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## **Demo Candidates** Have Busy Week

Democratic State Candidates put in a busy week as the campaign went into high gear for the final weeks be-fore the general election Nov. 2. Gov. Mabry and Clinton P. Ander-son, candidate for U.S. Senator, flew to Lordsburg from Gallup to greet President Truman and his party last

President Truman and his party last Saturday, Sept. 25. Truman made rear platform speeches in Lordsburg and Deming en route to El Paso from Phoenix. Mrs. Truman and Margaret accompanied the President on his western tour. With Mabry and Anderson were Lt. Gov. Joseph M. Moore Dan Sedillo, candidate for Corpora-tion Commissioner and Mrs. Alice Romero, candidate for Secretary of In Two Concerts

mass meeting at Santa Rosa.

Tuesday, Sept. 28, Anderson, Rep.
Antonio M. Fernandez, Joe L. Martinez, candidate for Attorney General, ed to popular music, jazz classics and H. R. Rodgers and Mrs. Alice Romnovelties that are meant to be sheer ero, appeared at a mass meeting in Silver City. Mabry, John E. Miles, candidate for Congress, Montoya, Charles L. Rose, Dan Sedillo and Ingram B. Pickett appeared at two meeting at Tucumcari. KTNM carried a broadcast of Mabry on the same night.

Wednesday Mabry and his group appeared for Governors Day festivates at the Eastern New Mexico State Fair. Anderson and his party were in novelties that are meant to be sheer fun, designed primarily for the youth of America. Some of the selections to family for the youth of America. Some of the selections to the night Club," Three Blind Mice at a Night Club," and also popular numbers from the will please genuine music lovers of all ages. It has variety, but all the selections for the night program have

Fair. Anderson and his party were in Lordsburg for a night Raily in the Music.

the Governor and his party moves to Carrizozo for a night meeting in the High School Auditorium.

Anderson's party will be at Deming for a night mass meeting in the City Hall Auditorium, Thursday, Sept. 30, and will move to Las Cruces for a meeting Friday night. Anderson will broadcast over a southern New Mexico network the same night over KOBE—Las Cruces, KAVE—Carls-bad, KSIL—Silver City, at 7 p. m. On Saturday, Oct. 2, Anderson, Fer-nandez, Rodgers, Shepard, Martiney

and Alice Romero will be present at Hatch for a night rally and will visit the Sheriffs Convention at Hot Springs on Sunday. Roswell will play the Sheriffs Convention at Hot Springs on Sunday. Roswell will play host to the Anderson party on Monday, with a rally at the Junior High School Auditorium, starting at 8 p. Anderson will go on the air over m. Anderson will go on the air over KGFL—Roswell at 7 p. m.

Anderson and his group will be in Artesia for a meeting Tuesday night, and will also broadcast a talk at 5:30 Senior News—The p. m. over KSVP. Carlsbad will be the scene of a night meeting and Democratic Rally on Wednesday, Oct.

6, and Anderson will be on the air EDITORIAL with a speech at 8:15 p. m. over

Starting Monday, Oct. 4, the Mabry party will move to the northern part of the state with an appearance at the High School Auditorium at Taos starting at 8 p. m. Mabry, Miles, Montoya, Rose, Sedillo and Pickett will visit various cities in Mora County on Tuesday. On Wednesday the Governor will be at Las Vegas for a mass meeting at Ilfeid Auditorium at 8 p. m. and wil lalso speak over KFUN

# son were Lt. Gov. Joseph M. Montoya, also a candidate for re-election, To Appear in Artesia

The Lions Club of Artesia an-On Monday, Sept. 27 Anderson was nounces that they are sponsoring the in Socorro for a Democratic Rally, and United States Navy Band in two conmass meeting at Santa Rosa.

The Lions Citlb of Artesia and nounces that they are sponsoring the concert at 2:30 and the evening concert at 2:3

novelties that are meant to be sheer

one description in common:

City Hall Auditorium.

On Thursday, Sept. 30, Mabry. Montoya, Miles, Charles L. Rose, Sedillo and Pickett will be in Alamogordo and Tularosa for night rallies. Friday, the very nominal cost of 60c for children in the state of the second sec chased at a total cost of \$1.80.

For tickets write to Artesia Lions Club, c/o Marvin Sanders, Carper Bild., Artesia, New Mexico.

## Democratic Rally Artesia, Tues., Oct. 5

A Democratic rally will be held in Artesia, Oct. 5 at 8 p. m. The princi-

son, Democratic candidate for U.S.

Senior News-The Seniors have been entertaining the teachers every day since school started. Hope played Weed in baseball Thursday afternoon. One of the Senior boys came out with a black eye. And we might add that some need their their school spirit renewed.

Freshmen News—We had a class meeting Monday and decided what was what. Thursday some of the boys in the Freshman class played base-They did very well.

7th and 8th grade news—Carol Hope News Munson was absent from school Mon-day because of illness. We are glad to have Lee Mack back in school. She has been attending school at Raton. We had skating Monday night. Some of us received some pretty hard falls especially Ella Sue Nunnelee. We want to thank Mr. Lea for letting us

5th and 6th grade news-Mrs. H. L. Harris and Mrs. J. W. Trimble are planning a party for our room Friday. We are anxious for Friday to come. Several of us plan to attend the fair at Roswell this week. Marion Ray Teel missed school part of this week to help with the sheep on his father's ranch. We are studying about the early colonial life in New England. We have decided that we are glad we are fiving now instead of then. Gergorio Hidalgo is back in school again. He has been absent two days be-

cause of illness. Third and Fourth Grade News Miss Rhodes the health nurse visited the school on Monday. We have received several sets of new books. The pupils enjoy writing in their new pen-manship books and they are striving to form better letters each day. They are very interested in working in their pubble page book. We made patch work animals and birds in art and many artistic designs were created. We have a new set of flash cards and we are drilling on addition and multiplication combinatio-ns. Tommy Greene celebrated his ninth birthday Saturday. Elmer Wood was absent from school Friday, as he went to a dentist to have a tooth treated.

t a meeting of the commissioners of the Hope Water Users Association with Hope. hald last week Thursday night it was decided to send a tractor and blade in the river to run a ditch down the river to try and improve the water situation. Work on this started Wed-

Before too many of the Democrats start to vote for Dewey they should think back of what happened when they voted for Hoover. Hard times, bread lines, unemployment were their reward. Such things could happen Teel, last week.

Mrs. M. D. Brantley returned Saturday from a visit in Carlsbad.
The small son of Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson of Artesia visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Teel, last week. reward. Such things could happen

Every cloud has a silver lining. If we lived in a rainy country we might get our feet wet, get a cold, get sick with pneumonia, have to have a doctor charles farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell. He's too busy being Mayor of with pneumonia, have to have a doctor charles farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's too busy being Mayor of with pneumonia, have to have a doctor charles farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. No has-been role for Actor Charlie Farrell's Own Story. doctor and hospital bill for the family to pay. Yes siree, there are sure some advantages in living in a dry climate.

Had a nice letter from Zury White at Carlsbad Tuesday. He ends his let-ter with a slogan which follows: "Be true with Truman, he is a true friend If re-elected will be true to the end; That fellow Dewey he will do you if he can, if he's elected, it's soup kitchens again." Mr. White urges everyone to try and get the vote out at the November election.

Geo. Reese, chairman of the Democratic county committee and Joe Gant, chairman of the Carlsbad precinct committee were in Hope Tuesday or ferring with Geo. Teel, chairman of the Hope precinct committee, and Max Johnson, member. Mr. Reese brought up registration blanks which he left with Geo. Teel. Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Altman will notarize each registration blank free of charge. Registration books close Monday, Oct. 4, therefore please hurry.

## To Vote Nov. 2 You Must Register

We don't know how we are going dren and \$1.20 for adults. If reserved to write this item about registering, seats are desired, they may be purso that each and everyone of our readers will realize the importance of registering so that everyone can vote on Nov. 2. Therefore we urge everyone to see the local registeration board and if your name is not on the list see that it gets on there immediately. Contact Geo. Teel, Max Johnson, Mrs. N. L. Johnson, Mrs. Altman or Mrs. John Teel and they will be glad to see that you are registered properly. This matter of registering is of ex- early Wednesday morning. treme importance because if you are not registered you have nothing to vember election. The time is short as the registration books close Monday, Oct. 4.

## Revival Services

Methodist church Sunday morning, ties. Oct. 3. Dr. C. Pardue Bunch will Go Oct. 3. Dr. C. Pardue Bunch will Governor Mabry and Anderson op-preach at the 11 o'clock hour and Rev. ened the campaign Monday night with

B nnie's for shoe repair Mr. and Mrs. Meador and family from Artesia and Mr. and Mrs. J. C.

day visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bridgeman from for Secretary of State; Joe Martinez. California were here the past week candidate for Attorney General and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cole. The Guy Shepard, candidate for Commisvisitors were on their way to Tennessioner of Public Lands.

Bennies' for shoe repair Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Bass from the tive in Congress; Charles L. Rose, Mt. section were through Hope the candidate for Superintendent of Published the Congress of the West State of the first of the week.

on a water well that is being drilled on the Henry Coffin place. The cotton that is on the Chester

Schwalbe place is turning out excep-tionally good. Some of it did not have too much water but is producing a large quantity of cotton.

cotton on the Bob Cole farm.

Bennies' for shoe repair Santa Fe for the week end Mr. M. C. Newsom is back from a

down from the Mts. and are visiting day at Deming, Friday at Las Cruces with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jones. and Saturday at Hatch.

## Hope News .

business and politics. Read it in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilary White, Sr., received a telegram Tuesday morning stating that a boy had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patton at Clovis. Mother and baby are getting along nicely.
FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms.

Hot and cold water and electricity. Granny Clements, Hope. —Adv. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Thompson are

Mr. Thompson will be employed.

Mrs. Parnell of Electra, Texas, was

ernment. It is the controlling factor the party in office in New Mexico. here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith loaded up their furniture Tuesday and started for Hugo, Okla., where they have

bought a farm. "Broken Foursome." Don't miss reading this dramtic story of a divorce that smashed the famous foursome of General Ike and Mamie Eisenhouer and the Harry Butchers. This absorbing story of a romantic casualty ap pears in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next

Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner. Ray Hill, builder and contractor, went thru Hope Wednesday morning bound for Roswell.

Joe Clements was in from the ranch

## Democrate Begin State Campaign

all candidates planning to engage in is the kind of ability in office that At Methodist Church and Cliston P. Anderson will tour in the administration of the civil and Clinton P. Anderson, will tour

R. L. Willingham at the evening hour. a joint radio broadcast over a state-Services will be continued each eve- wide hookup, including KOAT Albuquerque on Monday.

After making appearances in sev- senting vote. eral towns in San Juan and Valencia Time does counties during the week, all state extended references to our Congres-Claberon Buckner and baby girl Democratic candidates will join up sional and State candidates. As a from Belen were here over the week for a rally in Gallup, Friday. Sept. member of the Republican National end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Buck-24. On Saturday and Sunday the two Committee I am required to stress per.

which will continue until election day.
In the group headed by Clinton P.
Anderson, Democratic candidate for
U. S. Senator, will be Rep. Antonio andez. candidate for Congress; ckner made a trip to the Mts. Sun- H. R. Rodgers, candidate for State Treasurer; Alice Romero, candidate

ic Instruction; Dan Sedillo and Ing-Harve Evarts is drilling a water ram Pickett, candidates for State well for Emit Potter. Dick Carson Corporation Commissioners. E. D. and Henry Coffin are in partnership Trujillo, candidate for State Auditor, on a water well that is being drilled and J. C. Compton, candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court, will make appearances with both groups.

The itinerary of the Mabry group

will include a night rally at Santa Rosa on Monday, Sept. 27. The party ment. Bennies' for shoe repair

Arthur Clements started picking New Mexico State Fair at Roswell. otton on the Bob Cole farm. Thursday will be spent in Lincoln Wallace Johnson was around this County with a night meeting at Alaweek trying to get some help to con-mogordo. Friday, Oct. 1 the Mabry struct his dairy barn near Carlsbad. party will hold a night meeting at Bennies' for shoe repair Carrizozo and will then return to

The Anderson group will divide for trip to Arkansas. He is well satisfied night meetings at Socorro and Magwith Hope.

Smokey McElrov and son were day this party will attend a night Hope, N. Mex., under the Act of down in Artesia Monday on a shop-rally at Silver City, and will hold a Mar. 3, 1879. might meeting at Lordsburg Wednes-Mr. and Mrs. Jake Cox are moving day. Night rallies will be held Thurs- Advertising Rates 35¢ per col. inch

## **GOP Headquarters** Issues

Following Statement Mrs. E. L. Moulton, Republican Na-

Bennies' for shoe repair Mexico has issued the following state-

ment to the press:

"The Republican Party of New Mexico is starting its 1948 campaign. It seeks to elect to office candidates who have been chosen by the party, na-tionally, and here in the State. We are in an extremely critical per-

iod of our national history. There is a feeling of impending danger abroad, and even at home. We fought a war at tremendous sacrifice of lives and Bennies' for shoe repair material resources in order to gain peace and security. Today we have neither. So all thoughtful people are tremendously concerned.

We are concerned over the evidence of spies and traitors within our government. We are disturbed over the inefficiency and ineptitude of a gov-ernment gone stale. It is honeycombed by the worst elements of a party long in power. That corrupt element now leaving this week for Clovis where is all powerful in our national government. It is the controlling factor of

Fellow citizens, most certainly we must agree that we should recognize Bennies' for shoe repair and to our national safety and to our national integrity. We must Mrs. Emit Potter was taken to the have men and women in our governhospital last week suffering from an ment who are honest and efficient. attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. W. B. Durham and brother went to California the first of the went to visit relatives.

Not people who are there for party has

In our national ticket our party has named two outstanding citizens. They possess integrity of the highest order. They are young men fired with the crusading spirit. Their motto has always been to serve honestly and efficiently. Over many years they have done just that.

Thomas Dewey of New York and Earl Warren of California, irrespective of party affiliation, personify the highest ideals in governmental philosophy and governmental adminis-tration. They have the background of professional training and the years of administrative experience which fit them most admirably for the Presi-dency and Vice Presidency of these United States.

defending the Lws of the land a l prosecuring criminals, they were ital-less and unusually effective. They say that the way to keep Communists or others hostile to our government The Democrats began their state out of government service is not to campaign in earnest this week with appoint them in the first place. That

Revival services will begin at the the state and will appear in all counernors Dewey and Warren have sought out and secured the very best talent available. As a result New York has enjoyed, under Governor Dewey, the best administrations in its history. Governor Earl Warrens adning throughout the week. All are querque, KTRC Santa Fe, KSWS Ros. history. Governor Earl Warrens adcordially invited to attend these services, We need you and we believe the services will be helpful.—The Pastor. the New Mexico State Fair in Albunarties and elected with scarce a disparence of the services will be helpful.—The Pastor. parties and elected with scarce a dis-

Time does not permit me to make Jesse Buckner and family from Albuquerque, after which they will done that briefly. However, I do want carlsbad were here Sunday and made a trip to the Mts. tional Committee, Mr. Hugh Scott, a United States Senator, representing a State at large is really an ambassador to Washington. As such he should be acceptable to the party in power. That party may be the Republican Party headed by Dewey and Warren. Therefore, it is most important that we elect Patrick Hurley as our amount of the party has been acceptable to the party in power. bassador. He will be in complete sym-The Mabry party will also include pathy with the Republican administ. Gov. Joseph M. Montoya, John E. tration and the policies of the Republican party. lican Party. Very naturally his op-ponent, Mr. Anderson, would not be in sympathy with our policies.

The representatives in Congress are our ambassadors also and Republicans should be elected. These two men. Ben Meyer and Herman Baca, as well as our oustanding candidate for Governor, former Mayor Lujan of Santa Fe, deserve the support of all citizens interested in the welfare of New Mexico; in honest and efficient govern-

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Clinton P. Anderson Democratic Candidate for U. S. Senate

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HEAR CLINTON ANDERSON KSVY-5:30 P. M. Ad Prepared and Placed by situation Democratic State Central Committee nesday.



By INEZ GERHARD

TOAN DAVIS was the most J excited member of the audience at the Laguna beach playhouse on the opening night of "Junior Miss." Her daughter, Beverly Mills, was appearing with the rest of the CBS cast of the radio show in the stage play of the same name. Though



JOAN DAVIS

Joan had taught Beverly the special Davis comedy technique, she had never realized how perfectly Beverly had picked up all mama's gestures and tricks. Said Joan at the end of the first act, "I'll sue that

Cathy Lewis, who had been ill most of the summer, was ordered off at least the first few "My Friend Irma" broadcasts by her doctor, whereupon husband Elliott Lewis pared his air schedule to two shows, "Gregory Hood," on Mutual, and the role of "Frankie Remley" on the Phil Harris show. Joan Banks stepped in as substitute for Mrs. Lewis opposite Marie Wilson.

Those semi-documentaries are growing more and more popular. Eagle-Lion has one coming up, "He Walked by Night," based on a case in the Los Angeles police department files, which will star Richard Basehart and Scott Brady.

After a cross-country trip, Ted Malone reported that the radio personage the most people asked about was Eloise McElhone, the firebrand of "Meet the Girls." Recently, when the show moved to Hollywood and she stayed back in New York, the public demanded her return till she gave in. And she was chosen in the first place because "she looked so sweet!" To the women who ask if that little wasp hates men because she's never had a beau-she has plenty! She's pert, pretty, and no man-hater.

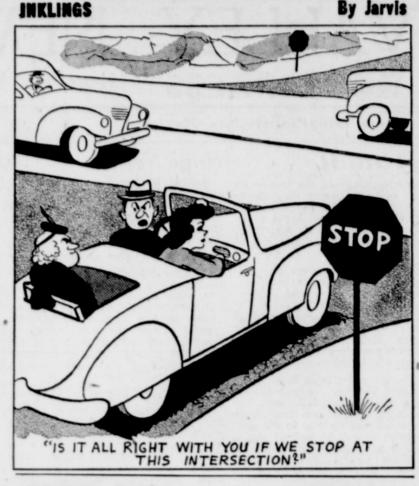
After completing his first west-ern, "Black Velvet," Howard Duff hung up his spurs in preparation for his next film, an untitled documentary-type picture about an international gang of thieves, his fifth in little more than a year.

American history will bob up all over the air this season. "Cavalcade of America" presents it on Mondays on NBC; Sundays, "Carnegie Hall" brings Dr. Frank Black, soloists and commemoration of an historical event, with Gene Hamilton's commentary and appropriate music. And there'll always be historical sketches on other programs, of course.

According to the Motion Picture Herald's poll of movie the-ater operator's, the number one star of tomorrow is Jane Powell of "A Date With Judy" and "Luxury Liner." Cyd Charisse is second, Ann Blyth third. Robert Ryan, only man in the first ten, is fifth. Those men who run our theaters really know what they're talking about, too, as polls of the past prove it.

After five years as a blonde on the screen, Marilyn Maxwell turned brunette to co-star with George Raft and William Bendix in "Race Street." She says she'll wait to see what the fans think before deciding to turn back.

Listening to an announcer's de-scription of the California climate on the 1928 Rose Bowl game broadcast, Ken Carpenter decided to move to California. He'd been in advertising. There were no openings in that field-so he became a radio announcer. His first full-network job was another Rose Bowl game, in 1934. In 1935 the Bing Crosby program made him an



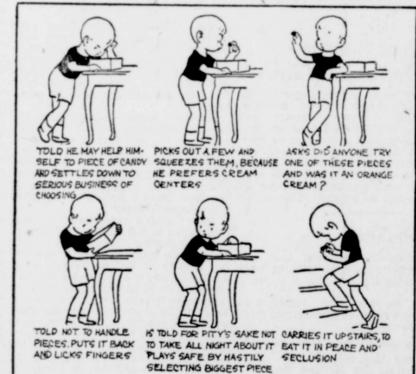
VEEKLY RIB!

By Roy Mathison



**NEXT DOOR** 

By Gluyas Williams



BACK HOME AGAIN

By Ed Dodd



bathtub is risky. Some of the cloves, peppercorns and cinnachemicals may ruin the enamel mon sticks whole, and grind when surfaces.

Baked apples served a la mode baked apple.

On washdays wear an oilcloth apron made of an old tablecloth. This keeps you dry from neck to hem. If there is enough material, you can make a matching bag in which to carry clothespins.

luggage from damage caused by spilling or leaking cosmetics by sealing bottles and boxes shut with a strip of Scotch tape.

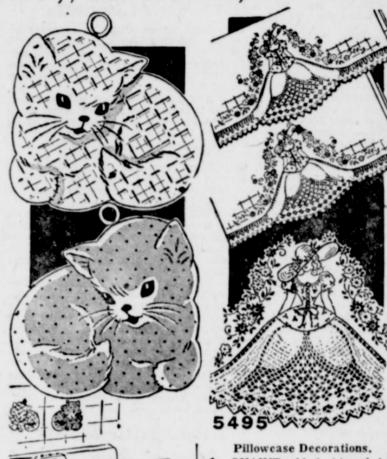
It is best to buy nutmegs, needed.

Rugs can't take it. If floor make a party dessert. Put vanilla boards are poor, never put rugs ice cream on a warm half of the directly over them. Use a rug pad or put several newspapers between the floor and the rug.

The traveler can safeguard her

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does a man have? 2. What does an orthodontist do? 3. How much did the trial of for-

mer Premier Tojo and his aides 4. What state and what cities in

the U.S. were named the "safest in the nation?" 5. What state is known as the "Cracker state?"

6. What term is applied to a horse that has never won a race?

The Answers 1. Thirty two.

2. He straightens teeth. 3. A record-breaking 20 million

dollars. 4. Connecticut; Oklahoma City, Okla. and Wilmington, Del.

5. Georgia. 6. A maiden.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS.

## Indian Troops Invade Hyderabad, **Endanger Country's Shaky Peace;** Russia Confuses Crisis in Berlin

-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.)

#### INVASION: Hyderabad

Events in India were a far cry from the days when Mohandas Gandhi's philosophy of passive diplomacy prevailed among the affairs of that sub-continent.

Indian troops, strongly supported by armored units, had invaded the princely state of Hyderabad (see map) whose Moslem ruler-called the Nizam-had refused to join with the other Indian dominions even though Hyderabad's population is predominantly Hindu.

THAT WAS THE whole story. The Nizam and his small, compact Moslem court would not agree to follow the other Indian princely states in acceding to the Dominion of India which was established last year.

The Nizam, often called the richest man in the world, and the only surviving heir of the great Mogul empire, wanted to rule an independent hyderabad.

Whether he could have succeeded in doing that, even if the dominion government had not opened hostilities against him, is questionable. Hyderabad is completely landlocked and has no access to the sea except by courtesy of the states surrounding it. All of its imports and exports, therefore, must pass through India.

WHILE HYDERABAD might profess its independence as a state, chances are that the economic and political conditions of actual independence never could be achieved.

Can India's invasion of Hyderabad be justified? Not too easily, if at all. It was not a matter of sending a police force into the state to quell internal disorders. It was, apparently, a deliberate act of aggression and as such should go before the U. N. security council for judgment.

From a practical standpoint there was not only no need for the invasion but there is an actual danger



involved. There are no linguistic or racial differences between Hyderabad's Hindus and the Hindus of adjacent states. The boundaries of Hyderabad are arbitrary and historical, not dependent upon the geography of the vicinity.

INDIA MIGHT well have refrained from pushing the issue for a year or two, pending a peaceful settlement. The potential danger lies in two phases of the situation:

1. THE HYDERABAD war might prove to be the factor that will precipitate violent conflict between Hindu and Moslem Pakistan, whose more or less peaceful relations now are strained and uneasy.

2. IT IS A BLOW to the British Commonwealth, to which both India and Pakistan still belong. With the Russians acting the way they are, any disturbance of the delicate balance of power that still prevails in the East could bring still another catastrophe down upon the world.

### RUSSIANS:

### Fantastic

Not even the most starry-eved Pollyana could deny that the U. S .-Soviet fracas over Berlin was downright fantastic and getting more so

The whole thing simply had stopped making sense, even to many of the diplomats who were embroiled

WHAT CHANCE was there for any logical kind of peace when, even while western diplomats were in Moscow attempting to work out a formula with Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov, the Russians in Berlin were inciting riots, kidnapping western sector policemen and firing on American planes engaged in the air-

on top of another, with the ensuing ing the year with several million result that any possibility of a peace- bales of cotton on its hands.

## The Last Mogul



Sir Mir Osman Ali Khan, sometimes called the richest man in the world, is the Nizam of Hyderabad, land-locked princely state in India which was attacked by India's dominion troops.

ful solution was getting buried deep-

That all this confusion was being fostered deliberately by the Soviets was quite evident. Their purpose for so doing was more obscure.

THE RUSSIANS want full control of Berlin, taking that as their immediate objective. Ultimately they want to force American occupation troops completely out of Germany, after which Russia could take over the great German industrial potential, including the inestimably valuable Ruhr section.

However, there might be still another reason for this display of Soviet diplomatic aggression which was planned almost a year ago to erupt this fall.

The Russians might be trying to harass the western nations to the point where the entire Berlin issue will be dumped in the lap of the United Nations. Once the crisis comes under U. N. jurisdiction the Russians might plan to use the inevitable squabble as a pretext for resigning from the world organization and taking their satellite states with them.

opposing power spheres then would infra-red machine, cited an exambe complete. Moreover, the U. N. ple: "On September 2, 1946, to take itself probably would be reduced to one example, Michigan had a twotional affairs.

And the question of whether the Soviet Union is entertaining motives like these might be answered by the end of the year. For the western nations were determined that if they didn't get some satisfaction from Moscow soon they would arraign Russia before the United Nations

## COTTON:

### Lift Dat Bale

With the largest cotton crop since 1937 being harvested this year, Uncle Sam is making ready to stage a comeback in the cotton buying busi-

Of the 15,219,000 bales to come off that about a third will go into stor- the ground in their intensity. age under federal loan.

TWENTY-ONE MILLION people in the United States depend on cotton for their livelihood, and the fate of the cotton crop, therefore, is not only a personal but a national con-

The federal government is coming into the picture because cotton prices are coming down. They have reached 31.04 cents a pound, which is pretty close to the support floor of 30.74 cents.

Here's what happens:

WHEN THE COTTON grower hauls his crop to the warehouse he gets a receipt for it, and then he either sells the cotton at the market price or accepts the government's standing offer to lend him money

If he chooses to accept the loan, he is paid 30.74 cents a pound on the average—the exact price depending on the kind and quality of the cotton.

Then he is free, for one year, to sell the cotton for more money, provided the price goes up. If he doesn't sell it within a year the government becomes owner of the crop.

PROBABLE EFFECT of this operation will be to keep a lot of cotton off the market this year, thus preventing the price from dropping through the support floor. Also, it One complication was being piled | will result in the government's end-

#### **BIG FOUR:** Or Little 14?

The U. S. government's spectacular suit against the "big four" mest packing companies-Swift, Armour, Cudahy and Wilson-promised to be one of the biggest anti-trust actions since President Theodore Roosevelt said something about carrying a big stick.

Filed by the justice department in federal court in Chicago, the suit asks that the four companies be broken up into 14 separate firms. Specifically, the U.S. wants Swift and Armour to be carved into five separate companies each and Wilson and Cudahy each to be split into two firms.

TOM CLARK, attorney general, said in a statement: "The four defendants named in the complaint are charged with suppressing competition in the sale of meat and meat products." The Sherman anti-trust law is being invoked in the action.

Clark described the suit as "another in a series of cases instituted by the department of justice in furtherance of its program to free the production and sale of food and food products from monopolistic re-

THE PACKERS had another story to tell, however, with "playing politics," as one of their key phrases.

Said John Holmes, president of Swift and company: "It is significant that the charges appear at the beginning of this fall's political campaign. Apparently an attempt is being made to shift responsibility for inflationary price trends.

"No one can control either livestock prices or meat prices," Holmes

## INFRA-RED:

#### Frost Killer

The day-or night-of the old-fashioned smudge pot as the main buffer between plants and killing frost may be nearing an end.

Science has taken over to come up with a new kind of frost killer. development of which was sponsored by the American Iron and Steel in-

THE CONTRAPTION, known as the Plymouth infra-red lamp, is in a fair way to affect materially the nation's agricultural system, the institute thinks.

Reporting on the new device, the institute pointed out that while farmers will find the lamp invaluable in saving crops during the first touches of frost, the growing season actually may be extended as techniques for its use are developed.

Dr. Arthur W. Farrell of Michigan State college, one of the men THE EAST-WEST split into two responsible for development of the total impotency in guiding interna- hour killing frost. The next frost Research to Intensify did not occur until October 1. a month later. Had tomato and melon growers been able to protect their crops for about two hours on the morning of September 2, they would have had four more weeks of very favorable growing weather. As it was, they lost everything.

"THE FROST dispeller, made up of sheet steel and a little ingenuity. will put an end to some of nature's nonsense."

The lamp is composed of a circular piece of stainless steel, shaped in cone-shaped steps, with an oil burner within the framework. When the burner is put into action, the steel heats until it becomes cherryred. At this point, infra-red rays are thrown off, spreading over the the land, the cotton trade estimates area to be warmed, even entering

## Headliners



IN PASADENA . . . Michael Beal (above) received a 30-day suspended sentence for being drunk and disturbing the peace after he had propelled his wheelchair up and down sidewalks at a furious rate of speed, hurling invective and profanity at all comers.

IN GREAT FALLS, Mont. . . . Members of the Cascade county Democratic central committee voiced no objection when Ray Wise, a Republican, submitted his resignation after being elected Democratic pre-

cinct committeeman. IN EAST PRAIRIE, Mo. . . . A. L Webb cleaned out his desk, came across a letter his wife had given him to mail 11 years ago, shuddered at the possible consequences, finally mailed the letter.

## **Little Pigs Stunted** By Worm Infestation **Tests Show Marked** Retarding of Growth

Seldom are farmers inclined to argue with scientists, livestock specialists and others who keep warning that internal parasites are harmful to swine. Occasionally, however, a farmer will pose the question: "How much injury is caused by worm infestation?"

The answer to that question is provided in tests conducted by the bureau of animal industry to de-



Growth of this pig will be determined largely by number of

termine how much the growth of pigs is retarded by roundworms (ascarids).

In carrying out the experiment, the bureau used eight litter-mate pigs eight .weeks old, feeding four of them infective roundworm eggs. The other four, which served as controls, received no worm eggs.

After four months all eight pigs were weighed, killed and examined for roundworms. None were found in the control pigs, but the other four harbored 109, 39, 20 and 12, respectively.

Growth of the four pigs that had roundworms at autopsy was less rapid than the four controls. The pig with 109 worms weighed 8.7 pounds less than at the time it was fed the worm eggs; its control litter-mate gained 96 pounds.

The pig with 39 roundworms gained only 48 per cent as much as its control; the one with 20 roundworms, only 55 per cent as much as its control. The growth of the pig with only 12 roundworms was not retarded very much; it weighed nearly as much as its control mate.

## Winter in Meat Tests

Freezing is one of the oldest ways of preserving meat. . It is also one of the newest, the U.S. department of agriculture points out.

In old-time freezing there was not much that could be done about the process. It was a winter method depending on continued cold. A mid-winter or early-spring thaw might spoil a meat supply intended to last for additional weeks or months. This was true whether the meat was wild game brought in by hunters or was from domestic animals.

Modern freezing is still so new that there is a good deal to be learned about it.

This is the purpose of an expansion of studies of meat freezing and curing made possible under the research and marketing act. A first step will be to survey freezing and curing methods now in use. Samples of meats typical of these methods of preservation will be assembled and compared for quality and nutritive value. Next, the experimenters will try first to duplicate, then improve the methods which the survey and comparison work indicate are most effective.

The bureau of animal industry will have equipment that can improve on even the most severe winter weather. It will be able to freeze meat at 100 degrees below zero if that proves desirable.

### Quality Cream Boosts Returns to Dairymen

Production of high quality cream will pay dividends to the dairymen. A few suggestions for assuring top production: Protect separator from rust; rinse with chlorine solution before using; wash with powder immediately after each separation; cool cream immediately; separate milk immediately after straining; cool cream rapidly and thoroughly before mixing with older cream; keep containers covered from the time the milk is strained into cans until it reaches the receiving vat; strain milk in milk room or milk house, not in the barn; cover cans tightly and place in cooler with cold circulating water.

## College Degree

### Still Helps

Higher starting pay coupled with an unprecedented demand for college graduates by business and industry, disavow any popular belief that the market value of the college degree has been on the downgrade, reports John P. Kirwood, director of personnel and placement at Rutgers university.

Kirwood believes that this great demand for college-trained personnel will continue for at least three years-and probably longer -despite the increasing size of each new graduating class.

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SCRIPTURE: Psalms 119:97-105; Luke 1:1-4; John 20:30-31; II Timothy 3:14-17. DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 119: 137-144.

## **All-Time Best Seller**

Lesson for October 3, 1948

IF ALL the Bibles sold in one year by one manufacturer, the American Bible society, were piled on top of one another, flat-not end-

wise - that pile of Bibles and testaments would be 26 miles high. In 1947 that firm put out the astonishing total of 9,310,439 Bibles, testaments or portions. During the first 125 years of the society's existence, 305,579,217



Dr. Foreman

copies of Scripture were printed and sold by them; this would make one shelf 870 miles

long. The Bible is the best selling book in the world. No other book is in its

Not to know the Bible is not to know the most widely read book in the world. The American Bible society publishes it in only 167 languages, but parts of it have been translated into as many as 1,000 languages and dialects.

Many Authors

SUCH popularity must be deserved. There are many reasons why the Bible continues to be, year after year, the all-time best seller. But one of the reasons is its impressive variety. It is not one book, it is a library of books.

A Christian will try seriously to appreciate the whole Bible and not merely one or two parts of it. Yet there is such variety in it that invariably some persons are attracted by one feature of it while another feature makes stronger appeal to others.

Our studies these next three months will be in "The Literature of the Bible" and each week we shall be noticing a different feature. This week we give a thought to the tremendous variety of the Bible. along with its underlying unity.

Many Types

OOKING through the Bible you find all varieties of literary types; you find poetry and prose; stories, essays, sermons, biographies, dramas; rhapsodies, love songs, funeral dirges and battle hymns.

Here are pages as prosaic as a telephone book and here are pages more exciting than any fiction. Here are simple, straightforward ideas that a child can understand as soon as he understands the words and here are mysteries so profound that the world's mightiest and boldest minds shrink back in awe.

Many Times

NO ONE knows exactly how long it took for the Bible to be written. Let us suppose that the earliest parts came from the pen (or stylus) of Moses, and the latest part from about 100 years after Christ (John and the Revelation). If Moses flourished around 1200 B. C., that would mean that the Bible was completed 13 centuries after it was begun.

In 13 centuries much can happen, and much did. There is hardly any circumstance or crisis, there is scarcely-any time, however humdrum or thrilling, which does not have its match in the Bible.

One Theme

FOR all the vast variety of the Bible, there is in it a deep and lofty unity. It is bound together by its mighty purpose, which throbbed in the heart's blood of every man who wrote a line of it. That purpose is to make God real to man, and to bring man to God.

They wrote under the irre-sistible impulse, born of the Holy Spirit, to make plain to other men what God had revealed to them.

So as you come to the Bible, remember its purpose is not to make you admire or revere it as a book; its great purpose is to be transparent, a window through which you shall see God.

MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers

#### Savory Fish Dishes Appeal to Appetite, Are Kind to Budget

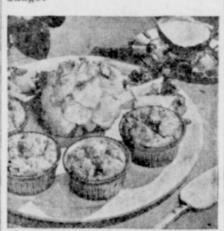
ARE YOU LOOKING for versatile as well as economical main dishes these days of high



prices? Fish will fill the bill on both counts, and none of the family needs turn up his nose at these delectable foods we've concocted. They're truly de-

lightful and refreshingly different. A small inexpensive can of fish when combined with other nutritious ingredients such as bread, milk, cheese and vegetables makes a hearty and protein-rich dish that really satisfies. Serve a salad and light but tangy dessert and you have the foundation for your meal.

FOR THOSE DAYS when you have to economize but still have something the family cheers about, select foods from this parade of recipes. They're kind to the food budget



Tuna puff uses such nourishing ingredients as eggs, milk and bread crumbs to make a hearty and satisfying dish out of a small can of fish. Bake it in individual casseroles for a colorful edging around the vegetable platter.

> \*Tuna Puffs (Serves 6)

- 4 tablespoons butter
- 1/2 pound sliced mushrooms tablespoons flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- Few grains cayenne 11/2 cups milk
- 4 eggs, separated
- 1 cup freshly grated American
- cheese
- 1 7-ounce can flaked tuna fish 2 cups fresh bread crumbs

Melt butter in saucepan, add mushrooms, cover and cook five minutes over low heat, stirring occasionally. Remove mushrooms. Add flour and seasonings to butter left in pan and blend. Gradually add milk. Stir and cook over low heat until thickened. Beat egg yolks slightly, add some hot sauce and blend; return to remaining sauce and cook two minutes longer. Fold in grated cheese. Remove from heat. Add drained, flaked tuna and mix thoroughly. Cool. Beat egg whites until stiff. Fold in fish mixture. Pour into six large, buttered custard cups or individual casseroles. Bake in a moderately slow (325 degree) oven, 45 minutes or until firm. Serve with lemon. For baking in a large casserole, allow one and one-quarter hours baking

Salmon-Rice Loaf

- (Serves 6) 1 1-pound can red salmon, drained
- 2 cups hot cooked rice, blanched 2 tablespoons butter Juice of ½ lemon

3 eggs, well beaten Salt and pepper to taste ½ cup sliced stuffed green olives

Flake the salmon, add the rice which has been thoroughly drained and to which the butter has been added. Add lemon juice, olives and seasonings to taste. Fold in beaten eggs. Turn into a buttered pan into

the bottom of which a buttered piece of paper has been fitted. Bake in a moderate (350 degree) oven for 45 to 50 minutes or until loaf has cooked through completely. Unmold and garnish with lemon slices

and parsley.

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### LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Hot Spiced Tomato Juice
Tuna Puffs Lemon Garnish Grapefruit-Orange-Greens Salad Tiny Hot Biscuits Jelly Ginger Baker Pears Beverage Cookies

\*Recipe given

loaf that is served with a very colorful pea sauce that compliments the fish loaf perfectly:

Shrimp Loaf (Serves 6) 2 eggs

- 1 cup milk 3 cups soft bread crumbs
- 2 cups canned shrimp, cleaned and shredded
- 2 tablespoons parsley, chopped 2 tablespoons onion, chopped

1/2 teaspoon sait

1/8 teaspoon pepper Beat eggs; combine with milk, add bread crumbs, shrimp, parsley, onion, salt and pepper. Mix lightly and place in a well-oiled loaf pan. Bake in a moderate (350 degree) oven for 45 minutes. Serve with broiled tomatoes and the following sauce:

Pimiento Pea Sauce

- 4 tablespoons butter 4 tablespoons flour
- 1 teaspoon salt teaspoon pepper
- 2 eups milk
- 2 pimientos, chopped and strained 1 cup cooked green peas

Melt butter in saucepan; blend in flour, salt, pepper and worchestershire sauce. Add milk and, stirring

constantly, cook until thickened. Fold in pimientos and peas. Serve IF YOUR FAMILY likes crab

meat, extend it cleverly with spaghetti. The same recipe also can be made with rice in place of the spaghetti. Use onehalf cup uncooked rice and cook in boiling, salted wa-

ter until tender. Rinse and drain. Crab-Spaghetti Casserole (Serves 6)

1 9-ounce package spaghetti 1 can cream of mushroom soup 3 tablespoons butter

1 cup milk ½ pound sharp American cheese 11/4 cup flaked crab meat 1/8 teaspoon pepper

Cook spaghetti in boiling salted water until tender. Drain. Heat soup, add butter and milk. When hot, remove from heat and add cheese, saving a little of the latter



Nutritious and tasty noodles will extend many seafoods, and will look attractive when baked in a casserole. With this you need serve only a crisp fruit or vegetable salad and an especially delicious dessert to make the meal complete. It's a good idea to plan a baked dessert so that the whole meal can be prepared in the oven.

to sprinkle on top of casserole. Combine cheese sauce with spaghetti, crab meat and pepper. Place in greased shallow casserole and sprinkle with remaining cheese. Bake in a hot (400 degree) oven for 25 to 30 minutes.

Salmon Rarebit 1/4 pound sharp cheese 1 cup tomato puree

teaspoon salt teaspoon prepared mustard tablespoon worcestershire sauce eggs, slightly beaten 1 cup evaporated milk

1 1-pound can salmon Melt cheese over boiling water, blend in tomato puree and seasonings gradually. Add eggs to milk and stir slowly into the cheese mixture. Add salmon broken in large

pieces and heat for five minutes. Serve hot on toast.

SEWING CIRCLE PATTERNS

Woman's Frock Has Nice Detail Neat Dress for School Dates



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FIRST AID TO AILING HOUSES By Roger Whitman

QUESTION: We have just emptied the last gallon from our 50gallon range-oil drum, and the drum seems to be full of rust. Is there any way to clean this out before we have it refilled?

ANSWER: I believe the lower inside part of the drum has probably corroded. If you do not wish to buy a new one, you might consider having the lower part cut out and a new piece welded on After opening up the drum it can be cleaned out thouroughly before welding on the new piece.

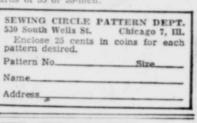
QUESTION: I have a pair of wrought iron candlesticks. I have just removed a coat of shiny black enamel from them. Now what is the correct, dull black paint or finish to use on them?

ANSWER: First wipe with benzine to remove all traces of whatever kind of remover you used to take off the old finish. Be careful of fire when using benzine. Finish the pieces with a flat black paint intended for metal surfaces: the better stocked paint stores sell this paint.

Campus Brightener.

JUST the thing to brighten a campus wardrobe is this clever yoked dress for juniors. The V trim on the yoke is repeated at the hipline. Sleeves can be brief or the popular push-up length.

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# Strangers in Love By Vina Delmar



Kathleen Manners was supposed to marry her fiance, Martin, when her mother sailed for Europe leaving her alone. However, on her way to Martin she meets fascinating Johnny Virginia, owner of Medicine Man, race horse. She falls in love with him at first sight and upon arrival in Los Angeles, she breaks her engagement to Martin and marries Johnny instead. Not wishing to spoil things for her mother, she conceals her strange marriage from her, leading her to believe she has married Martin. Medicine Man loses a big race and Kathleen is unduly upset. To make matters worse, her mother arrives from Europe on an unexpected visit and a showdown is inevitable.

#### CHAPTER VI

The coffee same, and with it came Romania, Italy, and France. Mother went on talking long after the coffee-pots were empty and cold, and Kathleen came to know first boredom and later panic as the clock moved on to post time. True, the important race was not till late in the afternoon, but suppose Johnny looked for her and she wasn't there? He was jumpy enough on the day of a big race, but when he came to the box and she was there with Mother -? That would be interesting for the spectators. Mother would leave them in no doubt that something was amiss with the Virginias. Still, Johnny was wise enough to take any cue that was thrown him, and Mother need not know till they were alone again that she had seen her

Kathleen smiled encouragingly. "I'm dying to hear more about it, Mother. But I'll have to get dressed now. I have such a treat in store for you. You came on the very best day you could have chosen. We're going out to the race track to see the big

"What!" Mother couldn't have been more amazed if Kathleen had jumped into a diver's outfit and said, "Let's have tea twenty-five feet under water."

"Everybody' goes out to the race track here. Some people, I understand, go every day. But, of course, this is something special this afternoon. A fifty-thousand-dollar purse to the winner.'

Mother looked shocked, and Kathleen could see her reducing the purse to grains of rice for the Chinese orphans. "I thought we'd talk, Kathleen-"

"Oh, we will, dear, we will. But, darling, I just have to see this race, and so do you. It's a very important thing here in Los Angeles."

Mother looked doubtful. "I could send for my trunk and unpack while you're gone."

"Yes, you could. Would you prefer

Mother considered. "No, I guess I'll go with you. After all, we've been separated for six months."

The very air that hung above the track seemed tinged with the sharp, electric crackle of excitement which rose from the clotted mass of humanity that pressed together trying to see, hoping to hear something of what transpired upon the fast, soft strip inside the rail.

Mother chattered bright throughout the afternoon. She had never seen a horse race before and she was full of questions.

It was five o'clock, and the track was a deep, shadowy gold when the horses that the people had really come to see walked out upon the track. A great chorus of acclaim rose from the spectators. Medicine Man had drawn a good post posi-tion, and through the binoculars Kathleen could see Rickey McAvoy smiling contentedly as they paraded before the applauding crowd. She looked at the tote board. Odds on favorite, Medicine Man. She- was proud of him, and of Johnny and of Rickey. But Johnny hadn't come to the box to watch the race.

#### Mother Goes To the Races

"Well, now, Kathleen, nere's your big race. Whom are you going to bet

"I'm not going to bet, Mother." "What?"

"I came just to watch." "I must say that's silly. Still, it's probably better than throwing away

your money." Mother looked up at an airplane that was advertising some product in skywriting: D-R-E-

'Now, what's he trying to write?" "I'm sure I don't know, Mother." Mother laughed. "All right. Look

at your old horses. I won't bother you again."

Kathleen didn't even hear her. The horses were in the gate now. Medicine Man had walked in like a lamb. Ah, what the papers would make of that! "When Medicine Man is carrying top weight he doesn't delay the start," they would say.

"And there they go!" The giant voice from the tower began to call tiently on his three legs. Johnny

the race, and Kathleen sat with came running from another car. clenched fists and her breath drawn

so tightly that her chest ached. Flash of colored silks in the sunlight; glimmering flanks of gallant horses and the illusion of terrific speed.

"Around the first turn it's Do Tell; High Rate is second, Inception is third," the loudspeaker said.

Through the binoculars, Kathleen could see Medicine Man holding his place easily, not yet ready to challenge the leaders. Rickey looked thoroughly contented with the situation and she allowed herself to breathe again.

"Into the back stretch it's Do Tell by half a length. Inception is second by a head. High Rate is third by a length, and Medicine Man-"

"Get up there, baby," Kathleen

whispered. Mother turned and smiled at her.



A mighty roar rose from the crowd as Medicine Man made his move. The steady, steady, calm tone of the announcer was drowned in the yells of the mob.

"Which baby do you want to win it, dear? They're all beautiful."

"Around the far turn it's Inception by a neck. High Rate is second by a length. Do Tell is third by half a length. Medicine Man is fourth."

"Come on, baby," Kathleen murmured between parted lips. Then to herself, "Rickey, get up there. Please get up there."

A mighty roar rose from the crowd as Medicine Man made his move. The steady, steady, calm tone of the announcer was drowned in the yells of the mob.

### Tragedy Strikes

At Medicine Man

"He's got it. It's in the bag," voice behind Kathleen cried. And she knew it was true. He couldn't lose. Those strong, lithe legs were eating up the yards that stood between him and victory. Kathleen's breath came in a swift, surprising shock to her ears. She was screaming. But surely this once Johnny would forgive her for being carried away by Medicine Man's great charge. And at that moment the thing happened. Medicine Man seemed to plunge forward, his right front foot doubled under him, and he was down.

"He stumbled," somebody cried. "Is the boy dead? Did another horse kick him as the field went past?"

For Rickey McAvoy lay motionless on the track, his bright silks making a puddle of color on the soft loam. Medicine Man was standing now. He stood piteously on three legs, his fourth dangled horribly. and the bewilderment on his face was tragic to see. The race was over. Somebody won. Kathleen never knew which horse it was, for she was running down the stairs, with Mother babbling in her ear and the sound of her own sobs accompanying the rain of words.

"Where are you going? You can't do anything for that poor horse, dear. And the boy, just a child, he's badly hurt, I'm afraid. Don't carry on so, dear. There's nothing we can do. Let me take you home.

"Mother, go away. I've got to get to the stables. How do you think Johnny feels? He loves Medicine Man. That horse is his life."

"Who's Johnny, dear?" "My husband, of course." "Darling, you're-"

A man came rushing up to them. 'I have a car right here, Mrs. Virginia. Would you like to ride around to the stables?" They drove to the stable area.

She jumped out of the car. The horse ambulance was driving in with Medicine Man standing pa-

Kathleen fighting her sobs all the

There were tears running unashamedly down his face. She went at once to his side, but he paid no attention to her. Now there was only Medicine Man, who waited trustingly for whatever it was that Johnny thought best to do.

"Johnny, is there any way I can help?" Kathleen whispered.

He looked at her without seeing her. She was just a well-dressed stranger. "No, no, thanks." Then, "Sure. Go with Rickey to the hospital. See that he gets everything he needs."

"Are you going to stay here?" she asked gently.

"Yes, I'm going to stay here." His voice was savage and lowpitched. "My horse's leg is broken. I'm going to stay here and shoot

"Surely, Johnny, you needn't do that. If he must be destroyed someone else can—" She avoided looking at the poor animal, but it was almost worse to look at Johnny's tortured face.

"Sure, I can get someone to shoot him for me, and I suppose he can hire someone to die for him. He did everything I ever asked him to do. I said, 'Go out and run for me. I'll get a swell living out of it and you'll get nothing, and if you break your leg I'll have to shoot you.' Well, the least I can do for him is not pay someone to take the rap for me.'

Kathleen felt the sobs rising in her throat again and she turned away. When she looked back the ambulance had moved on, and Johnny had gone to do the one thing that was left to do for the greatest horse in training. Medicine Man, with the soft eyes and the gentle manner. Johnny's big horse, who was brave and fleet and who had asked nothing but a caress in return for all he gave.

A stable hand looked at her, bit his lip, and made a circle in the dirt with the tip of his boot, "Mrs. Virginia, that boy is dead, that Rickey McAvoy."

"Oh, no." "Yes, ma'am. You could see it when they brought him in. They took him down to some place where they'll keep him and send for his folks and everything."

Kathleen stood stunned in the fading California sunlight. Mother's arm was around her, her hand tenderly patting her shoulder and her voice murmuring words of comfort: "You go, Mother. I'll stay here

with Johnny, since there's nothing I can do for Rickey."

"Please come, baby. Your hus-band is upset—" "Of course he's upset. That's why

"But there's nothing you can do to help him, dear, and you needn't drain the cup of the last miserable dregs. You needn't see the shooting of the poor horse."

"Johnny wouldn't let me see that, Mother."

"Oh, I don't know. He seems pretty much set on doing as much suffering as possible. He isn't being very sensible, you know. After

Kathleen lifted her eyes to her mother's face and stared straightly into it and waited for Mother to finish her sentence.

#### Farewell to Rickey And His Horse

"After all, we have to make the best of our misfortunes, don't we?" Mother finished weakly.

"Yes." Kathleen was silent for a moment. Then, "Johnny bought a colt and they believed in each other, so Johnny taught the colt to run. and he became a horse that people had to respect, though they never respected Johnny. And then there was a kid that Johnny met at a fair grounds, and he taught the kid to ride the horse, and together the horse and the kid were great. And they died together, and you say Johnny isn't being very sensible. Would you like to go in, Mother, and sort of rationalize the situation for him?"

"Oh, Kathleen, you're letting your emotions tear you apart. Where's my good, intelligent girl gone?"
"I'm not sure you ever had one,

Mother.

Through the soft, yellow haze came the high, sweet notes of the bugle calling the horses for the last race. The call came sadly to the ears of Kathleen, dolefully, a minor key that wept for Rickey McAvoy and Medicine Man, who would go to the winner's circle no more. There were other horses and other boys to answer that bugle. There would always be horses to run and boys to ride them, but for Johnny there would never again be a horse like Medicine Man. For Rickey's girl there would never be another

Rickey. (TO BE CONTINUED)

## KATHLEEN NORRIS

## **Share Hard Times**

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### By KATHLEEN NORRIS

"BERT is worried to death over high prices and hard times," writes Lois Jacks from an Iowa city. "But just the same he gets furious and won't help me at all when I try to cut down. We have two sets of twins; girls of 9 and boys of 3.

"Bert and the girls take box lunches every week day. That means 18 meals a day. I try to make them inexpensive as well as appetizing, but Bert wants hearty dinnersmeats that cost more than the whole meal cost a few years ago; and all the old trimmings - celery, nuts, jelly, rich desserts.

"It's all his loyalty and love for us, of course; his desire to make everything perfect for the children and me. But it has led to a real difference of opinion between us.

#### Meatless Nights.

"For one thing, I inaugurated four meatless nights a week, using cheese and fish dishes to insure proper nourishment. Out of one old fowl and half a can of ham we had delicious club sandwiches for one dinner, and a hearty rice-and-chicken soup for the next. But Bert spent both meal-times fretting and arguing, against meat substitutes, butter substitutes, makeships generally.

"Incidentally, our income is \$4,000 a year; we own our home, and rent our garages on the side street for



. . . spent meal-times fretting . . .

\$60. I can manage; I've never got Bert Jacks one cent into debt in our 12 happy years - but I'm stumped now.

"With my four young children I can't take a job, nobody is going to leave us any money, and a few unimportant raises in the next few years are all Bert can hope for. We're better off than most, with our car and our garden and our summer picnics; if things don't get any worse we'll be all right."

I wonder if this letter conveys to other women the warmly sweet and admirable nature that I am sure the writer has. This gallant little wife and mother only asks a chance to make a success of today's domestic difficulties.

She wants to try new dishes, make experiments, challenge rising prices with smarter meals. Millions of women are doing it all over the world; saving fuel, saving fats, serving hearty delicious one-dish meals, drawing husband and children into the game that will hold the family together through the disturbed years

ahead. To Bert, therefore, and to many another husband, my advice is this: Wait until you've eaten the dinner before you break onto fretful criticism. On the table, soup and muffins and succotash and deep dish apple pie may look rather meaningless.

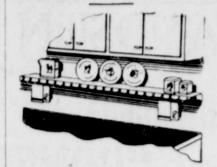
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But if the soup is hearty, the vegetables very hot and well seasoned, and the apple pie as good as homemade apple pie should be, then you'll lean back from the table just as satisfied, and really better off gastronomically than if the \$2.20 meal had cost \$8.40.

So you tired businessmen all over the country, or at least as many of you as have good wives like Lois, take this suggestion from me: Eat your dinner before you criticize. Give Mother a chance to prove that inexpensive well cooked foods, seasoned by hopeful conversation and the conviction that you are licking high prices rather than letting them lick you open a whole new world of dinnertime satisfaction.

Let's hope that lower prices, lower taxes, world peace, better times are ahead. But let's also face the truth that these are nervous and trying times. Harmony at the dinner table is all-important. And for you, Bert, a special message. To have your own home, two daughters and two sons, and a wife like Lois-who faces this world-wide situation of change and panic so gallantly-ought to make a dinner of plain bread and milk a Lucullian feast for you.

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