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Governor Mabry Visits In Artesia Saturday

Last Saturday at noon, Supt. John Moore and W. E. Rood were guests of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon at the Artesia Hotel given in honor of Governor Thomas J. Mabry, who, with Mrs. Mabry, was on his way to Carlsbad, where the governor was scheduled to speak at a meeting of the first state convention of the New Mexico Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The Artesia meeting was presided over by Chuck Aston, president of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Aston, after a few words of welcome, introduced the Honorable Thomas J. Mabry, Governor of New Mexico.

Governor Mabry was received with a round of applause that testified to his increasing popularity in Eddy county. The governor said that he realized that Saturday was a busy day for everyone, so he would come to the main subject at once and that is "Highway 83." The governor said, "It's in the bag, Highway 83 will be built." He then read a letter from Burton K. Dwyre, state highway engineer, which explained what has been done and what will be done on Highway 83. After reading this letter (which can be found in another column) the governor said that he had enjoyed meeting the people from Artesia and intended to come back at some future time, when he would come and make a visit at Hope. He was assured that the Hope folks would give him a hearty and royal welcome.

After the governor's talk the meeting adjourned promptly to give the governor's old friends and many new friends a chance to shake his hand and congratulate him on what he has done for New Mexico since becoming governor.

Letter From The State Highway Engineer

We now have under construction a project 4.4 miles in length, which closes an unimproved gap in the vicinity of Elk. We have the survey completed upon a project 7 miles in length, and which project is in our 1946 program, which will complete the unimproved gap from the end of the present oil west of Hope to a point near what is known as Reeves Hill. With the completion of these two projects, all of the construction work on the section of state road 83, between Hope and the forest boundary, will be complete, with the exception of the oiling of the sections of this road which were built a few years ago, and which are located from the forest boundary east and from Reeves Hill west. The oiling of these sections will no doubt be up for consideration next year.

B. G. Dwyre,
State Highway Engineer

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere sympathy to our many, many friends for their thoughtful expressions of sympathy, floral offerings, and other deeds of kindness shown us in the loss of our loved one.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Teel
Mr. and Mrs. George O. Teel
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Crockett
Miss Mary Kathryn Teel

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their floral offerings and for the many expressions of sympathy over the loss of our beloved daughter, niece and granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Seeley
Mrs. C. R. Coffin
Henry Coffin

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wish to thank their many friends for the expressions of sympathy, for the beautiful floral offerings, and for the many kind acts done for us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. C. A. Hanna and family
Ford B. Hanna and family
of Ozan, Arkansas

CARD OF THANKS

With the deepest gratitude we wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their many thoughtful acts of kindness and floral offerings at the death of our daughter and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Ward
J. C. Ward, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. William G. Patton

NOTICE

Bids will be received for the John Teel and Lewis Scoggin school bus routes at the office of the Superintendent. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Signed: Hope Board of Education. adv.

Death Of C. A. Hanna Occurs Sunday Morning

C. A. Hanna passed away Sunday morning, June 4, after a brief illness. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist church with Rev. Drew and Rev. Watkins, of Lovington, officiating. The pallbearers were Jess Musgrave, Leonard Akers, Joe Young, Anderson Young, W. H. Hatler and M. C. Newsom. The interment was made in the Upper Cemetery.

Charley Anderson Hanna was born at Ozan, Hempstead county, Arkansas, on Oct. 10, 1868. Moved to Elk in 1903. Was married to Rose Lee Danley on Sept. 8, 1912. He ranched at Elk for about 17 years, moving to Hope in 1927. He was employed as Mayor of the Town of Hope for about 15 years. He is survived by his wife, three sons, Jack, Ford and Bennie, of Artesia, one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Madron of Hope, one brother, Ford B. Hanna, of Ozan, Arkansas, and a host of nieces and nephews.

HOPE NEWS

W. A. Bentley of Las Cruces, N. M., was here Thursday to be with the George Teel family in their time of sorrow.

Mrs. Happy Franklin and son, Lynn, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole.

Mrs. Pearl Wilson of El Paso, attended the triple funeral services held last Thursday. LeRay Teel was her nephew.

"Shop For Pop—Father's Day Is a Week Away." If You Don't Trust Your Own Good Taste, Check With the Suggestions Given in The American Weekly, the Magazine Distributed with Next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner. adv.

Mrs. O. E. Broome of Amarillo, Tex., aunt of Mrs. George S. Teel, is spending a few days with the family.

Walter Johnson — Salesman For The Golden Rule. He Was the Idol of Two Generations—A Quiet Modest Man Who Loved His Job and Believed in Treating the Other Fellow a Little Better Than He Expected. You Can Read This Story of a Man among Men in The American Weekly, the Magazine Distributed with Next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner. adv.

Mrs. Janie Richards of San Pedro, Calif., arrived last Friday to spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Will Keller was in the hospital in Artesia for a few days this week. Mrs. Pete Jackson of Oregon is here taking care of her.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Bell have moved back to the Penasco Valley from Carlsbad. They are residing on the Scoggin farm, southeast of Hope.

Jess Funk of Cottonwood was a business visitor in Hope Wednesday. Edith Webster of Memphis, Tex., spent two days with the George Teel family last week. She and Mrs. Teel are cousins.

EDITORIAL

Highway signs in and in the vicinity of Hope are being torn down and destroyed. This is a very serious charge if the parties are caught at it. There are some of the younger generation that are brought up that way, to tear down, deface and mutilate public and private property. If the parents can't control their children, it's about time the law stepped in and took over the job.

Deputy Sheriff J. B. Mulcock made his appearance in Hope last Sunday afternoon and in about an hour's time he had apprehended two speeders and had them up before the Police Judge. They were fined \$5.00 and costs amounting to \$10.00 each. To the best of my knowledge and belief, this is the first time in 10 years that a deputy sheriff has ever come to Hope and made an arrest for speeding. Let us hope that a deputy sheriff comes to Hope every once in a while. It might stop some of this speeding and reckless driving.

The editor of The News is glad that he was able to attend the luncheon in Artesia given in honor of Governor Thomas J. Mabry. The message that the governor brought was indeed good news to his listeners. The governor looks fine, his job

must be agreeing with him. Like one man said, "He looks and acts more like a governor than any man we have had in that position for a long time." We had the pleasure of meeting Governor Mabry on the street after the meeting and he assured us that he would enjoy coming to Hope some of these days and meet with the people that gave him such fine support at the last election.

Once again we have with us the shooter of firecrackers, who not only endangers his own life, but is a menace to any community. Why anyone should want to burn their money up in this fashion is a problem to us. The Town Board failed to pass an ordinance forbidding the sale and shooting of firecrackers. Possibly we could get the firecracker fiends on the charge of disturbing the peace.

Bobby Barley Goes To Washington, June 11-18

Hope is in the limelight again and this time it is Bobby Barley that is bringing national attention to our little town in Eddy county, New Mexico. Four New Mexico 4-H Club members were selected last week to receive one of the organization's finest awards—a trip to the National 4-H Club Camp, from June 11 to 18 at Washington, D. C. They are Bobby Barley of Hope, Doris Ann Krogh of Albuquerque, Dorothy Pate of Portales and U. V. Hensea of Jordan. Four representatives from every state are chosen annually for this trip.

Bobby Barley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Barley, of Hope, is 19 years old. He has been in 4-H work for 10 years, three years as assistant leader and two years as junior leader. He has been president of the Hope 4-H Club since 1940. Bobby was a state and national dairy production contest winner in 1943, a state winner in the agricultural contest in 1944, and a member of the state's winning crop judging team in 1946. His net profits in 4-H projects amounted to \$56.45. Bobby intends to enter New Mexico A. and M. College next fall.

In Washington, the delegates will be housed in government personnel quarters erected during the war on the old Arlington Farms of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Their quarters will face the Potomac River and the Washington Monument. To the rear is the famous Arlington House, home of Robert E. Lee.

We hope that Bobby will take down a few notes and then write us up an article when he comes back.

Mr. and Mrs. Brantley Nelson went to Roswell Wednesday.

George Babers Dies At Mountaineer

George Babers, brother of Ben Babers, died at Mountaineer, N. M., Sunday, May 25. He was 45 years and 9 days old. He had been sick for some time. Funeral services were held Tuesday in Socorro.

A Little About This And A Little About That

Mrs. Elizabeth Nelson of San Angelo, Tex., and her granddaughter from Antlers, Okla., were here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brantley Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Musgrave. Mrs. Nelson has returned home, but the granddaughter is still here. Mr. and Mrs. Alson and son spent last week in Albuquerque. Betty and Durane Teague and Zona Jones were up at Clayton this week visiting Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Douglas. Sheriff Dwight Lee and Jack McGarry, deputy district attorney, were in Hope Tuesday on business.

The Board of Stewards of the Methodist Church met Monday night. George Teel was re-elected chairman. Mrs. Catherine Williams and son, Robert, and daughter, Elizabeth, were visitors in Hope Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Lovejoy returned Monday night from a fishing trip to the northern part of the state. They were not very enthusiastic over the fish they caught. Monday morning was a busy morning at the Marable Lumber Yard; Joe Clements and M. D. Brantley were down after building material before Ben got out of bed. Leonard Akers went to Weed last week. Mrs. A. Clements chased some horses out of a field and fell down and was bruised considerably. Mrs. Ben Babers was taken back to the hospital again. Mrs. Emma Altman of El Paso was visiting her son, Bonney, and his wife, last week. Claborn Buck-



Governor Thomas J. Mabry

ner was here over Sunday visiting home folks. The School Board of the Hope Municipal school will meet next Tuesday night. Madeline Prude surprised us all this week by appearing in a feminine attire. George Teel was in Hope Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole were in Hope Tuesday. Wayland Hodges was a visitor in Hope this week. The local editor feasted on strawberry shortcake last week and fresh fish this week. There are some advantages in being a country editor. Somebody said if you want to make your newspaper a success, you must mention everybody's name

in the paper every week. Mrs. Bob Wood was sure pleased with the Mayor of this week. She was able to fill her cisterns. Mrs. Charles Cope said she was not as mad at the Mayor as she was. Ad Bain and son, Buddy, were in Artesia Monday. Vern Schwalbe from Carlsbad was up to Hope Tuesday by airplane. He says the landing field at Hope is rather rough. B. L. McElroy is preparing to harvest a bumper crop of barley. M. D. Brantley is having his new cottage stuccoed. Mrs. Ethel Altman is running the Johnson Hotel. And that's all for this week.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Telephone Strike Fully Settled; House Slashes Navy's Budget; World Relief Needs Surveyed

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



Secretary of State George C. Marshall, holding one of his last press conferences in the old state department building, told reporters that he could see no further need for appropriations such as the 400 million dollar outlay authorized in connection with President Truman's Greek-Turkish aid program. Secretary Marshall has moved his office to a newly constructed state department building.

LABOR PEACE:

Strikes Vanish

Peace descended on the national labor scene, at least temporarily, when the six-week strike of telephone workers ground to a complete stop as Western Electric company employees in 42 states returned to their jobs.

End of the phone strike marked the beginning of a honeymoon between labor and management. For the time being, not a single major industrial strike was troubling the national economic waters. On the horizon, however, loomed the figure of John L. Lewis, pondering whether or not to call a strike of his United Mine Workers in June.

Tapering off gradually in recent weeks as various union groups reached agreements with their employers, the telephone strike was fully settled when 20,000 members of the Association of Communication Equipment Workers, the last holdouts, accepted an 11 1/2 cent-an-hour average pay increase from Western Electric.

Telephone workers across the country walked away from their jobs at 6 a. m., April 7, demanding general pay boosts of \$12 a week. Average increase, when agreements finally were reached, was about \$3.50 or \$4.

NAVY FUND:

Big Cut Made

An economy-minded house of representatives forcibly passed a \$3,469,761,100 navy appropriations bill which represented an 11 per cent cut in President Truman's original request for navy department funds.

Shouting down cries that the reduced appropriation would shrink navy and marine corps manpower by 82,000, house Republicans, in a voice vote, approved the naval budget for the coming fiscal year at a figure about 377 million dollars below the administration's estimate of the amount necessary to maintain required strength.

Defending the budget cut, house members criticized the navy policy of maintaining a disproportionate number of high-ranking officers during peacetime.

"There are far too many men of high rank today," said Representative Ploeser (Rep., Mo.). "The navy can effect its own savings by a considerable reversion to prewar ranks among officers."

GRUMBLES OUT:

Germans Warned

Restless, protesting Germans have been warned by governors of both the American and British zones to stop striking and grumbling against the Allies and buckle down to face the present food crisis with "hard work and courage."

Sumner Sewall, American military government director in Wuertemberg-Baden, said that protest strikes against the food shortage might cost the Germans relief supplies from the United States. He pointed out that the demonstrations are causing "increased resistance" among taxpayers in this country.

Sewall also demanded that Germans stamp out the black market which is dissipating a great amount of their food rations. He said that farmers who divert their produce into the black market are largely responsible for the crisis.

WORLD AID:

Survey Needs

Postwar needs of the world will be studied thoroughly in a global survey before the administration decides on further foreign aid programs such as the 400 million dollar Greek-Turkish measure, Secretary of State George C. Marshall has revealed.

First of its kind, the survey is being conducted by a newly organized policy group. Marshall said that with the exception of 78 million dollars scheduled to go to Korea he foresaw no further appropriations for foreign aid at present.

He added, however, that he was not prepared to say what may be required to help other nations in the future. The state department, he reported, currently is seeking some way to help China which could be fully justified to the American people and to congress.

The 78 million dollar fund for Korea will be used to rebuild roads, rails and industries in the United States zone, Marshall said.

SUB PROGRAM:

Navy Is Worried

In an effort to resolve its biggest worry—that of underwater warfare—the navy has proposed a five-year, 210 million dollar construction and conversion program which ultimately would produce a fleet of 100 super-fast submarines.

Included in the plans is a new type of submarine-hunting "killer ship," a high-speed vessel which would be able to track down and destroy enemy subs in any kind of weather.

High-ranking naval officers are reported to be concerned over the swift submarines developed by the Germans toward the close of the war and the fact that the Soviet navy is believed to be rushing to completion a fleet of undersea boats copied after the best German designs.

If the navy's proposal is adopted, the fast new submarines should be ready by 1951, according to Vice Admiral Robert B. Carney, logistics chief.

PORK SUPPLY:

Seek More Pigs

Seeking to boost the nation's pork supply during the spring and summer of 1948, the department of agriculture has recommended a general 15 per cent increase in pig production this fall.

The increase, achievement of which would bring an additional five million pigs to market next spring and summer, is being sought because present prospects indicate that supplies of beef and veal will be shorter in 1948.

Fire Losses Zoom

Losses from fire in the United States followed the general trend of the times during the past year. They went way up.

Summing up for the past year, the national board of fire underwriters reported the greatest fire loss for any 12-month period in history of the nation.

Total amount was \$616,408,000, making an increase of 22 per cent over the \$497,153,000, in fire losses for the preceding year. Losses during the first four months of this year were greater than those recorded in either 1935, 1937 or 1938.



THE MASTER CARVER . . . The elements, at work since the beginning of time, have carved this gigantic trough in the Grand Canyon of Colorado river. One of nature's most spectacular sights, the canyon is 297 miles in length, a mile deep and at some places 18 miles wide.

NATURE'S MASTERPIECES

Erosion Carves Stupendous Spectacles in Three Canyons

WNU Features.

From the beginning of time, wind and water have combined to carve the earth's surface in a small section of northern Arizona and southern Utah into three of the most stupendous spectacles in the world, the Grand Canyon of Colorado river, Zion canyon of Virgin river and the great horseshoe-shaped amphitheater known as Bryce canyon.

Each area in this scenic triumvirate is now a national park and as such belongs to the people of the United States. These parks may be counted among the incomparable jewels in the national treasure—to be enjoyed by us today and to be held in trust for the benefit of generations of Americans yet to come.

Grand Canyon National park in northern Arizona is the largest of the three parks, containing 645,000 acres. Zion National park in Utah is second in size with 94,000 acres and Bryce Canyon National park, also in Utah, is the smallest with 36,000 acres. In 1946 more than 825,000 people visited these parks.

Grand canyon is 297 miles in length, a mile deep and in some places 18 miles wide. Mighty mountains, rising thousands of feet from the depths of the gorge, are dwarfed by the enormous proportions of this titanic trough. From the rim of the canyon the visitor may look down on the summits of these mountains. Wave on wave they reach to the horizon, garnet, purple, topaz, like a stormy sea on fire. And a thousand feet down real storm clouds may lash these mountains, lightning may sparkle and thunder may reverberate from wall to wall, while above the sun shines in a cloudless sky.

BRYCE CANYON presents a sharp contrast to Grand canyon. Here the visitor enters a fairyland of pink, white, red and lemon yellow, a land of minarets and towers, a land of castles and cathedral domes, a dreamland of goblins and grotesque shapes. There are 30 miles of pink cliffs carved and sculptured. The main amphitheater, three miles long and about two miles wide, is crammed with fantastic figures and kaleidoscopic color. Trails lead to such places as Sunrise Point, Fairy Castle, Queens Garden, Peek-a-boo Canyon, and Silent City.

AGAIN IN SHARP contrast, Zion canyon is like a vast cathedral. The dome of heaven seems to rest on its sheer stone walls. Considered by many people the most satisfying of all national parks, Zion, by the splendor of its scene, invariably commands silence from all who enter. Approaching by Mount Carmel highway, the first view is from the wall of the canyon through windows in the highway tunnel. From the south the visitor enters along the course of Virgin river passing between the huge rock masses called the East and the West Temples.

Once inside these gates, the traveler stands in a level valley enclosed by almost perpendicular walls which rise more than half a mile above him. Side canyons cut these walls into tremendous blocks, which rise from a blood red base, changing to reddish brown and, two thirds up, to gleaming white, tinted with buffs, grays and reds.

As the visitor proceeds along this monumental valley he passes the Sentinel, the Mountain of the Sun, the Court of the Patriarchs, the Great White Throne, Angels Land-

ing, the Weeping Rock and finally the Temple of Sinawa.

This mystical amphitheater is completely surrounded by stone rock walls. The level floor is green with trees and in early summer bright with blossoms. In the center of the circle stand two large stone pillars. The larger one is called the altar and the smaller one is known as the pulpit. The visitor instinctively listens for the sermon and waits for the sacrifice. The early pioneers, deeply religious Mormons, were so impressed by the solemnity of the scene that they named the canyon "Little Zion."

THESE THREE national parks are readily accessible by paved highways, but the roads on the north side of Grand canyon are closed by snow from October 15 to May 15.

Accommodations of all types, including hotels, lodges, cabin camps and cafeterias, are found on the south rim of Grand canyon. Lodges and cabin camps also are available at the north rim and in both Zion and Bryce. Free campsites for motorists bringing their own equipment are maintained in all of the parks by National Park service.

Excellent paved highways within the parks make it possible for all travelers, without physical exertion, to see many of the principal wonders of each park. For hardier persons, there are miles of foot trails, and the adventurously inclined may explore more distantly on horseback. It is possible to cross on foot, by mule or horse from the south rim to the north rim of Grand canyon, but this trip and all trips down into the canyon should be taken only by persons in excellent physical condition.

In each park, ranger-naturalists give frequent talks, and in the evenings they conduct entertaining programs around the campfires.



VERITABLE FAIRYLAND . . . Fantastic figures and kaleidoscopic color prevail in Bryce Canyon National park in Utah.

Hill in Australia Inhales, Exhales, and Even Snores

Just outside of Castlemaine in Australia there is a hill that breathes and snores. About 50 years ago a tunnel was driven into this hill and after a time it was abandoned. The mouth of the tunnel collapsed, leaving only a small opening—and this is now known as the hill's nostril.

The ground under the hill is porous and the top of the hill is thick basalt. In summer, heat expands the cap so it rises and sucks in air. The cap cools in winter, contracts and forces the air out again.

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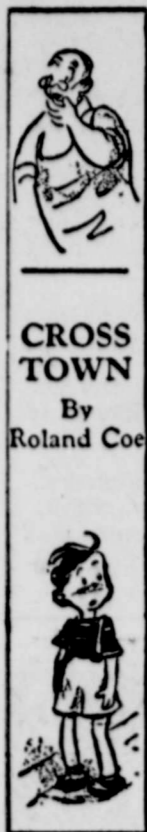
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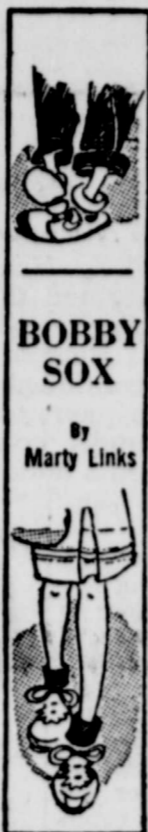
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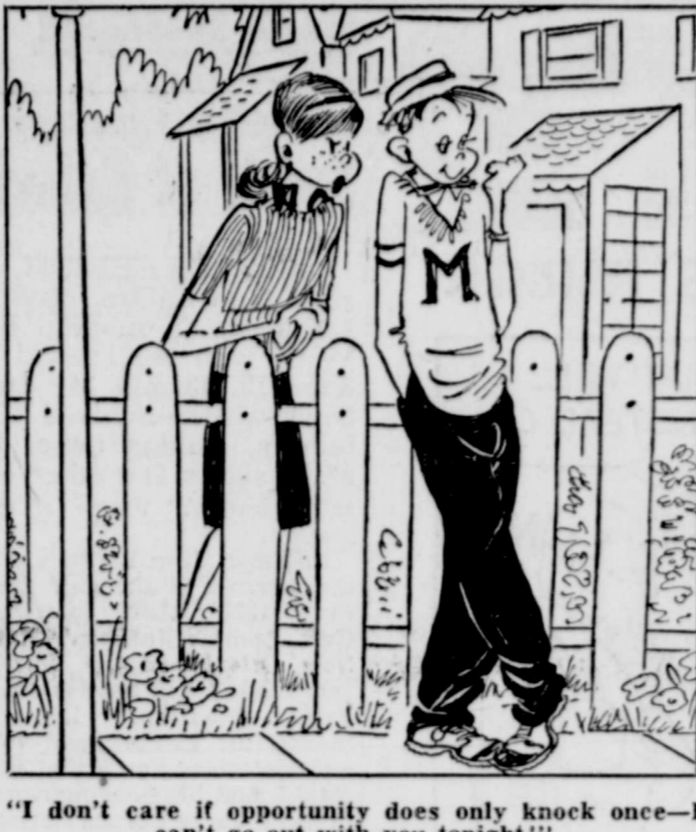
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"Mother, I thought I saw a box of candy in the living room last night."



BOBBY SOX
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"I don't care if opportunity does only knock once—I can't go out with you tonight!"



Idea for a Radio Hit

The broadcasting of vegetable, fruit and poultry prices at market terminals is an early morning radio feature (the one into which you inadvertently tune while looking for news and get "Jersey radishes, fancy, 12 cents a bunch,") and radio is missing a bet in not applying the idea to living costs generally. For instance:

"This is Elmer Twitchell giving you the regular morning quotations, when, as and may. Hamburgers were in demand at rising levels. Choice hamburgers, 60 to 75 cents a patty without toast. . . medium to fair hamburgers, with red meat spotty, 10 to 60 cents. . . low grade or run-of-the-mill hamburgers, pale to sallow, 20 to 40 cents.

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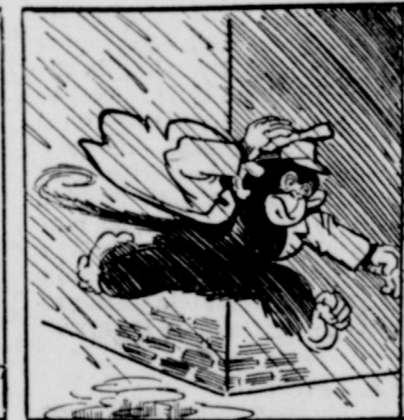
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"Ham and eggs in fair supply with the eggs available by certified check. Omelettes were of generally low level. Four-minute boiled, half a buck to 75 cents with bits of shell thrown in. Buttered toast, 10 to 15 cents, with butter substitutes.

"French fries, soggy to grease-logged, 20 to 40 cents a mess. . . Mashed potatoes, fancy, 30 cents a dab. . . Baked Idahos (Connecticut) \$1 down and \$1 a week for 52 weeks.

"Bar prices firm to strong. Fresh young highballs, well watered, plain, 60 cents a shot; fancy, 75 cents. . . Old-fashioned cocktails, common with reconditioned fruit slices, 65 cents; fancy, with late December cherry and little real liquor, 85 cents to \$1.25. Beer, early spring, Hoboken and Gowanus, 10 to 25 cents in the headless varieties. . . With heads half to inch deep, 30 cents.

"Hats, shoes, socks, ties, underwear were spotty. . . Prices for suits without extra pants were all the traffic would bear. . . A few culls in men's bathrobes were offered at \$85 in midget sizes.

"Rents, transportation, gasoline, medicines and other necessities, fancy, medium and catch-as-catch-can remained firm to unbendable. . . Drinking water in ready supply. . . Air (for breathing) was fortunately free in most regions."

Miss Margaret Truman begins a concert tour this month. Our notion of complete recognition would be an invitation for her to sing the national anthem at the Republican convention.

Whatever becomes of the official verdicts in railroad and airplane disasters?

"Duel in the Sun"—Hollywood's latest superdooper, had its premiere in 50 theaters in the New York area on the same night and in 300 in the United States. The most exclusive event that distribution could bring to everybody everywhere, as it were.

"WANTED—To buy live moose, male, female or both. Atlantic 7458, Pittsburgh, Pa."—N. Y. Times.

"Man wants but little here below. . ."

The following miscellaneous items were sold: 8,600 Christmas trees, 700 queen bees.—From Diamond Match company annual report.

It's diversification that counts.

MARKED-UP RHYMES
Under inflation we understand the nursery rhyme about "a diller, a dollar, a 10 o'clock scholar" has been revised to read, "a diller, \$3.98 and a 10 o'clock scholar."

The Philharmonic-Symphony orchestra of New York is among the "stars" of "Carnegie Hall." We always said that if it kept at it and didn't lose hope it might some day get into pictures.

There will, of course, be a picture "Son of Carnegie Hall."

We understand that General Marshall now likes to think back of the simple peaceful days when all he was expected to do was to straighten out China.

SPRING PLANTING TIP
Buy shrubs and bushes, dear, galor And on their beauty rant; Buy lots of pretty flowers, too— But those who buy should plant, Pier

Gags

BEST LAUGHS OF THE WEEK

MOPSY by GLADYS PARKER



HOME-TOWN ECHOES By C. Kessler



WILLIAM G. CHANDLER, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN PUBLISHERS' ASSOCIATION, AFTER FINISHING HIGH SCHOOL IN AKRON, OHIO, STARTED TO WORK FOR THE CLEVELAND PRESS.

The World at Its Worst By Gluyas Williams



Giving Him a Chance
"Have you noticed how untidy Old Maid Jones' house has become lately?" asked the first gossip.
"Yes," replied the second, "ever since the minister said, 'Man sprang from dust,' she quit sweeping under her bed."

That's Right!
Teacher—George, what is a can nibal?
George—I don't think I know.
Teacher—Sure you do. If you at your mother and father, what would you be?
George—An orphan, I guess.

BRAVO, BUCCANEER

Corpus Christi Fete To Revive Spirit of Colorful Pirate Days

WNU Features.

CORPUS CHRISTI, TEX.—The spirit of swashbuckling Pirate Jean Lafitte, often termed the most romantic and colorful figure in modern history, will again cross the American scene with the revival of Buccaneer Days at Corpus Christi, June 12, 13 and 14. Discontinued during the war, Buccaneer Days will be revived this year, with nationally famous entertainers, leading dance bands, colorful pageants, star-studded stage shows and other events added to emphasize the "fun and entertainment" theme of the celebration.

Although Jean Lafitte's crew was the scourge of the gulf during the early 1800s, their contribution to Gen. Andrew Jackson's defense of New Orleans in the War of 1812 won them a full pardon from Pres. James Madison. Later Lafitte moved his pirate band to Texas, and historians agree that in 1821 he established his headquarters on the present site of Corpus Christi. From time to time old Spanish coins have been found along the beaches surrounding the city, lending credence to the numerous stories of his buried treasure here.

Pirate Jean Lafitte and his crew, portrayed by leading citizens of South Texas, will be the central characters in the celebration. Festivities start as the pirate brig sails



'MISS BUCCANEER' Modern Version

into Corpus Christi's harbor to "lay siege" to the city. As they storm the harbor, the "Pirate Chief" will publicly proclaim that the city has been taken over in the name of all good pirates.

From that moment on, during the next three days, a series of events will be staged along the city's bay-front. At least two events will be staged simultaneously to insure diversity of entertainment.

One of the features of the '47 Buccaneer Days will be the Miss Texas bathing beauty finals, with the winner going to Atlantic City's Miss America contest to represent the Lone Star state.

Sail boat races, annual Galveston-Corpus Christi open sea race, a professional aquatic show, a night-time water parade with floats and boats colorfully decorated with flowers, hidden treasure hunts, several national radio network programs originating from the huge floating stage, motor boat races, gigantic street parades, barber shop quartet contest, swimming and diving contests, fireworks displays, old fiddler's contest, square dancing exhibitions and dancing to three name bands will complete the celebration program. This year's Court of the Queen of the Seas will be one of the most lavish pageants ever presented.

Iowa Centenarian Sounds Challenge As Garden Champ

OELWEIN, IOWA. — Belying his 106 years, Peter Duffy once again has issued his perennial challenge that he can pull weeds faster and out-hoe any gardener in Oelwein.

Despite his age, Duffy has the vigor of a man in his twenties and doesn't even need glasses to read the evening paper. His only physical handicap is deafness.

Of his original family of nine children, seven still are living and from here on out the Duffy progeny are numerous.

"I sure started something," commented Duffy, as he counted his 24 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

Duffy came to Iowa with one of his 12 brothers and his three sisters to work on the farm of relatives. But his wanderlust wasn't satisfied. It took a trek to the West and a little silver mining to get traveling out of Duffy's system before he came back to the Tall Corn state to make his permanent home.

Duffy also is a booster of air travel. One of his granddaughters took him for a plane ride eight years ago and he never forgot the event.

"Off We Go"

AVIATION NOTES

AIRPORT CHATTER

Work has been commenced on lighting, seeding and fencing of the new \$2,500,000 municipal airport at Dubuque, Iowa. There will be 116 contact lights along two runways, with 16 cone-mounted range snow lights. A 51-foot tower will be equipped with a rotary beacon light 36 inches in diameter. . . . The former naval airfield at Arlington Heights, Ill., has been taken over by Illinois Aircraft Services and Sales company for civilian training purposes. It will be known as the Arlington Flying center. . . . Colorado Flying Farmers and Ranchers held their second annual meeting at Christmas field, the Colorado A. and M. college airport at Fort Collins. Program highlights included discussion of legislation affecting aviation, survey of uses of airplanes in agriculture and an outline of the purpose and program of the Flying Farmers organization. . . . Mayors, airport managers and aircraft dealers from 10 midwestern states gathered at St. Louis for an aviation clinic sponsored by Parks College of Aeronautical Technology. The clinic was arranged in connection with the regional air fair, held in the St. Louis arena. . . . The Lenox, Ia., airport, operated by Al Wurster and John Kendall, is being improved to meet government requirements to permit flight instruction for war veterans.

Participating in the first group around-the-world air tour for business survey and good will building purposes, a group of Indiana business men left New York June 1 on a globe-encircling tour which embraces stops in 12 countries. The tour is sponsored by the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce. The itinerary calls for stops in England, France, Denmark, Sweden, Switzerland, Italy, Greece, Egypt, India, Burma, China and the Philippines, in addition to Hawaii.

'DOGS IS DOGS'

Ellis Parker Butler's classic, "Pigs Is Pigs," the story of the express agent who found more pigs in a shipment than he bargained for, was bound to have its modern counterpart, especially with all the pets and puppies, pedigreed cats, spiny ant-eaters and such traveling in air express service these days. And so it happened one day recently on a Toledo-New York flight. A valuable cocker spaniel, en route from Toledo to Mt. Desert Island, Me., gave birth to a litter of four puppies as the plane sped towards New York. Upon arrival at LaGuardia field, the sky-born spaniels were pronounced fit to continue to Bangor.

FEEDER SERVICE

Feeder line operations of Wisconsin Central Airlines will be commenced this summer, the service covering 43 communities in Illinois, Minnesota, Upper Michigan and Wisconsin over a 1,495-mile-route network. The airline recently was certificated by Civil Aeronautics administration to operate the service. Twin-engine, DC-3 type, 21 passenger Douglas transports are planned for the service.



AMONG THE PEAKS . . . A ski-plane of supplies lands on Muldrow glacier at the foot of Mt. McKinley, where the base camp for Operation White Tower is located. The expedition will ascend McKinley in the interests of science.

Gems of Thought

ANGER is the wind which blows out the lamp of the mind.

Put off thy cares with thy clothes; so shall thy rest strengthen thy labor and so shall thy labor strengthen thy rest.

He made himself old friends with me at once.—Mark Twain.

By the streets of "by and by" one arrives at the house of "never."—Cervantes.

Every man has three characters—that which he exhibits, that which he has, and that which he thinks he has.—Alphonse Karr.



Or Not?

The employer, on leaving his office, was instructing his new secretary what to say if anyone called while he was out. "I may be back this afternoon," he told her. "And then again, I may not." The girl nodded brightly. "Yes, sir," she said. "Is that definite?"

All and None

"What do you do?"
"I keep house, scrub, scour, bake, wash dishes, cook, do the laundry, iron, sew."
And the census taker listed here: "Housewife—no occupation."

Definition of a style leader: A girl who is a chump ahead of everyone else.

Short Reach

Two men were discussing a mutual acquaintance.

"Nice fellow," said one, "but have you noticed how he always lets his friends pick up the dinner bill?"

"Yes," replied the other. "He has a terrible impediment in his reach."

Dogs I've Known...

by Carl Rose



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LAST LOVER

BY Helen Jopping Miller

Jill McFarlane, whose father, Richard, disappeared in World War I, falls in love with Lieut. Spang Gordon. She is upset to find that her brother, Ric, has fallen in love with a divorcee older than himself. Jill is thrown from her horse and hospitalized. Richard visits her mother, Julia, and tells her he has assumed the name of Captain Mackey. Julia determines to keep the truth from her children who have been raised to regard their father as a hero fallen in battle. She realizes too late that she loves Dave Patterson, an old family friend. Richard tells Ric he knew his father, and threatens Sandra with exposure of an illegal divorce if she doesn't leave the boy alone.

CHAPTER XIV

"Let her work this out herself," argued John I., "you can't protect her forever. You've got your own problems."

"And they," Julia sighed, "have no answers in the back of the book."

John I. blew his breath out harshly, like a walrus. "How do you know? You won't even look in the back of the book."

"Because I know that what I'm looking for isn't there, John I. It's locked up in my heart, and I think my heart died long ago."

"It was your common sense that died!"

"You're right. I've never argued that you weren't right where Richard was concerned. But I do owe Ric and Jill something, if only to repay them for giving them Richard for their father."

The old man's eyes flashed under his stormy eyebrows. "You talk to Jill about it. You see what she says. She'll tell you to get a divorce in a minute."

"I can't talk to Jill. You know I can't. I can't tear down what little she has of Richard. It would be a wicked thing to do."

"You're taking a big risk, Dooley," John I. said solemnly. "I've warned you, but you're a stubborn woman. I know that fellow better than you do."

She knew too well the risk she took, knew that undoubtedly she was being a fatuous optimist in assuming that Richard would stay away now that he had made the break, now that she knew that he had not been a casualty of the war; every time a car drove in at the gate her heart stopped beating, every time the telephone rang when she was in the house she hurried to answer it, fearing Mamie's sly curiosity, fearing revelation for Jill.

What she would do if Richard came again was a nightmare question that kept dread at her throat like icy fingers. She lay awake at night, tormented by imaginary scenes.

"Jill, this is your father. He loved you and all of us so little that he stayed away from us and hid behind an assumed name for twenty-five years.")

"When Jill is married it won't matter so much," she told herself. "When Ric has found himself, and they are both settled."

Dave had not come again to Buzard's Hill, since that day she had sobbed out her torment on his shoulder. Jill remarked about it.

"What's wrong between you and Dave? I hope you didn't blame Dave because I was so awkward I couldn't stick in a saddle?"

"Don't be silly. Of course I didn't blame Dave. He's probably very busy. He's on the ration board, and they've had a great deal to do lately."

Waiting for a Letter From Spang

"They don't work nights, do they?"

"I suspect that they do, being volunteers and having their own businesses to attend to in the daytime. Shall I call Dave and ask him to come over?"

"No, don't call him. Don't you recall all those lectures you used to deliver to me, about how much men resented being called up and coaxed? Don't abandon your principles now."

"Dave's different. He's merely an old friend."

"Jill crooked her mouth dryly. "You're very naive, Julia, my love! Do you usually weep on the bosoms of merely old friends? When your child takes a nose-dive into a briar patch?"

"I'd have wept on any bosom that was handy, then," Julia said with determined airiness, hoping that her face wasn't burning. "I was afraid you'd broken your back. John I. has been doggedly carting away the rocks in the lane ever since. Be sweet to your grandfather, Jill, he's been badly worried about you."

"Did I put that curious, hunted look in his eyes? I've been wondering just what went on here any-

way, while I was at the hospital. You and Grandfather both look as though you'd seen ghosts. If Ric were overseas I'd suspect that you were hiding something grim from me, sparing your tender, weakened daughter from a shock. Don't ever do that, Dooley. Dooley—" She jerked erect suddenly, her eyes black wells of terror. "Dooley, it isn't Spang? You haven't heard—you aren't hiding something from me?"

She laughed and patted her cheek. "No, foolish woman, we aren't hiding anything about Spang. I've heard nothing from Spang—only what you've told me."

"I thought he might have crashed—and you were trying to keep me from finding out. But if a letter came for me—Ric might hear something—"

"If a letter came for you, I should give it to you. Even if I thought it



"Read it and tell me what to do."

held bad news, I'd give you credit for having the strength to take it. You're my child."

"There's another thing that makes my nights hideous," Jill burrowed her head into the curve of her mother's arm. "What if he does come through safe, and then when he gets back he doesn't want me? It could happen. They change. War changes them."

Julia turned to the window, knowing well that an involuntary spasm had drained and tightened her face. But her voice came, level and quietly controlled. "Other women have lived through that, too, Jill."

Ric Writes of His Marriage

"I couldn't. I'd die of humiliation. I'd drown myself in the cow-pond, where it's deep and muddy."

"Oh, no, you wouldn't. You'd hold your head high and never show how badly you were hurt, and after a while you'd love some one else, some one worthy to be loved."

"You say that as though you meant it. Dorothy Dix would be proud of you. But you don't mean it, of course. No woman could get over a thing like that. She might put on a good act, but she'd never stop hurting deep inside because she'd given her heart away and got only a ragged wound instead. If Spang discards me, I'm not going to be nobly brave. I'm going to be tough and break men's hearts and laugh. I'm going to throw away every moral scruple. You watch and see!"

"If I believed any of that, I'd be alarmed. But I don't believe it. You're my child."

"I had two parents, didn't I? You always assume that I'm a miniature of you, Dooley. I'm not. There's a desperate kind of thing in me that you don't know about. Something you wouldn't even understand."

Jill's eyes were big and filled with wildness. "I could hurt people. I could hurt myself. That's the kind of McFarlane I am. Not your kind at all."

"I respect your individuality," she said. "You're not a child now, you're a person. What you do is your own responsibility."

But Jill's eyes had flashed away to the window. Beyond it she could see old John I. trudging up the drive with the mail.

"Quick, Dooley!" Her mood changed swiftly to one of breathless eagerness. "Maybe there's a letter."

There was no letter from Spang. But there was a letter from Ric. Julia read it slowly, keeping her

face from showing the consternation that she was feeling. Jill said, "If that's from Ric you needn't tell me what's in it. I know. Please send me a little cash!"

"Yes—it's the same old thing," Julia evaded, trying to smile, trying to be natural. Jill mustn't know yet. She wanted to talk to John I. She wanted advice. She went out of the house and walked up to the lane gate, and when John I. came tramping back from the barn he saw her there, sitting on the old mounting block, her face a taut, gray mask of misery.

"What's wrong?" he asked. "Heard from that fellow again? I thought that letter I got for you was from Ric?"

"It was from Ric." She handed him the crumpled page. "You'd better read it, John I. Read it and tell me what to do."

The old man pulled a worn spectacle case from his back pocket, set a second pair of spectacles astride his nose. He dropped down beside her, and his lips moved slowly as he read the letter.

Dear Dooley (Ric had written): Sorry for this abrupt letter, but this is it. I'm taking off, don't know where. Transferred to some lousy school or other. Very sudden. No explanation, of course. Not in this army. I meant to try for a pass and see you myself. I'd rather have told you this than had to write it. Dooley, I'm married. She's the sweetest, loveliest girl I've ever met. Her name is Sandra, and life has been half a heaven, but she has been brave and sweet through it all. That's what makes it so hard now. I can't take care of her or protect her. I can't even have her with me, not till I rate something better than a private. I can't even feed her. And she's my wife. I was going to bring her home, but that's out now, so all I can do is send her to you with a prayer. Be good to her, Mother. She's swell, and you're so swell you'll get along fine, I know. She'll wire you when to meet her. Tell the others hello. And don't worry about me. I'll be all right.

Love,
RIC.

Jill's eyes were blazing, Jill's face was white as a sheet. John I. was doggedly pretending to eat his supper, but Julia—after putting butter on a biscuit three times and slopping coffee on her napkin because her hands shook so—had given up. Mamie was in and out of the swing door, hearing everything.

Jill said, "Oh, the fool! The poor deluded fool!"

Julia said, "If you knew about this girl, Jill, you should have told us. Something might have been done to stop this mad marriage."

"Girl—she's no girl! I know it's the same one. And I suppose it's my fault. I should have told you, but I didn't want to worry you. I thought Ric would be shipped out, and it would all blow over."

"But you don't actually know that this is the woman, Jill. Her name is Sandra, Ric says."

"I know. Sandra Calvert. She was married to a Lieutenant Colonel, Spang said, and when he was sent away from Ridley, she stayed and got a divorce. Now she's just a camp-follower. She's a chemical blonde with a greedy mouth and hard eyes. You aren't going to let her come here? This is my home, it's Grandfather's home, too. Even Mamie has been here for years. I won't have it. Tell her she can't do it, Grandfather."

Julia said, unhappily, "Jill, please! What can we do? This is Ric's home, too. This woman is Ric's wife."

"Dooley, if that woman comes into this house, I'll leave!"

Jill Issues An Ultimatum

Julia gripped her unsteady hands in her lap. Dying, she was thinking, would be a little like this. Richard, her son, her handsome lad, the boy she had loved so much! She felt as though she were sinking into a deep, icy pit.

Jill went on ruthlessly, "We can't have her here, you know that. It would be horrible." She jumped up, her fork clattered to the floor. "I'm going to send that creature a telegram right now and tell her she won't be welcome here. I suppose she's still at that hotel. Mrs. Richard McFarlane Jr.! Oh, Dooley, when I think of a woman like that having your name, I could kill Ric! I'm going to send a wire this minute, and no one is going to stop me."

Julia flew. "Jill! Not over that party-line, please!"

Jill put down the telephone. "I don't see what difference it makes. Everybody will know it by tomorrow, anyway."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

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3. How long does it take an orchid to bloom?
4. Did the Italians invent macaroni?
5. What word in the English language has the most definitions?
6. Bobby Feller was clocked as throwing a ball at what speed?
7. When was the Dominion of Canada established?

The Answers

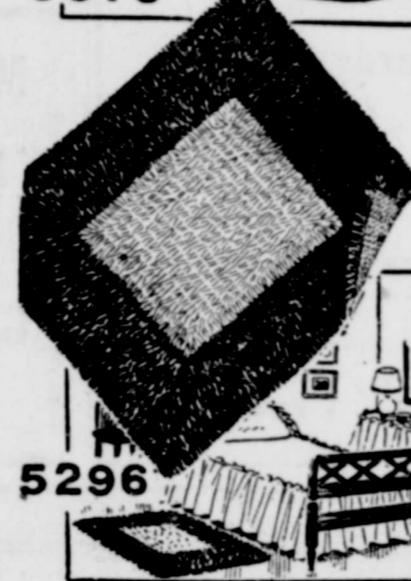
1. No more than 6 or 8 miles down.
2. Gold with nickel and zinc.
3. Ten to twelve years.
4. No, the Chinese did. It was introduced into Europe by the Germans, who taught the Italians how to make it.
5. The word "set." In Webster's New International dictionary it has 235 major definitions.
6. At 98.6 miles per hour.
7. July 1, 1867.

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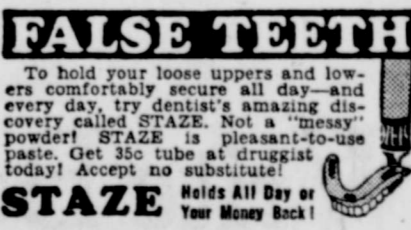
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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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So we made an investigation and published a list of the contributory factors! The dump at the end of Maple Street; the canning factory; trash burned outside of home incinerators; and others.

Right away folks started taking action, voluntarily. Closed up the dump, cleaned out their own incinerators, got the factory to put in

new combustion units—till there's not a trace of "smog" now.

From where I sit, there's another example of self-regulation. In a way, it's similar to the Brewers' Self-Regulation program. When they hear of a tavern that's causing dissatisfaction to the town, in any way, they see it gets disciplined or closed up. There's nothing like appealing to the folks themselves—if you want action.

Joe Marsh

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427th Glider Infantry regiments. It trained in England until opening of the European campaign June 6, 1944.

On D-Day the 101st made its airborne landing in France and began its dash across Normandy. On D-Day plus six, it liberated the city of Carmentan and burst on through France and went into action in December in the now epic battle. Its assignment was to hold against Von Runstedt; hold it did. The Division was cut off and ammunition, blood plasma and food had to be dropped from the air. After Maj. Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe, commander, gave his memorable answer to the German General, it held steadfast until reached by the 4th Armored Division. In February, 1945, the division was placed in the 7th Army in action near Strasbourg and by March plunged into the vital areas of the Reich. By V-E day the Division had reached Hitler's Berchtesgaden.

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Compressed air sprayer develops 40 pounds pressure for barn and livestock spraying.

and walls of barns, poultry houses and hog houses should be sprayed. Two or three sprayings a year will provide excellent control.

DDT is positive but slow in its action. Dairymen still are using hand sprayers for a quick knock-down of visiting flies at milking time. The hand sprayers also are convenient for spraying again those areas exposed to rain, where DDT may be washed off.

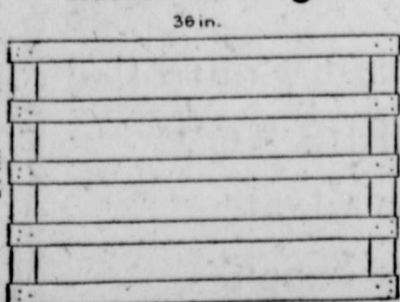
The types of sprayers for fly control include: (1) hand atomizers; (2) hand pump action—knapsack, wheelbarrow, and bucket pump sprayers; (3) compressed air—usually 2 to 4 gallons in size; (4) engine-operated sprayers from 2 1/2 to 1 1/2 H.P. up in size. At least one of each type should be available.

Flavor and Value of Milk Can Be Retained

In recent months small unit pasteurizers have been placed on the market. Tests conducted by state experiment stations and research organizations have proven that the taste, quality or value of milk pasteurized by these units is not diminished—but on the other hand the health factors are greatly increased.

There is a serious milk-borne disease danger of using raw milk. This may be entirely eliminated. With many cities, counties and districts demanding pasteurization of milk to be sold, the small units will prove of value to owners of a small number of cows who desire to retail their excess milk supply. The only certain way to avoid disease from milk is to heat it sufficiently to kill all disease-producing bacteria—this can only be done properly by pasteurization. Boiling will kill bacteria.

Murdle for Hogs



Much time can be saved in herding, moving or catching hogs by use of the easily constructed hurdle shown above.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Summer Weddings Will Be Incentive For Many Parties



For a simple bridal shower refreshment, a punch bowl with floating orange slices and slivered strawberries makes a pretty picture. Serve this with cake or cookies.

Bridal days are once more with us, and there's hardly any circle of friends where at least one wedding does not take place. A good friend of the bride usually gives the honored girl a shower, and it is with such pleasant doings that we are concerned.

Whether it's a lingerie, kitchen or personal shower, the theme of the party refreshments should be daintiness. If you can carry out the theme with a centerpiece of bride and bridegroom, well and good, but it isn't necessary. Use your daintiest linen and fresh, fragile flowers, and your table is bound to be pretty.

Pastel color combinations in table settings and refreshments are highly favored as they carry out the theme of the occasion. Food, however, need not be elaborate, because the girls probably will be too excited to eat much. Do, however, make everything delectable, and you will be well rewarded for your efforts.

A SIMPLE afternoon or evening party might consist of a light delectable cake and punch as follows:

Whipped Cream Angel Food.
1 cup whipping cream
3 egg whites
1/2 cup water
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 cups flour
1 1/2 cups sugar
3 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt

Whip cream until stiff; beat whites until stiff and combine carefully. Add water, vanilla and dry ingredients, which have been sifted together at least three times. Bake in layers at 350 degrees about 30 minutes or until done. Use the following filling:

Lemon Filling De Luxe.
1/4 cup shortening
1 cup sugar
3 eggs, beaten slightly
Grated rind of 1 lemon
6 tablespoons lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon salt

Place shortening in pan over hot water to soften. Add remaining ingredients. Cook over simmering water, stirring constantly, until well thickened and of good piping quantity. Cool before using.

Strawberry Punch.
(Makes 4 quarts)

1 quart water
1/2 cup granulated sugar
1/2 cup corn syrup
2 quarts strawberries
3 cups chilled orange juice
1 cup chilled lemon juice
4 cups ginger ale
2 thinly sliced oranges or limes

Combine first three ingredients. Bring to a boil and add the washed, hulled strawberries, and boil, covered, for 3 minutes. Remove and strain through a sieve, without pressing, and chill. Just before serving, combine with remaining ingredients, using orange slices for

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENUS

Sliced Cold Roast Chicken
Potato Salad Vegetable Salad
*Whole Wheat Muffins
Beverage
Berry Pie a la Mode
*Recipe given.

garnish, and additional slivered strawberries, if desired.

ANOTHER EASY but satisfying answer to the refreshment problem is a salad served with homemade hot-from-the-oven muffins that take just a few minutes to bake. But first, consider the salad, made with easy-to-use canned shrimp:

Shrimp and Avocado Salad Ring.
(Serves 6)

2 tablespoons plain gelatin
1 1/2 cups cold water
1 1/2 cups boiling water
1/2 cup sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup lemon juice
2 ripe avocados
1/2 cup chopped celery
1 No. 1 can shrimp
Mayonnaise

Soften gelatin in 1/2 cup cold water for 5 minutes. Add boiling water with sugar and salt and mix until dissolved. Add remaining cold water and lemon juice and mix thoroughly. Arrange about 1/4 of the shrimp in the bottom of a 1 quart ring mold which has been rinsed in cold water. (Reserve remaining shrimp for filling.)

Cover shrimp with 1/2 cup of the clear gelatin mixture and chill until firm. Chill remaining gelatin until thickened. Peel and mash 1 avocado and fold into slightly thickened gelatin mixture. Peel and dice other avocado and add to mixture with celery. Pour over jellied shrimp and chill until firm. Unmold on crisp greens and place Shrimp Filling in center. Serve with mayonnaise.

Shrimp Filling.

Remaining 1/2 can of shrimp
1 cup diced cucumber
1/2 cup diced celery
Salt and pepper

Combine ingredients and season to taste. Place in center of shrimp-avocado ring.



Combine shrimp and avocado for a pretty salad. Make your salad in the morning and save last minute flutter when the guests appear. Bread and butter sandwiches made finger style, or whole wheat muffins are a good accompaniment.

YOU'LL FIND these whole wheat muffins nourishing as well as a delightful change from other types because they're less well known.

*Whole Wheat Muffins.

3/4 cup all-purpose flour
1 cup unsifted whole wheat flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons granulated sugar
1 egg, well beaten
1 cup milk
4 tablespoons melted shortening or salad oil
1/2 cup raisins

Mix together dry ingredients. Combine remaining ingredients. Add all at once to the flour mixture, stirring, not beating, quickly and vigorously, until just mixed and of a lumpy appearance, but no longer. Over-stirring will make your

muffins coarse. Fill greased or oiled muffin pans 2/3 full and bake in a moderately hot (375-degree) oven for 35 minutes.

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AROUND THE HOUSE

An old toothbrush handle is an excellent means for opening up or running a cord through a starched hem.

Have several round pot holders on hand as well as square ones. These are very handy for removing pies and puddings from the oven as there are no corners to drop into the food and make the holder sticky.

Your iron won't stick if it's run over salt that is sprinkled on a paper towel.

It's all right to leave opened canned goods in the original tin cans in the refrigerator for a short period. But cover the can to prevent absorption of other flavors and odors.

In doing a small plaster repair job it is well to remember to wet the inside as well as the outside surface of the crack. The reason for this is that old plaster is like a sponge, in a way. It will suck the moisture out of the new plaster and make it virtually worthless.

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Obliging Fellow

The welfare committee of the town decided to form a band, and those wishing to join were instructed to fill out a form. Among those who did was the blacksmith, and he was now being interviewed.

"I see you would like to join the band, and that you would prefer a cornet," said the welfare official. "Have you any particular qualifications?"

"No," said the blacksmith, "but I'd like to learn, and I could put in a good bit of practice."

"The funny thing is," said the official, "that I have forty names here, and you are the only one who wants to play the cornet. All the others have asked for the big drum."

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