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Our Hope Is Our Ability To Learn

If there is one thing on which all thoughtful people agree, it is this: the kind of world Hitler is trying to impose will never be beaten by an effort to return to the old ways, the old order. The one thing the anti-Hitler forces have to offer which Hitler cannot offer, is hope.

There is no hope in a return to a brutal sub-medievalism, a "civilization" in which de-personalized millions are made into animated work units under a Nazi overlordship.

The hope that lies in a return to the old ways, however, is not good enough, not strong enough, to fight this thing. It takes a hope in a better world to come, a world better than we have known, to rally men to defeat the Nazi menace.

We who have known freedom, who have been born in freedom, knowing only freedom all our lives, are secure in our conviction that only under freedom can those new goals be achieved. There is not yet a plausible blue-print of just how they may be achieved, nor even of exactly what they are. But given freedom, we know the course is forward.

Every free man and woman bears his or her share in dreaming this dream, holding fast to faith in it, achieving it in action. There are hopeful signs that a new spirit is being born. Out of the dreary years of depression, out of the whirlwind of World War II, it is coming.

A sense of social responsibility is the key. Scientists who formerly labored without a thought of what was to be the use of their inventions and developments are beginning to ask questions. Professional men are beginning to realize that they do not live in a vacuum sealed away from the world, but that they are a functioning part of it. Organized labor, nearing triumphs of power, is only now beginning to see that its power of itself is nothing, that unless it is fitted into a social scheme offering a chance for all, it defeats itself. Business men will never again be utterly self-centered operators of the early twenties, for they have seen with disconcerting clarity that there is no welfare for business separate from the welfare of working and middle-class people. New relationships between government as representing the common welfare of all, and business, regional, industrial and labor groups representing the welfare of fractions, are in the making, not clearly understood as yet, but gropingly forming.

Were we incapable of learning, of adjusting ourselves to the new, of creating institutions as need for them arises, all would be hopeless. But we are learning, and in that lies our hope.

Hallow'en Loud But Not Harmful

City officials seemed rather apprehensive of the fact that Hallow'en pranks Friday night confined themselves to acts that, while causing inconveniences to some, did no real damage.

Other than making a lot of noise, turning over a few trash receptacles, chalk marking windows, etc. the youngsters behaved marvelously.

Suits Filed In The District Court

Suits filed in Eastland county district courts:

Walter Edward Coleman vs. the Travelers Insurance Co., suit on insurance policy. Elmer Berry vs. Alvin W. Broyles et ux, trespass to try title; Pearl Sigler vs. Frank Sigler, divorce.

U. S. ARMY INSIGNIA

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Depleted insignia of the U. S. Army Corp.
7 Bodies.
14 Implant deep.
16 Pass up.
17 Residents of Aran (Bib.).
18 Immerse.
20 Stupid person.
21 Biting remarks.
22 Send money in payment.
24 Most important.
25 Frozen water.
26 Arzues.
28 Suffix.
29 New Hampshire (abbr.).
30 Set up.
31 Exclamation.
32 Mountain (abbr.).
34 Surrealist painter.
35 Finish.
37 Fatty matter.
38 Revise for publication.
40 Location.

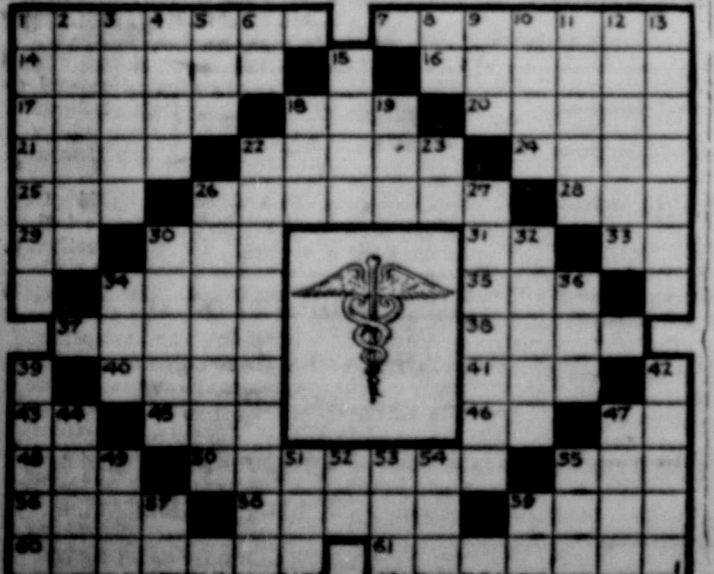
Answer to Previous Puzzle



- 41 Color.
43 Suffix.
44 Lair.
46 Out of.
47 Division of geologic time (comb. form).
48 Beverage.
50 Adorned with stars.
55 Suffix.
56 Island.
58 Fallow land.
59 South African plant.
60 Failure.
61 Mussolini's dogma.

VERTICAL

- 1 Interpretation.
2 Make wealthy.
3 Decorate.
4 Electrified particles.
5 Kind of lettuce.
6 Preposition.
8 Pertaining to Roman.
9 Roman (abbr.).
10 A dance (abbr.).
11 Rest house.
12 Self love.
13 Verse form (pl.).
15 Capital of Peru.
18 Debutante (abbr.).
19 Hole.
22 Pertaining to a U. S. Army group.
23 Tellurium (symbol).
26 Weakens.
27 Swerved.
30 Violent.
32 Guide to contents.
34 Of the (Fr.).
36 Accomplished.
39 Cloth pattern.
42 Class symbol.
44 Otherwise.
47 Son of Seth (Bib.).
49 Sprite.
51 Skill.
52 Road (abbr.).
53 Reference.
54 Yale.
55 Yale.
57 Each (abbr.).
59 Alternating current (abbr.).



Seller's Market



OUT OUR WAY - - - - - By Williams



CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH H. B. Johnson, Pastor Bible School, 10 a. m. with Lawrence Bryan supt. Golden Rule Bible class, taught by the pastor. Communion, 11:00 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, 11:15 a. m. subject, The Souls Rest. Christian Endeavor will meet at 4:30 p. m. with Mrs. Johnson in charge. Preaching by the pastor, 7:15 p. m. By eight o'clock you can be dismissed. Announcements will be made this morning regarding Missionary meeting. The official board will meet Monday evening at 7:15 with Hal Hunter presiding. Every member of the board should be present at this meeting. Let every teacher of the Bible School be present and on this morning. Come and worship with us today.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wesley Mickey, Proser. SUNDAY— Bible Studies, 9:45 a. m. Preaching and Communion, 10:30 a. m. Sermon Subject: "Reverence." Young People's Class, 6:45 p. m. Evening Service, 7:30 p. m. Sermon Subject: "In Christ." MONDAY— Ladies Bible Class, 3:00 p. m. WEDNESDAY— Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.

DEFENSE CHANGES DEMANDS UPON JUNIOR COLLEGES

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Defense activities in the nation have brought about a shift in the kind of courses students are demanding in junior colleges, according to a study just completed at the Washington office of the American Association of Junior Colleges. Data secured reveal that the country's unusual situation has made young people more "job-minded" and more restless with general liberal arts courses. The study was undertaken primarily to find out whether defense had really brought about a decrease in enrollment as expected this fall in the nation's 650 junior colleges. Participating in the study

Sunday and Monday



Paulette Goddard bewilders Bob Hope in this scene from their newest Paramount release "Nothing But The Truth" which will be seen at the Arcadia theatre here Sunday and Monday. Truthfulness gets Hope into a lot of entertaining situations and keeps the picture on an even rush of laughs throughout. Edward Arnold is chief in the supporting cast.

was Ranger Junior College which reported an increase in enrollment of 20 per cent.

Replies received from junior college administrators all over the country show that there is a marked decrease in the number of young men enrolled in junior colleges this year as compared with last year, but that most of those who are enrolled are demanding pre-vocational courses that lead directly to a job. There is an actual increase in the number of young women attending junior colleges but they, too, are seeking terminal courses that can be completed in two years. Most popular fields are the technical, scientific, and business.

"No opening," the cry that most graduates have been hearing for the past decade, seems to have vanished if students know some specific skill. Junior colleges have been experimenting since 1939 with training for these specific skills. The experimentation, called the "Study of Terminal Education," has been made possible by a \$175,000 grant from the General Education Board of New York.

ARMISTICE DAY PLANS COMPLETED BY LEGION POST

The Carl Barnes Post of the American Legion has about completed arrangements for its annual Armistice Day Celebration, which will be staged at the Legion Hall Tuesday, Nov. 11. The affair will be open to those holding invitations, which are to be mailed out early next week. The invitations will not be transferable, but those attending with Legionnaires will be admitted, if approved by the committee.

A big feed has been planned for 12 o'clock noon, and another at 6 p. m. The invitations state that the "fatted calf" will be killed, and everyone paying the \$1 admission will more than get full value for his money. BULLS HEAD PROUD OF NAME. KINGMAN, Ariz. — Residents of Mejeve county are on record as opposing any change in the name of the proposed Bullshead dam in Bullshead canyon on the Colorado river. The Department of Interior has indicated that the new dam might be called Davis dam in tribute to the memory of a government engineer.

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Piano Service

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SERIAL STORY

MURDER IN PARADISE

BY MARGUERITE GAHAGAN

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THE STORY: Two murders at Paradise Lake reveal the old romance between school teacher Mary O'Conner, vacationing there with her mother, Maudie, and reporter Dennis Flynn, sent down from the city to cover the story. Flynn is convinced sophisticated Herbert Cord was killed by gangster Stush Veretti, although Cord's death at first implicated Jennie Morris, whom he had courted for two summers only to bring Margie Dixon to Paradise this year as his fiancee. Second mysterious death was that of Miss Millie Morris, Jennie's stern spinster aunt, who kept locked in her heart the secret of a girlhood romance with someone who signed his letters "KIT," other characters in the story are Lisa Robinson, Miss Millie's maid who stays on with Jennie's elderly landlady Mrs. Gordon; local editor Jennie, Tod, Mary, Jennie, and Dennis spend a pleasant evening in the city. The next day Jennie and Mary find Lisa's body floating in the water of the Morris house. She has been murdered.

events didn't make for romance. "There's so much damn gossip in little communities," he pointed out. "And so many things do look bad for the kid." "But the police say that Stush Veretti killed Herbert Cord," I reminded him. Crime didn't fit in with the peaceful quiet of the lake. There was scarcely a ripple on the path made by the moonlight. Except for the gentle swish of the water made by the oars and the occasional soft quack of the ducks feeding over in the marshy section, there was no other sound.

headed back for shore. "I get a kick out of the way she figures things out. I'd like to know how she sizes this business up. I know she hasn't expounded her theories and that's not like her, but maybe you were right. I mean, she probably doesn't want to stick her chin out with any wild ideas. But I bet they'd be honest. Maudie's detective story reading should make this a field day for her."

MAUDIE ACTS!

CHAPTER XXIII

IT was a good thing that Jennie had a full night's sleep because from then on we seemed to live in a nightmare. Lisa's death went down on the record officially as murder and the next day traffic was heavy around Paradise Lake, with curiosity seekers driving up and down the roads stretching their silly necks to look at any of us who happened to stick our noses outside.

"It's the Veretti angle that's knocked the whole picture cockeyed," he admitted. "We're sure Stush knocked Cord off. He hasn't confessed, but he'll go the hard way once the trial starts. He hasn't a chance to beat this rap."

"You're under arrest, Miss Morris. Sorry it has to be this way, but the police aren't satisfied with your answers." He wasn't too hardboiled and I think the sight of the girl's helplessness and the way her shoulders sagged made him dislike his errand. "It's just a legal move," he added. "Your attorney will handle things. It won't be so bad."

Dr. Orway shook his head in despair. He'd dropped in that morning with a tonic for Jennie, who looked so pale that Maudie had called him. She had gone out to his car with him after he'd left a prescription and they had a long talk.

"But then these others—as Maudie so sweetly points out—they aren't the work of the numbers boys. At least they shouldn't be because what harm could these two old women do them? Certainly if Miss Millie knew anything damaging about the Cord murder she'd have spilled it before she was knocked off. Stush Veretti was in the custody of the police before she was killed." He rested on the oars and we drifted along.

"Personally, I didn't see how it could be any worse. Maudie was of no help. She sat there and wailed. Because we didn't know how long Jennie would have to stay in jail, I managed to pack a few of her things in an overnight bag."

"She'll probably stuff you with custards, beef broth and egg-nogs," I said. "Anyway she's been out there talking to him long enough to come back a full-fledged nurse."

"Well, don't talk like this to Maudie," I warned. "She's had about enough of your crane deductions."

"She clung to me in the bedroom while I tried to get her to put on some rouge. 'You—you don't think so, do you?'"

First Group Of Flying Ensigns Get Wings From Corpus Christi Station

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex.—Uncle Sam's great \$50,000,000 "University of the Air" sprawled over 14,000 acres of nearby Gulf coastland, from which the first group of flying ensigns graduated Saturday, Nov. 1, may truly be called the world's largest naval air training station.

When the 45 strong, lean, bronzed young men received their "wings of gold" and commissions in the United States Naval Reserve from Captain A. D. Bernhard, Commanding Officer, they marked the setting of a record for air training never approached before.

Workers Should Check Records Of Social Security

ABILENE, Texas.—A reminder to workers that they should check on the Social Security Board's record of their wages for 1937 before the end of this year was issued today by Mr. W. O. King, manager of the Abilene Social Security office. He explained that the law limits the time during which any errors or omissions in reports of employees' wages can be corrected in the Board's records on the basis of evidence furnished by the employer.

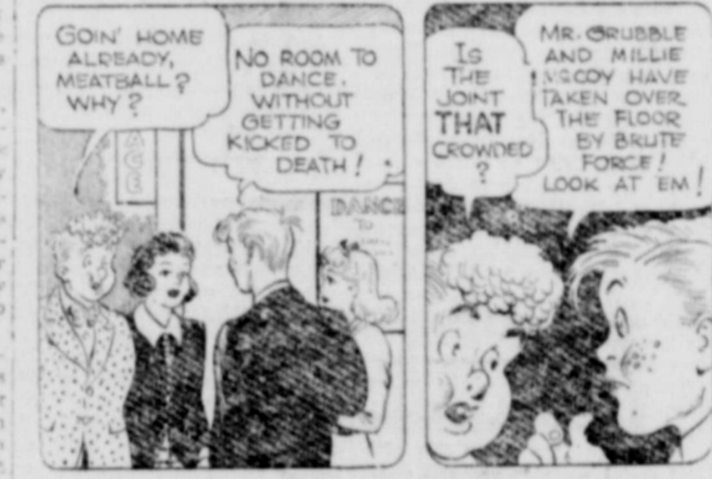
"As insurance benefits for the worker and his family depend upon his wage credits," King said, "the Social Security Board urges the worker to check up from year to year on the amount of his wage credits, because if there is an error the sooner it is caught the easier it is to make the correction."

OUT OUR WAY BY WILLIAMS



BLACKSMITHING AND DRESSMAKING

Freckles and His Friends By Blosser



RED RYDER BY HARMAN



ALLEY OOP By Hamlin



Peace and Rest Are Rewards for Life Lived in Justice and Righteousness

Text: Galatians 6:7, 8; I John 1:5-2:6

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D.D. Editor of Advoy

AT the moment of writing, many columns in the daily papers in the city where I live are filled with the story of a former sheriff, who allegedly betrayed his trust by dishonest and disolute practices in the jail over which he presided, and by extortion from employes over whom he had authority. For nearly two years the man has been a fugitive from justice and has managed to elude all effort to apprehend him.

pay, that led Paul to be so specific about it. He warned them not to be deceived, that God is not mocked, that whatever men sow they reap. It is true that we live in a world where the innocent suffer with the guilty. Jesus never promised His disciples a calm or easy way. He did promise them rest and peace. It is this that constitutes the difference between those who suffer for righteousness' sake, or as innocent victims of the wrongdoing of others, or from some innocent cause, and those who suffer because of their evildoings.

An arrest for drunken driving in far-off California has led to his identification, and the news is that he will be brought back to Boston to face indictment. The culprit is reported to have said that he is glad the strain is over. He is apparently broken in health at the end of his ill-gotten financial resources, and in every way a sorry figure.

It is not in reference to one case, or in the columns of a single paper, that all this is made plain. The records of sin and penalty are innumerable. Not long ago, in England, a man died by his own hand, who was a self-made millionaire. There was much in his energy and ability that was commendable, but he chose the way of evil living. When he killed himself, owing several million dollars in debts, he left a note not unreasonably expressing the view that all men were greedy vultures.

As I have read these new columns, that were in the Bible which comes from the early history of Israel came to my mind. "Be sure your sin will find you out," and the equally strong pronouncement, "The wages of sin is death."

How different is the way of the righteous, and how well this way is expressed in the contrast between darkness and light, which John has given us in his first Epistle. The way of darkness is the way of lying and destruction, but the way of light is the way of cleanness and honor and good fellowship. John reminds us that we are never entirely free of evil, that if we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves, but he does not say that even with our sinful tendencies it is possible for human beings, like us, to walk in the light and to have fellowship one with another, as we seek the companionship and help of Him who is the light of the world.

THE PAY OFF

BY HARRY GRAYSON NEA Service Sports Editor

NEW YORK.—If Navy carries out its policy of changing head football coaches following the current campaign, and returns Maj. Swede Larson to service duty, it is really reported that the new man will be Comdr. John E. Wheelchel, now assisting Keith Molesworth, the old Chicago Bear, with the backs.

WHAT happened to Annapolis was that certain groups quit spending all their energy shouting "Hold 'Em, Navy!" and with the aid of the defense program, sent Major Larson a few good kids.

CORNELL'S celebrated mouse-trapping didn't work because the Navy locker-ups, especially Johnny Harrell, disarmed players cleverly and were so strong that they could not be blocked out. Harrell and the others would jam the interfeerer right back into the hole.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



ANSWER: Paul Brown, Ohio State; D. X. Bible, Texas U.; Mary Brill, Loyola U. of Los Angeles; Marvin Stevens, New York U.; John Barnhill, Tennessee U.

