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## Lee Driskill Survives Sinking of Three Ships, One Sinks in 80 Seconds, One in 80 Minutes

Lee Driskill, 41-year old merchant-ship steward and a brother of Hugh Driskill of McCamey, has voyaged approximately 80,000 miles through submarine-infested waters and has had three ships blown up under him since the beginning of the war.

Driskill, in McCamey on his first vacation from convoy duty since Dec. 7, 1941, has made 29 foreign voyages during the past two and one-half years, all through dangerous waters. He was wounded while landing Marines on Guadalcanal during the early days of the assault on that then formidable Jap outpost when marauding Jap warships shot the rigging from his ship. The ship was holed but did not sink.

Shortly after the Japs attacked Pearl Harbor, Driskill signed for a trip to the Aleutians. His ship, a Liberty freighter, was torpedoed by a Japanese submarine within hailing distance of one of the Aleutian Islands. Driskill's skipper, ordering full speed ahead, ran the Liberty ship onto the beach, thus saving most of the precious cargo. The submarine escaped, at least temporarily. Driskill and his mates were taken off the island two days later and sent back to the States on an oil-tanker.

Driskill's next ship, another freighter, was enroute to the Hawaiian Islands and only a few hours run from Honolulu when a Jap torpedo struck her dead amidst-ships, and plowed its way into the magazine. The ship exploded, broke in two and sank in 80 seconds. Driskill was one of 12 survivors out of a crew of 72 men.

The 12 men were adrift for 9 hours before a corvette sighted them and took them aboard. The survivors had managed to get two life-rafts over the side of the strick-

en ship before she plunged to the bottom of the Pacific. Driskill said that the terrific suction created by the downward plunge of the ship almost pulled the two rafts and the 12 survivors down with the Jap murdered freighter. He seemed to consider it a miracle that any of them escaped.

Returning to the States, Driskill shipped out on a tanker bound for the Caribbean via the Panama Canal. The tanker nosed through the Canal just at the time the Nazi wolf packs were preying on Caribbean shipping lanes, and ran into a German torpedo shortly after leaving the Canal. Although, according to Driskill, "That blasted tin fish blew a hole in her big enough to run a Santa Fe train through," the tanker remained afloat for eighty minutes.

"She had a full cargo of oil," Driskill said, "and we thought she would burn like hay stacked in West Texas all summer. But she didn't. She bowed out with all the dignity and calm casualness of a skipper going down with his ship."

"In fact," Driskill said, "we went back aboard and salvaged some of our belongings." He was adrift for five hours before being picked up by a British destroyer.

On another trip through the Caribbean, Driskill's ship, another tanker, picked up two German sailors and twelve Englishmen. The Germans were survivors of a Nazi sub sunk by our planes, while the 12 Englishmen were survivors of a British ship sunk by the Nazi submarine. The Englishmen had been adrift for 10 hours.

During one trip through the Red Sea to Suez, Driskill's convoy was bombed for four days and nights without relief. He saw 19 ships in his convoy either sinking or burning at one time. There were more than 100 ships in the convoy.

Driskill says that sea-faring men find Red Cross representatives wherever American service men are stationed. "They are doing wonderful work," he said, "and our boys won't forget them."

When asked how long he intended remaining in McCamey, Driskill said, "Not long. There's a freighter in Houston just about ready to sail. I don't know where she's going, but I'm going to be aboard when she heads out across the Gulf."

Driskill, born in Mullin, Mills County, Texas, on July 9, 1903, has been going to sea since 1925. A son, Thomas Quinn Driskill, is a quartermaster aboard the U.S.S. Brazos, a fleet tender. The Brazos is somewhere in the Pacific.

## Pfc. Lawrence Holcomb Wounded the Second Time in Action

Mrs. C. J. Holcomb received a wire from the War Department notifying her that her son, Pfc. Lawrence Holcomb, had been slightly wounded in action in France on August 21.

Lawrence went back into action on August 1st after being hospitalized since receiving serious wounds in June 14th. Lawrence, in the Infantry, is on the first line of defense in France. He had been in action only six days when he was seriously wounded the first time. The second, less serious wounds were received after only three weeks of service.

Another son of Mrs. Holcomb, Sgt. Clarence Holcomb, with the Field Artillery, is also in France. He has been in combat since July 1st and is now with headquarters division. He received the rating of sergeant recently.

## Upton County H. D. Council Meets

The Upton County Home Demonstration Council, at its September 7 meeting held in the Shell recreation room, had as its principal speaker Miss Helen Swift, Texas A & M Extension Service specialist in rural women's organization. Miss Swift spoke on the functions of the Council, stressing the importance of the unit's work in the rural sections of the State.

Other speakers were the Meses. C. K. West and W. C. McDonald, delegates to the Council's recently held State Convention. They reviewed convention high-lights in a most interesting fashion.

Officers for the coming year will be elected at the Council's next meeting, to be held on November 2.

The Rev. Barcus Moore and weekend guest of the O. O. Moore family, Miss Smith, who is professor of Religious Education at the Wesleyan College at Fort Worth, the Rev. O. O. Moore and Miss Maxine Moore left Sunday from Rankin for various places. Barcus returned to Fort Worth where he is getting his Master's degree at Wesleyan College. Rev. Moore began a series of revival services at Big Spring Sunday evening and Maxine is entered at Wesleyan College in Weatherford for this semester.

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## General Ballot To Be Without Party Pledge

Political objectors who choose to vote a split ballot in the November general election may do so without fear of its being thrown out, as there won't be any party-support pledge on the general election ballot.

The support pledge is carried under the statute and it was not a matter of discretion of the election judges. Ballots marked out were mandatorily withheld from the ballot box in the primaries.

In the general election, the voters—especially those who do not go for Roosevelt and Truman—have the privilege of splitting the ballot to record their likes and dislikes without fear of it being thrown out.

It means more work for the election judges but the procedure is all right. Counting is simplified if the voter merely marks out the Democratic electors (if he wants to okay the Dewey-Bricker ticket). Of course, if he approves the rest of the Democratic ticket, from governor to constable, he leaves the list of individual Democratic officer candidates intact and marks out all such candidates, if any, in the other party columns.

## Prudes Entertain for Young People Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Prude entertained at their home Saturday evening with a party especially for the young people in town home from college and those leaving for their first year in college. Forty-two was played and the high score holders were Bill Midkiff and Mary Ann Workman. Traveling prize went to Daphne Snell.

Those present were Neva Rae Taylor, Mary Alice Bell, Marjorie Higday, Alice Midkiff, Marie Lee, Guila Pettis, Pat Burress, Christine Yocham, Mary Ann Workman, Frances June Holmes, Norma Jean Wheeler, Anna Maude White, Maxine Moore, Daphne Snell, Artmece Moore, Zola Beryl Moore, Helen Ruth Boyd, Bobby Bell, Tuffy Barfield, Clemon Wilkerson, Jack Garner, Zackie Monroe, Melvin Puckett and Bill Midkiff.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Higday and Marjorie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King of Snyder Sunday. Mrs. Higday remained for a longer visit and Marjorie left Snyder for Lubbock where she is a student at Tech. Mr. Higday returned to Rankin Sunday night.

## Boxes for Overseas Mailing Procurable at Rankin Food Market

Because so many of her customers have already asked Mrs. C. J. Holcomb of the Rankin Food Market for boxes to mail packages to boys in the service overseas, she has decided to have a supply sent to her for distribution to her customers. Mrs. Holcomb stated that the boxes would be available this week.

The boxes are Government approved for mailing packages to overseas destinations. They are the specified size and will hold only the limit of five pounds. The tape for sealing them according to postal regulations is inside each box.

There will be no charge for the boxes, Mrs. Holcomb said, and any of her customers desiring them should ask for them at an early date. The Christmas mailing season to boys overseas is from September 15 to October 15th.

## Wacs in France Behind Battlelines, Learn French Language in their Work

Members of the Women's Army Corps who are serving in France with the invasion troops were given special training in England to prepare them for duty in Normandy.

Three of the picked group of Wacs, on their own initiative, studied the French language so that they could converse with the French people when they took up their new assignment at a headquarters behind the battlelines.

The trio, Privates First Class Lucille Collins of 829 Selby Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota; Goldie Johnson of 720 Second Street, Louisville, Ky., and Mollie Weinstein of 2554 West Euclid Avenue, Detroit, Mich., taught themselves the French language with the aid of an instruction book.

When the Wacs landed in France they wore field garb, including a new model trousered uniform, helmet, leggings and field shoes.

Wacs now fill 239 different types of important Army assignments throughout the United States and at many overseas bases. They work in communications, in the control tower of airfields, in weather stations, in supply rooms and motor pools, as well as in many other vital positions.

In addition to France and England, Wacs now perform Army jobs in Australia, Hawaii, Italy, and other countries.

Women between twenty and fifty years of age can secure full information about the qualifications for enlistment in the Women's Army Corps by visiting any U. S. Army Recruiting Station.

Mrs. Jack Walcher and daughter, Prissy, left Monday for Houston where Prissy will visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Walcher, for two weeks and Mrs. Walcher will join Ensign Jack Walcher at Williamsburg, Va. On her return from Williamsburg, Mrs. Walcher will remain in Houston until Ensign Walcher completes his training at Williamsburg and he will join the family in Houston. His next training is to be received at Harvard University, Boston. He will be a graduate student in business administration in that university. On leaving Houston for Boston, he will be accompanied by Mrs. Walcher and Prissy, who plan to remain with him during this training period.

After two and one-half years in the service, Ensign Clinton Carroll of the U. S. Navy is home on his first furlough. He has seen service in both the Atlantic and Pacific theatres. He is a former Rankin High School graduate and the son of Ott Carroll. His father, his sister, Mrs. Sedwric Langford, and his brother, J. C. Carroll, visited him in Ozona Saturday when he was there visiting his sister, Mrs. Harley Cox.

Mrs. J. T. Langford returned Sunday from a visit in Pasadena, Calif., with her son, Jack Goode, and family.

Visitors in San Angelo Monday. Mrs. Mrs. Mary Marie and Miss Mrs. C. L. Burress and daughter.

## Football Boys To Marfa Friday Night

For the first time in several years Rankin is to have a football team this year. Coach Seth Hughes has been working with the boys each afternoon since school opened at McZandt Stadium. With the aid of a few of the local townsmen, the boys are receiving some good practice. While there are not enough boys for two teams, Coach Hughes has been practicing them, using one end against the other. None of the boys have had previous experience but the prospects for a team are good. The average weight of the boys is 155 pounds.

On Friday, September 15, the group goes to Marfa where they will play an evening game. The following week-end they play an afternoon game in Andrews.

Line-up for the game in Marfa is as follows:

Line-Up	Pos.	Wt.
Clemon Wilkerson	LE	156
Lee Adams	LT	177
Ralph Daugherty	LG	145
Tuffy Barfield	C	151
R. C. Schlalag	RG	145
Tommy Hall	RT	180
Bobby Bell	RE	135
Zackie Monroe	QB	137
Herman Calcote	RH	145
Jack Garner	LH	163
John Robert Prude	FB	176

Others making the trip will be Shorty Taylor, Gordon Holder, R. L. Bell and Jesse Faires. Gale Gamblin will go as manager.

## Overseas Christmas Gift Suggestions

By NETTIE B. MESSICK

During the past week, I have been asked these questions, "What can I send my boy for Christmas", and "How must I pack his gifts so that it will reach him intact in Germany, in Australia, in the Philippines".

In reply, fruit cake is given top priority among delicacies which families are now preparing for shipment overseas before the deadline date of October 15th.

I suggest that mothers use their own favorite recipe for fruit cake, plum pudding or Boston Brown Bread. After the ingredients have been mixed, pack the batter in greased or waxed paper-lined Renamel or plain tin cans. No. 1 or 2 cans are more satisfactory than larger ones. One to 1 1/2 inch head space should be left. The first roll on the can should be sealed before steaming the fruit cake.

If a pressure cooker is used for steaming, the pet-cock should be left open during the steaming period. If a water bath is used, the hot water level should be about 2 inches below the can. No. 1 cans should be steamed for 60 minutes and No. 2 cans for 75 minutes. After steaming, complete the seal, then place cans in a pressure canner and process at 10 pounds pressure for 30 minutes.

Cookies should be canned for better shipment. Honey cookies, Canned chicken is a favorite with men overseas. Texans usually are delighted with barbecue meat, chili and tamales. Tin-packed preserves are enjoyed.

butterscotch, dried fruit or molasses cookies usually keep well. Candies may be packed in a can by placing layers of waxed paper between each piece. Fill extra space with popped corn or nuts.

Neva Rae Taylor and Mary Alice Bell left Monday for Lubbock to enter college there.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pollard and son have been here this week making arrangement to move to Upton County, where he will be in business, from Fort Worth. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Rankin.

Lt. W. D. Price of Gainville spent Tuesday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Price.

Mrs. Bess Moorman of McCamey spent the week-end here with Mrs. Jack Walcher and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Shaw were in San Angelo on business Monday and Tuesday.

Cpl. J. N. Taylor of Good-fellow Field, San Angelo, is visiting relatives and friends here.

## Former Rankin Teacher Marries in Johnsville

The marriage of Miss Winnie Mae Moore, daughter of Alfred Moore of Bluff Dale, and Truman L. Belcher of Victoria was solemnized Monday evening, September 4, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Belcher at Johnsville. Rev. Elmer Carter, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Stephenville, officiated at the double ring ceremony before an altar of pink and white gladioli and fern.

The bride, wearing a two-piece blue velvet dress with brown accessories and a corsage of pink rose buds, entered the living room through the dining room with the matron of honor, Mrs. Weldon Belcher, who was dressed in a two-piece blue costume. Her corsage was of pink gladioli. Weldon Belcher attended his brother as best man.

Immediately after the wedding a reception was held with the bride and groom making quite a ceremony of cutting the lovely two-tiered wedding cake. Mrs. Grady Perry, assisted by Mrs. Weldon Belcher, presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Carroll Barham, Martha Jane Oxford, Juan Skipper, Elaine Bishop and Mrs. Jeannie V. Harrison assisted in serving.

The bride is a graduate of Stephenville High School, John Tarleton College and received her B. A. degree at Daniel Baker at Brownwood. She has been a teacher in the public schools at Bluff Dale, Rankin and Odessa. The groom is a graduate of Walnut Spring High School, attended John Tarleton College and for the past six years has been making his home in Victoria where he operates the bus lines. After a short wedding trip to south and east Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Belcher will be at home in Victoria.

## Andersons Purchase Bill Yates Residence

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Anderson on Thursday purchased the Bill Yates residence in Rankin for \$3,600. Fixtures and various items of furniture were included in the sale.

The house will be moved to McCamey within the next ten days, Anderson said.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shaw of Arizona were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Hurchell Shaw.

## THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



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taxed capacity of our industrial alcohol plants. So, overnight, our country's beverage distillers stopped making whiskey and produced hundreds of millions of gallons of the vitally needed alcohol.

"As a matter of fact, Sally, a high government official said recently... synthetic rubber is from 6 to 9 months ahead of where it could have been if alcohol had not been available for butadiene production."

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Allies Drive on German Border; Expand Navy by 65,000 Ships; August Beef Output Hits Peak

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Seated on ground at Hotel Majestic following their capture by Free French forces in liberation of Paris, high-ranking German officers await removal to prison quarters.

EUROPE: Nazi Losses

Having suffered losses of 400,000 men since D-day, and with its power in France broken, the once proud German army reeled back toward the Siegfried line.

Although the bulk of the German armies escaped annihilation in both the north and south, swift moving Allied armor hacked enemy rear-guards to shreds.

As the British and Canadians drove up along the Channel coast, they overran many of the enemy's robot-bomb installations.

As the battle tempo heightened, and supply lines lengthened, there is also need for more trucks and tires, "Ike" declared.

Illustrating the vast scope of Allied operations in France since D-day, Gen. Dwight Eisenhower reported that we had lost 3,000 planes ourselves.

Rolling on American wheels, the surging Russian army pushed through Rumania and pointed spear heads at Hungary to the northwest.

As the Russian drive carried deep into the heart of the Balkans, Red forces in northern Poland stepped up their pressure against reinforced Nazi troops.

In their developing Rumanian offensive, the Russians sought to exploit an early break into the Carpathian mountains.

While U. S. army and navy planes pounded the Japanese Pacific outposts preparatory to further strides along the stepping-stones to the Asiatic mainland.

BEEF: Cheap Grades Abound

Reflecting the heavy run of grass-fed cattle, August beef production in federally inspected plants reached the all-time record output for that month of 800,000,000 pounds.

Meanwhile, August pork production was 19 per cent under August of last year, reflecting continued short receipts in the markets.

As a result of the heavy grass-fed marketings, ample supplies of lean, pointless utility beef will be available to consumers.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

RICH DIET FOR ARCTIC: A series of tests conducted at the U. of Illinois indicates that the best diet for high flying aviators and soldiers stationed in arctic regions is one rich in starch, sugar and fat.

WORLD MONOPOLY: Peace Threat

Declaring that cartels—agreements among different international business firms for controlling world trade—formed the basis for Germany's military rejuvenation.

As a result of cartel agreements, Biddle said, important companies were kept from South American markets; others could not manufacture such strategic products as synthetic rubber.

Even though certain giant German corporations were prevented from manufacturing military products after the war, Biddle said, they worked around these restrictions by organizing subsidiaries in other countries.

TELEVISION: Here After War

Although television will come into general use after the war, it will be an addition to, and not a substitute for, radio.

Said he: "You can't sit and look at a television screen for 18 hours a day. You can't turn on television, and make the beds, or play bridge, or wash the dishes, as you can with oral broadcasting.

Fly also recounted the spectacular rise in revenue of standard stations and networks during the war years, time sales in 1943 amounting to 196 million dollars.

Young Wizard

An inventive genius at high school age, Stanley Hiller Jr., now 19, demonstrated a new type helicopter to the army.

Using opposite rotating propellers, Hiller's helicopter is designed to overcome the conventional model's torque, or inclination to pull over with the turn of the single blade.

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FOR SALE—Little Chicago, Fountain and luncheon room

FOR SALE—First Class Blacksmith Shop

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# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Lunch Boxes Can Be Versatile (See Recipes Below)

### Lunch Box Tips

Vacation times are over! Invigorated by fresh air and tanned by the sun, children, office workers and defense plant employees are returning to their various duties. It's important that a healthful schedule be followed after returning to work so that the benefits of vacations are not spoiled immediately. That means, for one thing, a sensible lunch to carry both children and adults energetically through the day.

Lunches, whether they're eaten in the quiet of home, at the school desk or in a plant cafeteria, should contain a third of the day's food and nutritional requirements. Here's the plan:

- 2 or more good sandwiches
- 1/2 to 1 pint of milk
- Salad or stuffed eggs, carrot strips or celery
- Dessert—pudding, cake or sweet
- Surprises—dates, nuts, candy, etc.

Before we get into suggestions to amplify the plan, let's first set up a list of equipment which is good to have on hand for the makings of lunch. When the lunch is an everyday matter, and there are more than one to make, perhaps, it's a good idea to get a corner of the cupboard with equipment ready so as to save time in making.

A bread board with a sharp knife for cutting bread, and another knife or spatula to make the spreading of butter and fillings easy is a must. Then you need waxed paper for wrapping, string or rubber bands for tying in some cases, paper napkins, paper cups or jelly glasses with tightly fitting covers for salads, puddings, etc., straws for drinking, forks and spoons, individual salt and pepper cellars to tuck in the lunch box itself.

In a corner of the refrigerator itself, you can keep butter for spreading (to be taken out night before so as to be soft for spreading in the morning), fruits and vegetables, salads, puddings, and jars of sandwich filling. This latter can be made at any time during the day and stored for use. Make enough to last for several days.

Now, we're ready for the business of the lunch itself. Sandwiches are first on the list. Everyone knows how to make sandwiches, but are they the kind you like to eat? Use this score card for them:

1. Is the bread fresh and moist?
2. Is there a variety of bread from day to day?
3. Is the filling palatable and

### Lynn Says

**Cooking Quickies:** Whipping cream won't whip? Pour it into a bowl and set in another bowl filled with cracked ice. Then beat and watch it whip.

Use liquid from canned or cooked vegetables with which to flavor soups, gravies and casseroles.

Make one crust pies instead of two crust ones. It saves time and pastry.

Save dabs of butter from butter plates. Use them for flavoring vegetables in cooking.

Don't over-buy because foods are a bargain. Buy only those you can use.

Grind bits of leftover meat, mix with softened butter or mayonnaise, pickle relish, celery and a dash of catsup. Store in jars and set in refrigerator until sandwich time.

### Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu

- Cream of Tomato Soup
- \*Liver Sausage Sandwich Spread on Whole Wheat
- \*Deviled Egg Sandwich Spread on White
- Carrot Cole Slaw
- Milk Butterscotch Rice Pudding

- moist, with peak flavor?
4. Is the filling spread out to the sides of the bread?
5. Is the sandwich well wrapped so that it is not messy and dried out by the time lunch time comes?
6. Is the filling varied from time to time?

Here is a good, home-made bread to keep on your list when you are using a lot of sandwiches:

- Partial Whole Yeast Bread,
- 1/2 cup molasses
- 3 cups lukewarm milk
- 1 cup lukewarm water
- 4 teaspoons salt
- 6 tablespoons shortening
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- About 6 cups all-purpose flour
- About 6 cups whole wheat flour
- 2 cakes quick-acting yeast

Dissolve yeast in lukewarm water, add sugar. Let stand 10 minutes. Scald milk

add molasses and salt. Cool milk to lukewarm and add yeast mixture. Combine the flours and add all but 1 cupful. Hold that until you know whether it is needed. Some flours require more liquid than others. Then add softened shortening, mix well and turn out onto a floured board. Knead dough until it is elastic and does not stick to the board. Place in a greased bowl and cover. Allow to rise until doubled. Shape into 4 medium loaves and place in greased tins. Let rise to top of tins or double in bulk. Bake in a 350-degree oven for 1 hour.

You'll want a variety of sandwich fillings on hand. Include these in your repertoire:

- \*Deviled Egg Filling. (Makes 1 serving)
- 1 hard-cooked egg
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Pepper
- Mustard
- 1 teaspoon vinegar
- 1 teaspoon chopped parsley
- 1 tablespoon mayonnaise
- Chop eggs fine. Add other ingredients and mix well.
- \*Liver Sandwich Spread.
- 1 chopped onion
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 2 hard-cooked eggs
- 1/2 pound liver sausage or steamed liver
- 1/2 cup cream
- Salt and pepper

Put liver through grinder or mince. Mince eggs. Brown onion in melted butter until light brown. Mix all ingredients well. Keep spread in cool place.

**Bacon Cheese Sandwich Spread**  
3 ounces cream cheese  
1/4 cup chopped, cooked bacon  
1/2 teaspoon horseradish  
1/2 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
1 tablespoon milk

Blend all ingredients and store in the refrigerator until ready to use.

**Flaked Fish Spread.**  
1 cup fish flakes (salmon or tuna)  
1 tablespoon chopped celery  
1 tablespoon chopped sweet pickle  
3 tablespoons mayonnaise  
1/2 teaspoon catsup  
1 teaspoon horseradish  
Salt and pepper

Mix all ingredients together and store until ready to spread.

Do you have recipes or entertaining suggestions which you'd like to pass on to other readers? Send them to Miss Lynn Chambers, Western Newspaper Union, 216 South Desplaines Street, Chicago 6, Ill. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

### SEWING CIRCLE PATTERNS

## Non-Slip Straps Sure to Appeal Summer-Time Chic in Jumper



TRY this smooth jumper in high-style colors—in lime green, fuchsia, powder blue, gold or an eye-taking lipstick pink! Trim it in white ric rac if you use a solid color—in brilliant "pick-up" colors if you use a checked, striped or plaid material.

Barbara Bell Pattern No. 1206 is designed for sizes 11, 12, 13, 14, 16 and 18. Size 12 jumper, requires 2 1/2 yards of 39-inch material; short sleeved blouse, 2 1/2 yards.

### Straps Cut With Slip

A BOON to the woman who likes a wide shoulder strap cut right in with the slip. It's particularly appealing to the older woman and the woman of stout build. Makes up nicely in both rayon silks and satins and in cottons. The tailored panties match the slip.

Barbara Bell Pattern No. 1216 is designed for sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 and 52. Size 38, slip, built-up shoulders, requires 2 1/2 yards of 39-inch material; 1 1/4 yards for panties.

### Elephants Are Not Afraid Of Mice; Can't See Them

How would you like to be an elephant and carry those big heavy teeth called tusks around all day? You have heard a lot of things about an elephant that could scarcely be true. For instance, ever hear that elephants are afraid of mice? According to keepers of the zoo at Philadelphia, elephants pay no attention to mice. They probably don't even see them as their eyes are none too good.

But, you say, elephants pick up peanuts with their trunks. They do, but that's no sign they see them. You see, an elephant's trunk tells him what is going on better than eyes or ears.

## ASK ME ? ANOTHER ?

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

- The Questions**
1. What section of the country once sought admission to the Union as a state named Franklin?
  2. How many justices sat on the first Supreme court bench of the United States?
  3. Has a shark more than one brain?
  4. What department of the government deals most directly with individual citizens?
  5. Why is a candle fish so called?
  6. Garlic belongs to which family, the rose, lily or poppy?

- The Answers**
1. Tennessee
  2. Six justices sat on the first Supreme court bench.
  3. Yes. He has one for the nose, ears, eyes and skin and one for taste.
  4. Post office department.
  5. Because it is so oily that a wick may be run through its body and it can then be used as a candle. It is a small smelt-like fish found on the north Pacific coast.
  6. Garlic is a member of the lily family.

### Radio Intelligence

Since July 1, 1940, the radio intelligence division of the Federal Communications commission has discovered and shut down 375 illegal radio stations. Incidentally, the RID's listening post in Portland, Ore., was the first in the organization to pick up the secret Nazi station being operated in the German embassy in Washington, D. C.

## AROUND THE HOUSE

If apples or bananas which are to be used in fruit salads are covered with grapefruit juice and chilled, they will not darken and discolor the salad.

If the surface of a piece of your furniture becomes scratched, rub it with a piece of walnut kernel. The scratch will disappear as if by magic.

Dip the ends of rag rugs in starch after washing and they will lay flat on the floor instead of curling on the edges.

Don't do without a grater just because such articles are scarce in the stores—make one! Take the lid from a mayonnaise or peanut butter jar, and drive nail holes from the inside out. Put them fairly close together, and the rough surface on the outside does the grating.

Save the core wax paper comes on to wrap your dollies on to prevent wrinkling after laundering.

A rag moistened in milk helps to whiten the piano keys.

A few drops of vinegar or lemon juice added to the water used in poaching eggs will help hold them together.

### Roosevelt Descendants

Including President Franklin D. Roosevelt, 20 direct descendants of Nicholas Roosevelt (1658-1742) have been listed in the 22 editions of Who's Who in America published since 1899; they constitute the largest number of entries to be descended from one man.

If anyone has a rusty wire clothes line which can not be replaced for the duration, it can be made nearly as good as new by painting with black automobile enamel.

House plants should have an occasional cool soap and water bath to remove the dust and dirt from the leaves. This may be done by laying the pot on its side, and carefully sponging each leaf with absorbent cotton dipped in cool suds. Then rinse in cold water to remove the soap, taking care that soapy water does not get in the soil.

A "costume box" is suggested where there are children to amuse. Into a certain box put discarded articles of clothing which have "costume" possibilities. Children love to "dress up," and if the box is reserved for certain occasions such as Halloween, vacations, etc., it is enjoyed more than if it is available all the time.

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Mrs. C. Snell accompanied her daughter, Daphne, and Joan Edwards when they went to Lubbock Tuesday to enroll at Tech.

Mrs. C. G. Taylor and Mrs. Clay Taylor were in San Angelo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lit Carruthers accompanied their daughter, June, to San Marcus where she will attend school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Finch were here from Dallas Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Starnes and children of San Angelo spent Friday and Saturday here.

**Latin-American Scholarships at Sul Ross**

The people of the United States are rapidly becoming more internationally-minded. Governor Stevenson's program of "Community Organization for Inter-American Understanding" will achieve whole-

some results, and should receive the enthusiastic support of every citizen in the State. Texas, especially the border towns, is strategically located for leadership in the good-neighbor policy of our Government.

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO FRANKIE MAYES, GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 30th day of October, A. D. 1944, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable 83rd District Court of Upton County, at the Court House in Rankin, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 14th day of September, 1944. The file number of said suit being No. 1001. The names of the parties in said suit are: Ed Mayes as Plaintiff, and Frankie Mayes as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff and defendant were legally married in the month of August, A. D., 1941, and separated September 1, 1943, and alleges that Defendant, prior to their separation was guilty of living in open adultery and other improper acts.

Issued this the 14th day of September A. D., 1944.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Rankin, Texas, this the 14th day of September, A. D., 1944.

Ralph H. Daugherty,  
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we know in our hearts we've done a good job well?

From where I sit, that's one of the things this wartime strain has taught us. We've all of us working hard at our jobs, doing our level best to pull our weight. And we're learning the little rewards, the simple pleasures—a home-cooked meal, a glass of beer with friends—are more welcome now than ever ... because we've earned them!

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