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### Highway Meeting Well Attended

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Representatives from Roswell Hope, Cloudcroft and Alamogor- by both the pastor and his wife. A do were guests of the Artesia prayer by the pastor brought the Chamber of Commerce Thursday noon at a luncheon served in the basement of the Christian church. There was a large attendance and great interest was shown in the J. C. Buckner and son Calborne super highway that will some day left Saturday for Albuquerque and extend from Savanah, Georgia to extend from Savanah, Georgia to For the past two weeks Ray Hill the west coast. After the luncheon and John Hardin have been working Mr. Ralph Petty, president of the for Carl Lewis near Artesia.

Mrs. John R. Moore returned Wed-Artesia Chamber of Commerce, nesday from Huntington, Ind., where called the meeting to order. A few remarks were made by some odist church gathered Wednesday of the visitors after which Mr. and Thursday and began repair work of the visitors, after which Mr. Hoover, chairman of the Texas and New Mexico highway committees, gave a brief review of o'clock. what had been accomplished so far. This was followed by the election of three vice presidents cos Texas. from New Mexico who are: Mr. Johnson, of Hobbs, who is chairman of the Lea county commissioners; Mr. Moss of Carlsbad, who is chairman of the Chamber of Commerce highway committee and Mr. Champion of Alamogor do. As none of the officials draw Hoover that an assessment of 2c Friday, Nov. 23. It will include a bar. out of the service. The vet who wants per month per member of the various Chambers of Commerce whom the route had been levied in the Hope boys has not been set as yet.

Friday, Nov. 23. It will include a barto get a business of his own may find himself being offered—usually 'confidentially' a rare opportunity to buy such an enterprise. But if along the route had been levied. This money is used to defray expenses. (It might be well for the people of Hope to contribute to this fund.) After a request for cooperation by Mr. Petty the meeting came to a close with everyone expressing themselves well satisfied with the hospitality of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce and with the good that had been accomplished.

#### AN OLD TIME METHODIST POUNDING

A large group of friends knocked at the door of the Methodist parsonage Monday night with their arms and Mrs. Ed Watts. full of all kinds of good things to eat such as fruit, vegetables, jelly, can-dy, preserves, eggs, milk, butter, etc., in fact almost everything in the line dy, preserves, eggs, milk, butter, etc., in fact almost everything in the line of food stuffs. Among the gifts were two e chings by a great artist as well as other things not edible. The secret had been so closely guarded that the pounding came as a complete surprise to those in the parsonage. A most pleasant social hour

Hobbs, Lovington, Carlsbad, was enjoyed during which time ex-

she had been visiting her mother Some of the members of the Methon the church.

A meeting of the Hope Extension Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Joe Young on Nov. 21 at 2:00 Rev. E. A. Drew and Geo. Teel left early Tuesday morning to attend a two days Missionary Institute at Pe-

Claborne Buckner, Hoyt Keller and Madeline Prude attended a din-ner at Carlsbad last Friday night in honor of members of the 200th Coast

Miss Eva Newsom, daughter of Mr. nd Mrs. M. C. Newsom and John Jeel son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Neel were married in El Paso Tuesday, Nov. 6. The young couple are

making their home in Hope. Otero County's Home Coming celebration for her liberated prisoners not been set as yet.

Miss Ruth Potter and Miss Nancy Joy are honoring Mrs. persons he deals with or the sound-John Neel, the former Miss Eva Newsom, with a wedding shower at the gym Wednesday, Nov. 14. at 3 p. m. Come one, come all, public was defrauded of more than your gifts will be appreciated.

#### **DUNKEN NEWS**

Artesia with his family. well, spent the week end at the Watts

Mrs. Deibert Ivans took her son

Stanley, to Artesia for some dental work last Thursday and again Tues-

#### Therapy Treatments

HELP THIS SAILOR—At Bethesda Naval Hospital, Maryland, is Pfc. Vincent De Sensi, USMCR, being given therapy treatment by WAVE Pat Ketterman, pharmacist mate third class, as part of his rehabilitation made possible by War Bond dollars. The Victory Loan will help untold others, too. (Navy Photo.)

#### **Editorial Comment**

#### ARMISTICE DAY

Like a ghost from the past the anniversary of Armistice Day rises to remind us of the great good that the fervent hopes and joyous expec-tations that were born that day did not live long. They were suffocated in the atmosphere of intense national selfishness, jealousy and pow-er politics. In 1918 men thought that lasting peace could be attained thru Madeline Prude made a business trip to Roswell Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Meador was up from Artesia Tuesday evening.

J. C. Buckner and son Calborna the spirit. Conferences without cooperation, agreements without adherence to them, signatures without sincerity-all these led down to a repetition of the holocaust of 1914-18. Armistice Day of 1945 finds us telling ourselves that "this time" the sacrifices of our boys and girls will not have been in vain. They need not be, but their sacrifices alone cannot insure peace. Permanent peace must grow out of the day to day efforts of men, women and children of all nations to deal with each other tolerantly, patiently and understandingly. In other words practice the golden rule in whatever we are doing. If this be done the haunting ghost of Armistice Day will vanish, for the great good which that day promised will be achieved.

#### DANGER. RACKETS AT WORK

With nearly 50,000 men pouring out of the ranks daily with their discharge pay in their pockets American Better Business Bureaus are warning them and all citizens, to be alert for bunco artists and confidence men who make money by "relieving" the unsuspecting of their hard earned money. Among 750 rack-ets used to defraud the public many he hands over his money before carefully checking the character of the ness of the enterprise he may find that his benefactors, the business and his money have have suddenly vanished into thin air. In the years im-mediately after 1918 the American \$400 million in Liberty Bonds and other savings. With the present savings far exceeding the 1918 figures the smooth-talking, fast working gen-Bill Watts spent Tuesday night in try aim to reap a much bigger har-rtesia with his family. vest this time. Better Business Bu-Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Watts, of Ros- reaus are waging a determined fight eil, spent the week end at the Watts to prevent this but the degree of their success will depend largely up-Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McGuire and on public cooperation. Here are a children were Roswell visitors Saturday.

Raymond Davenport, of Wichita new or old. 2. Don't allow yourself
Fails, is visiting in the home of Mr to be rushed into a deal. 3. Be wary of secret transactions. 4. Investigate thoroughly before you invest. 5. Don't hesitate to investigate or to ask the advice of reputable citizens. Remember, it's your hard-earned money. Protect it to the best of your

> The 25th annual observance of American Education Week will be held the week of Nov. 11-17. Inaugurated in 1921, this observance grew out of the recognition of the need for better schooling for the youth of America. In World War I no less than 25 per cent of the men exam-ined for military service were found to be illiterate.

> The goal of \$11 billion could have been reached in the first few days of the Victory Loan Drive if the U. S. Treasury had been willing to let large investment companies buy all the bonds. But the Treasury wants to sell at least \$4 billion to individuals, in order to maintain the financial stability of the Nation.

After more than 8 years of blood-shed, limp, long-suffering China still looks in vain for peace. World War II is at an end. The invaders have been disarmed. But the smoke of battle still hangs over this unhappy land. It is not Chinese against Japs it is Chinese against Chinese now. For the sake of China and the future peace of the world, something should be done at once.

The fightingest branch of America's armed services celebrates the 170th anniversary of its founding on Nov. 10. It was on that date in 1775 that the Continental Congress au-thorized the recruiting of two battal-ions of Marines. They have fought heroically in every war since. The Marines can be well proud of their history. America can be well proud

#### HOPE SCHOOL NEWS

serve this holiday.

The Hope Yellowjackets lost to the at Stevensons.

Lake Arthur Panthers at Lake Arthur Cecil Munson and Charley Smith thur last Friday night, 24 to 25. The took a load of lambs to Artesia score at the half was 10-10 and at Saturday. They went back to their he end of the game 22-22. In the goats below Pinon Tuesday. three minute overtime Lake Arthur Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Munson and scored 3 points and Hope 2 points. family attended the Brady Magician

the boxes and \$8.65 from the cake raffle. In the popular girl contest \*85.95 was raised to pay for the 12 Raymond Smith got their lambs warm-up jackets for the basketball ready for shipment.

hoys. The Hope school and especially the seniors want to thank the ton were Artesia visitors this week. public for making the box supper a success. It is cooperation of this kind that really gets things accomplished.

Workmen are busy installing the heating system. No basket ball game is scheduled for this week as most of the boys-will

be trying their marksmanship on a goal with horns. The movies for Wednesday, Nov. 14—"Duke of the Navy—Ice Carnival-Bottles.

Boy Scout Troop No. 65 has been formed at Hope. The organization was completed last week with Alvin Kincaid as Troop Chairman and J. P. Menefee and Chester Teague as members of the committee. J. F. Mellard was chosen Scoutmaster and John R. Moore assistant Scoutmaster. Two boys who had qualified as tenderfeet were admitted to the troop and its expected that six more will soon be ready and the first patrol can be completed.

#### **AVIS NEWS**

No school Monday, Nov. 12. All Mary Frances Parks spent last the schools in Eddy county will ob- week with Mrs. W. E. Smith while Cecil was working with the lambs

At the box supper last week the show in the Weed gym Friday night. Mrs. Annie Tanner stayed in the Raymond Smith home last week and kept the children while Mr. and Mrs.



#### Victory Bonds Help Lim



IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA-Be A Buddy; Buy a Victory Bond is the slogan of Southern California students' Victory Bond drive this semester. Demonstrating is Miss Beverly Jeanne Lake of City College of Los Angeles and the attentive (yes, he's ill) soldier is Sergt. Arnulfo Arvizu, wounded infantryman, convalescing at Birmingham General Hospital.

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#### From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

#### **Americans** have a word for it

Bill Larkin's boy, who's back from overseas for good, was telling us about the funny customs and the different languages of European countries.

One thing he noticed is that in so many of those countries there is no word for "home." "House," yes . . . or "building." But no name that stands for what we mean when we say home.

"In spite of the fact," says Bill, "that it's the most important thing there is . . . a place where you can take your shoes

off and let down your hair . . . enjoy a glass of beer before the fire and relax with folks you

From where I sit, that may be an important difference between this country and some others. The conception of home as a place of tolerance and sacred loyalties-where differences of habit and opinion give way before leve and understanding! Yes, we Americans have a name for it!

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#### THROWING THE BULL

Among the stories which have crossed the ocean about those fabuous British Commandos is this story of one who had spent a long eveaing with friends at the village inn. They showed him a quick way home across the fields, forgetting that the local bull was loose.

The bull attacked, not recognizing the Commando's red beret. The unfortunate animal was gripped by the horns and lugged about the field unil it managed to break free and

"Pity I had those last two drinks," said the soldier-matador. "I ought to have got that chap off his bike."

#### Good Neighbor Policy

Jones looked over his garden lence and beckoned to his neighbor. "I say, Smith," he said confiden-"I understand you have Brown's lawn mower." "Yeah, what of it?"

"Well, if you'll let me borrow it occasionally, I'll let you use his take and shovel."

#### Sports Item

Mother - You were supposed to some home from the ball game in an hour, and you stayed nearly two

Boy-It really wasn't my fault, mother. I tried to steal home in the ifth inning, and they wouldn't let



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### Congress Fashions 5½ Billion Dollar Tax Reduction for 1946; Ponder Postwar Army Training

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



With freedom of speech assured under Allied orders, former Japanese political prisoner addresses gathering in Tokyo. Under proposed liberalized constitution, all Nipponese elements would be afforded opportunity for recognition in nation's governmental councils.

#### TAXES: Good News

Though the senate and house had yet to compromise their differences, John Q. Public could look forward to substantial reductions in income taxes in 1946, and American business was assured generous relief for the immediate postwar

No less than 21/2 billion dollars was expected to be lopped off of individual income taxes as a result of provisions for permitting \$500 exemptions for dependents before payment of the normal 3 per cent levy and the scaling down of surtax rates.

Close to another 8 billion dollars was scheduled to be pared from corporation income taxes through substantial reduction or total elimination of the excess profits assessment; repeal of the declared value excess profits and capital stock levies, and graduated decrease in surtax rates on companies with less than \$60,000 net return.

In addition to income tax reductions, the use tax on automobile and boats was expected to be dropped. Solons were divided on the question of wartime luxury levies, however, with the house for cutting present rates to prewar levels July 1 and the senate against the action.

With reserves well over 6 billion dollars, both houses were unanimous in freezing present social security payroll taxes at 1 per cent on employee and employer alike and forestalling an automatic increase to 21/2 per cent apiece January 1.

Under the tax relief bill drawn up by the senate, G.I.s would not be required to pay taxes on service compensation during the war years, and officers would be permitted to spread tax liabilities over a three year period interest free.

#### LABOR:

#### Setting Pattern

With both Henry Ford II and United Automobile Workers' leaders expressing confidence in settlement of a wage adjustment at the company, government officials held high hopes that an agreement might result in the establishment of a postwar pay pattern and clear the way for speedy reconversion.

Government optimism was a welcome note in the dreary labor picture, pointed up by the deadlock in negotiations between the UAW and General Motors over the CIO union's demands for a 30 per cent wage increase to maintain wartime "take-home" pay and the corporation's resistance to the demands because of possible effects on prices.

Setting the pattern for other CIO unions, the UAW declared that General Motors was well able to dip into alleged huge wartime profits to carry over any losses accruing from higher wages until future production reached big volume levels. Reflecting industrial sentiment for its own part, General Motors denied exorbitant wartime earnings and declared any withdrawal from reserves

As the companies and unions clashed, the administration worked on a reconversion wage policy designed to guide negotiations through the troublesome days ahead. Strongly influenced by labor, the government reportedly favored substantial wage boosts to maintain wartime "take-home" pay while freezing prices at prewar levels, except in hardship cases.

would crimp expansion plans.

Giving both capital and labor its say in the formulation of a reconver- stitution.

sion pay program, the government moved slowly in the establishment of policy. Hopes ran high that the forthcoming management-labor parley would result in the voluntary creation of machinery for settlement of important disputes.

#### MILITARY TRAINING: Await Response

Having received President Truman's recommendation for one year of postwar military training for American youth 17 to 20, congress adopted a cautious attitude on the question, with one ear perked for popular reaction and the other for military argument.

Personal congressional response to the President's request varied, with Senator Revercomb (Rep., W. Va.) declaring " . . . I am open minded -I want to hear both sides of this. " while Representative Celler (Dem., N. Y.) exclaimed " . . . We



President Truman asks congress for military training for youth.

want no truck with compulsory mil-

itary conscription. . . . Meanwhile, it was estimated that about 975,000 youth would be called up for training each year under the President's program, with 250,000 rejected for physical or mental deficiencies. Because of weather considerations, the largest number of camps undoubtedly would be located in the south, with regular army officers and non-commissioned officers in charge. Fewer routine tasks, such as kitchen police, would be in store for reservists, military sources said.

#### JAPAN:

#### Reform Imminent

Her military machine smashed. Japan's highly developed economic monopolies, designed for foreign as well as domestic exploitation, also faced imminent dissolution as part of the Allied program to strip Nippon of her war-making potential and democratize the country.

The losers figured to be the five great financial-industrial families of Japan, which, as the dominant civilian powers, had exercised strong pressure on the nation's foreign policies. Backed both politically and financially by the government, the big five, known as the "zaibatsu," were heavy investors in overseas development.

By smashing the "zaibatsu," the Allies planned to loosen their grip over Japanese politics and permit more liberal and democratic elements to exert influence over government direction. At the same time, destruction of the great combines promised freer opportunity for economic development in the coun-

As steps were taken for the dissolution of the "zaibatsu," the political transformation of Japan slowly gained ground with new parties in the development stage and more liberal political institutions impending in the rewriting of the national con-

#### AGRICULTURE: Global Pact

First permanent body of the United Nations, the Food and Agriculture organization (FAO) came into existence in the grand ballroom of the Chateau Frontenac in Quebec, Canada, with 30 nations formally signing its constitution.

Though possessing no executive powers over member nations, FAO seeks, through voluntary interchange of information and effort, to improve agricultural production, raise nutritional standards and better the living conditions of rural populations. Indicative of the big job FAO has on its hands, two-thirds of the world's population is estimated to be ill-fed, with many facing periodic starvation.

Signatories to the FAO constitution include Australia, Belgium, Canada, China, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Egypt, France, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Iceland, India, Iraq, Liberia, Luxembourg, Czechoslovakia, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Peru, Union of South Africa, Philippines, England, United States and Vene-

#### FRANCE:

#### Left Swing

With their fundamental platforms at variance, France's three great political parties - the Communists, Socialists and Popular Republican movement - prepared for the establishment of a new constitution as demanded in the recent elec-

As the three major parties and a smattering of smaller organizations moved to write a new political charter for the country, the Popular Republican movement, backed by General De Gaulle, loomed as a counterweight between the Communists and Socialists. Known as a Catholic Liberal party, and led by Foreign Minister Bidault, the PRM's surprising demonstration of strength in the elections was indicative of the quick defense thrown up by moderate elements against the threat of extreme radicalism.

The new alignment found France's political picture characteristically mixed, with the Socialists joined with the PRM for a western bloc of European nations against Communist opposition; the Communists committed to a swift program of nationalization of industries; the Socialists favoring more study of such an undertaking and the PRM for a moderate course.

#### FIRE RAIDS: U. S. Vulnerable

Back from a tour of war-wracked Europe, Anthony J. Mullaney, chief fire marshal of Chicago, Ill., and a noted authority on fires, declared that investigations showed that no great city could withstand concentrated explosive and incendiary raids and domination of the skies overhead was the only assurance of

In making his disclosure, Mullaney cited the obliteration of Hamburg, Germany, where all walls were of brick, numerous firebreaks existed, no skyscrapers reared up and an efficient fire department operated. In a contrast indicative of the vulnerability of American cities, Mullaney cited localities dotted with frame buildings, wood lathe and plaster construction, tall buildings, and few empty spaces for allowing a sweeping fire to peter out.

In burning out Hamburg, Mullaney said, great squads of Allied bombers first dropped explosives to rip up structures, with incendiaries then being loosed upon the open wreckage. Towering flames licked up the oxygen to create a vacuum into which air from surrounding areas then rushed in, creating fierce "fire storms." With instruments recording temperatures of 1,400 degrees F., over 40,000 persons were said to have died from the flames, heat inhalation or asphyxiation.

#### NAVY: Speed Releases

With nearly 300,000 enlisted men and officers already released since V-J Day, the navy planned for the demobilization of an additional 800,-000 by the first of next year through a reduction in discharge scores.

Following establishment of lower scores November 1, the navy contemplated an even further cut December 1, with male officers' point requirements pared to 44; enlisted male personnel to 39; WAVE officers to 30, and enlisted WAVE personnel 24.

In cutting its discharge scores, the navy left its point computation unaltered, with one-half point for each year of age, one-half point for each full month of service; 10 points for dependents regardless of number, and one-fourth point for each month of service outside of the U.S., since September 1, 1939.

#### AMATEUR BUYING



Butcher-Roundsteak, madam? Bride-Well, the shape doesn't natter, so long as it's tender.

#### MRS. MARY MAJOR STORS STICKY IRON

PENDENNIS, KANSAS. - Mrs. Mary D. Major has discovered one of the secrets of Faultless Starch, according to a letter she wrote re-

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less.' Isn't that a fine letter? She says that there was "no sticky starch on my iron"-and, of course, that means she did not have a "sticky

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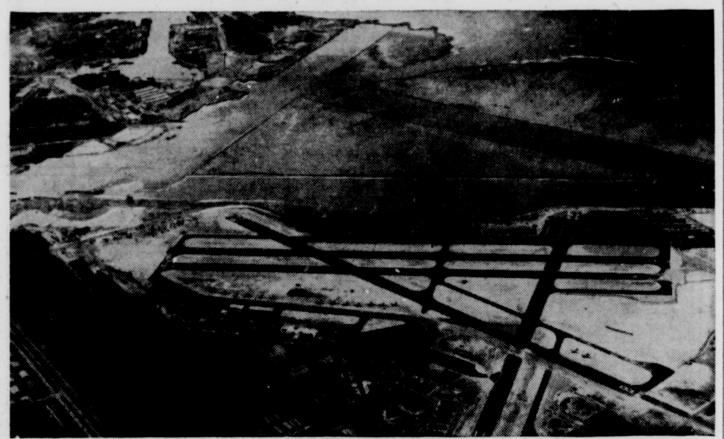
# Mews Events & PICTURED:

#### Hollywood Adds 'Atomic' Touch to Nation's Strikes



As all productions from Hollywood must no longer be considered colossal but "atomic," the strikers at the motion picture plants have led the way in proving to the world that they can put on an "atomic" strike. Shown above were sit-down strikers who blocked the main entrance to Warner Bros., Burbank, during the height of their strike. Deputy sheriffs who did not approve of the blockade are shown removing some of the strikers from the entrance.

### Honolulu Now Has Largest Airport in the World



One of the first photos of the John Rogers airport in Honolulu to be released since before the war. The largest in the world, the airport is truly the crossroads of the Pacific, and it is here that Hawaiians will greet many of the delegates to the United Nations organization if their proposal to the Preparations committee, meeting in London, to make Hawaii permanent UNO headquarters is accepted.

#### They're Here Today . . . Gone Tomorrow



If you are mentally agile, perhaps you can keep up with the Argentine situation. Here is Vice Adm. Hector Mernengo Lima, who became minister of the navy in the coup which ousted Vice Pres. Juan Peron for a short time. When Peron returned to office the admiral was arrested.

#### Led Kachin Rangers



Capt. Charles Coussoule, who was a leader of the famed Kachin Rangers who snaked through swampy Burma jungles to beat the Japs at their own game. He has returned to his home at Indiana, Pa.

### SERVICE BUREAU

EDITOR'S NOTE: This newspaper, through special arrangement with the Washington Bureau of Western Newspaper Union at 1616 Eye Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., is able to bring readers this weekly column on problems of the veteran and serviceman and his family. Questions may be addressed to the above Bureau and they will be answered in a subsequent column. No replies can be made direct by mail, but only in the column which will appear in this newspaper regularly.

#### Surplus Property Sales

Sweeping revision of surplus property regulations in favor of World War II veterans has been announced by W. Stuart Symington, administrator, after a personal investigation which indicated that some disposal agencies were giving veterans "the run-around."

The changes include elimination of the \$2,500 limit on preferential purchases and within reasonable amounts, there will be no limit;

Permission for a veteran entering the retail business to purchase an initial stock of goods for resale. Hitherto, under interpretation of the G.I. bill, a veteran could buy materials to establish a store, but could not obtain preference on stock for sale:

Permission for veterans to deal directly with disposal agencies such as the department of commerce and Reconstruction Finance corporation:

Special permission for veterans to buy automotive or other equipment required by his employment. It is said that few autos are available, however:

Provision that credit may be extended to veterans under terms and conditions established by the disposal agency which sells the goods. Thus, it will be possible for veterans to obtain loans from commerce department and RFC as well as the Smaller War Plants corporation. Information now is that the RFC will soon take over all disposal from the commerce department, which only recently assumed sale of consumer goods from treasury.

#### Questions and Answers

Q. When my twin brother entered the service he designated me beneficiary of his insurance. After a hasty marriage he made, he informed me and my parents he had not and had no intention of changing the beneficiary. After his death I was notified by the insurance department that I was his beneficiary. His wife has made some sort of claim for the insurance and has held up settlement for 16 months. Can anyone but the insured change the beneficiary or can the insurance department decide who is to get it?-J. F. K., Palo Alto, Calif.

A. No one can change the beneficiary but the insured. If you are named the beneficiary in the policy, then you are entitled to the insurance and the Veterans administration says the wife or no one else can hold it up 16 minutes. File your claim for the insurance with the Veterans administration.

Q. With reference to sale of government surplus property and the \$2,500 amount sold to an individual, I am much interested in further details on this matter and any information relative to location of these surplus property boards will be much appreciated.—J. A. V., Hingham, Mont.

A. The \$2,500 limit has recently been removed. Your nearest Smaller War Plants Board is at Boise, Idaho, 210 Capital Securities Bldg. Your nearest department of commerce board is at Denver, Region Nine, 1030 15th street. Suggest you write to these boards for further details

Q. I want to know if a man 27 years old, who has been in the navy almost two years and has two kids, the oldest four years and the baby can't walk, can get a discharge on this condition soon.—Wife, Coweta, Okla.

A. No, the minimum number of navy points for enlisted personnel as of November 1 is 41 points. From your letter, your husband has only about 36 points, if he has had no overseas duty.

Q. My husband is a seaman in the navy. I have asked assistance of the Red Cross to pay my hospital bill for an operation. They said "No" and recommended the Navy Relief. I wrote them stating conditions; their answer was to loan me the money until I could work to pay it back. Wasn't I entitled to medical care?—Mrs. E. D., Taylorville, N.C.

A. The navy department says you were definitely entitled to medical care if you applied to the navy medical dispensary before your operation. Suggest you apply to the nearest medical dispensary and they will inform you as to your stat-



#### Don't Rob Calves of Essential Food

#### First Milk Necessary

#### For Proper Development

"Nature intended that the calves should get all the colostrum (first milk) because this colostrum is 10 times as rich in protective substances as normal milk," the dairy cattle committee of the American



Don't rob the calf of all the colostrum.

Veterinary Medical association recently reported.

Unfortunately, the dairyman has interfered with nature to such an extent that few calves get enough colostrum to meet this need. It becomes necessary to feed vitamins in concentrated, or even in pure form. Vitamin A deficiency in a calf causes watery eyes, a cough, pneumonia and scours. Vitamin B deficiency leads to flabby muscles and digestive stagnation. Vitamin C

the guard cells in the intestine.

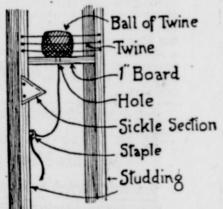
While some dairymen have tried methods of raising a calf without allowing it enough colostrum, they have produced weaker calves at a greater cost by substituting certain

is needed for the proper function of

"patent" panaceas.

Instead of following this practice every effort should be made to encourage the calf to secure all of the "first milk" possible.

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Scrap Iron Missiles

During the War of Independence and the War of 1812, knife blades, old nails, copper slugs, iron bolts and scraps of metal in cans were used in cannon. They were known as "langridge." Bayonet blades were bound with rope yarn and shot from cannon for the purpose of cutting the rigging in the enemy ship and effecting the fall of her masts.

#### Automatic Water System

The modern automatic electric water system brings to the home in through the ranks of petty officers the country and the home on the tringe of the city beyond the water mains the same convenience of run- for advancement to both line and ning water under pressure enjoyed staff officers' ranks. In peacetime. by city dwellers.

An electric water system is entirely automatic and provides a constant supply of fresh water, day and aight. The pump starts and stops automatically. The system is automatically oiled and even the air supply in the storage tank is automatically controlled.

No attention whatever is required by the water system except an occasional'inspection to check mechanical condition and state of lubrication. Thus a modern electric water system with all these automatic features provides a water supply that is as dependable as that received from any large municipal plant.

Red Cross Packages for POWs As an example of what a POW gets, here's a typical package: whole powdered milk, processed American cheese, an army spread (butter and cheese), whole spray dried eggs, corned beef, pork luncheon meat, peanut butter, salmon, prunes or raisins, jam, biscuits, chocolate bar (ration D), sugar, coftee (soluble), salt and pepper, multivitamin tablets, chicken noodle soup. In addition, each package contains four or five packs of cigarettes, four ounces of soap, and sometimes chewing gum. The Japanese have not been co-operative in providing the necessary facilities for relief supplies to go regularly to prison camps throughout the Far East. But those shipments which have reached our prisoners in Japanese hands contained a high amount of protein, as many as five tins of meat, fish and cheese. The Red Cross makes every attempt to give each American prisoner one standard food package weekly. For if a POW gets his package each week, he's not likely to run into any serious nutritional deficiencies. Besides the standard food packages, there's a special Christmas package, and a special invalid package with foods you sell your limburger cheese? especially adapted to the needs of

#### Jap Seamen Youngsters The average Japanese sailor is

about 20 years old, the youngest being just above the age of 14 and the oldest now accepted for active sea duty being not above 41. This average sailor is 5 feet 41/2 inches tall, weighs 124 pounds, has a chest measurement of 33 inches. Sailors, for the most part, derive from seaside communities. In peacetime, conscripts (40 per cent) served three years, volunteers (60 per cent) five years and petty officers six years. Enlisted men were promoted to warrant officers. Since 1942, warrant officers have been eligible after three years of active service, the conscript became a member of the reserves for 11 years, with five 70-day periods of training during that interval. All reservists have now been called to active duty.

#### Simple

Teacher-Define the subject and the predicate.

Smarty-The subject is what does the predicate and the predicate is what the subject does.

#### It's A Pleasure

Nit-Even nowdays I like to hitch-

Wit-Why?

Nit-It's thumb fun!

#### Geography Lesson

Teacher-Name five things we get from India. School Boy-Tin, oil, rice, India rubber and India-gestion.

#### Believe in Signs?

Cop-What's the idea of parking right in front of the fire house? Lady Motorist-Why, the sign said "Fine for Parking!"

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#### HARD TO ANSWER



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### Washington Digest

### Sounder Education Needed To Maintain Free World

Economics and Geography Among Studies Required to Ground Students in the Problems at Home and Abroad.

> By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

Washington, D. C.

(This is the first of two articles on the subject of the "new reconversion.")

In the last two months the public has learned a lot about the importance of industrial reconversion. For many more months, business men, with the help of the best technical advice they could obtain, have been preparing to shift from wartime to peacetime production. Government has shared the knowledge of its experts and proffered its co-operation. Labor has contributed its suggestions. All three know what they want. Together they hope to obtain a successful synthesis.

But what many people do not realize is that the nation, the whole world, for that matter, is facing another reconversion problem, equally as difficult to solve, equally as important to achieve. It is the reconversion of our whole educational system, and upon its success depends the political future of democracy and its economic future as well, as embodied in the theory and outworking of free enterprise.

It is no exaggeration to say that our current educational system, which along with our wartime industrial system made Allied victory possible, is no more adapted to meet the new and startling problems of the postwar world than the Japanese defense could meet the atomic

Enlightened educators everywhere realize this. In a short time experts will meet in London to work out a program outlined in San Francisco by the men and women who planned the educational and cultural council of the United Nations. Here at home and in other democratic countries, domestic educational policies are being reshaped to meet the new conditions.

Education for world freedom is an important objective; education for freedom in the land of the free is equally important, for it is the foundation stone of world democracy. We have the task of reconverting our own antiquated machinery so that it will be geared to produce and maintain freedom. The United Nations' task is to build new machinery which will evolve a product which must displace the Nazi-Fascist teachings which still have their hold on a large segment of the population. Our own product must be both a weapon of offense and of

We have a powerful example in the need for this in the demonstrated strength of the Nazi ideology and the weakness of what we have so far produced to combat it.

#### Nazi Propaganda Remains Strong

A report made public only a week or two ago reveals how "Naziism at its blackest," as the report describes it, is being kept alive in a series of "resistance clubs" in Germany scattered from the North sea to the Bavarian mountains. Allied investigators have pieced together an appalling picture of a widespread activity based upon race hatred, and other Nazi principles with which the German youth has been so thoroughly indoctrinated in a manner pointed out in these columns some time ago and which I then said must be dealt

with eventually. The offense is powerful, and the weakness of our defense is illustrated in recent dispatches telling us how Nazi propaganda is affecting the viewpoint of the American army of occupation. A major is reported as doubting the truth of the atrocity stories in the concentration camp of Dachau located only a few miles from where he was stationed. American soldiers are heard parroting the familiar Goebbels' fabrication that Germany was forced into the war; that Hitler had his faults but was really great in many respects, or if Hitler's glory is found to be too strong a goat he is used as a scapegoat to excuse German war guilt.

I have just come from a long talk with one of America's great educators, John Studebaker, United States Commissioner of Education. It was he who introduced me to the phrase,

"the new reconversion." "Our democratic system is threatened from within and without," he said to me earnestly. "The Amer- way of life."

WNU Service, 1616 Eye Street, N.W., | ican school gave our polyglot nation the solidarity to carry on the war successfully. But," he added, "we have severe tests ahead. We must educate for freedom, and educate for existence in a newly integrated world of which we are an integral part. We must understand our own problem and the problems of oth-

> I couldn't help applying this theory to the stories from Germany. A thorough understanding of democracy is proof against Nazi propaganda. An understanding of other peoples and events beyond our borders which affect us-as the rise of Hitler and Mussolini affected us-would make us deaf to German prevarications and excuses.

In order to meet the threats against democracy from within and from without, Mr. Studebaker be-lieves, with most of his colleagues, that our present educational system will have to be thoroughly renovat-"Both the plant and the product must be remodeled," he says.

He chose two subjects-geography and economics—as examples of how the product must be altered.

#### Knowledge of Conditions Vital

Geography is important because it is a study of the world in which we live. It is a study of the peoples who live in the world-of our very near, thanks to jet propulsion and atomic energy, if not always very dear neighbors. Geography is also the study of the pursuits, the industries of the people of the world. Its grasp is essential if we are to bring intelligent thought to judgment of events and the conditions at home and abroad and their effect upon each other and upon us.

"And yet, geography was never taught to our people," Mr. Studebaker says. "We stop teaching it at the eighth grade. The younger children, from three to eight, are taught by teachers who themselves never had more than eighth grade instruction in the subject."

And his second example of one of our educational products which must be strengthened, economics, "belongs still less to the people."

Only 5 per cent of the high school pupils ever studied economics, he informed me, and only 5 per cent of these ever learned anything about international trade.

"How can we possibly meet the problems arising now if we do not understand this subject? How can we possibly maintain free enterprise if we cannot pass a considered judgment on the questions that the papers are full of every day? How can a person say whether a wage increase is fair if he has never studied the simplest theories of supply and demand, or the more complicated relations of wages, costs, profits?"

And in the international field, he continued, how could a person who had never learned the fundamentals of international trade know whether a tariff was justified, whether a cartel was dangerous, whether certain foreign business activities benefitted the people as a whole, whether free competition or government subsidy was a better policy? How could they advise their congressman to vote on the Bretton Woods agreement, or the policy of foreign loans?

Just as geography suffers because its teaching ends before maturity is reached (maturity in this sense is the 15-16 year group, roughly high school age), economics is begun too late. It is offered as a one-year, high school course and boiled down into such a concentrated potion that not only are vital elements omitted (such as international trade) but it becomes a dry and highly abstruse subject. Furthermore, since it is often an elective (a subject I'll touch on in a later article), it may be omitted entirely because it is "hard."

These two subjects are only two examples of those which should, in Mr. Studebaker's opinion, make up a solid "core" of education available to all.

"This core," he says, "is essential if we are to build solidarity in a democratic society. A certain group of vital, basic subjects which will help us understand the problems that threaten democracy, the downto-earth facts necessary to give us the basis for a sound faith in our

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### John Hersey H.U. FEATURES

THE STORY THUS FAR: The American troops arrived in Adano, with Major Joppolo, the Amgot officer in charge. Sergeant Borth was in charge of security. The Major was determined to hold the confidence of the people and to replace their bell stolen by the Nazis. Despite orders issued by General Marvin, barring carts from the city, Joppolo recalled the order, to permit food and water to enter the city. Cacopardo tried to furnish the General with information on German troop movements but was tossed out. Tina told the Major about her sweetheart, a prisoner of war, and asked the aid of the Major in locating him. The Major felt some jealousy but promised help.

#### CHAPTER XV

When Major Joppolo arrived at his office next morning, two visitors were waiting for him. One was Quattrocchi, owner of the house where Chuck, Bill and Polack were billeted. But Quattrocchi had to wait, because the other was Lord Runcin, one of the Amgot higherups. The Allied Military Government was, and still is, a joint Brit-ish-American affair, and as in the higher echelons of the military command, American and British officers were sandwiched in with each other. Lord Runcin was near the

Major Joppolo showed him into his office. "Wizard quarters," His Lordship said. Lord Runcin affected the slang of his subordinates, but he always seemed to use American slang when talking to his British men, and vice versa, so that many of them understood very little of what he said.

This was the first time Major Joppolo had ever had a tete a tete with a real honest to goodness Lordship. He was surprised to find him wearing shorts and an open collar and no hat at all. His Lordship's deferential manner, as he sat on the other side of the Major's desk asking questions, made Major Joppolo, who had once been a clerk in the Sanitation Department of New York City, feel quite important.

By way of making conversation, His Lordship pointed a thumb in Quattrocchi's direction and said: "Your Italian friend is in quite a

The former Sanitation clerk said: "What was that, Lord? I didn't get "Never mind," said His Lordship.

"Well, what kind of a job have you been doing here, Joppolo?"

The former Sanitation clerk said: "Well, I've been doing all right." "Doing all right, eh?" His Lordship smiled and made a note of the expression in his notebook, for future use. "What are the best things you've done?"

Well, to show how the town was financing itself, there was the muslin. A Liberty Ship had come into Adano harbor, and had discharged a cargo of war materials-bulldozers, bridge girders, tents, and some ammunition. Down in the bottom of one hold the unloaders found six bales of white muslin. The skipper of the ship said he had to unload it. The Quartermaster on the beach would not take it. There were no papers for the muslin, no consignment. The muslin had U.S. Treasury markings on it, so it was obviously Lend-Lease, and it was obviously lost. Major Joppolo heard about it, and seeing the rags on the people of his town, he said he could director and told him about the muslin, and the director gave permission to sell it at a fair price. Major Joppolo put two rolls up for sale, and held the other four in reserve. There was such a shortage of cloth in the town that the two rolls were gone in that many hours.

"Good work, Joppolo," His Lord-ship said. "What else?"

There was the refugee problem. On the day of the invasion, there were only six or seven thousand people in the town; the others had all run to the hills. Within a few days there were thirty-two or -three thousand. The town got badly crowded. and one reason was that there were a lot of refugees from the town of Vicinamare. These people had come down to Adano because the Allies had been bombing Vicinamare pretty hard before the invasion. Now that the battle had gone beyond more. Vicinamare, they wanted to go home, but there was no transportation. One day the Major saw a German bus driving down the street. An American soldier was driving it. fine show," he said to himself: "I in this town?" could use that bus." He asked around and found out it belonged to the Engineers. So he called the Motor Officer and said: "I'd like to use that bus of yours one day a week." The Motor Officer said it would be okay with him if the Major to you. had proper permission. So Major

right. And a few days later one busload of cheering, laughing people had started home. Now Colonel Sartorius, head of Amgot for the Province of Vicinamare, heard about the bus a few days later, and he got sore, and told Major Joppolo not to do that any more. "Some-times," Major Joppolo said, "I think Colonel Sartorius is an awful dope."

Lord Runcin said: "Do you mean you think he takes harmful drugs?" And his Lordship dipped into his snuffbox.

Major Joppolo said: "Oh no, I just mean he's stupid."
"I say," His Lordship said,
"touching. What else?"

Food was pretty good. In the first days, the Major had found five cars of wheat on a siding at the railroad station, had had it ground into flour, and had been able to spare some for the neighboring hill towns, which were starving. He had given one baker a very heavy fine, three thousand lira, for baking soggy bread, for refusing to sell it on credit, for refusing to take American invasion lira, and for having dirty hands;



"Can't afford to let these people be too happy, you know."

and since then the bread had been pretty good from all the bakers. He had taken steps to send the fishermen out. He had arranged for the people to have pasta, which they had not had for eight months. Food

was all right.
"Good," said Lord Runcin. Every
time His Lordship took snuff, Major Joppolo's eyes nearly popped out of his head and he almost forgot what he was talking about. "Any-

"Oh sure, Lord," he said, "this town is much better off than it was before we came in. You can't imagine how these people were ground down. Why, they're so used to being afraid of officials, and so used use it. He called his Civil Supply | to making out forms and being hauled up to court and having carabinieri ask them their names, that they all put their last names first He was drawn back from his pleasand their first names last, the way it goes on official papers, all the time. Just like the Chinese.

"Lots of them have told me that they're better off now than they were before. For one thing, they can congregate in the streets any time they want and talk about whatever they want to. They can listen to their radios. They know they can get a fair trial out of me. They can come to the City Hall and talk to me any time they want. Mayor Nasta had office hours from twelve to one each day and you had to apply for an audience weeks in advance. I told you about the streets being clean. Oh, there are lots of ways, Lord, and if I have anything to do with it there'll be lots

His Lordship was getting a wee bit bored. He dipped more and more frequently into his snuffbox and looked out the window. "Fine show, fine show," he said. "Anything bad"

"Yes, there is, Lord," the Major said. "One thing."

"I wish all of our towns had just one thing wrong, Joppolo."
"Well, this isn't exactly bad, Lord, and maybe it'll sound a little silly

"My job," said Lord Runcin, tak-Joppolo called the Adano base com- ing snuff grandly, "is to make sense

mander, who said it would be all out of silly things. What is it, Joppolo?"

"Well sir, this town needs a bell." "A bell? Why, Major, I heard such a jangling of bells at eight o'clock this morning, you might have thought it was Christmas day." "Yes, but this is a special bell,

Lord." "I didn't know they had any special bells."

"This one was seven hundred years old. It was just about the most important thing in the town, to hear these people talk. Mussolini took it away . . ." And Major Jop-polo told how the bell had been crated up and shipped away to make gun barrels, and how the people had come to him about it, and how he had tried to track it, and had found that it was almost cer-

rate was in unoccupied territory. Lord Runcin's colonial attitude cropped up. "Surely," he said, "these people can get along with the bells they have. We can't afford to be too sentimental, you know, Joppolo. Can't afford to let these people be too happy, you know. Can't afford to let discipline get too loose."

tainly melted down, and at any

"Lord, I can't see that happiness and discipline don't go together." "Young man," said His Lordship, taking a sniff for emphasis, "I think I've had a little more experience in

these things than you have."

"Every time I've done something for these people," Major Joppolo said, "I've found they did two things for me just out of thanks." "Well, what do you want me to do about this bell?"

"I just wondered, Lord, if you could suggest a way to get them another bell. Not just any bell, you know, but one that could take the place of the one they lost."

"Every time I need something out of the ordinary," His Lordship said, "I make application to the United States Army. They have the most extraordinary things, you know. They gave me a jeep. They gave me my choice of pipes, good briar, too, went from Scotland to the U.S.A. and all the way back here to Algiers, by way of the U.S. Army. Some one told me about these electrical razors, and they even got me one of those, but I can't use it because of this Italian current, wrong current, you know, not like our current. I suggest you try the U. S Army, Joppolo."

"I haven't had quite the same kind of luck with the Army, Lord. You got some friend, or something? Who do you ask for all these fancy things they get you?"

"Just write General Wilson, W. B. Wilson, Quartermaster Depot, Algiers. General Wilson told me he'd try to get me anything I wanted. Just use my name, Joppolo, he'll find you a bell. I'm sure of it."

Major Joppolo wrote down General Wilson's name and address. "Thank you, Lord," the Major said. "That sounds like it might work. I sure want to get a bell for this

Lord Runcin clapped his snuffbox shut and stood up. "Well, Joppolo, sounds to me as if you were doing a wizard job here. Keep it up. If you have any troubles, just give me a buzz." And His Lordship left, on the verge of a delicious sneeze which he had been saving in his nostrils for ten minutes.

Major Joppolo stared out of the window, and he was wonderfully happy, with the double happiness of accomplishment and praise for it. ant daze by a torrent of Italian.

It came from Quattrocchi. "You Americans think you are so civilized, you think you are doing us a favor by disembarking on our shores. You are no better than the Germans. The Germans never did anything in this town such as your men have done. I gave you my house. I did not mind giving you my house. I thought the Americans were civilized. You are the one who told me they are civilized. You said they would take care of my house as if they owned it. You are a liar."

Having been praised so recently, Major Joppolo was stung by this dispraise.

"What do you want?" he said sharply. "Stop this babbling and tell me what you want."

"I don't want anything. What I have lost I can never get back, so how can I want anything?" "If you don't want anything, why

are you taking up my time?"
Quattrocchi spoke sarcastically: "I'm sorry if your time is so valuabie, Your Worship." And then he spoke angrily: "I have lost some things which were valuable to me, too. I went to my house this morning, to get some things I had left behind. And what did I find?

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SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Ethel Burnett, defendant, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to wit: Richard M. Burnett; Aetna Building Association a defunct and dissolved corporation; the following named defendants by name if living, if deceased their unknown heirs, to wit: Vibana Lujan (also known as Villana Lujan); Martin Urquidez; Sallie T. Baskin; and Margaret I. Smith. The unknown heirs of the following named deceased persons, to wit: Thomas F. Blackmore, Edith O. Blackmore, R. H. H. Burnett, Abe M. Burnett, Mrs. Clyde E. Burnett, and all unknown claimants of in terest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, GREETING:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico wherein W. B. Durham is plaintiff and each of you are defend ants, said cause being number 9153 on the Civil Docket of said Court.

That the general object of this action is to quiet title in the plaintiff against all claims of the defendants in and to the following lands in Eddy County, New Mexico, to wit:

Lots 11, 13, and 15 in Block 3 of the original Town of Hope,

and to barr and forever estop you and each of you said defendants from having or claiming any lien upon or right, title, or interest in or to said lands adverse to the plaintiff and to forever quiet and set at rest the plaintiff's title to a fee simple estate therein.

If you or any of you said defendants fail to enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 29th day of November, 1945, judgement by default will be entered against each of you failing to appear and plaintiff will apply to the Court for relief de manded in the Complaint.

The plaintiff's attorney is Neil B. Watson of Artesia, New

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of the Court on this the 17th day of October, 1945.

(Seal) Marguerite E. Waller Clerk of the District Court 1st pub.10-19-'45 last pub 11-9-45

#### To the People of this Community

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sit around the
festive table
this year, first
year of world
peace since
1939, remember
the millions of
men and women still in uni-

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DOAN'S PILLS



By VIRGINIA VALE

EIGHT cows who appear in Samuel Goldwyn's "The Kid From Brooklyn," which stars Danny Kaye, have inherited a beard that once belonged to Douglas Fairbanks. But not as a beard. They're all dolled up for the dairy maid number, in which they're assisted by the 1946 class of Goldwyn girls. The cows make their debut wearing pearl earrings, fancy hats, and artificial eyelashes. That's where the

One appearance on the Edgar Bergen radio program was all that Anita Gordon needed to launch her on a career. Bergen signed the 15-

beard comes in. The property man

tried stiff black paper, then pipe cleaners, with no luck. But the

beard was perfect.



ANITA GORDON

year-old singer to a contract after her first program, and two days later 20th Century-Fox gave her a film contract.

Helmut Dantine's going to know picture-making from A to Z or know why. He's secured permission from Warner Bros. to sit in on all phases of the process in "The Man Who Died Twice," while awaiting his next acting assignment.

Betty Hutton got a pleasant surprise when she opened the door of her new and fancy portable dressing room on the set of "The Stork Club." In the corner stood a new bleached walnut piano, replacing the old upright that had been installed temporarily when the dressing room was unveiled. Paramount gave it to Betty so that she could rehearse her song numbers on the set during filming.

Lulu McConnell was a star of the theater in the days of Anna Held and Lillian Russell; now, on "It Pays to Be Ignorant," she's the most insulted woman in America—and loves it! She thought she was done when bronchitis ruined a good singing voice, but that croaky voice became one of her biggest assets. She'd retired when Tom Howard enlisted her for "Ignorant."

Phillip Terry headed for New York after finishing his role in "George White's Scandals," his third RKO role. He's one of the few Hollywood players who got his theatrical schooling abroad in London, and touring the British provinces in stock. He's done all right in Hollywood—played romantic leads in "Music in America" and "Pan-American" at RKO, and did "The Lost Week End" and "To Each His Own" at his home lot, Paramount. But an awful lot of movie-goers will just identify him as he's Joan Crawford's husband.

Producer Leo McCarey did a nice thing — picked 10 girls from the extra ranks in "The Bells of St. Mary's," to play the nuns in a parochial school, hoping that their scenes with Bing Crosby and Ingrid Bergman would start them on real screen careers.

Joan Crawford's new picture, "Mildred Pierce," is the kind that a lot of women are going to love. And it's a swell come-back for the valiant Miss Crawford; in her lexicon there's certainly no such word as "fail," no matter how bad the breaks.

We hear that Paramount has sworn affidavits to prove that the voice you'll hear as Dorothy Lamour's in "Masquerade in Mexico," is really hers. Seems that, instead of its being a contralto, as it's been for the last eight years, it's suddenly become an operatic high soprano, discovered by Director Mitchell Leisen. B flat used to be her limit; now, they say, she hits a D 10 notes higher.

# UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY Lesson

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

#### Lesson for November 11

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#### THE FRUITS OF PUBLIC WORSHIP

LESSON TEXT-Isaiah 6:1-8; Ephesians

5:15-21.
GOLDEN TEXT—Praise ye the Lord. I will praise the Lord with my whole heart, in the assembly of the upright, and in the congregation.—Psalm 111:1.

The center of every community should be the church. The house set aside for the worship of God is the gathering place of His people. There they find fellowship as they meet their Lord. He is in their midst exalted and mighty, but ready to enter every humble and contrite heart.

Our lesson shows us how the worship of God brings blessed results as His people meet.

as His people meet.

I. Recognizing God's \*Presence
(Isa. 6:1-4).

King Uzziah, who had begun well but had forgotten God, was at the end of his life a leper because of his sin and dying in disgrace. Israel which had known unprecedented prosperity under God's blessing now hardened its heart nationally against God and was also about to go into eclipse. God needed a man to speak for Him in such an hour.

It is essential that the man who speaks for God should first see the Lord high and lifted up and to hear of His holiness and glory. The negative tone of the present-day message, the lack of enthusiasm and interest in holy things, the low standards of personal holiness, the failure to preach boldly the truth regarding God's holy standards are to be explained by the fact that there has been no vision of the eternal holiness and glory of God.

II. Renewing by God's Power (vv. 5-8).

To see the holiness of God is to be immediately conscious of one's own sin and unworthiness. The obvious conclusion which one draws from that fact is that anyone who is proud, who is not concerned about his own sins and the sins of his people, is living far from God and has either never known or has forgotten about His divine holiness.

"Then" (v. 6)—what an important word! When Isaiah called out in humble confession, "then" he was cleansed. The turning point is right at that place for any life. Only when we come to the place of confession and contrition which Isaiah knew, can we expect the Lord to send the cleansing fire and the enabling

Reformation, turning over a new leaf, character development, all commendable in their place, are not sufficient. There must be a divine cleansing of the life if there is to be a commission to service.

III. Realizing God's Will (Eph. 5: 15-17).

The ministry of the Church of God can serve no greater purpose than helping men and women to know the will of God. That wisdom (v. 17) comes through the teaching of God's Word and through the ministry of the Holy Spirit, both in the church and in the individual.

The Church (and that means every member) is to recognize that the evil day in which we live is a challenge to holy and effective living. Time is not to be wasted, or casually used. It is to be redeemed—every moment to count for God.

The walk of the believer is to be circumspect, that is, with "painstaking attention to details, under a sense of their importance," not a foolish walk, but a wise one.

IV. Receiving God's Spirit (5:18-21).

God wishes to fill His children with the Holy Spirit in such mighty overwhelming power that they are entirely under His control. Such Spirit-filled believers find their joy and satisfaction in the fellowship of those who sing the praises of God from the heart.

Being a Christian is not a depressing, sorrowful business. It makes you glad. It is God's people who sing and make melody. Some of us who have failed to appreciate this truth should begin now to "get happy" about our religion.

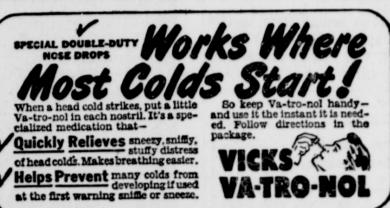
The Holy Spirit leads believers into a life of humility and self-denial (v. 21). Pride and self-exaltation are

definitely ruled out.

Do not neglect the note of thanksgiving found in verse 20. The Church
of Christ has so infinitely much for
which to be thankful that actually
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us "give thanks always for all

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You've celebrated V-E Day and V-J Day but how about V-I Day? While you were buying extra bonds to equip and back our fighting forces, you also



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#### Picture of a One-Man Bond Drive



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