor day for you.

Here's how you do it: Bake the nutbread in advance, it's better if



it stands a day or so. Mix the meat and set in the refrigerator until ready to bake. As a vegetable you'll like tender corn with lots of butter, takes only

a few minutes to cook, you know. Your salad is simple and is tossed in a few seconds. Dessert, too, you can make the day before and just wait until you see what a lovely surprise it is, too. Cool and delicious, the orange freeze is tops.

A change in the meat course is the order of the day. A touch of fruit borrowed from a favorite cake and three of your favorite kinds of meat go to make up this:

*Apricot Upside-Down Meat Loaf. (Serves 8 to 10) 1 pound smoked ham (ground twice)

½ pound beef (ground) ½ pound fresh pork (ground)

34 cup cold water

1 cup milk

1 cup cornflakes (crushed) tablespoon Worcestershire sauce

1/8 teaspoon pepper

1/2 teaspoon dry mustard

1 tablespoon onion (very finely minced)

4 tablespoons butter

4 tablespoons brown sugar

18 dried apricot halves (cooked) Combine smoked ham, beef and pork with slightly beaten eggs, milk, water and cornflakes. Mix thoroughly and add Worcestershire sauce, pepper, mustard, and finely minced onion. Melt butter in bottom of a 9 by 5 by 3 loaf pan. Add brown sugar and heat until well blended. Arrange apricots, cut side up, on the bottom of the pan. Pack the meat mixture over the apricots. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 11/4 hours.

*Orange Freeze. (Makes 11/2 quarts)

% cup sugar

1 cup water package orange-flavored gelatin

cup orange juice

2 tablespoons lemon juice

2 cups milk

Combine sugar and water and boil 2 minutes. Remove from fire and dissolve gelatin in hot syrup. Add fruit juices. Turn into freezing tray

LYNN SAYS:

Vegetables with interesting background and good vitamin stories intrigue me. Take watercress, for instance. You may once have gathered this tender little green among brooks and runs, but its history harks back much longer than either you or I.

Watercress "is an excellent source of vitamin A which promotes growth, increases resistance to infective diseases and prevents eye diseases. Excellent too is watercress in vitamin C which is so essential to good bone

and teeth formation. Vitamin B, too, is found in its leaves, and that, you know, stimulates appetite and protects nerve and brain tissue and brain function. Its vitamin G content will help you have normal nutrition. The iron it contains in its copper and magnesium deposits helps make blood and nourish teeth.

Apricot Upside-Down Meat Loaf Nut Bread Corn on the Cob Tossed Tomato, Watercress and Cucumber Salad Orange Freeze Sugar Cookies

Coffee or Milk

THIS WEEK'S MENU

·Recipe Given. of automatic refrigerator, setting to coldest freezing temperature. When partially frozen, turn into cold bowl and beat with rotary beater until thick and fluffy. Add milk and beat until blended. Return to tray, stir every 30 minutes, and freeze until

firm (5 to 6 hours).

Peach Shortcake. Since peaches are so very good this year, you'll want to make the most of them. This will win your family's approval:

(Serves 6 to 8) 2 cups flour

2 teaspoons baking powder ½ teaspoon salt

2 teaspoons sugar 1/2 cup milk

½ cup butter Mix dry ingredients, sift twice, work in butter, add milk slowly and toss on floured board. Divide into two parts, roll to a desired thickness and bake in hot oven (400 degrees) for 12 minutes or until done. Use a buttered baking pan for baking. Split biscuit when done and spread with butter.

Peel and slice fresh peaches fine (or pulp them), sprinkle with sugar to taste, let stand in refrigerator to chill. When ready to serve, place peaches between or on top or both, top the whole with whipped cream

Chicken Filling.

1 cup ground chicken meat 1/2 cup ground almonds 2 to 4 tablespoons celery, chopped

Lemon juice Salad dressing to moisten (cooked.

french or mayonnaise)

Mix meat, celery and almonds. Season to taste with salt and lemon juice and add enough dressing to give a spreading consistency

Shrimp and Cucumber Filling. 11/2 cups fresh cooked or canned

shrimp 1 medium-sized cucumber

1/4 teaspoon salt ½ cup mayonnaise Paprika

Chop shrimps to paste; peel, remove seeds from cucumber and chop very finely, squeezing out excess water. Combine with shrimps, seasonings and mayonnaise. Chill

cut in fancy shapes. To accompany these good-tasting, clever sandwiches, you'll undoubtedly want to serve a cool, refreshing beverage. Why not try:

and spread between slices of bread,

Coffee Frappe.

2 cups strong freshly brewed coffee

1/4 cup cream 1/4 cup powdered sugar

1/4 teaspoon ground ginger 1 egg white

Place all ingredients and some cracked ice into a beverage shaker and shake well; or beat all ingredients together with egg beater and let stand in refrigerator to chill.

Sometimes on a Sunday or holiday afternoon there comes a lull which a bit of refreshment seems to fill perfectly. For that I would suggest assorted sandwiches, cool

drinks, jellied

Waldorf salad, and peach shortcake. All of these recipes have the little added flavoring that make them company fare.

Wasn't Asking for Trouble ? That Early in the Morning

Two travelers had just met. One was doing most of the talking. "Yes," he said, "I arrived home one morning after midnight and, as I opened the door, I saw a stranger kissing my wife. I closed the door softly and hurried downstairs. At 1 a. m. I as an "ash can": came back. I opened the door er, still kissing my wife. So I Turkey and Iran? went downstairs again. At 1:15-"

other man. "Why did you keep philosophy? galloping downstairs? Why didn't you walk right into the room?"

"What?" cried the talkative me coming home at that hour?"

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The Questions

1. In navy slang, what is known

2. Which of the following is not softly-and there was the strang- both in Europe and Asia-Russia, 3. Which, Plato, Aristotle or

"Just a minute," interrupted the Socrates first expounded his

of Sighs? 5. The projectile called shrap- 1761-1842). man. "And have my wife catch nel is named after a general who served in what country's army?

6. What are Kiushiu, Shikoku and Riukiu?

7. What is Polaris?

The Answers

A depth bomb. Iran.

Socrates. Venice (connecting the pal-

4. Where is the original Bridge ace of the doge with the prison). Britain (Henry Shrapnel

Islands of Japan. 6. 7. The North star.

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same number.

If you have any doubt about what to give a man in any of the nation's military or naval services, send a carton of cigarettes or a pound tin of smoking tobacco. Tobacco rates first as a gift with them. And when you check up, actual sales records show that in Army, Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard service stores (where the men buy their own) Camels outsell all other cigarettes. It is well-known that Prince Albert Smoking Tobacco is the "National Joy Smoke." Sam's services.-Adv.

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Roun' Edith

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Holden have as their guest, his brother Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Holden of Beeville.

Mrs. New of Menard is here with her daughter Mrs. Buster Burson, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs Raymond School er and family spent the week end with his brother Loyal Schooler and family of Ackerly.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garvin last week were Mrs. Robert Schaefer daughter Wanda and Mrs. Rush Garvin and children all of San Angelo.

Mr. M. J. Everriet who has been visiting his daughter Mrs. M. D Porter left Monday for Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander of Maryneal visited in the home of Frank Burns recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Rush who have been living on the Parson place are moving to Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Fields and sons Hawley and Bob made a trip to Abilene. Mrs. J. H. Arnett who has been here visiting returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hickman had all of their children home Sunday for a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Neel have returned to theirhome inChicago

Red Cross Work

Red Cross met Wednesday Aug 27th. Garments were pressed including six dresses and several robes, knitting was started. Will meet again Friday 29th.

All interested come to basenent of Methodist Church.

Baptist Notes

Thursday of last week in the Associational WMU all-day meet ing at the Robert Lee Baptist church eight churches of the association were represented, while 65 enrolled for the day. The high light of the day was a talk from Mrs. J. E. Jackson a returned missionary from China.

The two weeks meeting closed out Sunday night with the Baptismal service. 15 joined the church, 9 by letter and 6 for baptism.

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