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## Mr. and Mrs. Newt Teel Celebrate Their 50th Wedding Anniversary

On Wednesday, July 21, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Teel celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. On account of the serious illness of their son, Andy Teel, no celebration was had at this time. Instead they kept open house and all during the day their many friends kept dropping in congratulating the couple on the completion of 50 years of happy married life.

Miss Lennie Royal and Newt Teel were united in marriage on July 21, 1898 at Carlsbad, N. M., the Rev. T. L. Lallance of the Methodist Church, officiating at the ceremony. The young couple moved to Fort Stockton, Tex., where they lived on a ranch until Aug. 26, 1902, when they moved to Hope. They lived for a while near Eagle bridge and then at Dunken. Later they purchased the Jack Kartchner place and lived there for 23 years. In 1934 they sold their livestock interests and moved into town and purchased the place where they now reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Teel were blessed with three boys, Andy, Marion and

Maurice. Marion was killed by a horse on the 19th of January, 1927. Andy and Maurice married and are in the livestock business in the vicinity of Hope.

Among the young generation who came and paid their respects were four grand children, R. N. and Andy Roy, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Teel, and Marion Ray and Exa Ann, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Teel. Also one great grand child, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Teel.

Those from out of town who were here to enjoy this happy occasion were Mrs. Chas. Brown, of Corsicana, Texas, and a daughter, Mrs. Ed Fain of Hamilton, Texas, Mrs. Fred Gibson, of McCamey, Tex., Mrs. J. W. Happle, of Sanderson, Tex., and her daughter, Mrs. Webb Townsend, of Sanderson, Tex., and Mrs. Pearl Wilson, sister of Newt Teel, of El Paso, Tex.

Mrs. Newt Teel in looking over the past half century said that they had had their ups and downs, lots of hard work, but it had been fifty years of happy married life.

## Large Savings Made In State Funds

Large savings made in the administration funds of the Bureau of Revenue enabled New Mexico to close the last fiscal year with a cash balance of almost \$650,000, Governor Thomas J. Mabry has announced.

Collections of the Bureau of Revenue for the fiscal year just ended totaled \$33,666,003 compared with \$28,861,242 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, an increase of \$4,804,761.

During the twelve-month period which ended on June 30, the Bureau of Revenue saved from its administration funds approximately \$500,000, which will be credited to the State General Fund, the Gov. said. These savings do not include the balance left in the administrative account of the Luxury Tax since, under the law, this balance goes for the support of the needy.

Governor Mabry pointed out that the record savings were made in the Bureau of Revenue despite a greater work load, salary increases granted because of the rising cost of living, and the increased cost of all supplies and other items used in the operation of the various offices.

The number of active accounts in the Sales Tax Division, he related, now number some 22,800 compared with 16,573 two years ago—an increase of more than 38 per cent.

The Bureau also paid costs of the Financial Responsibilities Act, which the last legislature passed without providing funds for its administration.

Governor Mabry said that increased efficiency played a big part in the excellent financial showing.

As an example, he cited delinquencies in sales tax collections, which amounted to around 20 per cent prior to present state administration and which now have dropped to less than 1 per cent.

"Every state department," Governor Mabry said, "is following the policy laid down at the beginning of this administration that all employees must turn in a full day's work, and that all field men must make daily reports of their activities."

While total expenditures of the state administration have increased, largely because of record enrollments at various institutions of higher learning, the state, by sound planning and economical operations, has made state income more than equal out-go.

"We have shopped around," Governor Mabry said, "and have encouraged educational institutions to make use of buildings and materials from surplus war supplies, which were obtained almost as gifts, to take care of their additional housing needs. We have had cooperation from every source in this respect."

The highway construction program is advancing rapidly and is ahead of similar programs in adjacent and nearby states.

The Governor expressed himself as being well pleased with the financial condition of the state and with the large surplus totaling some \$2,500,000 which has now been accumulated in the so-called Post-War Building Fund.

We are not facing—as are some other states—financial or other problems which require special sessions of the legislature to solve.

"Nothing need be spectacular in this job of being Governor," says Governor Tom Mabry. "It's a tough job to make both ends meet with the growing cost of living and the rapid advances in salaries everywhere, and I am proud of the fine staff of men and women working for the state who are doing their best to help me make a good record for us all."

## New State Bank For Artesia

State Bank Examiner Woodlan Saunders has approved plans for the People's State Bank at Artesia. The bank will start operations about the first of August at 205 S. 4th St., just south of the site of the bank building which is to be on the corner of 4th and Quay, facing Quay.

The bank has \$100,000 authorized capital, \$50,000 surplus and \$50,000 reserve. H. L. Sanderson is president and William M. Siegenthaler, secretary. Directors, in addition to the two officers, are J. W. Berry, W. W. Batie, Harold Kersey, H. M. Moutray and Frank W. Runyan.

## Hope Rodeo July 31-August 1

Plans for the big amateur rodeo to be held in Hope July 31 and Aug. 1, are being made and prospects are that it will be one of the big events of the season. In next week's issue of the News we will be able to give our readers a more detailed account of the program.

## Grandstand To Be Completed

Leon H. Harms, Secretary-Manager of the New Mexico State Fair, today announced that sufficient steel has been received to permit completion of the grandstand extension in time for the 1948 Fair, September 19-26.

Extension of the present seating capacity of the grandstand has been contemplated for several years and money was set aside for the project. However, wartime restrictions on building, then a shortage of steel, delayed the project until this year.

With the completion of the work, the present seating capacity will be increased by two-thirds. Under the grandstand will be space for additional pari-mutuel windows, storage, and possibly a large cafe, Harms reported.

The new addition joins the old grandstand on the north end. It will be 120 feet long, compared to 198 feet in the older structure. Harms said construction is progressing rapidly and the extension will be completed sometime in August.

## New Stables Being Constructed at Fair

Construction of 100 new horse stables has been started at the New Mexico State Fair, Leon H. Harms, Secretary-Manager, reported today.

The stables will be used for both race horses and rodeo horses. Tack rooms and feed storage space will be included in the new building, Harms said.

Completion of the new stables will give the State Fair adequate facilities to house 900 head of horses. Harms expects all of the stables to be filled at this year's Fair, September 19-26.

## NOTICE

Applications will be received for the two Hope school bus routes at the office of the Superintendent. The school board reserves the right to reject any one or all of the applications.

Signed: Hope Municipal School Board of Education  
Pub. July 23-30 and Aug. 6 Adv.

In the Eddy County 4-H Contest and Dress Revue, Alta Ruth Young won third place in the 1st year clothing contest. In the 7th year clothing contest, Wilma Jo Young won 1st place.

## Cash Premium Award Increase Approved

An increase of about \$10,000 in the cash premium awards for livestock at the 1948 New Mexico State Fair, Sept. 19-26, has been approved by the State Fair Commission, Leon H. Harms, Secretary-Manager, reported.

"Livestock exhibitors in the 1948 Fair will compete for about \$50,000 in cash premiums—the highest amount ever offered by the New Mexico State Fair," Harms said.

Clyde Tingley, chairman of the State Fair Commission, said an increase in premiums is being made in recognition of the increasingly important part the livestock industry plays in the economy of New Mexico.

"To encourage the continued participation of the excellent quality of livestock shown in past years, the Fair Commission approved the increased expenditure for livestock awards," Tingley said. "The New Mexico State Fair has become one of the largest and best in the southwest and the livestock exhibits have played an important part in building the Fair to its present degree of Success," he added.

Harms said early indications point to the largest list of entries in the Fair's eleven year history.

"The increase in cash premiums is an added incentive to the breeders of fine horses, cattle and other livestock to enter their animals in the New Mexico Fair," Harms said. He added that entries are expected from every county in New Mexico and from all of the surrounding western states.

This year's livestock awards include \$10,122 for cattle, \$6,400 for horses, \$1,669 for sheep, and \$2,318 for swine. Awards in the Junior Livestock divisions include \$1,955 for cattle, \$1,282 for swine and \$1,359 for sheep. Junior Livestock awards will total \$9,006 for all classes and divisions.

In addition to those awards listed above, liberal cash premiums will be offered to breeders of poultry, rabbits, cavies and goats in both the Senior and Junior Livestock competitions.

All Livestock entries must be made by Sept. 6, Harms said. The 1948 premium book, which gives complete information on classes and regulations, can be obtained free of charge by writing to Leon H. Harms, New Mexico State Fair, P. O. Box 1693, Albuquerque, N. M.

## Announces Appointment Of State Fair Officials

L. H. Harms, Secretary-Manager of the New Mexico State Fair, announces the appointment of officials to supervise and direct eighteen exhibit divisions in the 1948 Fair, Sept. 19-26. Superintendents for remaining exhibits will be announced soon, he reports.

Harms estimates that this year's State Fair will draw the largest attendance in the Fair's history. Nearly every county in the state is expected to be represented with an exhibit in addition to the thousands of individual exhibits and entrants.

Closing dates for entries range from Sept. 6 for all livestock divisions to Sept. 18, the evening preceding opening day, for rodeo contestants, home science, Indian Crafts and floriculture exhibits.

## Return From Trip To Texas

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Menefee returned last week from a 30-day vacation trip to Texas where they visited friends and relatives in all parts of the state. This is the first real vacation they have taken in 50 years. In an interview with Mr. Menefee he said, "We traveled over 3,640 miles and enjoyed every mile of it. We went swimming in the Gulf of Mexico and attended fish fries and clam bakes. We stayed at each place until they started to pass out hints about some work that had to be done and then we would move on to the next place where the platters would be loaded with fried spring chicken, fresh ham and country sausage. But nevertheless we are glad to be back to good old New Mexico."

## School News

The Hope school board met in regular session last Tuesday night, and voted to ask for applications for two school bus routes, as both contracts have expired. Mrs. Marble's resignation was accepted and Mrs. Letha Young was elected to take her place as 1st and 2nd grade teacher.

The school water tank was drained completely Tuesday, so George Fisher could weld places that had rusted through. Chester Teague is busy painting the woodwork in the school building. Some of the high school boys have been getting some workouts in basketball under the direction of Mr. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Moore autoed to Artesia Monday afternoon.

## Highway 83 Celebration to be Tuesday, Aug. 31

### Celebration To Be Aug 31, And Not In July

The celebration to observe the completion of State Highway No. 83 will be held in the Sacramento Mountains Tuesday, Aug. 31, instead of Saturday, July 31.

The discrepancy of a month in the announcement of the celebration in last week's issue arose through a misunderstanding of the date Gov. Thomas J. Mabry will be able to attend, which was set the date of the celebration.

Many Artesia merchants were quite unhappy last week when the date of July 31 was announced, as they would be unable to attend on a Saturday. However, when it was discovered Governor Mabry had said Aug. 31, that difficulty was overcome.

The celebration will be at the forest park about two miles above Mayhill in James Canyon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jess Musgrave returned Saturday from a two weeks trip to Las Vegas, N. M. where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Brantley Nelson.

Rush and Walter Coates and Mrs. Irvin Miller left last Friday for Breckenridge, Texas, on a business trip.

Mrs. J. C. Lauderdale returned to her home in Morenci, Ariz., last week end after visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Hardin, a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Potter went to El Paso last Sunday to visit James Potter who has been under a doctor's care for some time.

"Fat-Burning Diet For Hot Weather." Lose weight this summer. See this sensible seven day diet, packed with easy-to-follow menus and suggestions. Don't miss this interesting feature in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Dorothy Weddige is home from Lubbock, Tex., visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weddige.

Mrs. Cartwright from Pinon visited her mother, Mrs. Ida Pude, last Sunday.

Lawrence Blakeney is back from Loving, N. M., where he visited George Blakeney and Mary McDonald.

Robert Kincaid has accepted a position with the C. R. Anthony Co., at Artesia.

J. C. Smith was in Artesia Monday.

Robert Parks sold his lambs last week for 25c per pound, fall delivery.

James Bryant and family from Del Rio, Texas, have been here the past week visiting Alvin Kincaid and family.

Mrs. Mittie Hamill and Mrs. Chas. Bullock and two sons of Artesia were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hilary White, Sr., Sunday.

"Tragedies of the Stage." The curtain is going up on an absorbing series of true life dramas starring some of the theatrical world's most colorful personalities. You'll thrill to every scene of these stranger-than-fiction stories. Read this colorful series in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Curtis, Thomas Lee and Lottie May Harrison and Lonnie Harris left the first of the week for California.

Tom Harrison came home from the hospital at Roswell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Storrs and Mrs. Storrs' two sisters of Alamogordo were passing thru Hope Tuesday on their way to the Carlsbad Caverns and stopped for awhile at the Methodist parsonage. Mrs. Storrs and the Drews have been very close friends for nearly thirty years. Mrs. Storrs was Music instructor at the State Teachers College in Denton, Texas, for a long time.

Max Johnson was shopping in Artesia Monday.

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Mrs. Mittie Charles, of Phoenix, Ariz., arrived here Wednesday for a visit with her brother J. C. Buckner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pringle and daughter and a granddaughter of Phoenix, stopped in to say hello to the Buckner family last Monday. The visitors were on their way to Missouri.

Hollis Buckner went to Carlsbad Monday after Jesse Buckner. On Tuesday they went to Roswell where Jesse boarded a plane for Albuquerque.

Mark Fisher and his wife and Bobby Jo Munson were in Artesia Monday on business.

Sam Lovejoy, Jr., was here over the week end visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Lovejoy.

Services at the Baptist Church Sunday, August 1st at 11:00 a. m. Every night at 8. Close August 7. Jim Fields of Texas will preach.

## Uncle Sam Says



Millions of Americans are re-dedicating themselves to the support of our Government by word and action. Nearly 10 million of them are doing their share through the purchase of U. S. Savings Bonds on the easy, automatic payroll savings plan. They realize that a dollar saved is a dollar fighting against inflation. And some day, these dollars saved, will be returned to them with interest, \$4 for every \$3 invested. These bonds are truly security bonds as they help to stop spiraling prices. You too can become an investor through the steady accumulation of Savings Bonds. If self-employed, an automatic bond buying plan is available to you through the Bond-a-Month plan at your bank.

U. S. Treasury Department

## When Byron Was a Swimmer

The historic waterway formed by the Dardanelles (Hellespont) which the English poet Byron is said to have swum across, the Sea of Marmora and the Bosphorus divide Turkey into two land divisions, European and Asiatic Turkey. For the most part European Turkey is an undulating flat country except for the Istrandja mountain range facing the Black sea, where the altitude reaches 3,000 feet. The only stream of any importance is the Ergene, a tributary of the Maritza river. Neither of these streams is navigable. Turkey in Asia, or Anatolia as the Turks call it, is bounded by the Black sea, the Dardanelles and the Sea of Marmora, on the north, the Aegean sea on the west. To the south is the Mediterranean sea, Syria and Iraq. On the east Turkey borders Iran and the U.S.S.R. (Russia). Central Anatolia may be described as a series of tablelands varying in altitude from 2,000 feet in the west to 5,000 feet in the east.

## Calcium Helps Apples

Experiments at New York State agricultural experiment station, Geneva, have shown that calcium helps retain the original firmness of apples during canning and freezing. Food scientists also have found that calcium-treated apples retain their shape better in pies than do apple slices which were not treated. When apples are soft due to advanced ripening, the calcium treatment is



WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

# Arabs and Jews Go Back to War As U.N. Truce Fails in Palestine; Truman OKs Farm Price Support

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(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.)

## FAILURE: U.N. Truce

There was not peace, but once more a sword in Palestine. The United Nations truce had failed.

As the four-week interruption of hostilities between Arabs and Jews dragged somberly through its final hours, combatants on both sides were making preparations to resume warfare.

They had failed to come to terms, and that failure arose out of the fact that there had existed no political or social basis upon which a peace agreement could be rested, nor were either the Jews or Arabs particularly eager to create one.

Their attitude throughout the truce negotiations had been that the contest over whether the state of Israel should be allowed to exist must necessarily be a flat, win-or-lose battle with no middle ground solution possible.

Count Folke Bernadotte, U.N. mediator in Palestine, had tried hard, but he had had to carry out his negotiations in what might be termed a spiritual vacuum between the Jews and Arabs. There simply was no meeting of minds upon which he might have capitalized.

Before the truce expired Bernadotte had endeavored to get it extended and continue the negotiations. Israel had agreed to such an extension but the Arab league opposed it.

Previously, during the last days of the truce, the Arabs had rejected a plan submitted by Bernadotte which included an extensive revision of the now defunct U.N. partition scheme.

Bernadotte's proposal would have restored the area of Palestine to what it was before Trans-Jordan was separated from it, and that total area then would have been partitioned into independent Arab and Jewish states.

The plan, as presented, had a ring of desperation in it. It must have been obvious, even to Bernadotte, that the Arabs would not accept such a scheme, particularly since they had violently opposed the original U.N. partition idea.

Trans-Jordan was especially antagonistic to the plan, insisting that it would put the nation under at least partial jurisdiction of the United Nations, thus making it no better than a dependent state.

As Bernadotte and his staff left Palestine guns already were firing and the Holy Land had relapsed into a condition of war.

## FARM BILL: Price Support

To the accompaniment of his now customary blast at the 80th congress President Truman signed into law a farm bill that extends present price support policies for 15 months and establishes a long-range, flexible support program to begin January 1, 1950.

Signing the bill, the President said: "I wish to make it plain once again that legislation for price supports is only part of the action this congress should have taken to meet the problems of American agriculture."

Thus, he was not criticizing the farm price support bill in itself but rather giving another re-run to the familiar theme whereby he has been castigating congress for doing a little when a lot more was needed.

Congress, he said, failed to enact legislation to strengthen the soil conservation program; it did not provide the necessary funds for marketing research; it did not act on the international wheat agreement. It failed, he specified, to meet "the serious problems of rural housing, health and education."

"In the field of agriculture, as in so many others, most of the business of the 80th congress was left unfinished," Mr. Truman observed.

Under the extension bill farm prices generally will be supported at their present levels. However, the support price for cotton will drop from 92½ to 90 per cent of parity.

The idea behind parity farm prices is to insure the farmer the same buying power, compared with the rest of the community, that he had during a favorable crop period. Usually the standard interval upon which parity prices are based are the five years from 1909 to 1914.

Five other basic crops will continue to be supported at 90 per cent of parity. They are wheat, corn, rice, peanuts and tobacco.

## Stage Manager



Rep. Hugh D. Scott Jr. of Pennsylvania has been chosen by Republican leaders as the national chairman to lead the party in the forthcoming presidential campaign. Scott is 47, a World War II veteran and represents the Germantown-Chestnut Hill district of Philadelphia in the house of representatives.

## BERLIN: Trouble

As U. S. planes continued to fly tons of food into beleaguered Berlin the East-West stalemate over Germany was solidifying in a stubborn mold.

The Russian blockade of Berlin had brought the painful German issue to a head, and both the Soviets and the western powers were anticipating that events might begin to move very rapidly soon.

That were these developments: The Communists announced that they were drawing up a constitution for a German republic and also a two-year plan to link Berlin economically with the Soviet zone.

At the same time, on the free side of the iron curtain, German political leaders were expressing their opposition to the western powers' plans for a West German federal government.

In Berlin, power cuts were ordered in the three western sectors of the city to save the dwindling coal stocks. The action was taken despite the fact that coal shipments had begun to arrive by air.

Key to the situation, perhaps, was the Communist proposal for a new constitution. The Soviet-sponsored German People's Congress of eastern Germany announced that the document would be official. In a statement the group said that "Germany is an indivisible republic made up of states and that executive power stems from the people."

That appeared to bring Soviet intentions more or less out in the open. It means that Russia apparently is determined either to force the western democracies out of Berlin or bludgeon them into an agreement whereby the Soviets would be in virtual control of the city.

## REPUBLICAN: Changes, If

Although the presidency of the United States still is far from a reality for Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, the Republican nominee nevertheless is giving considerable thought to some of the problems that will face him if he does get elected to the office.

If, for instance, he is to make good his promise to sweep out "16 years of Democratic cobwebs" from the federal government, these are some of the tasks he will be expected to perform:

Replace hundreds of officials in Washington and all over the nation with men of his choice who will put his policies into effect.

Establish with congress a coordinated program of policies for all federal departments, both foreign and domestic.

Streamline government functions and eliminate duplications in the present structure of alphabetical agencies and bureaus.

It will be a gigantic task. Policies that a Republican president would have to establish would range through the current conduct of foreign affairs; domestic spending of taxpayers' money; federal relations with private business, labor and industry; housing, veterans, agriculture and social improvements.

Then there will be the matter of choosing a cabinet that will be geographically representative of the entire nation.

## RAILROADS: No Strike

Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough was not a man to stand idly by and watch society disintegrate, as he termed it, so he issued an injunction forbidding a national rail strike.

The injunction was a permanent one replacing the temporary "no strike" order he issued last May after the government had seized the railroads in the face of an impending strike by the three operating brotherhoods.

Justifying his action, Goldsborough said that if he had not issued the order "the whole economic and political system of the nation would be upset."

Although rail unions had protested that a permanent injunction was unnecessary, Goldsborough said they could not be permitted "to adopt a process which will disintegrate society itself." That held true, he pointed out, regardless of whatever merits the union's case might hold.

"Our political influence throughout the world would be done away with, we'd become a laughing stock. To permit a strike of this kind is something society should not be forced to tolerate."

But as the stalemate dragged on the disputants apparently lost some of their zest for the contest.

Finally a series of conferences, arranged by John R. Steelman, presidential assistant, resulted in a more or less amicable settlement: The unions agreed to accept a wage increase of 15½ cents an hour, plus some changes in operating rules.

Chortled President Truman as he called the labor and management representatives into his office: "You did this on your own hook and I feel very good about it. I congratulate all of you on it."

## CYCLES: Freezing

People who are addicted to the theory that human existence is defined by cycles have made a horrendous prediction: This will be a world of dictators for the next 250 years.

That prognostication was made in a "law of growth of nations," published by the Foundation for the Study of Cycles. This law indicates further that after the period of dictators will come a static or "frozen" civilization.

This "frozen" civilization probably will be a happy one, but it is, nevertheless, doomed to deteriorate. The end is foreseen when younger peoples, eager for the loot of the world, rise to give the coup de grace to the emasculated western powers.

Who these younger peoples are is not revealed. They may be a fresh group of barbarians or near-barbarians who will come sweeping down from the north or up from the south.

## Low Finance



In addition to giving Russia a false incentive toward becoming particularly nasty in Berlin, the recent currency revaluation in Germany's western zones caused a certain amount of personal financial confusion also. This German hausfrau turned in her old currency for the new money sponsored by the western powers, receiving 40 new marks for 60 of the old. But the new money will buy as much as the old—she hopes.

## Headliners

IN NEW ORLEANS . . . Mrs. Morris Champagne gave birth to a son in Baptist hospital, 24 hours later Mrs. Joseph Liquor had a daughter, 18 minutes after that Mrs. S. R. Stagers was delivered of a daughter.

IN BUTTE . . . Deputy Sheriff Robert Russel was treated for burns on his right forefinger suffered when he was demonstrating the safe way to handle freerackers to a group of youngsters.



## 'Starter' Fertilizer Boosts Tomato Yield Best Results Obtained With Cannery Produce

Tomato yields have been increased greatly by scientists who used starter solutions at transplanting time. Completely soluble, high analysis fertilizers now are available which will make excellent "starter" or transplanting solutions for cannery tomatoes, according to the New York state experiment station.

One of the best of three new formulas is a 15-30-14 combination of chemically pure ingredients which dissolves completely in water, thus avoiding the time and trouble



of straining out the insoluble residue which results if ordinary fertilizers are used for this purpose. Excellent results may be obtained from using the 15-30-14 formula at the rate of four pounds to 50 gallons of water, or 10 pounds to a 5-10-5 to the same amount of water.

The solution is applied at transplanting time at the rate of one-fourth pint to the plant. Increased yields of a ton and a half of tomatoes are not uncommon from the use of these solutions, which cost less than \$1 an acre for materials. The beneficial effects are especially marked at the first picking of cannery tomatoes. Market gardeners are not likely to find the practice so beneficial because of the more intensive fertilization of their land and the better nourished plants they usually employ.

## Precautions Suggested To Cut Haying Mishaps

Haying mishaps annually account for a large percentage of the mounting farm accident toll. National Safety council points out in urging farmers to take extra precautions during the haying season.

To reduce hazards and thus avoid disastrous losses, here are a few suggestions:

Carefully check all equipment for defective hitchers, ropes, pulleys, lifts, hay racks or ladders. Loft floors should be put in good repair and hay chutes guarded.

Make starts and stops gradually in all haying operations and watch out for falls from hay racks, hay stacks and hay mows.

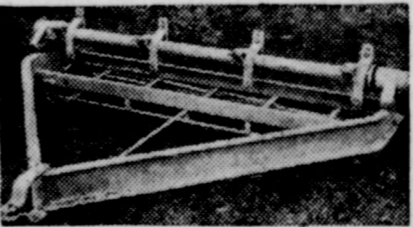
Machinery should be stopped and thrown out of gear before oiling, adjusting or unlogging, and safety guards should be kept in place at all times.

Pitchforks are dangerous; always place them where they are in plain sight of all workers. Never throw a pitchfork.

Do not wear loose or ragged clothing which may catch easily in moving machinery.

Damp hay is one of the principal causes of barn fires. Be sure the hay is well cured before storing and check regularly for several weeks for any signs of heating.

## Two Row Stalk-Cutter



The two row stalk-cutter is turned on its skids for transport between fields. When reversed (with cutting blades on reel removed) and riding on cutter blades, the tool levels corn stalks so the ground can be prepared more easily for the next crop. Arc welding makes a rigid frame that is hauled through a field behind a tractor.

**Electric Automobile**  
In 1891 William Morrison, Des Moines, Iowa, designed an automobile operated by electric storage batteries.

**So They Have Hearts**  
The heart of an insect is a slender tube suspended along the midline of the back, close to the dorsal wall of the body.

**Largest Flight Bird**  
Measuring four feet in length and nine feet between wing tips, the condor, an American vulture, is one of the largest existing birds of flight.

**Rivers of Milk Used**  
More than 60 million quarts of fresh milk and cream now are being used daily by American consumers.

**Lemonade for Mongols**  
A favorite beverage of the Mongol emperors was lemonade. A high ranking official was appointed to prepare the drink, which was believed to have curative powers.

**Still Room for Expansion**  
Despite recent progress in rural electrification, nine states report that they each have more than 100,000 unserved farms.

**Pointing for Service**  
Rapid service at your fingertips soon will be available by newly developed vending machines. The devices are equipped with an electric eye which enables the customer to get delivery merely by inserting coin and pointing finger at the product he desires.

## CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

### BUSINESS & INVEST. OPPOR.

**FOR RENT** immediately, well located gift shop or art studio with sleeping quarters. Henry W. Rhone, The Corner Cupboard, Grand Lake, Colo.

State and County Distributors for national mfr. Established 63 years. Unlimited opportunities with permanency. Write Mr. Teur, 1677 N. 11th St., Los Angeles, Calif.

**For Sale**—Grocery and meat market on Western Slope. Doing good business. Excellent location on State Highway 65 going to Grand Mesa. Across from post office and bank. Inquire J. A. Wick, Cedaredge, Colorado.

### DOGS, CATS, PETS, ETC.

**GREAT DANES**  
Purchased, A.K.C. fawn, puppies, 4700 So. Forest Englewood, Colo.

### FARM MACHINERY & EQUIP.

**FOR SALE**—1 Ann Arbor No. 40 baler. Folder style mounted on Model "B" Ford truck, with "D" size 3 1/2 M motor used 30 hours motor to baler. V-belted. Would consider trade of New Holland, M & M, or John Deere baler. Call or write H. H. McConnell, Fort Morgan, Colo. Phone 325.

### HELP WANTED—MEN-WOMEN

**TEACHERS WANTED**—Primary, \$2,250; Girl's Physical Ed., \$2,650 Commercial, \$2,400; Journalism, \$2,100; Home Ed., \$2,850; Library, \$2,000; Manual Tr., \$2,500. Have several hundred grade vacancies to fill Calif., Ore., Wash., Ariz. Salaries \$2,400-\$3,750. Why teach for less? We place teachers every western state. Teachers Exchange, Boulder, Colo.

### LIVESTOCK

**BIG combination sale** Registered Herefords and Quarter Horses and colts by Ed Nix and Sons and Isaac T. Earl, Boulder, Colo., August 18, 1948.

### MISCELLANEOUS

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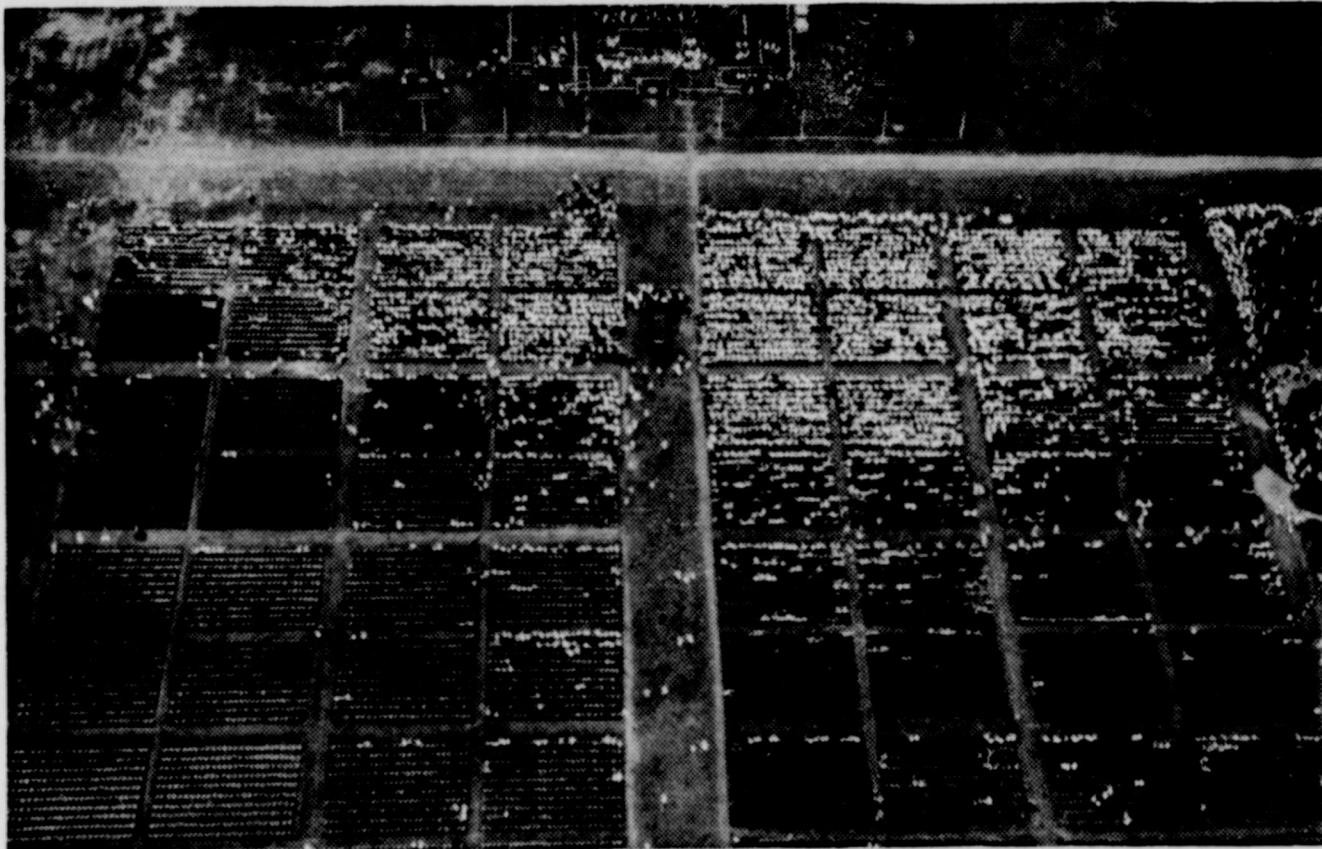
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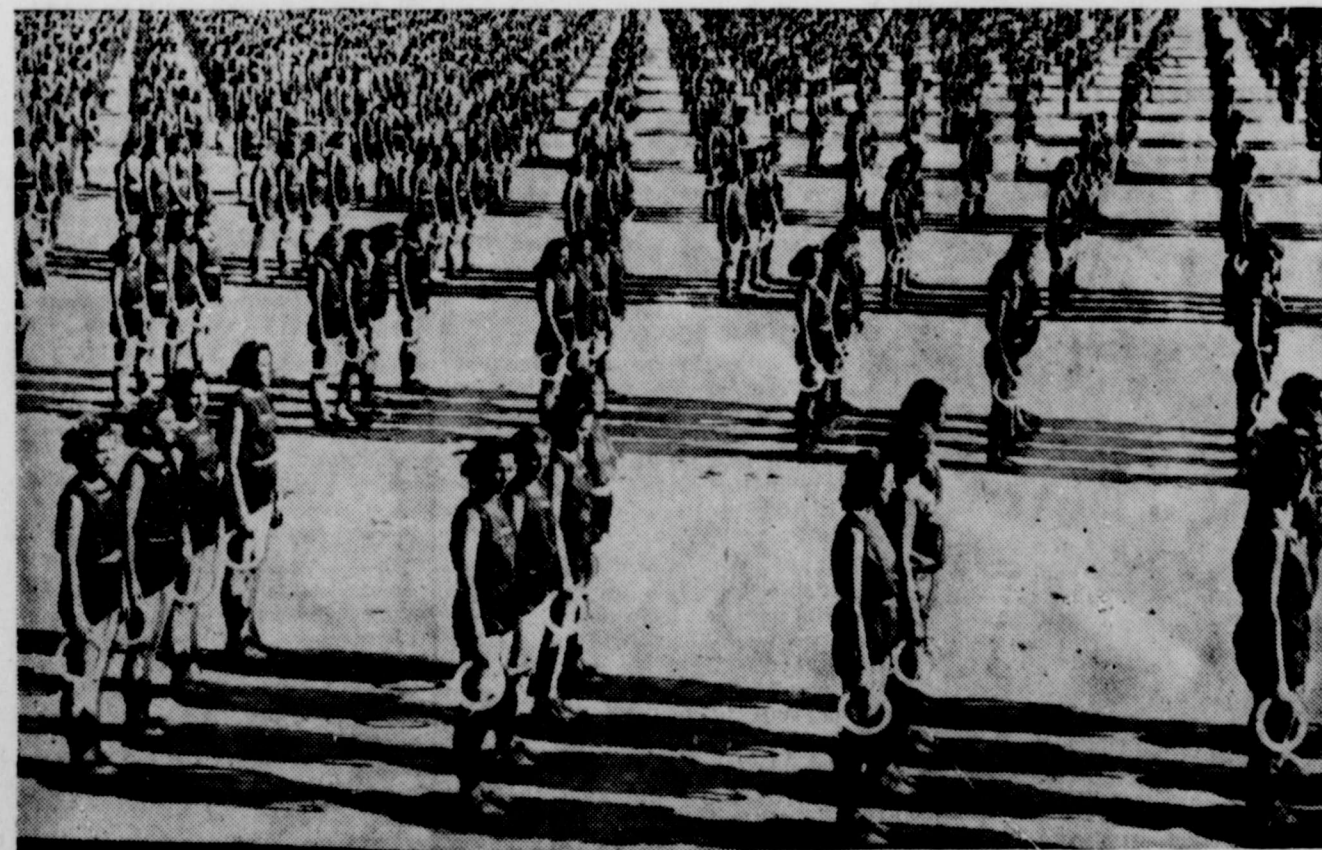
# news events PICTURES



**PRESIDENT TRUMAN DIDN'T PACK 'EM IN HERE . . .** Here of late the great speech-listening American public has been staying away in droves from certain of President Truman's official appearances. This phenomenon has been attributed variously to (a) insufficient publicity, (b) the heat, (c) the wiling of Mr. Truman's popularity. For instance, only about one-third of the 14,000 seats set up for the occasion were occupied by an audience which paid \$1 apiece for the privilege of listening to President Truman and other dignitaries expound on the centennial of the laying of the Washington monument cornerstone. This view was taken from the top of the 555-foot obelisk.



**CONEY ISLAND AND THE MADDING CROWD . . .** Ever been to Coney Island on a hot Sunday afternoon? It's a fabulous place where a stupendous assortment of metropolitan humanity throngs in an apparent effort to outnumber the grains of sand on the beach and in so doing spills over into the tumbling ocean surf. It is the place where the "great unwashed" goes to puddle its feet in the Atlantic. It's a sprawling, tangled mecca to hot dogs, picnics and idle sun worship. It is a mecca of blistered noses and shoulders, beach umbrellas and portable radios. It is the place where lost children cry for their mothers.



**CZECHS AND MASS CALISTHENICS . . .** Peculiarly enough, there is something in the sight of a large group of young people lined up in ordered ranks and doing mass calisthenics that brings to mind the words dictatorship, totalitarianism and regimentation. That attitude is probably a hangover from the days when Hitler's youths were doing it in Berlin. This photo shows a general view of 42,000 Czech young people of both sexes who lined up in Prague's Sokol stadium for a mass display of calisthenics and dances.

## Kathleen Norris Says:

*Life's Problems Are Endless*

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The trouble is that Norma and Fred never were married. Fred had a living wife when he and Norma first fell in love.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

### RAINBOW CHASERS

The subject of Miss Norris' discussion is rainbow chasers—people who claim they would be perfectly happy IF. That small, two-letter word is dynamite—laden with hidden connotations.

Like a weary hiker who has surmounted a steep hill only to be confronted by a series of more difficult inclines, these people are anticipating the day when their last obstacle will be behind them. They are certain that the day will arrive sometime despite the admonitions and warnings of wiser people who have preceded them.

Norma, who is typical of the multitudes who are blindly searching for the unattainable rainbow, writes Miss Norris that she would be supremely happy IF her common-law husband would marry her. She has money, social position, children, a beautiful home and limitless luxuries but feels that she is still lacking something.

If Fred would legally marry her, Norma thinks she would be assured of security since Fred would not be as apt to discard her for another woman. Not only that but deep down in his heart Fred would respect and cherish her more.

The situation is a difficult one but Norma can be assured that once her present problem is solved others will spring up to take its place for the problems of life are endless.

FUNNY, isn't it, how many women and men, too, would be completely happy if not for one thing? Just set one little detail right and life would be simple again, as it used to be when they were young.

Who cannot remember certain house parties that were so much fun, excitement, flattery and confidence that there was not a cloud in the sky? When the dresses mother had packed and ironed were just the right dresses? When one borrowed a dashing hat, climbed a mountain, came back to some cabin soaked and ravenous, devoured gargantuan meals and sat drowsy and content before a blazing fire thinking that life simply couldn't be more glorious!

Isn't it a pity that the picture has to cloud so soon, that complications, mistakes and troubles move in so early and take up their abode with us?

Especially now is life anxious and clouded for most of us. Even if we forget our own petty trials, there is always the shadow of hungry babyhood in Europe and of struggling, warring, bewildered and unscrupulous governments mixing everything up all over again and robbing us of our last feeble effort to get our philosophy working. Taxes worry us.

Where Grandmother had three contented and efficient servants and mother always had at least one, gallant little Joan of today hasn't any and yet she wants to raise babies, keep a nice house, entertain, keep out of debt and occasionally go dancing with Jack as they used to do. Small wonder that for some of today's women the problem is too tough and they are going in for psychopathic reactions at a rate that would put in the shade the vapours, faints, nerves and weeping fits of their Victorian forebears!

Norma Wilcox has only one gnawing, burning problem, but she would swap it sight unseen for 20 of the usual kind. She is 36, a woman to whom years have brought an increasing beauty and charm. Her husband is popular and attractive as she is, in his own way, and the three children are beauties—a girl of 13 and boys of 11 and 4. The Wilcoxs recently have bought a beautiful place on Long Island and Fred is progressing steadily toward fame and fortune. The nicest neighboring families have taken up the Wilcoxs with great enthusiasm, so what is the trouble?

The trouble is that Norma and Fred never were married. Fred had a living wife when he and Norma first fell in love. They were 15 years younger then, penniless and adventurous, and they took the law into their own hands. Now Fred's wife is dead, but he won't consent to a marriage ceremony. He says, which is true, that his name would make the thing news and he will not have his children marked by illegitimacy. His advice is "Forget it."

No one knows this except myself, Norma, Fred and Fred's aristocratic mother, who never has liked Norma. She intends to leave her fortune to the daughter of Fred's first marriage. Norma, therefore, knows that when the older woman dies, the story must come out. She

knows that fascinating women are paying court to Fred in his new successes. She knows that should they separate, her three children would be hers alone, but she doesn't want that. She doesn't want the children to live apart with her somewhere, on an allowance that would be merely charity on Fred's part.

She's not really afraid of Fred's leaving her. She knows that even if the affair was a nine-day wonder, it wouldn't hold the public interest forever. But she's uncomfortable.

When she told me the story two years ago she said she couldn't resign herself to accept the situation. Her mother-in-law naturally has no respect for her, she said. She doesn't think Fred has, deep in his heart. When she says to him that there are quiet places where he and she could be married without publicity, he brushes the whole matter off unconcernedly. She has her furs, home, opera box, children and everything else she wants, hasn't she? For the rest, "forget it."

"When I get tired of you, I'll let you know," Fred tells her.

"Every time I fancy I'm less pretty or popular," writes Norma, "or Fred spends more than three minutes talking to some new woman, I get nervous and can't sleep. And nobody knows and nobody sympathizes and everyone thinks I'm the luckiest woman in the world. Is there any easy way out of a mess like this?"

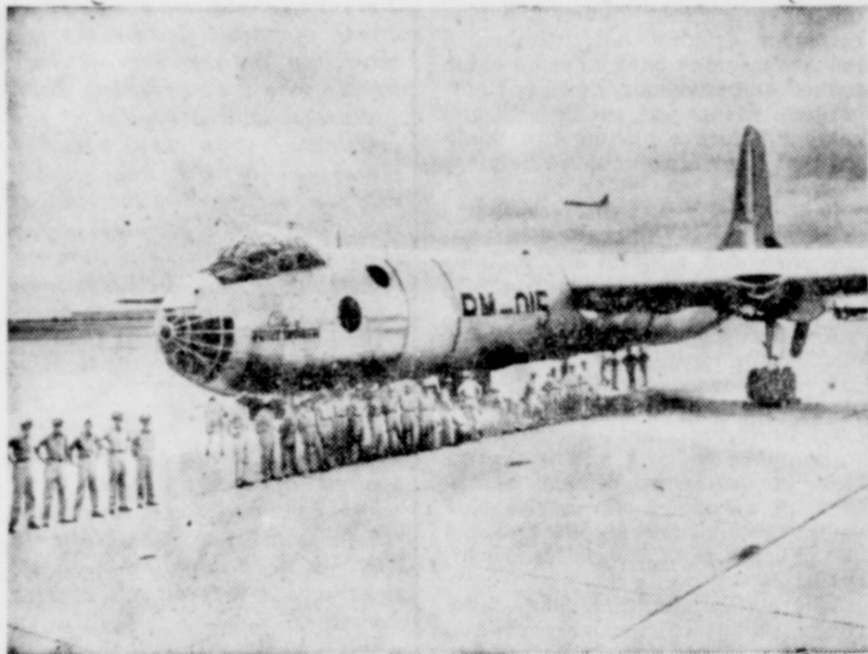
What I wrote her is between Norma and me. It was a way out. But not an easy one. There is no easy way out.



# Changing WORLD



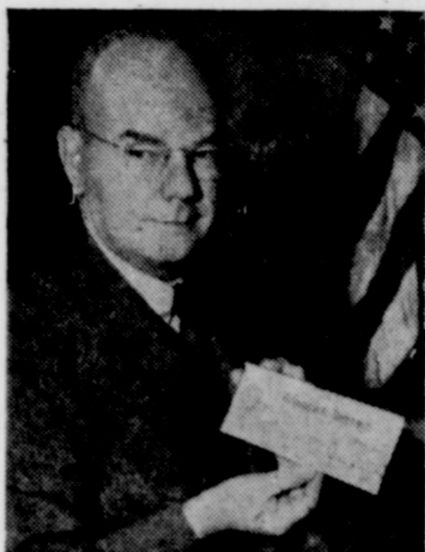
**EARTHQUAKE LEAVES THOUSANDS DEAD . . .** Atom bomb or no atom bomb, mankind has yet to devise a destructive weapon that can equal the stupendous forces sometimes released by nature. When one of the worst earthquakes of modern times hit Fukui, Japan, virtually the entire city was demolished and many thousands killed. Those few buildings that were left standing were burned out by fires that raged through the area.



**BEHEMOTH OF THE UPPER AIR . . .** They just keep getting bigger and bigger. This is the first combat model of the B-36, largest land-based bomber in the world, as it was delivered to the U. S. air force in Fort Worth, Tex. The giant plane carries a 15-man operating and fighting crew and has a range of approximately 10,000 miles.



**THE OLD AND THE YOUNG STAND GUARD . . .** Virtually every man—and many women, too—is of "draft age" in Israel. They are neither too young nor too old to bear arms in the Jewish fight to keep the young state of Israel alive. Here, two guards, one old and bearded and wearing a prayer cap, the other younger and equipped with a steel helmet, are shown on duty in the war-shattered Holy Land.



**BILLIONS . . .** Secretary of the Treasury John Snyder displays a check for 7.5 billion dollars, largest ever issued by the U. S. government. It was written for the purpose of reinvesting the proceeds of special treasury certificates of indebtedness.



**SHE WANTED WATER . . .** Mrs. Lou Brooks Thomas of Frisco, Mo., ordered a well-driller to sink a well for water on her property. First thing he struck was oil. Said Mrs. Thomas, "All I want is good drinking water." She made him seal the well and drill again until he struck water.



**BOYS' TOWN LEADER . . .** The Rev. Edmond C. Walsh has been named acting director of Boys' Town, succeeding the late Msgr. Edward J. Flanagan, founder of the world famous school in Nebraska for underprivileged boys.



**DONE WITH MIRRORS . . .** This is the latest thing in fastiveness. Miss Marilyn Radlein of Des Plaines, Ill., wears a new kind of glasses that are treated to form mirrors on the outside.



SCRIPTURE: I Samuel 18-20; 23:16-18; II Samuel 1:1-7; 21:7.  
DEVOTIONAL READING: I Corinthians 13:1-13.

## Jonathan, Loyal Friend

Lesson for July 25, 1948

**WELL** might we term this a lesson on the facets of friendship. Rarely will one come upon such a splendid example of friendship in all literature. Cole-ridge put it well when he wrote, "Friendship is a sheltering tree." Diogenes Laertius, writing on Aristotle, says, "He was once asked what a friend is, and his answer was, 'One soul abiding in two bodies.'"

Dr. Newton

Such was the friendship of Jonathan and David—a sheltering tree—one soul abiding in two bodies. Although Jonathan's father attempted at least ten times to kill David, Jonathan was drawn the closer to David, with whose soul his was knit.

The record of this friendship is found in our scripture and devotional readings for the lesson, with the golden text from Proverbs 17:17, "A friend loveth at all times."

### A PRINCE SHARES WITH A SHEPHERD

**JONATHAN** was the crown prince apparent. David was a shepherd boy. Saul expected to place Jonathan on the throne. God had selected David.

Jonathan would, no doubt, have made a better king than Saul, his father; but he had no desire to be king when he discovered the kingly qualities in his friend, David. Not once did Jonathan ever indicate any disappointment in not becoming king.

### JONATHAN STANDS UP FOR HIS FRIEND

**WHEN** Saul openly plotted the death of David, Jonathan begged his father to reconsider his course and spare the life of the man who had killed Goliath and had proved himself the valiant friend of Saul. This was the final test of Jonathan's sacrificial love for David. He might have remained silent, thus aiding in the death of the one man who stood between him and the throne. But Jonathan was made of the stout texture which counts no sacrifice too dear for a friend. He was willing to stand up and be counted when it meant that he would not become king. Thus we see that true friendship is not always easy. It usually is very costly, but it pays big dividends in the coin of eternal wealth.

### FRIENDSHIP THAT COSTS

**AND** like as Jonathan stood up and witnessed his lasting friendship for David, at a very great cost, so are we today summoned to this ennobling type of friendship for Christ. "Ye are my friends if ye do whatsoever I command you," he once said.

Young people find it rather costly to be loyal friends of Christ today. There are many siren voices that invite young people to take the low road—social drinking, gambling devices of one sort and another, satisfaction of sensual desires. But the true friend of Christ will withstand these voices, choosing rather the high road of Christian gentlemen.

### SACRIFICIAL FRIENDSHIP

**"FRIENDSHIP** is the loveliest flower in the garden of humanity," according to my cherished friend, Dr. Hight C. Moore. I would add this thought—true friendship flowers in the garden of humanity, but it finds its life in the Garden of God's Perfect Eden.

I have not known one single friendship that has impressed me that did not stem from above. "How can two walk together except they be agreed?" And the only cement that will hold human hearts together—one soul in two bodies—is the grace of God.

"Friendship is as God, who gives and asks no payment," said Richard Hovey, and not until the human will is yielded to the will of God, even as was the will of Jonathan, can sacrificial friendship come to flower and to harvest.

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# PRAIRIE GUNS

By E.E. HALLERAN

Sue Leonard's father is killed by Morgan Hapes, lawless sheriff, and his friend, Barlow. She is taken by Terry Donovan to the wagon of Mrs. Plyly who promises to protect the girl. Hapes spreads the rumor that Donovan killed Leonard and then either kidnapped or eloped with Sue. Terry is taken prisoner by the Indians but escapes and joins a scout troop organized to fight the Redskins. There he meets again Willie Andrews, his former boss who had helped him to escape from Hapes and Barlow after he had robbed them of some valuable papers, and Abe Plyly. The Indians attack and during the battle, Button McTague, a friend of Barlow, dies trying to give Terry a message.

## CHAPTER XXI

There was more to the story but Donovan did not hear it until he had been taken to the barracks. Abe collapsed as soon as willing hands lifted him from his horse but Terry had more questions to ask as he sat down to the food which had been brought.

"Which way did the troops go?" he wanted to know. "It seems funny we don't meet 'em."

Lieutenant Johnson answered the question. He was the only officer left at Fort Wallace and he was not happy over being left out of the excitement. "They went by way of Sheridan, keeping to the trail as much as possible because of the ambulances. Anyway your men did not seem too sure of finding the island and they wanted to follow the same trail the detachment made in reaching there in the first place."

Terry put down his coffee cup. "But that's fifty miles out of the way! Sick men can die while ambulances cover that much extra distance!"

The lieutenant tried to soothe him. "Maybe it won't be so bad."

"Without a guide?" Terry exclaimed. "By the time he works his way through all the dry washes there won't be anything left on the island but corpses! I want to borrow the best horse in the fort."

"But you'd never make it, man! You're exhausted."

"Not quite. Anyway I'm not dying—and there are good men out there on the island doing that very thing. Get me a pony and I'll take my chances."

Lieutenant Johnson stared at him for a moment. Then he smiled. "Good man! I believe you'll make it—but you'll have to go it alone. I've only got a corporal's guard left here and my orders are to stand pat."

"That's all right. All I want is a good horse, an extra six gun and plenty of ammunition."

Abe was sleeping in complete exhaustion when Terry rode out to the northwest.

### The Worst Appears Over

As the sun rose warm across his back he could feel himself growing a little giddy and for minutes at a time he clung to the saddle with both hands, blindly depending on the horse to hold his direction. Then, shortly before midday, his bleared vision picked up a dust cloud ahead.

It might have been Indians but he did not hesitate. Heading directly toward the dust he was soon able to make out the blue of uniforms in the haze. It was Carpenter's troop of colored regulars, riding hard but in a wrong direction.

He was already cutting across their trail at the proper angle to intercept them and within a few minutes he was telling his story to Colonel Carpenter. There was a brief halt while the colonel gave brisk orders and had Terry shifted to a fresh mount from the troop's remuda. Then the detachment was in motion once more.

For the next couple of hours everything was a blank for Donovan. He still rode, a darky trooper on each side of him, but he did not know that he was riding.

Carpenter woke him once to check directions at a stream crossing, then Terry went to sleep again as the regulars kept up their steady, mile-devouring pace.

The afternoon was half spent when the crackle of carbines brought him back to alert attention. The advance guard was chasing the small force of Indians which had been left behind to watch the besieged men on the island. The savages were in full flight while just beyond a rise Terry could see the island itself, gaunt scarecrows on it struggling erect to cheer their rescuers.

Down wind came the stench of putrefying flesh and Colonel Carpenter grimaced quickly. "Lord! How have those poor devils been able to live in that?"

He gave quick orders and his men dashed straight for the island, wasting no time in helping the scouts to

quit their foul refuge. The work went forward rapidly, rescuers and rescued alike eager to reach purer air. Terry saw that most of the scouts were sick but that there had been no additional casualties. He made out the form of Willie Andrews, more stooped than ever but still able to walk. Then he slid from the saddle and fell fast asleep on the ground.

When he awoke it was daylight and he knew that he had slept some sixteen hours or more. Soldiers and wagons were plentiful on the prairie now, Bankhead's force having come up with the ambulances and supplies. A camp had been set up so that the sick men could be cared for while details from the relief forces were searching the plain for sign of Indians.

Terry threw off the blanket which some one had spread over him during the night, and went to search



He clung to the saddle, blindly depending on the horse to hold his direction.

for Andrews. Locating the cowpuncher was not difficult. From the edge of the camp opposite the makeshift hospital Terry could hear the voices of a reasonably good quartet singing a song which could have had only one origin.

"In days of old when knights were bold, And Cheyennes rode the plains, A hungry scout ate sauerkraut And never felt no pain. But horse meat ten days old Ain't good for soldiers bold. It fills you quick but makes you sick. It's worse than man can hold. So what care I though."

Terry chuckled as he saw that the words were being dutifully rendered by a quartet of Carpenter's negro troopers. Willie had certainly progressed. No longer was he a mere entertainer; now he was managing his own troupe.

The buffalo troopers broke off and scattered through the camp as an officer came across to investigate the noise. Terry eyed Andrews with a stern glance as the cowpuncher walked casually toward him. "Is that any kind of a way to treat sick men?" he demanded. "Ain't it enough to starve 'em and shoot 'em full of holes without making 'em listen to noise like that?"

Willie's voice was a hoarse croak as he replied, "I wanta cheer the boys up and I ain't in sech good voice myself. I figgered I'd let somebody else do the singin' for me 'til my throat got over that diet o' bad horse meat. How's Abe?"

### Terry Worries About Grinnel

"All right, I guess. He was asleep when I left."

"Good, I was kinda gettin' to like the old coot even if his old lady did point a gun at me once."

Terry chuckled at thought of Mrs. Plyly. "How's Al Grinnel?" he asked abruptly. "Ornerly as ever?"

"Worse. I don't think there's a thing wrong with him but he's puttin' on the best kind of a act. Yo' might think he was ready to die."

"Getting rested up for more trouble, I suppose," Terry said grimly. "Now that we're through with this mess I can look for Al to start something on that Abilene deal."

Willie grinned. "Don't try to fool an old cowhand like me," he protested. "You ain't goin' to wait fer Al to start no trouble there; yo'll be raisin' a mess yourself if I know yo'."

Terry smiled thinly. "I'm afraid there's no choice," he said. "I know something about some pretty slick crooks. They won't let me live in peace while I hold that information over their heads—in fact, they won't let me live at all. If I want to stay in Kansas I've got to settle the matter—and I propose to stay in Kansas."

Willie rubbed his hands together, happily. "I kin hardly wait," he said.

It was a slow journey back to Fort Wallace, the troops suiting their pace to the slow-rolling ambulances. Even taking a straight cut across country the march consumed four days, a sufficient interval for both Donovan and Andrews to be fit and impatient on their arrival at the fort.

It was not until the men had been assigned to barracks that Terry had an opportunity to get a private word with Abe.

"Abe," he said, "we've got to make a quick move or we're going to let Sue Leonard in for more trouble. Grinnel hasn't been sayin' much but he certainly knows that Sue was with you when you came to Fort Hays. We haven't admitted it but he'd be mighty thick if he didn't figure it out. He'll tip off the gang at Abilene and Sue's life will be in danger."

Abe looked troubled. "I reckon you're right. How would it be if we told the whole yarn to Colonel Bankhead? Ask him to send the word along to the commander at Fort Hays. Mebbe if the local law can't do anything with that crowd of rascals the army will handle it."

Terry shook his head. "I'm afraid that won't work. In the first place I feel certain that the army won't undertake any town police work. They're not supposed to do it and anyway they've got their hands full with this Indian war. What's more I don't think it would save Sue."

"Why not?"

"Because she's too dangerous to Barlow and his crowd. She's the only real witness against them—and they know it. That market rustling outfit is big; they've been selling beef all along the line of the Kansas Pacific. They must have gang members in Hays City and we make a pass at Barlow it will be just too bad for Sue. They won't stop at anything and they know we can't prove a thing against them without the only person who can offer direct evidence."

"How about you?" Willie cut in.

Terry laughed mirthlessly. "They've got a better story about me than I have about them. What's more they've already got a lot of folks to believe it."

"I mean mebbe yo've got some-thing on 'em that yo' don't know about. Didn't McTague give yo' a hint that way?"

### Abe's Optimism Is Infectious

"I suppose so—but that isn't the point. We can't make any move until we see to it that Sue is out of their reach. Then I'll take a look at those papers I picked up. There's a chance that I grabbed something more than the Leonard papers and maybe we'll have some other evidence. Anyway I'll have to play it my way; you fellows are still in the army."

"Oh, no we ain't," Abe contradicted. "There's been all kinds o' new orders out in the last couple o' days. Troops are on the march everywhere and the pussfootin' time is over. Forsyth's scouts are goin' to be reorganized and only the ones who want to stay will go into the new outfit. Us old vets are done if we wanta leave."

"Fair enough," Terry nodded. "We'll give that ankle of yours another day of rest, then we'll ride over to Sheridan and catch the train to Hays. Once we get Sue to a safe place we'll open up on that Barlow crowd."

"Right. Mebbe we can go back to the farm. It'll give us a chance to get the place squared away again and be ready to start work in the spring."

Donovan chuckled at the old man's enthusiasm. "And be all ready to get caught in the next Indian raid, I suppose?" he asked dryly.

"There ain't goin' to be no more raids in Kansas," Abe told him confidently. "We've got the devils on the run now and the sojers are makin' 'em hard to find. What's more they ain't goin' to git away with this stunt like they did other years. Before they jest held their fall raids and then holed up fer the winter and played innocent while they waited fer another summer to come. This time the army's goin' to put on a winter campaign and bust 'em up proper while they can't run away. Sheridan's planned it and they're havin' Custer come back to carry out the action. No, sir, there ain't goin' to be no Injuns to bother honest hoemen after this."

The optimism was infectious and the three men spent a reasonably cheerful evening.

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**Fire!!**

The fire that ate up Job Crowell's new barn Saturday is just another reminder that the best way to put out fires is *before they start*—by inspection for defective wiring, faulty heating units, and any other source of combustion.

That's true, not just of fires, but of everything. The brewers for instance make every effort to prevent unpleasantness or trouble within their industry—by inspecting all taverns selling beer for possible sources of dissatisfaction. They call it Self Regulation—be-

cause when any tavern is found lacking in *any* respect, it's warned by the brewers to either mend its ways, or they'll call on the proper authorities for action.

From where I sit, prevention is always the best cure. And by getting after trouble before it starts, the brewers have maintained a high tradition of cleanliness, courtesy, and obedience to law among all places selling beer.

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A novel process is employed to prepare the glass, which consists almost entirely of silica, or quartz. Fused silica has long been used because it is heat-resistant and does not impede the passage of ultraviolet light, he pointed out, but vycor may take the place of quartz glass, since it is cheaper to manufacture and easier to shape.

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**Can Your Soups and Relishes Now**  
(See recipes below)

**Canning Tactics**

ISN'T IT CONVENIENT to have home-canned foods in good supply before the garden runs out? Yes, you may have been putting up fruits and vegetables as well as some of the early jams, jellies and preserves, but how about some of those extras that help tide you through the winter?

There are a variety of home-canned soups which are simply grand when lunch time rolls around on a snowy day. And, of course, there are pickles and relishes that are always handy for adding zest to sandwich suppers or for rounding out the meat course.

IF YOU LIKE a good, well-seasoned tomato soup, here is an easy way to put up one. This is a small-sized recipe, but it is concentrated so it will go a long way after you heat it and add milk or water. Of course, the recipe can be multiplied.

**Concentrated Tomato Soup**  
(Makes 2 quarts)

- 12 pounds tomatoes
- 3 small bay leaves
- 12 whole cloves
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 2 teaspoons sugar

Choose firm, red ripe tomatoes. Wash and remove cores; then place in a large preserving kettle. Add bay leaves and heat to boiling. Reduce heat and simmer for 10 minutes. Put through sieve or food mill, return to kettle and simmer until of the consistency of gravy. Tie cloves in a cheesecloth bag, and add during the last five minutes of cooking time. Remove cloves and add salt. Pour into hot sterile jars, place on lids and simmer for five minutes in a boiling water bath.

IF YOU LIKE to can meats, here are some ways which are delicious for preparing them:

**Veal in Tomato Sauce**  
(Makes 4 quarts)

- 2 1/4 quarts tomatoes
- 2 cups sliced celery
- 2 tablespoons salt
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1/8 teaspoon black pepper
- 6 pounds boneless veal, cut for stew

Peel tomatoes, remove cores and slice thin before measuring. Or use one and one-half quarts cooked or canned tomatoes. Mix tomatoes with celery, salt, sugar and pepper; heat to boiling and cook rapidly for five minutes. Add veal, cover and simmer for 20 minutes. Pack into clean hot jars and fill to within one-half inch of top. Adjust lids according to manufacturers' directions. Process 75 minutes for pints, 90 minutes for quarts at 10 pounds pressure.

**Beef for Stew**  
(Makes 4 quarts)

- 10 pounds of beef
- 3 tablespoons shortening
- 2 tablespoons salt

Use either chuck or rump of beef. Trim off excess fat and weigh meat after trimming. Wipe with damp cloth and cut into pieces to fit jars. Melt shortening and brown meat in skillet. When well browned add just enough water to cover, heating until all browned residue from skillet is dissolved to make a rich gravy. Pack meat into clean hot jars to within one inch of the top. Add one and one-half teaspoons salt to each quart. Adjust lids. Process 75 minutes for pints, 90 minutes for quarts at 10 pounds pressure.

**LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU**

- Salmon Salad in Cabbage Cups
- Potato Chips
- Assorted Pickles
- Molded Pear Salad
- Bran Muffins
- Coconut Cream Pie
- Beverage

ANY VEGETABLES you like may be used in a soup combination, but the processing should be done in a pressure cooker for vegetables unlike tomatoes are a non-acid food and need more processing.

If the garden is coming to the end of its yield, here's a good batch of soup that can be put up from it:

**End-of-Garden Soup**  
(Makes 3 quarts)

- 2 parsnips, peeled
- 2 medium-sized potatoes
- 4 carrots, scraped
- 2 cups quartered, peeled tomatoes
- 2 bunches celery, cut
- 1 sweet red pepper, trimmed and cut in strips
- 1/4 pound spinach, washed and shredded
- 1 cup cut green beans
- 2 quarts water

Clean all vegetables thoroughly before preparing. Cut in rather small pieces. Place in soup kettle, add water and simmer for two to three minutes. Pack while hot into clean jars; add one teaspoon salt to each quart. Adjust lids; process in pressure cooker, 60 minutes at 10 pounds pressure for pints, or 70 minutes at 10 pounds pressure for quarts.

**Chili Sauce**  
(Makes 4 pints)

- 10 tomatoes
- 1 quart chopped sweet red peppers
- 1 cup finely chopped white onions
- 1 hot red pepper, chopped
- 1 quart sugar
- 2 tablespoons salt
- 5 cups vinegar
- 1 tablespoon celery seed
- 1 tablespoon ground cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon ground cloves

Scald tomatoes, remove skins and cores. Clean and chop remaining vegetables. Heat to boiling in a large kettle and cook vigorously for one and one-half hours. Add spices tied in two or three thicknesses of cheesecloth and cook one-half hour longer until the mixture is thickened. Remove spice bag. Pour into hot sterile jars and seal immediately.

**Chunk Pickles**  
(Makes 8 pints)

- 6 pounds large cucumbers
- 3 1/4 cups salt
- 3 quarts water
- 2 tablespoons alum
- 1 quart vinegar
- 8 cups sugar
- 2 2-inch sticks cinnamon
- 2 blades mace
- 1 tablespoon whole cloves

Wash cucumbers; place in stone crock or jar; cover with cold brine made of salt and water; let stand two weeks. Remove cucumbers from brine, wash, trim off stem ends and cut crosswise into one-inch pieces. Cover with cold water; add alum; let stand overnight. Drain; wash well. Combine remaining ingredients and bring them to a boil. Pour immediately over cucumber chunks. Repeat the process for three mornings, reheating the syrup every time. On the fourth morning, place cucumbers in jars and pour hot syrup over them. Seal at once.

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**AROUND THE HOUSE**

The best way to pick up tiny bits of glass is to swab them up with a large piece of absorbent cotton. When done, throw the whole thing away.

If you're growing ivy in water, a chunk of charcoal in the water will help it along.

Pipe cleaners are handy things for cleaning the inside of glass drinking straws.

Use a curved grapefruit knife to scoop the insides out of a tomato or pepper.

Glassware will have added sparkle if washed in water containing some laundry bluing.

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"But, my good woman!" objected the undertaker, "I couldn't do that. Why that's unthinkable!" "Unthinkable, my eye!" rejoined the widow. "That good-for-nothing loafer never worked a lick in his life, but now that he has no say in the matter, I'm going to make him to be useful at last!"

**Why Clothes Wrinkle**

Chemists have discovered why garments wrinkle. Attributing wrinkles in clothing to the "personality of the individual fibers," a report made to American Chemical society declared that any fabric's resistance to stretching depends on the fineness of its filaments, the ease with which they are able to move in relation to one another and their ability to recover from stretching without being permanently deformed.

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