

# PENASCO VALLEY NEWS

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### Pfc. Hoyt Keller to be Home Soon

A telegram from Washington to W. M. Keller says— The Sec. of War has asked me to inform you that Pfc. Hoyt Keller returned to military control Sept. 6th. He is being returned to the U. S. in the near future. He will communicate with you on arrival. Edward F. Witsell, Adj. Gen.

### Hope Boy in Tokyo Bay When Japs Surrender

Curtis Harrison who has been a member of the crew of the U. S. S. Taylor operating in the Pacific writes home about his ship being one of three that escorted Admiral Halsey's Flagship into Tokyo Bay. He writes: "I am now in Tokyo Bay. We were about the 2nd ship in, we were picked from the fleet as one of the flagships group to escort Admiral Halsey's flagship. The Taylor, O'Bannon and the Nickolas the leading ones. The Taylor spent the third birthday in Tokyo. She has been very lucky, three years at war and hasn't had a person killed or wounded. The Japanese destroyer that took us in the harbor was the Hatsuzakura, I think that is the way it is spelled. We first anchored in Sugami, the entrance of Tokyo Bay and later went all the way in. The picture stamp in the left hand corner of the envelope is Mt. Fuji, a volcano Mt. I will close and get this letter mailed. Lots of love, Curtis."

### Claberon Buckner is Anxious to Get Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Buckner received the following letter from their son, Claberon, recently liberated from a Jap prison camp.

Hoten, Manchuchu, Aug. 19, 1945  
Dearest Folks in the Old U. S. A.—Hope everyone is O. K. Don't worry about me as I am all right. More food than we can eat. We are in such a spin we don't know what we are doing or saying half the time. Tell everyone "hello" and that I will be looking for some one to meet me when I get to the old U. S. A. This is wonderful to know you will be able to get this soon. I got a lot of letters the 17th also the picture of you (Mama) and Hollis. He sure is tall. Hope he is all right wherever he is. I will be all ears and eyes when I get home as it is 4 years that I've heard nothing so I want everyone to be ready to tell me all the news when I get home. Tell Verna J. (Jesse Buckner's oldest daughter.) that she can be my best girl when I get home. She had better keep her eyes on me for the ugliest girl will look like a queen now after seeing these dark girls for so many years. I don't know what else to say so will close and when I get back down to earth I will try to write again. Tell everyone I will write them as soon as possible as one letter is all we are able to write now. You write others for me. Love to all. Your son, Claberon.

We will add to this that Claberon (now Sgt.) enlisted in the 200th Coast Artillery in December 1940. On Jan. 14, 1941, he left for Fort Bliss. On the 8th day of September, 1941, he sailed from San Francisco for the Philippine Islands.

### \$60,000 Will be Paid to Winners of Horse Races

More than \$60,000 will be paid to owners of winning horses at New Mexico's State Fair during the eight-day meeting, October 7 through 14. The meeting is held under joint auspices of the New Mexico State Fair commission and New Mexico State Racing commission. The Fair commission offers base purses for the 64 races scheduled; eight races each day; totaling \$15,000. The balance will go to winners from 5 per cent of pari-mutuel wagers, authorized by New Mexico state law. The percentage of pari-mutuel wagers going to fatten purses at the 1944 meeting was in excess of \$58,000.

Feature races include a "world championship quarter horse race," for a stake of \$1,000 added; the Albuquerque Derby, \$500 added; State Fair Inaugural Handicap, \$500 added; and the New Mexico Futurity, \$1,000 added; for 2-year-olds bred and owned in New Mexico. The quarter horse race is open to the world.

### Hope School has Large Attendance.

School is progressing nicely and all students are taking an interest in their work in spite of the warm weather.

There are 51 enrolled in high school with the girls outnumbering the boys 32 to 19. In the 9th grade there are 5 boys and 10 girls, in the 10th grade 4 boys and 11 girls, in the 11th grade 3 boys and 6 girls, and in the 12th grade 2 boys and 5 girls.

This fall it is planned to play several soft ball games if Lake Arthur, Hagerman and Dexter are interested in soft ball. The first tentative date for basketball is Nov. 2nd with Lake Arthur. The picture show for Sept. 19th is "Across the Border—Arctic Thrills—Happy Polo."

### State Fair Premium Book Now Ready

Premium book and catalog for New Mexico's Victory State Fair will go into the mails during the week of September 10. Five thousand copies will be mailed to producers of livestock, farm, garden and orchard products; home arts, sciences, etc., in New Mexico and bordering counties of neighboring states.

The 240-page book lists premiums in some 40 departments in the senior and junior divisions and offers a total of more than \$15,000 in cash awards for winning entries and exhibits in all departments.

The New Mexico premium book had an adventurous time in finally achieving production and distribution. It was more than half completed when the Office of Defense Transportation cracked down on the State Fair commission, ordering the fair cancelled. The printed portions of the book were created and stored for use in 1946.

With the defeat of Japan, and lifting of the ban on state fairs, the New Mexico commission re-instated all contracts and ordered the book produced. Twenty-four hour shifts of printers worked on getting the book through the presses.

### DUNKEN NEWS

Our school opened Tuesday. Mrs. Beasley is our teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Taylor and son went to El Paso Friday to the rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davenport and son returned last week to their home at Wichita Falls, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stevenson moved to Artesia Sunday where their children will attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Watts attended the Rodeo at El Paso Friday and Saturday.

W. B. McGuire branded calves Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ivans spent Sunday and Monday in Hope and Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. George of Hope visited in the Delbert Ivans home Thursday.

Mrs. Glenn Stevenson and daughter and Miss Janice McGuire went back to Hope Tuesday for school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Helms were Roswell visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watts were attending to business matters in Artesia Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Helms and Bill visited Mrs. Helm's daughter and family in Dexter last Monday.

Howard Beasley visited his mother, who is teaching our school, Thursday.

Otis Ivans visited his brother, Delbert Ivans and family over the week end.

Several from this community were here visitors Sunday attending the calf roping and ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watts were El Paso visitors last week.

Mrs. Beasley spent the week end in Roswell.

### AVIS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bonine are moving back to Artesia for school.

Mrs. Anna Harrell is staying with Mrs. Frances Smith while Cecil is away shearing goats.

Roberta Smith and Mildred Bell went to Artesia Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Atkins visited Mrs. Delia Anderson Saturday.

Ernest Miller was in our community Sunday.

### ON OUR WAY! --- By Collier



Mr. Leonard Munson and Charles Devine were up here from Artesia Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Smith were Artesia visitors Saturday.

### HOPE NEWS

The auction sale held at the Lee Brantley farm last Thursday was not well attended. The two cows and calves and the blue mare and colt were bid in by A. W. Boyce of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Musgrave went to Roswell last Thursday.

Erven Miller is finishing his cellar.

Paul Cassobone S 1/c has been transferred from San Diego, Cal., to the Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

Mrs. Jack Parrish has received a letter from her son Jiggs in which he states that he is in Tokyo.

Meredith Garrett passed away at the W. O. W. Hospital at San Antonio the 16th of August. He was buried at Hobbs the 20th. He is a brother of Mrs. Bert McCabe.

Reports have been filed here of indiscriminate shooting in the Town of Hope, whereby a young boy narrowly escaped being injured. This shooting has to stop before some one is killed and some of these boys are up on a charge of manslaughter. This is the second time this has happened recently and some one is due for some trouble.

Benny Hanna is located at Fort Sill, Okla., and is a member of the field artillery. His wife joined him there last week.

The members of the Church of Christ served dinner on the grounds last Sunday. A large attendance was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Marable went to Artesia last Saturday on business.

Among those who went to Artesia Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Ranold Jones and family, H. V. Dorsey, Lewis Wells, M. C. Newsom, J. F. Wasson and Mrs. Will Keller and Mrs. Mary Jackson.

Pinon and Hope played a soft ball game here Sunday afternoon followed by a roping contest.

Ray Hill has signed a contract to build a large modern chicken house at the Henry Crockett farm.

Mrs. Chester Schwalbe who has been visiting relatives in Colorado returned home Wednesday.

Jess Musgrave took C. A. Hanna to the doctor at Artesia Monday.

Mrs. Ben Babers underwent an operation at the Roswell hospital last Friday. She is getting along nicely.

For Sale—Five room house, furnished or unfurnished. Ralph Shafer, Hope.

Mary Jackson left this week for California to meet Hoyt Keller and Claberon Buckner whenever they arrive from Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Brantley have returned from a trip to Colorado.

It is reliably reported that Pfc. R. H. Keller has been released from a prison camp in Japan.

Clayton Menefee is now located at Norman, Okla., where he is employed at the Navy hospital. Glenn is with the occupation forces at Kaufbeuren, Germany. He writes home that some fried chicken would be very acceptable. Hardly any need to state that fried chicken is on its way.

J. W. Mellard returned Tuesday night from Kingman, Ariz., where he had been called on account of his son, Filmore and his wife, being in an automobile wreck. Filmore was able to return with his father but his wife is still in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Howard are the parents of a baby boy born Sunday morning. No wonder Lester is wearing a smile.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parrish have another daughter born Tuesday morning.

With 3 battle stars and a number of personal combat decorations Hugh Thompson landed in the U. S. on Sept. 7, from Italy after 37 months overseas. He was a member of the 804 Tank Destroyer Division. He will be back to Hope soon. Let's give him a royal welcome.

Dave Lewis has received a telegram from the War Dept. stating that Ralph Lewis had been liberated from Jap prison camp. Keller's have received a telegram from Hoyt in Manila. He is well and will be home soon.

Jiggs Parrish son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parrish has been promoted to Staff Sergeant.

### AVIS NEWS

We sure had a nice rain here Saturday. It almost filled all the tanks for the first time in three years.

Grubs Munson went down to Pinon Sunday to help Charley and Cecil Smith shear this week.

Mrs. Daisy Smith and children, Mrs. Sadie Munson and children were dinner guests in the Frances Smith home Saturday. Mrs. Frances Smith was celebrating her 67th birthday.

Miss Mildred Bell spent the latter part of this week helping Mr. Pat Riley at Sacramento in the filling station and post office.

Mrs. Sadie Munson is planning to go out to their ranch sometime this week.

Word has been received from Rochester, Minn., that James Munson underwent the operation and is improving as fast as can be expected.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

MacArthur Lands to Rule Japan; Press Demands for Open Airing Of Disaster at Pearl Harbor

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In conference aboard USS Missouri, Jap navy officers chart Tokyo bay for Admiral Halsey's staff preparatory to American fleet's triumphant entry as part of General MacArthur's occupation force.

JAPAN: Mac's Show

Cool as a cucumber, Gen. Douglas MacArthur stepped from a transport plane at Japan's Atsugi air-drome 20 miles southwest of Tokyo, smoking his large, corn-cob pipe. Stopping to look around, he saw the field abuzz with activity, as members of the 11th air borne division, landing from scores of aircraft, busied themselves for the occupation.

Evidently pleased, Japan's new boss then made his way forward, stopping to greet Lieutenant General Eichelberger, chief of the U. S. 8th army, which had fought in the Philippines. "Hello, Bob," were his first words upon his historic landing on enemy soil.

In landing to take over control of Japan, U. S. forces looked upon an extensive scene of devastation in Tokyo and Yokohama, scorched by repeated B-29 and naval carrier raids. Unlike Europe where splintered masonry cluttered everything, charred hulks and ashes were all that remained from thousands of Oriental frame buildings. Whole areas were burned out, with only buildings encompassed by spacious walks, lawns or clearings spared from the roaring flames which once swept block upon block.

Despite the widespread damage, Japanese held their heads high in contrast to the Germans, who had humbled themselves in an effort to please their conquerors. Peering from windows as G.I.s streamed by, or walking the streets, or setting up temporary shelters from salvaged tin, the little brown people remained perfectly composed with typical Oriental indifference.

Promising to match MacArthur's landing at Atsugi airfield in sheer drama was the scheduled surrender ceremonies aboard the USS Missouri in Tokyo bay, with Lt. Gen. Jonathan Wainwright, rescued from a prison camp in Manchuria, present to witness the capitulation of the haughty imperial staff which dictated terms to him upon the fall of Corregidor over three years ago.

LEND-LEASE: Asks Write-Off

In asking congress to write off the 42 billion dollar lend-lease program, constituting 15 per cent of the total U. S. war expense, President Harry S. Truman declared that adequate repayment not only had been made by recipients through their war efforts, but also through their agreement to promote international trade through a lowering of tariff and other barriers.

Further, the chief executive said that if so huge a debt were to be added to the financial obligations already incurred by Allied nations, it would react disastrously upon our own trade, decreasing production and employment at home.

Whereas there once was talk that the U. S. would retake tanks, trucks or machine tools lend-leased, top officials said, little of such material will be retrieved since reclamation would only add to the mounting stockpiles of war surplus in this country. Of the 42 billion dollars of lend-lease, against which the U. S. obtained only 5 1/2 billion dollars in corresponding aid, half was in military supplies and the remainder in civilian goods like food.

PEARL HARBOR: Rap Report

Despite release by army and navy boards of inquiry of 200,000 word reports covering the Pearl Harbor disaster of December 7, 1941, congressional circles remained dissatisfied over findings, demanding open trials of principals involved and access to information upon which the investigators based their conclusions.



Gen. Marshall

No sooner had the reports been made public, adding the names of Gen. George C. Marshall, Adm. Harold C. Stark and former Secretary of State Cordell Hull to those of Maj. Gen. Walter C. Short and Rear Adm. Husband E. Kimmel for failure to take proper precautions, than Chairman May (Dem., Ky.) of the house military affairs committee declared he would not stand for "any whitewash." The people are entitled to know the whole truth based on all the facts, he said.

On the other side of congress, Senator Taft (Rep., Ohio) asserted the reports left a lot to be told, and full evidence studied by the courts of inquiry should be revealed now that military security no longer is involved.

Issuance of the report had other repercussions, too. President Harry S. Truman and Secretary of War Henry Stimson took strong exception to the censure of General Marshall, the two terming criticism of the army chief of staff "entirely unjustified" while praising his "great skill, energy and efficiency" throughout the Pearl Harbor episode.

In naming General Marshall, the investigators charged he failed to keep General Short, Hawaiian army commander, fully advised as to the growing tenseness of the Japanese situation; failed to send him additional instructions after the U. S. ultimatum to Tokyo made war inevitable; failed to furnish him on the evening of December 6 and morning of December 7 with critical intelligence indicating a rupture of relations with Nippon, and failed to look into and determine the state of readiness in Hawaii during the critical period.

Then chief of naval operations but since retired, Admiral Stark was censured for delaying a warning of an impending attack on Pearl Harbor by sending it by cable rather than telephone. The two hours difference in transmission would have enabled the navy to make preparations for the assault.

In singling out Hull, the boards averred that he might have conducted negotiations with Jap emissaries Nomura and Kurusu differently to gain precious time for the army and navy to gird for action.

To crown the navy's negligence, pointed up by failure to take proper precautions even after being apprized of a Jap task force's presence in near Hawaiian waters, subordinate officers did not report the sinking of an enemy submarine in outer Pearl Harbor the morning of the fateful attack to the army.



Cordell Hull

Washington Digest

Allied Occupation of Germany Thankless Job



Methods for Restoring Normalcy to Reich Meet With Criticism From Smaller Liberated Nations of Europe.

By BAUKHAGE  
 News Analyst and Commentator.

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With the fanfare accompanying the first steps of the occupation of Japan now dying on the Pacific breezes, some hints of the heavy responsibilities of Uncle Sam's European problems begin to appear.

Already the small nations which were occupied by the Axis and whose peoples resisted the Nazi-Fascist yoke are being heard from in a rising chorus of complaint and criticism against the Allies.

Belgium and Holland are perhaps loudest in their charges of what they feel is discrimination against them in favor of their former enemy-neighbor, but voices are raised as far away as Greece and Yugoslavia, which say that Germany and Italy should not receive material assistance on the same basis as the once-occupied countries.

The charges from Holland are the most specific. The Netherlands government has presented claims for a share in both the external and internal assets of Germany as reparations. The note handed the Allies asks for immediate return of loot now within the occupied zones in Germany, which the Dutch claim is listed and identifiable. They say that parts of their country were stripped bare of capital and consumer goods; that some of the former, such as machinery, is now being used to the advantage of the Germans.

In addition to the formal protest, Col. J. C. A. Faure, deputy chief of staff of the Netherlands civil affairs administration, was quoted in London as saying that the Allied military governors were playing into German hands when they prevented the Dutch, Belgians and French from reclaiming immediately machinery and other property stolen from them by the Nazi armies.

He said that protests to SHAEF, while it existed, were fruitless "and when the new child (the British and American occupation organization) was born it was too young." He explained it was understandable that since the Allied commanders in their respective spheres have their hands full in creating order out of chaos in Germany, each wants to do a good job, and for that reason doesn't want to lose any material aid that will help. But that doesn't provide much comfort for the Dutch or Belgian farmer who looks across the frontier and sees a German peasant driving home a cow which he swears he knows is his by its crumpled horn and the spot on its rump. The same applies to the factory owner who is positive his property is turning wheels in Germany.

Army Aim: Speed Job

From sources in close touch with conditions in Germany I heard this example which pretty well echoes Dutch explanations but doesn't solve their problem. For instance: An Allied commander moves into a German town. One of the first things he wants is light and power. His men repair the power plant. Later it is claimed that the main dynamo was stolen from Holland. That is not the commander's affair. Lighting the town is his job is to restore the place as nearly as possible to a self-supporting community.

But that is not the end, for the restoration of European economy as a whole is of vital importance and naturally those nations which suffered under the German heel feel they should have first call on the sinews of normality, especially when those sinews were torn from their body economic by Nazi hands.

On this score there have already been rumblings of complaint against the American occupation. Already the wheels of German factories are turning in the American zone. The purpose is to manufacture goods and provide services required to keep the occupation forces going and to supply the minimum needs of the community.

The Germans have to have shovels and hoes and rakes if they are to till their fields and cultivate their gardens in order to get enough food to live on. These tools, if made and sold, would be in competition with goods the Americans make. But there are not enough ships to carry a vast supply of such products across the Atlantic and besides

America has a big waiting demand of her own. Therefore, in many cases German capital may be used to resuscitate German factories and Germany money will buy its products. The Americans are doing everything to facilitate this type of reconstruction (light industry and manufacture of household equipment). If necessary and they can do it, they will see that a missing shaft or flywheel is obtained somehow. They permit the Germans to combine partly damaged factories into one complete plant. They encourage reconversion of certain plants from wartime to civilian use. It so happens that of all the occupied zones the one which the Americans control is capable of creating most easily a balanced economy. It is a land of small towns and villages, most of which were not important enough to have been bombed. It is a land of cattle and of orchards, of fields and meadows. It is highly probable that with American organization to guide the people this area will be the first to regain a fairly normal life.

If we don't help the Germans, we'll be criticized for fumbling; the occupation will be made more difficult. If we do help, we will be under heavy criticism from the peoples of less fortunate areas and charged with treating the former enemy better than we treat our friends.

The British operate in a far less favorable area, for they have the bombed-out Ruhr on their hands and they control a territory whose existence depended on industries which no longer exist and which will not be permitted to exist in the future. Such factories as they can operate to make the community self-supporting may well be equipped in part with stolen machinery.

Russ Strip German Industry

The pattern of Russian occupation is quite different. The Russians know what they are doing in their zone. They are treating the "little people" with kindness, assuring them that they need have no fear of oppression. Their apparent intention is to divide up the land and give the Germans a chance to win a livelihood from the soil, meanwhile giving them a thorough indoctrination in the advantages of the Soviet form of government. At the same time they are removing every movable piece of machinery to Russia.

Meanwhile, Poland will be allowed to scrape together such German agricultural equipment as she can salvage in East Prussia. Disease is rampant in Poland; there are shortages in all kinds of equipment. The Germans took most of the agricultural machinery; much of the rest was destroyed and the whole country wrecked. The other next-door neighbors have not even such an opportunity to recuperate their losses.

And so the Americans will probably bear the onus of helping the former enemy most of all, although their only intent is to carry out the program agreed upon by the Allies. America wants no loot. She does want all she can get in the way of important formulae; all she can learn of German methods; all of the ideas which can be adapted successfully to American life. Already some valuable scientific information has been obtained and in many cases the German scientists, with that disinterested attitude characteristic of their profession, are quite as willing to work in an American laboratory as they were in one run by the Nazis. America also wants to finish her occupation job and get out. A part of that job is to make the Germans self-supporting.

Thus, it is quite likely that another complaint will be raised that we are forming too friendly a bond with people of a nation the world came to detest so thoroughly.

In the years 1940-43, a total of 7,851 persons were killed in farm accidents in the U. S. Machinery caused 47 per cent of the deaths, livestock 20 per cent, and all other causes 33 per cent. Wisconsin was the most dangerous state for farm workers, with 502 killed in four years; and New York had 456 accidental farm deaths.

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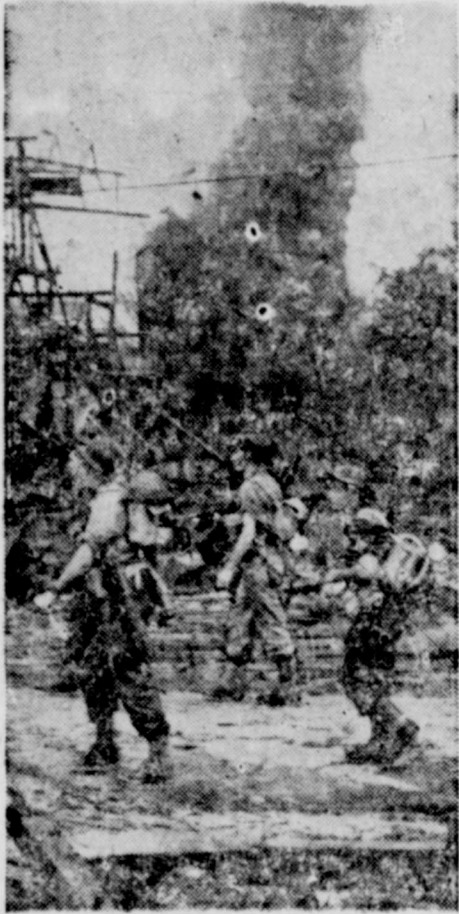
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 by WOODY COWAN



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 IT IS AN OLD CUSTOM IN INDIA—Pvt. Dorothy Luft, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., one of the WACS on duty at the headquarters of Maj. Gen. George E. Stratemeyer in the AAF in Calcutta, left her shoes outside when she visited the famous Jain Temple, one of the most richly ornamented structures in India. She redeems her footwear for half an anna (equivalent to a U. S. cent) from the diminutive self-appointed guardian.



# Star Dust

STAGE SCREEN RADIO  
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By VIRGINIA VALE  
SUCCESS is nothing new to Joan Davis; when she was 7 she was headlining an act in vaudeville. But it's hard work, talent and an uncanny sense of timing that have landed her where she is now—doing "The Joan Davis Show" on CBS Monday evenings, and making two pictures a year for RKO. In 1941 she asked for her release from a contract with Columbia Pictures, to free-lance — and "free-lanced"



JOAN DAVIS

herself onto the Rudy Vallee show, for guest shots at first; later, when Vallee entered the service, Joan took over. Incidentally, when Joan's "sister" is featured with her on the air, the sister is really Joan's daughter, Beverly, aged 12.

Clark Gable is back on the "China Seas," where he was ten years ago. For "The Big Shore Leave," in which he stars with Greer Garson, the old Merchant Marine freighter was renamed the "Minnie Tolbert" and fixed up a bit. But when Gable saw her he whooped "That's not 'Minnie,' that's the old 'China.'" The same ship on whose deck Gable first kissed Jean Harlow, while a brunette newcomer looked on. The newcomer has done all right in pictures, too, by the way—her name is Rosalind Russell.

In five weeks and three days of personal appearances Bud Abbott and Lou Costello, vacationing while "Mystery in the Air" replaces them Thursday nights on NBC, netted \$75,000 for the Lou Costello Jr. Youth Foundation. They'll return to the air in October.

When Esther Williams reported for work on Metro's "The Hoodlum Saint," the make-up girl took one look at her and went to work with turpentine. It wasn't a new skin treatment—Esther'd been painting her porch furniture the afternoon before.

A good assistant director has his wits about him all the time. Recently at Paramount a scene for "Calcutta" was in progress when an arc light placed near the ceiling touched off part of the automatic sprinkler system. One hundred extras and the entire crew scrambled for cover, but Herbie Coleman had only one worry. "Don't let Alan Ladd get wet!" he shouted. "We haven't a change of clothes for him!"

"County Fair," the Jack Bailey show, joins the small, select list of radio's summer replacements that have been so successful that they've been kept on. "Jimmy Carroll Sings" is another. Jimmy may act as master of ceremonies in addition to singing.

Jerry Wayne, star of his own radio show heard on Fridays over CBS, has worked up a little act with a few stage and radio personalities, to tour the army hospitals around New York. It's a two-act musical comedy and the boys say it's swell.

Bashful Oswald, heard on the NBC "Grand Ole Opry," is probably best known for his wild and raucous laugh. Oswald's two children now delight their playmates with a good imitation of their father's trademark—his three-year-old daughter is practically perfect at it.

Phillip Terry showed up on the set of "To Each His Own" with a bad limp. While talking to Walter Pidgeon, he rested his knee on a chair and promptly put it out of joint. So in some of his scenes with Olivia de Havilland and Mary Anderson you'll see Terry sitting down, though originally it was planned to have him stand

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

### Lesson for September 16

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#### JUDAH'S CONCERN FOR HIS FAMILY

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 44:18-34.  
GOLDEN TEXT—How shall I go up to my father, and the lad be not with me?—Genesis 44:34.

The family comes before us as we continue the study of Joseph's life. As we study it we bear in mind Joseph's dealings with his brethren, who as yet did not recognize him as the one they had sold into captivity. He was bringing them kindly but definitely to the point of real repentance, so that he could show himself gracious to them.

To do so he had brought disaster upon them. Being happily on their way homeward with a new supply of food, they were overtaken and proved to be thieves, and Benjamin, the beloved of their father Jacob, stood condemned to death by their own words.

In that crisis the mouths of the others seemed closed, but Judah, who had really saved Joseph's life (Gen. 37:26, 27), and who had apparently finally come to himself as a man of essential goodness, pleaded for Benjamin's life.

That plea presented a truly sacrificial brotherly love, as he manifested

#### I. Courage (v. 18).

Easy rests the yoke of family life as long as all is joyful and prosperous. But when adversity strikes, when sorrow comes, or sickness, or sin, then the true test of devotion is at hand.

It was a brave and manly thing for Judah to stand before the one whom he knew only as the man who was "even as Pharaoh." The circumstances were all against him. He expected the flaming anger of the offended ruler. His brethren had collapsed in despair. It was one of those dark hours which come to every family when someone must demonstrate true love by being strong-hearted and fearless.

#### II. Intelligence (vv. 19-29).

We have become so accustomed to accomplishing things by the use of words that we are in danger of substituting speech for action. Even in times of sorrow or need we send a well-worded card or telegram, and regard our mission as accomplished.

Words have their place, but there comes a time when they must be coupled with intelligent action. Crises call for more than a cheerful smile or an encouraging word, much as they may mean in such an hour. We must be prepared by our close contact with our loved ones to speak and act with vigor and assurance.

#### III. Self-denial (vv. 30-33).

One step deeper goes the devotion of this man to his father and his brother. He had done no wrong that merited punishment, but evidently his brother Benjamin had been guilty. Had he been of the spirit of Cain he would have said, "Am I my brother's keeper?" and let him answer for himself. Why should Judah suffer for another? Why should he allow himself to be imprisoned in a strange land to save his father from sorrow and his brother from what seemed to be the just reward for his deeds?

Thus reasons the man of the world, but such is not the language of the true brother. He says, "Let thy servant abide instead of the lad as a bondman." Well and courageously spoken!

#### IV. Love (v. 34).

Love for father and brother underlies all of the courage, conviction and self-sacrifice of a man like Judah. In his younger years, and possibly under the influence of his brothers, he had failed in that respect, but now his real devotion to his brother was evident.

That affection was a real, powerful and beautiful thing, and yet it is but a faint prefiguring of the affection of the One who "sticketh closer than a brother," who "though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might be rich" (Prov. 18:24, II Cor. 8:9).

Let us improve the opportunity to review our relations with our own family, to determine whether there is aught that we in intelligent and courageous self-sacrifice should do for our own. Concern for family will pay rich dividends, especially in these days of broken homes and disturbed personal relationships. Love will do more than anything else to hold us together.

## Farm Topics

### Aluminum Paint to Improve Old Farms

#### Delay Deterioration By Proper Painting

One of the most common tell-tale signs of deterioration on the farm is blistered and peeling paint. Yet, paint does remain one of the quickest and most practical of "repair" materials and the best way of stopping deterioration.

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Paint adds to life of building.

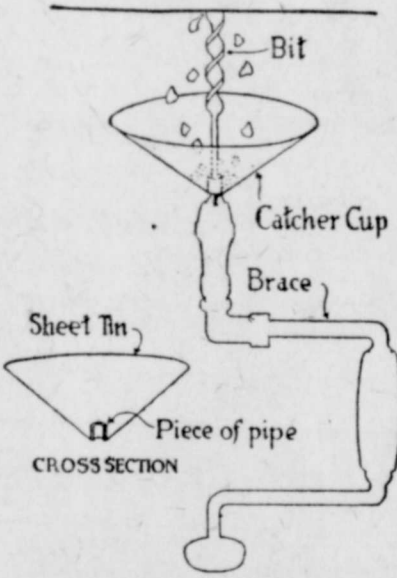
than every 10 years. Cheap white paints will not last that long.

Aluminum paint is recommended for agricultural uses because it can be applied satisfactorily to almost any kind of paintable surface. It serves equally well on steel, wood, brick, concrete, plaster, wallboard, galvanized iron, asphalt roofing and even canvas.

Aluminum paint is an effective temperature reducer. A coat on the roof of an uninsulated building will reduce the interior temperature of that building by as much as 10 to 14 degrees. The reduction is effective in a chicken coop, hog house, dairy barn, milk or egg building or the home. Because aluminum paint reflects approximately 70 per cent of the heat striking it, roof temperature as high as 140 degrees can be reduced to 95 or 100 degrees.

Because of its high moisture-proofing powers and its ability to withstand washing as well as constant exposure to steam, fume and other corrosive agencies, aluminum paint has long been widely applied in dairies and similar plants. It is also used to protect all kinds of farm equipment and machinery.

### Catch Boring Waste



Cup on Brace Catches Borings from Overhead.

When using a brace and bit to bore a hole in wood that is overhead, and prevent the borings from falling into the eyes, a funnel may be utilized. The bit extends through the funnel, giving it freedom, but holds the cup in place.

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## AROUND THE HOUSE

To brighten overshoes, rub with a cloth moistened with diluted ammonia, wash with soap and water, then rinse.

If seams in flour bin or sugar drawer aren't tightly sealed, pour melted paraffin over them and let it harden.

Stitch a crocheted motif of fine thread over holes in tablecloths and dresser scarves. Cut away worn or damaged fabric underneath. Additional motifs make the crocheted work look intentional.

Cover photographs in folders with a piece of cellophane pasted inside the folder. Then when the cellophane gets soiled, slip it out and replace it with a clean piece. In this way the photograph is kept clean.

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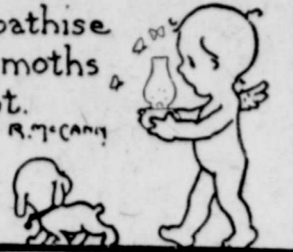
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A Bell for Adano  
By John Hersey

THE STORY THUS FAR: The American troops arrived at Adano, a seaport in Italy, with Major Victor Joppolo, the Amgot officer in charge. Sergeant Borth, an M.P., was in charge of security. The Major set out at once to win the confidence of the citizens and promised to replace the town bell which the Germans had taken. General Marvin, chief of American forces in that section, was delayed at the outskirts of Adano, by a cart driven by Errante Gaetano. The General ordered the cart thrown off the road and the mule shot. He then ordered Major Joppolo to see that all carts were kept out of the city in the future. The orders were issued against the wishes and better judgment of the Major.

CHAPTER VII

Erba, like the town, had run dry. He turned to his friends. One of them said: "Erba, the proclamation, the matter of being clean."

Erba said: "Oh yes, the proclamation. In one proclamation, Mister Major, I forget the number of the proclamation, there are so many, does the number matter, Mister Major?"

"No, Erba. I am sorry, there are too many proclamations." And the Major turned to Erba's friends, who were a little more intelligent and would understand. "That is the fault of the authorities. I did not wish to post so many proclamations. That is not my fault. I am sorry. The number does not matter, Erba."

Erba said: "The number does not matter. The proclamation says it is necessary to be clean. It says the people must be clean with water, and even the streets must be clean. Our streets, which have been the same since the time of—who was it the time of, Afronti?"

Afronti roared: "Since the time of Pietro of Aragona and of Roberto King of Naples."

Erba said: "The streets have been the same. Now the proclamation speaks of being clean with water. There is much sameness which has accumulated on the streets since the time of those men of whom Afronti speaks. This being clean takes much water. My cart is on the other side of the bridge, Mister Major."

Major Joppolo said: "The cleanliness is very important, Erba. Let us make Adano the cleanest town in the whole province of Vicinamare."

Erba caught the challenge. His eye brightened. "We will do this thing, even if the sameness has piled up since the time of Jesus, Mister Major." Then his eye went dull again. "But my cart is on the other side of the bridge. You have said it may not pass."

The Major said: "Let the next one speak. You. Your name." And he pointed at the third man with his pen.

Erba said: "Thank you, Mister Major."

The third man jumped up. He was quite fat but comparatively handsome. His hair was plastered down with something off the axle of his cart, and his black coat was the newest looking of the four. "Basile Giovanni, Mister Major," he said.

"You wish?" And then, with great craft, Basile said: "There is nothing in all the proclamations, even though it takes you a week to read them, which says that the Americans came to Adano in order to make people die of hunger. And there is nothing in all the proclamations which refers to such things as the dead mule of Errante Gaetano. Why then do we have this thing of the carts?"

The Major reached for the field telephone, cranked the handle and said: "Give me Rowboat Blue Forward."

While he waited for an answer, the Major said to Basile gruffly: "Sit down."

"Hello. This Rowboat Blue Forward? Captain Purvis, please."

"Purvis? Joppolo. Listen. . . . "No, now this is serious, Purvis. This thing about the carts. I've made up my mind. By one sentence General Marvin destroyed the work of nine days in this town. I know it may mean a court martial, but I've decided to countermand his order. What?"

"I know I'm taking a chance, but I've got to do it. We can't let these people starve. . . .

"I have to do it, Purvis. This town is dying. No food can get into the town if the carts don't come. The town depends on the carts for water: there isn't any running water here, you know that. The people can't go out into the fields to work in the morning. Taking carts away from this town is like taking automobiles away from a country town in the States. You just can't do it all at once. People will die. I'm not here to kill people."

Captain Purvis evidently put up an argument.

Finally the Major said: "Purvis,

I order you, on my authority, to start letting carts back into the town, beginning now. I take absolute and complete responsibility for countermanding General Marvin's order. . . .

"Listen friend, if we never took chances around here, this place would go right on being a Fascism. All right, it's on my responsibility." The three cartmen sat through the telephone conversation not comprehending. To judge by their faces they seemed to think that Major Joppolo was devising some punishment for them. They had the habit of fear, and they thought that this man of authority would of course be exactly like the men of authority they had known for so long.

Major Joppolo hung up. He turned to the three cartmen and said: "You may bring your carts into the town."

For a long moment they did not understand. Then they stood up and began shouting and waving their caps.

"We thank you, we thank you and we kiss your hand," they roared.

"Oh, Mister Major, there has never been a thing like this," the fat



"Their bellies are big ones with the gas of hunger."

one named Basile shouted, "that the poor should come to the Palazzo di Citta, and that their request should be granted."

"Especially," shouted the loud one named Afronti, "especially without a wait of two to three weeks."

"It was not necessary to write you a letter," Basile shouted.

"The police did not even examine us," roared Afronti.

The slow one named Erba finally got out a sentence. It was one of the few beautiful sentences he ever managed to say, and one of the longest. He said: "When the people come and take water from my cart to drink for their thirst, I shall say to them: 'Thank the Mister Major, my friends.'"

Major Joppolo said: "Get out of here. You are wasting my time and the time of all the people who are waiting outside that door." And he gestured impatiently at the men.

The cartmen went out, shouting and congratulating America.

On the morning when Major Joppolo called about the carts, there were three men in the main office of the M.P.'s. Besides Captain Purvis, there were Technical Sergeant Frank Trapani, who kept Captain Purvis's records and was more or less his secretary, and Corporal Chuck Schultz, who was the M.P. on guard.

Captain Purvis put down the telephone and said: "That Joppolo, I think he's nuts."

Sergeant Trapani said: "What's he done now, sir?"

"Oh," the Captain said, "he's always talking about democracy like it was his mother. He ought to relax and have a little fun. Bet he's never been drunk in his life."

Corporal Schultz said: "He can have this Dago wine." He put his hands over his belly and made a face.

The Captain said: "Besides, he's going to get us all in trouble."

Sergeant Trapani said: "What's he done, sir?"

An Italian stuck his head in the door just out of curiosity.

"Get out of here, Trapani, tell that wop to get out of here and stay

out." Captain Purvis did not speak a word of Italian, and it made him feel frustrated. Trapani told the curious one to move along.

"The carts," Captain Purvis said. "Joppolo has the nerve to tell General Marvin he knows where he can stick the carts, he wants them to come back into town."

Sergeant Trapani said: "It wasn't a very wise order in the first place, I think maybe the Major's right."

"Right?" Captain Purvis put his palm against his cheek in a gesture of amazement. "Why, man, General Marvin'll shoot him and us too. What do you think this man's army would be like if everybody just did what he wanted and went around countermanding orders every day? We got little enough discipline in our army anyhow without going around ignoring orders, especially from generals." Captain Purvis had been commissioned just eight months. He was very military.

"Yes, sir," Sergeant Trapani said. He knew what to say when his Captain started lecturing on discipline.

"Well, I got my orders," the Captain said. "I got to go out and take the guards off the road by the bridge and the sulphur works. But listen, I'm not going to burn for this guy Joppolo. He's all right, but he's just too serious. I'd sure like to see him high just once."

Corporal Schultz said: "Last night, oh, I'll never drink that stuff again." "Listen," the Captain said. "I don't want to get in trouble and you don't either. We got to carry out this order and let the carts back in, but if General Marvin should drive back through this town, we'd all get hung for it. Just to cover ourselves, we'll make out a report saying just what happened, that General Marvin ordered us to keep the carts out, that Major Joppolo countermanded the order. You make it out, Trapani, and send it to G-one of the division."

"Yes, sir," Captain Purvis left.

Sergeant Trapani said to Schultz: "That's a fine note, General Marvin's liable never to come back here, and if he did he'd probably never notice the carts. But once you get the thing on paper, it's just a sure way to ruin the Major. And he's so right about these carts anyway."

Corporal Schultz said: "Don't bother me, I got a headache of my own this morning."

Sergeant Trapani rolled a slip of purple paper, off a Fascist pad, into his typewriter. He wrote: "For Lieutenant Colonel W. W. Norris, G-1, 49th Division.

"From Captain N. Purvis, 123rd M. P. Company, Adano.

"Subject: Mule Carts, town of Adano.

"1. On July 19, orders were received from General Marvin, 49th Division, to keep all mule carts out of the town of Adano. Guards were posted at bridge over Rosso River and at Cacopardo Sulphur Refinery. Order carried out.

"2. On July 20, guards were removed on order of Major Victor Joppolo, Civil Affairs Officer, town of Adano, because carts were essential to town and town was in bad shape without same."

Sergeant Trapani read over what he had written.

Then he said: "Schultz, listen to this, do you think this'll get the Major in trouble?" And he read the report out loud. "I thought that part about the town needing the carts might make it okay for the Major."

"What's this Major to you?" Schultz said. "If he can't have any fun, what's he to you?"

Sergeant Trapani said: "Oh, nothing, I just hate to see a guy get in trouble when he's trying to do right."

Schultz said: "Well, then, why don't you let the order get lost in Captain Purvis's papers? Don't bother me, I feel awful."

Sergeant Trapani looked hard at Corporal Schultz. Then he stood up and went over to Captain Purvis's desk and put the purple slip in the middle of a disorderly pile of papers which Captain Purvis touched only in adding to it.

"Good idea," Trapani said. "You're Eyetalian," Schultz said, "what do these Eyetalians put in their booze?"

Early the next week, Giuseppe the interpreter came to Major Joppolo in some embarrassment.

"I'm a sorry, boss," he said. "About what?" the Major said.

"Boss, you say you want a go out with a blonde a Tina. I'm a sorry, boss."

"I never said any such thing, Giuseppe. What's got into you?"

"Boss, you tell a me other day you want a see Tina's old a man."

"Yes, I do want to see him."

"I'm a sorry, boss."

"Well, what's that got to do with going out with the blonde?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

JUST RELATIVITY

Jasper—My father and mother are cousins.  
Joan—So what?  
Jasper—That's why I look so much alike.

Ain't It So?  
Cop—What's the idea of parking in front of the school entrance?  
Motorist—Well, the sign said, "Fine for parking!"

That's Clear  
"When girls say 'no' do they mean 'no'?"  
"No."

Male Birds of Paradise But Eat and Court Ladies

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## FUTURE OF LEND-LEASE NOW HELD IN DOUBT

WASHINGTON. — Shenanigans are starting for the dispensing of credit-and-loan billions abroad to replace lend-lease. Mr. Truman announced the good news about the let-down in lend-lease spending, and Mr. Crowley simultaneously took the credit to taxpayers for the news that Britain, Russia, France, China and the rest of the world were coming in with their hands out to him now. Every news reader is naturally asking himself the question what kind of a bargain did we get, or are we going to get? It should be a good bargain because the rest of the world is politically non-co-operative with us in certain glaring examples of foreign policies, but must have our financial help.

The answer is nowhere apparent yet, in front of or behind the news, but some doubtful aspects are discernible to those in the financial know-how.

Take Britain first, the biggest and most-easily-seen case. An American letter to business men, purporting to carry official British viewpoint (although it does not always say so) justifies large loans to London on the ground that the proposed Socialism for the British mines and transport (their purchase by the government) is to be financed by self-liquidating bonds — so we naturally can have no interest in them. That is the kind of propaganda to appeal to the American business mind — self-liquidating loans are sound. They pay themselves off from profits. So, concludes the propaganda letter, there could not possibly be able objection to them in the United States.

The propaganda neglects to reveal to our people the one salient fact of the matter which would knock that whole appeal into a doublecocked Homburg, namely that British Socialism contemplates also taking over the Bank of England, which, of course, is the most important consideration in her future credit standing.

Any American business man who thinks of that fact (he will have to think of it himself because the propagandists will not tell him) will immediately say to himself: "Why, if the Socialists are to abolish the standards of credit of Capitalism in their best, and perhaps change it from day to day, or run it in any direction they want, I would not make them a loan. I would make them give me some unchangeable assurance of financial good faith before I would even consider it."

### Cancelled Last Loans.

Now their argument (the British) is that they had to have the Johnson act repealed to cancel their last war debt; the London economist was put up to say that a 50-cents-on-the-dollar settlement is necessary to pull them out of lend-lease red (although no one else said anything officially about paying anything), and they are in a desperate financial plight for dollars, credit and internally from their terrific war debt—but they want more debt from us and want to increase their internal debt untold billions more for Socialism and make their people pay the interest. That sounds like a one-sided proposition.

To put it in its simplest terms: Britain wants us to pull her out of the red and yet have her way, exclusive of our interests in any particular. (Her government told parliament it would be awful for us to interfere with her wishes in any way.)

This same proposition is being sold to the public in an equally clever political way. The news accounts out of the Crowley press conference (quite plainly presenting off-the-record material) said a \$3,000,000,000 loan to Britain was being discussed but British officials were anxious to make some arrangements "concerning external debts incurred during the war before taking on additional outside debts." Not a word was mentioned about Britain taking on more internal debts by purchasing her own industries — ones which she already controls in the public interest. Our officialdom just let it be known "some way would have to be found to carry Britain over the bumpy road ahead," but not a word that I see about what we would get out of it in any particular.

## Lost Child's Best Friend Is Sad-Eyed Bloodhound

### These Dogs Find Hundreds Of Little Strays Annually

Even the expression on bloodhounds' faces is classed as being worrisome. But whether they develop the worry over the possibility of failure (happily rare) in following a scent or from the inborn knowledge that their mission in life is not the happy one of canine housepets, we would hardly be in a position to know.

The bloodhound is among the most useful friends of man. While your family pet may bring in the morning paper, how would he do in finding your child, lost in some dense woods? He'd fail, no doubt, but not through any fault of his own. It's just that the hound-type of dog has been blessed with the keenest scent of all canines, and the bloodhounds' scent leads all others in keenness.

When bloodhounds chased Eliza across the ice in "Uncle Tom's Cabin" we didn't have much respect for the breed. But under the right masters, the state police, bloodhounds come into their own as peerless

trackers of the hunted criminal, or a lost man or child. Originally the breed, having come upon the hunted quarry, would tear it to pieces. This ferocity has been bred out of the bloodhound, however, and in its place is a hunting skill implemented by the knowledge of man and a stick-to-it-iveness which brooks no failure. Once the hunted is found, the dog's job is done, unless ordered to the attack by his master.

At the Hawthorne, N. Y., state police barracks, Cpl. W. W. Horton looks after the canine family. He has five trained hounds, recently supplemented by a set of quintuplets he is now training for trailing. Training is begun when a bloodhound is 18 months old and it will take from two to six months before a dog will be entrusted with a mission. As a result of this training many a home is free from tragedy. So long as children will wander off without their parents, so long will the bloodhound be "child's best friend."

Pictures show Corporal Horton allowing the dog to take a good whiff of a lost child's clothing. The hound is then taken around the spot where the child was last seen. Once the keen-scented animal gets started in the right direction, he will follow the trail to the end, which is pictured below. Here the hound comes upon the exhausted child asleep in the underbrush.



## National Dog Week

National Dog Week is being observed this year under the general chairmanship of Robert L. ("Believe-It-or-Not") Ripley the week of September 16 to 22. This year marks the 18th consecutive observance of National Dog Week, a movement of non-profit character which aims to make the dog more valuable to his owner and more acceptable to the non-owner. Through its seven-point educational program National Dog Week seeks to serve dog owner and non-dog owner alike while safeguarding the welfare and future of all dogs.

The observance takes the form of a tribute to the dog and is designed to carry over into peacetime the good will he has won for himself by his outstanding performance on the war front. It is being marked by humane societies, veterinarians, kennels, kennel clubs, obedience clubs and similar organizations, and there will be special educational displays during the week in schools, libraries, department stores, pet shops, book stores, grocery stores, feed stores, drug stores, and hardware stores. Colorful posters, stickers, etc., feature a picture of a U. S. coast-guardsmen and his war-dog buddy.



## Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE



For that Starry-Eyed look, rest your eyes! Cover them with a pack of cotton saturated with eye lotion, or a mild skin freshener. Just drift and dream for a few minutes. Then clever, makeup and clever "making with the eyes" to capture his heart! Ledger Syndicate.—WNU Features.

## Atomic Bombs Are Called Cheaper to Use Than TNT

OAK RIDGE, TENN. — Atomic bombing is cheaper and more economical than the use of TNT as an explosive, Col. Kenneth D. Nichols, district engineer of the Manhattan Engineer district, said recently at a press conference.

"Figuring the cost of the 2,000 bombers it would take to drop a similar destructive charge, atomic bombing is cheaper both in costs and in men's lives," he said. "The number of men that atomic bombing enables to stay far behind the lines must be considered."

He said also that construction is continuing at Oak Ridge.

"But what we have produced here was done more to help end the war than is shown in the expenditure of \$2,000,000,000."

Nichols said the safety record for the Manhattan district was better than for army engineering construction as a whole.

## Danger of Infantile Paralysis Infection Always Greater in August and September

September is the month when infantile paralysis (poliomyelitis) reaches its highest incidence. There are usually about 3,000 cases reported throughout the country during this month. This year the total number of cases seems to be lower than last year, but in certain areas there has been a startling increase.

New Jersey has reported more than 400 cases this year, compared with 95 last year. Tennessee has 92, a four-fold increase over last year. A decided upturn has also occurred in Alabama, Connecticut, the District of Columbia, Georgia, Massachusetts, Missouri, Oklahoma and South Carolina.

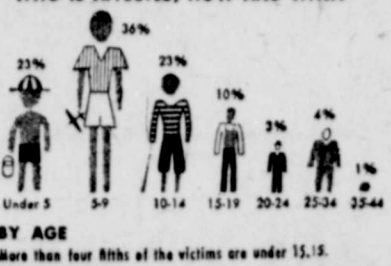
The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis is giving its assistance to every community where an outbreak of the disease is of such proportions as to be considered serious. Funds are ready where local support is inadequate to cope with the infection. Local chapters of the foundation may call for aid whenever they need it.

In Birmingham, Ala., for instance, which had an unusually large number of cases this year, physicians and the city health department decided to establish a special ward in one of the unused sections of the Hillman General hospital. The Birmingham chapter was called in and assisted with a good deal of the cleanup work which made it possible to get the ward ready within three days. The Na-

tional foundation, at the request of the Birmingham health department, recruited some physical therapists and rounded up some hot-pack equipment.

Birmingham was one of the first cities in the country to organize a class of Polio Emergency volunteers. The "PEV" program was designed

### WHO IS AFFECTED, HOW AND WHEN



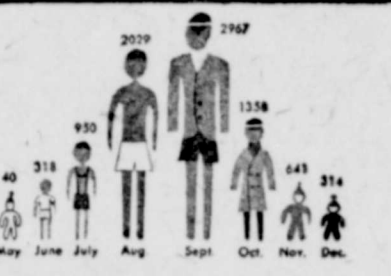
BY AGE  
More than four fifths of the victims are under 15.



BY SEX  
More of the cases are among males—reason unknown.



RESULTS OF INFECTION  
Proper care of victims helps restore functions of weakened muscles, reduces the need for crutches and braces.



SEASONAL PATTERN (seven-year average)  
Unlike other virus-borne diseases, polio strikes in summer. Cases between January-May are comparatively few.

(Charts by Louk Magazins from figures compiled by National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis)

by the National foundation to train people to act as "nurses aids."

In other areas around the country where large numbers of cases have been reported, chapters are co-operating with local officials in making preparations to provide proper treatment and care for patients. Cabinet type "iron lung" respirators are being inspected to make sure they are in good condition and location lists of emergency equipment are available.

The National foundation, through its own chapters and through organized medical and nursing groups, is distributing educational material. It has awarded more than 70 scholarships in its \$1,267,600 program to train urgently needed physical therapists.

Newspapers and magazines are co-operating by printing articles explaining the disease and outlining precautions.

## "GAY GADGETS"

Associated Newspapers—WNU Features.

By NANCY PEPPER

### LOG O' RHYTHMS

Are you in a come about Perry? Are you in a swoon about Sinatra? Or are you in a haze about Haymes? Well, it really doesn't matter, because you'll want to know the latest results of our own hit parade. Here are some of the platters the teens are playing and praising.



- "I Begged Her" and "If You Were But a Dream" by Frankie.
- "I'm Beginning to See the Light" by Harry James and Kitty Kallen.
- "Candy" by Johnny Mercer and Jo Stafford.
- "My Dreams Are Getting Better" by Bing Crosby.
- "Duration Blues" by Johnny Mercer.
- "The Boy Next Door" by Judy Garland.
- "There, I've Said It Again" by Vaughn Monroe.

### UP IN THE AIR

Did you know that lots of girls and boys travelled by AIR this summer to get to their summer camps? Camp directors tell us that they're having trouble getting train accommodations for their campers and counselors, so they've chartered planes to do the trick. Flying up to summer camp makes News to-

day, but, by the Day-After-Tomorrow, it will probably be a regular custom. This is definitely a note for the "Signs of the Times" department. Just file it away under "Postwar Progress."

### WIT PARADE

Hi, fish, bite the bait—we have some new giggle gags that will make you fan your fins. You're an Ichabod (that's Washington Irving for "icky") if you don't know them.

**\$64 Questions**  
What did the class say to the teacher just before the exams?  
"Is This Test Necessary?"

**Why are your report-card marks under water?**  
Because they're all below "C" level.

**What do a cow and ducks remind you of?**  
Quackers and Milk.

### TRIXIE TEEN SAYS—

Wouldn't you like to know the \$64 answers to these questions? Why does the telephone always ring just as you get into the bathtub? Why does your favorite boy wait until you have a date to ask you for one? Why is your best dress always at the cleaner's when you need it most? Why does your hair look out-of-this-world when it doesn't matter? Why do the stars wait until your Big Moment finally dances with you to cut in? Why do you always meet the Man in Your Life when you're looking like a Foul Fiend? Why bother to ask these questions—and why bother to answer?



# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



When Company Comes  
High Degree of Ingenuity  
Is Essential to Success



A low-point roast made with frankfurters and bread stuffing can be nice enough to serve for company. Fried apple rings make a pretty and delicious garnish for this crown roast.

Have you ever in a moment of social graciousness invited someone to drop in for dinner and then discovered that the ration books cannot offer much help? This happens to all of us these days, but there are ways and means to skirt around this situation.

Did you know that a roast can be made from a few frankfurters and that it can taste as good and look as luscious as a prewar steak? Or, if the sugar bowl is bare, syrup can sweeten the cake and syrup can make an icing that stands in frothy peaks?

And remember, too, there are no curbs on the niceties of serving. Good linens, shining silverware, sparkling glassware and attractive china will dress a table beautifully. A bowl of garden-fresh flowers or an arrangement of your own orchard's fruits can add personality touches even to simple dinners.

Now, here's the first dinner suggestion:

- Melon Ball Fruit Cup
- Frankfurter Crown Roast
- Fried Apple Rings Broccoli
- Orange Rolls
- Lettuce Salad French Dressing
- Peanut Brittle Sugarless Cake
- Iced Tea or Coffee

### Frankfurter Crown Roast.

- (Serves 6)
- 3 tablespoons salad oil
  - 1/2 cup chopped onions
  - 3 cups soft bread crumbs
  - 2 cups diced carrots
  - 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
  - 1/4 teaspoon pepper
  - 1/4 teaspoon marjoram
  - 1/2 cup chopped parsley
  - 2 eggs
  - 6 frankfurters

Heat oil. Add onions and simmer until soft. Do not brown. Combine bread crumbs, carrots, salt, pepper, marjoram and parsley. Add the slightly beaten eggs, the onions and the oil in which the onions were cooked. Mix well. Turn into the center of an oiled shallow pan and shape into a round loaf about 4 inches in diameter.

Cut frankfurters in half, the split lengthwise. Arrange, skin side out, around carrot loaf, overlapping

one another.

### Lynn Says

**If Recipe Doesn't Fit the Family:** If you run across recipes that are too large for the family, let the following hints be your guide:

One-fourth to one-third pound of lean meat is a good proportion to use for one serving. When buying a roast, plan to serve it for several meals.

One-half to two-thirds of a cup of vegetables are good guides to vegetable serving.

Don't try to divide eggs in small recipes. Too much egg is better than not enough and more than the recipe calls for will have little effect on the result, but will add more nourishment.

When making half a muffin recipe, fill empty tins with water to protect the cups.

Cake and cookie recipes should not be divided. Both keep well for several days to a week, and a larger quantity can be made safely.

### Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menus

- Creamed Eggs with Peas on Toast
- Baked Tomatoes
- Broiled Mushrooms
- Cole Slaw Salad
- Corn Bread Sticks Jelly
- \*Peanut Brittle Sugarless Cake
- \*Recipe given.

them slightly. Tie a string around the frankfurter crown and secure with a few toothpicks above and below string. Brush frankfurters with oil. Bake, uncovered, in a moderate (375-degree) oven for 30 to 35 minutes. Remove from pan, using pancake turner or wide spatula, and place on a hot platter. Garnish with fried apple rings.

### \*Peanut Brittle Sugarless Cake.

- (Makes 2 8-inch layers)
- 2 1/2 cups cake flour
  - 2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
  - 1/4 teaspoon salt
  - 1/2 cup shortening
  - 1 cup light, bottled syrup
  - 2 eggs
  - 1/2 cup milk
  - 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla extract
  - 1/4 cup crushed or chopped peanut brittle

Sift the flour. Measure and sift again with baking powder and salt. Cream shortening. Add syrup gradually, beating after each addition. Add well-beaten eggs and beat until thoroughly blended. Add sifted dry ingredients with the milk, beating after each addition. Add vanilla and the crushed or chopped peanut brittle. Turn batter into two lightly greased tins. Bake in a moderately hot (375-degree) oven for 25 to 30 minutes.

### Syrup Frosting.

- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 egg whites
- 1 cup light, bottled syrup
- 1/4 teaspoon lemon extract
- 1/4 teaspoon almond extract
- 1/4 cup crushed or chopped peanut brittle

Add salt to egg whites and beat with rotary beater until stiff. Add syrup gradually, beating after each addition. Continue beating until mixture stands in peaks. Add extracts. Put between layers and on top and sides of cake. Decorate top of cake with crushed peanut brittle.

Here is an alternate menu plan for making wartime entertaining easier for you.

- Chilled Tomato Juice
- Individual Beef Loaves
- Creamed Potatoes
- Green Beans Garnished with Pimiento
- Molded Cottage Cheese and Cucumber Salad
- Homemade Wheat Bread
- Lemon Upside-Down Cake
- Beverage



Crushed peanut brittle and syrup provide all the sweetening necessary for this lovely glamour cake. Sugarless frosting also made without sugar stands in high, beautiful peaks and stays soft.

### Individual Beef Loaves.

- (Serves 6)
- 1 1/2 pounds ground beef
  - 1 tablespoon beef broth
  - 2 tablespoons chopped onion
  - 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
  - 1/4 teaspoon pepper
  - 1 1/2 cups dry bread crumbs
  - 1 3/4 cups milk
  - 1 egg

Lightly mix all ingredients together. Avoid over-mixing. Shape into six individual loaves. Set aside in baking pan and bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven for 40 minutes. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

### Gems of Thought

Nothing in life is more wonderful than faith—the one great moving force which we can neither weigh in the balance, nor test in the crucible.—Sir William Osler.

If there is any person to whom you feel dislike, that is the person of whom you ought never to speak.—Cecil.

The man who makes no mistakes does not usually make anything.—Phelps.

'Tis a meaner part of sense to find a fault than taste an excellence.—Rochester.

God offers to every mind its choice between truth and repose.—Emerson.

## ASK ME ? ANOTHER ?

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

### The Questions

1. Does an ostrich bury its head in the sand in order to hide?
2. In playing the flute, the velocity of air necessary is equivalent to that of a hurricane, or at the rate of how many miles an hour?
3. "God made the sea; we made the shore" is a proverb belonging to what nation?
4. The temperature of the moon drops 400 degrees at sunset. Why doesn't the earth's temperature drop considerably?
5. For what purpose was the

Leaning Tower of Pisa erected?

6. Are the words "key" and "quay" homonyms?

### The Answers

1. No. It grubs for food with its bill.
2. Seventy-five miles or more.
3. The Dutch.
4. The earth is blanketed by air which holds the heat caused by the rays of the sun.
5. It was erected as a bell tower for the Cathedral of Pisa.
6. Yes, they are pronounced identically.

## Book Shelves Built Around That Old Wash Stand Add to It a New Dignity



IF YOU have a wash stand of the bowl and pitcher era, here is a way to give it new dignity. Add open shelves at the ends with a new base and top for the whole piece, and you have smart, long lines for a chest to fill an important wall space. The shelves are added to the ends of the stand first with small angle irons. The end boards come next, then the top of plywood with a plain finishing piece around it. The new baseboard is then added and the piece is finished to match the woodwork.

The sketch also shows a framed panel which helps to give the ensemble quite an air. It is an old picture frame with a remnant of flowered chintz stretched over cardboard and varnished.

NOTE: This furniture remodeling idea is from Book 10 of the series of home-making booklets offered with these articles. This 32-page booklet is full of ideas for using things on hand to make attractive homes and at the same time save money. To get a copy of Book 10 send 15c with name and address direct to:

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