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## Hiss Case Lessons

The conviction of Alger Hiss should cause some soul-searching in the White House and the State Department.

This man was found guilty of perjury—of trying to lie himself out of charges that he betrayed his country and its government, under which he held positions of responsibility and trust.

Yet it has taken 11 years for justice to triumph over political pressures in this infamous case.

The diligent prosecutor who won the case before a Federal court jury must have wondered sometimes which side the government was on.

President Truman called the congressional investigation which brought to light the charges against Alger Hiss a "red herring."

Two justices of the United States Supreme Court testified as character witnesses for Hiss at his first trial last year.

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt sought through her newspaper column to create public sympathy for Hiss and to discredit his accuser.

Ambassador-at-large Philip C. Jessup testified in behalf of Hiss at both trials.

Secretary of State Acheson publicly expressed confidence in Hiss as recently as January, 1949, although by that time most of the evidence which has resulted in conviction was known.

Nor was that Mr. Acheson's first introduction to the Hiss Case, when existence of a spy ring in the State Department was reported to the government in 1939, an investigating official was told that Dean Acheson and Justice Frankfurter would vouch for "the Hiss boys." (Donald Hiss, brother of Alger, is a member of the Acheson law firm.)

It is admirable for a man to stand by a friend in trouble. But officials sworn to uphold and defend his government has a duty that transcends friendship.

It is pertinent to ask where Secretary Acheson now stands on this issue.

For it would be assuming too much to conclude that Hiss was the only person in the State Department or elsewhere in government service who transmitted official secrets to agents of Soviet Russia.

It would be assuming perilously too much to conclude that the State Department and other government agencies are now free of traitorous enemies within.

Imprisonment of Alger Hiss will do little to protect this country unless there is a drastic change in the attitude of high officials who sought to belittle the charges against him and to help him escape punishment.

## Yellow Jackets Beat Weed Bulldogs

Last Friday night in the Hope gym, a large crowd saw the Hope Yellowjackets swarm the Weed Bulldogs. The A team won their game with a score of 65 to 32. Kent Terry led the scoring by making 18 points, Lynn Harrison 13, W. G. Davis 15, Alvin Melton and Clarence Forrester 6 and Blaine McGuire 3 points. The B team won their game also by a score of 24 to 29. Ray Jones and Robert Wood lead the scoring with 12 points each. Clifton McGuire made 7 points and Eugene Bates 3 points. The Yellowjackets are playing a bangup game of basketball and they should have the support of the people of Hope to help them win the final games of the season.

## March of Dimes Dance, Feb. 11

The annual March of Dimes dance will be held this year on Saturday, Feb. 11 at the Hope gym. Music will be furnished by the Fisher-Bates orchestra. Refreshments will be served at a small extra cost. This dance is being sponsored by Mrs. Chester Schwalbe and Mrs. Geo. Fisher.

"A RABBI, A PARSON AND A PRIEST"—Don't miss the inspiring story of three men who banished bigotry from their hearts to bring faith to the men of the U.S. Navy, and to give spiritual aid to the homesick, wounded and dying. It's in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner. Adv.

## How to Keep From Growing Old!

Drive as fast as you can on wet highways and streets. There is always something to stop you when you lose control. Always speed. It makes you look as if you are an amateur driver. Never stop, look or listen at crossings people may think you are timid. Always pass the car ahead on a curve. It's fun to be surprised and besides undertakers must make a living too. Don't use your horn. It might scare the other fellow and make him pull over too far. Demand half the road—the middle half. Insist on your rights—the heck with the other fellow. Always pass cars on hills when possible. It shows that your car has power and you can always turn out when you meet someone at the top. Take the shortest route around blind left turns. The other fellow ought to be able to take care of himself if you can. Never give arm signals—if you do, be sure they are wrong. Never Yield the right of way. If the other fellow is crazy show him what real insanity is. Always make turns from the wrong lane. If the other fellow is no mind reader it's his own fault. Never stop at stop signs—you have as much right to use the street as anyone else.—By Jim Ayres, deputy sheriff in the Alamogordo News.

## Political Pot Begins to Simmer

With the Hope municipal election looming up for April 4, the political pot is beginning to simmer a little. There is to be an entire new board as well as Mayor to be elected. The present police judge and justice of the peace has signified his intentions of not running for reelection and has mentioned Ben Marable as a possible successor for these two jobs.

It is the Mayor's duty, according to law, to call a mass meeting of citizens to nominate one or more tickets to be voted upon in the municipal election. There should be more than one ticket in the field in order to create interest and thereby get the vote out.

## School News

3rd, 4th and 5th grade news—Oh, what fun we have had finger painting pictures and some of them were fairly good scenes too. We are all happy to have Rose Ellen Madron in the 4th grade and Alvie Ray Madron in the 3rd grade. They have been attending school at Elk and Penasco. Patsy Young has received a nice plastic pencil with the beatitudes printed on them.

First Grade News: The first graders feel they have learned so much already. When they first start to school they study a book known as "Before We Read." It has no words in it. Then they begin reading a little book known as pre-primers. They have very few new words, from 20 to 30 per book. The books are in series and each one adds to the vocabulary of the one ahead of it. We have 17 pre-primers, although the course of study requires only 4 to be mastered. However, all first graders love to read so well that they read all 17 of them. This year Charles Tarrant, Royce Parker, Peggy Harris and Ronnie Weindorf have done just that. Roy Young has finished 13, Betty Seely 12, Leon Alexander 11, Johnny Crockett 5. In class we read one primer. It uses all the words in the pre-primers. Then it teaches 100 new ones. Of course, primers take more time to complete but they make a first grader feel that he has really accomplished something. Ronnie, Peggy and Charles have read an extra primer at home and the entire class is in its second primer at school. They can write well, too. Some of them have been writing letters to the teacher. One girl's letter said "I am a girl. I am not a boy." Writing letters is the best way to learn to become good spellers and is a grand foundation for themes and book reports that will have to be made in the higher grades. We have taken up spelling in the first grade in connection with phonics. The children do not spell the words aloud or even silently. They sound them according to the sounds which they have learned and the combinations into which they are working them. It may not be the old-fashioned way of spelling but it gets results in a hurry when one is writing. And really, where else is spelling necessary.

## Dr. L. T. Bunch to Visit Mt. Section

Littleton T. Bunch, M.D., of Artesia, will inaugurate a new service for the people of the mountain section by making a professional call on them once a week. This new service will begin Tuesday, Feb. 7. He will be at Bill Stirman's Lodge at Mayhill from 10:00 A. M. to 12:00 noon. At Snyder's Commissary at Weed from 2:00 P. M. to 4:00 P. M. every Tuesday.

Littleton T. Bunch, M.D., who recently arrived in Artesia is practicing with his brother C. Pardue Bunch, M.D. He received an A.B. degree from the University of North Carolina in 1943; an M.D. degree from the University of Maryland, at Baltimore, in 1947.

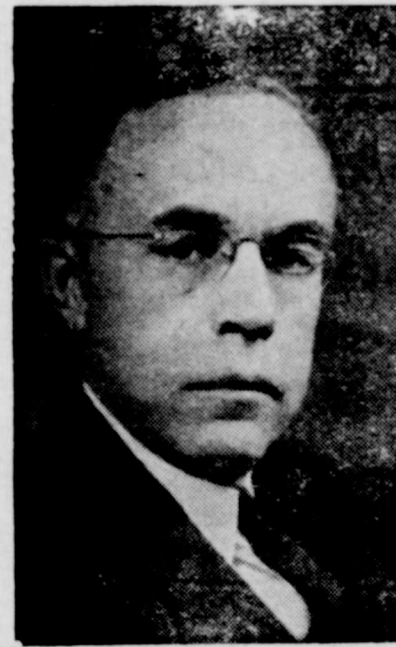
He took additional training in Internal Medicine at the North Carolina Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem, N. C., and a Rotating Internship at the University of Colorado Medical Center at Denver, Colo.

He is married, his wife is the former Miss Janice Bagley, of Lewiston, N. Y. They are making their home at 204 Dallas St., Artesia, N. M.

## E. T. Love, V. Pres. Albuquerque Bank

The directors of the Albuquerque National Bank announced today the election of Ernest T. Love, formerly an officer of the Chase National Bank of New York, as a vice president of the Albuquerque National Bank.

Mr. Love, a brother of Oscar M. Love who is also a vice president of the Albuquerque National Bank, is a native of Virginia. He studied at Randolph-Macon College and is a graduate of the Georgetown University Law School and of the American Institute of Banking. He started his banking career with the American National Bank of Washington, D. C., where he was an officer and director. He later became an officer of the Chase National Bank of New York and comes directly from there to Albuquerque. He is a member of Delta



ERNEST T. LOVE

Chi fraternity, Sons of the American Revolution, and of Harmony Lodge No. 17, F.A.A.M. of Washington, and has served the New York City Chapter of the American Institute of Banking as officer and governor.

As a resident of Ridgewood, New Jersey, Mr. Love has been prominent in the West Side Presbyterian Church as treasurer and elder and as president of the Men's Club and the Board of Trustees. He also served the local Orpheus Club as trustee. His wife, who accompanies him to Albuquerque has been active in musical, sorority and church circles. She is a member of Pi Beta sorority.

His daughter is the wife of Arthur H. Rich, an advertising executive in Buffalo, N. Y., and his son Ernest T. Jr., is a junior at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J.

As a result of many trips to New Mexico and his long association with the Chase Bank in New York, Mr. Love is well acquainted in banking and other circles in New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Love will establish their residence in Albuquerque and are staying temporarily at the home of his brother, Oscar M. Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Hale from Bonanza, Ore., and two children are here visiting at the J. C. Buckner home. Mrs. Hale is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buckner.

## Editorials---

A verse for today: "If a man love me, he will keep my words; and my Father will love him, and we will come unto Him, and make abode with Him." John 14:23.

Taxes are heavy. Taxpayers should be keenly interested in the stewardship of their public officials. They have a right to all the facts. That is the reason for the existence of taxpayer's associations so far as its funds permit the Taxpayer's Association of New Mexico ascertains and publishes facts and figures on governmental costs and administration.

In your \$5.00 light bill is hidden \$1.75 of taxes. If you burn coal \$5.00 is hidden in your \$15.00 a ton bill. For baby powder for which you may pay 47 cents, 18 cents is included for taxes. Milk at 21 cents a quart includes taxes of 7 cents. Your \$10,000 house includes \$3,000 for labor, \$4,000 for material, and \$3,000 for taxes: If these are the facts it explains why prices are high.

The 73-day-old potash strike in Carlsbad is over. The union is expected to go to work without the 25c-an-hour wage increase. C. D. Smothermon, president of the Carlsbad Potash Workers Union is quoted as saying that he will leave Carlsbad. Some 400 strikers will find that they have lost their jobs, according to company figures. It was a costly strike and everyone lost money especially the strikers. We are glad it is over.

Now staring us in the face is a coal strike and a telephone strike. When is all this going to end. The wage earner should realize by this time that when wages go up, food clothing go up. Truman says that more people are to be benefited by his old age insurance plan. To do this taxes will have to be raised a few cents on this and that. Who is going to pay all these taxes if we all stick our hands out and want to be supported by the government. If someone can tell how its all going to end, we are ready to listen.

A recent compilation by the Taxpayer's Association of New Mexico indicated a total increase of all state, county, municipal and school budgets for the current year ending June 30, 1950, of approximately \$13 million. This increase includes estimates as follows: Highways, \$7 million; public elementary and high schools \$5 million; educational institutions \$1.7 million; public welfare and health \$1.5 million; county funds \$0.7 million; municipal funds \$1.1 million; other \$1 million. It should be noted that these estimated expenses are paid from all revenues which pass through public treasuries and that actual receipts are estimated sufficient to keep all budgets in balance.

So far we haven't heard a word about how the Army Department is going to enforce the "Trespassing is Prohibited" propaganda in the vicinity of Alamogordo, Las Cruces and El Paso. Perhaps they don't mean the motorists, just the ranchers that make a living running stock in that area. If they intend to stop traffic on highway 54 and 70 it will be a body blow to Alamogordo and it won't do highway 83 much good. It will just divert the tourists through El Paso or north to Roswell or Albuquerque.

Europeans have an increasing interest in what makes the United States Government tick. The latest evidence of this interest is the fact that the Hansard Society in London is devoting the entire winter issue of its publication, Parliamentary Affairs, to the study of American politics, the American political system, and the functioning of the American Government—Christian Science Monitor.

And while they are doing that over in England, the people here should study on "How To Vote Your Ballot Correctly." Every election there will be a large number of ballots discarded on account of mutilation, putting the X in the wrong place, "schatching" a ballot, etc. No fooling, before election day comes around, voters should get a sample ballot if they can, and make a thorough study of it before going to the polls. Don't wait until election day and then call for help from the election officials.

## Hope News

J. C. Van Winkle left Tuesday for Hot Springs, N. M., where he will visit his sister.

Earl Miller was a visitor in Artesia Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lea spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Marlair in Carlsbad.

Jesse Buckner and family from Carlsbad were here the first of the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Buckner.

Max and Wallace Johnson were here Saturday unloading some feed and furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole attended the stock sale at Roswell last Friday.

Betty Zane Teague was home between semesters last week. She is attending the university at Portales.

Harve Evarts will move to Hope soon with his drilling rig and put down a well for Penn Trimble.



## Corn Cribs Ease Storage Problem

### Temporary Types Serve In Many Farm Areas

Much of the 1948 corn crop is still on the farm, filling many of the storage buildings which should be used for the 1949 crop.

Temporary or semi-permanent storage buildings are the answer if you lack space or money to build permanent cribs. These temporary-type cribs in some cases are good enough to meet requirements for government loans.

Here are some tips on building good, strong temporary cribs, as suggested by Successful Farming magazine:

1. Locate the crib on a well-drained site with exposure to prevailing winds.

2. Put a floor under the corn to



Correct attention to proper corn storing methods will help assure the farmer of excellent sow-and-litter results such as are pictured here.

keep it off the ground. A heavy, waterproof paper or roll roofing might be sufficient on high, well-drained soil. A strong, level floor, six to 12 inches above the ground, protects the corn against soil moisture, permits ventilation and discourages rodents.

Masonry blocks laid face down form a good foundation for the plank floor of a temporary crib. Rails, ties, logs or heavy timbers can be used instead of concrete blocks. If two-inch flooring is used, supports should not be more than four feet apart if the corn is to be 10 to 12 feet deep. If one-inch flooring is used, the supports should not be more than 24 inches apart. Floor planks should be placed one inch apart if you want a slatted floor for ventilation or artificial drying.

3. Make the crib sides vertical and build them so they will stay vertical. Be sure the sides are strong enough to withstand the pressure of the corn. Use rigid braces for the sidewalls and ends.

4. Make crib sides with at least 20 per cent of the wall area open for ventilation to speed up the corn drying process.

5. Put a roof over the corn that will withstand water and wind.

Today's quotation: Only those who have the patience to do simple things perfectly ever acquire the skill to do difficult things easily.—Schiller.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

**Attlee Promises 'Better' Socialism; Amvets Support GI Bonus Proposals; U.S. War Potentials Gains Recited**

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



This is the Isbrandtsen ship line's "Flying Cloud" as it left its Hoboken pier to run the Chinese Nationalist blockade in Shanghai. It is a sister ship to the "Flying Arrow" which was heavily shelled by Chinese gunboats. The move was being made despite U. S. state department warnings to U. S. ships to stay out of the blockade area. Inset is Captain Nicholas Dervin, skipper of the "Flying Cloud."

**GREAT BRITAIN:**

**Attlee Stands Pat**

On the surface, at least, there was no qualms over possible results and certainly no promises of reform as the Labor party in England loudly proclaimed that it would stand for more and "better" socialism if it were returned to power in the February elections.

"OBVIOUSLY, the overthrow of the Socialists in Australia and, earlier, in New Zealand, didn't mean a thing to Prime Minister Clement Attlee and his administration.

The party in power in Great Britain laid down its platform in a 6,000-word manifesto. The platform included:

"Wise development" of the administration of government medical services and other welfare services (one of the most hotly-disputed of socialist innovations).

MUTUALIZATION of insurance—that is, ownership by policy-holders.

Jobs for all. Increase in production, lowering costs and increasing imports.

More and cheaper food. A home for every family.

No shelter for private enterprise "behind price rings and rigged markets."

EFFORTS FOR PEACE in a "realistic" manner, and willingness to cooperate with Russia, as "with any other country that is prepared to work for peace and friendship."

Strengthening of the association of the commonwealths and the Atlantic pact.

An ambitious program surely and one which must command some measure of respect if only for its declining to retreat in the face of what might seem to be a dangerous situation.

**WAR POTENTIAL:**

**U. S. Gains Cited**

While the national committee for aeronautics reported that "it is logical to assume" Russia is working hard to develop super-speed warplanes to deliver atomic weapons, it also reported continuing American gains in the "race for air leadership." The committee called for efforts to "consolidate these gains and push forward."

THE AGENCY reporting is the government's chief organization for basic aviation research and, consequently, should know what it is talking about.

The committee dropped one note-cheering note, however, by pointing out that any nation that wants to make the effort can build "practical military airplanes" able to fly faster than sound.

"Superior-speed," the report continued, "is generally acknowledged to be the most important single element in successful air attack and in defense against attack. Range also is important. The attainment of long range poses a most difficult problem."

AND THEN the report's punch line:

"As in the case of the atomic bomb, America cannot expect to enjoy an exclusive advantage—at best it can only plan by vigorous and timely research to stay ahead of any potential enemy . . ."

**GIVEAWAY DUE**

**Potatoes**

The government announced it was going to "give away" some of the enormous stocks of potatoes which it bought to keep prices up—but, as usual, there was a catch to it. Not everyone could get the potatoes, and it was not as "free" as it appeared.

THE POTATOES, it appeared, would go only to the school lunch program, the bureau of Indian affairs, public and private welfare agencies in this country and private agencies doing relief abroad. However, that was a move which should elicit no criticism, inasmuch as it savored more of intelligent government in action than most bureaucratic actions.

Here's the catch: FOR the school lunch, and some private institutions, the "give-away" program means they will have to start paying something to get potatoes they once got without having to pay out a nickel. The reason for that, it was explained, is that for many years the government had a surplus-crop disposal program, for which congress appropriated funds. This meant commodities could be delivered to schools free.

Now, all that's changed, there is no free-delivery fund, so school lunches will have to pay transportation for its "free" commodities.

**VETS' BONUS:**

**Added Support**

The battle lines for the fight to obtain a bonus for veterans of World War II has been strengthened by support from the Amvets, a World War II organization.

Meanwhile, the Veterans of Foreign Wars renewed its long-standing bonus appeal.

THUS, two major veterans' organizations standing shoulder to shoulder on the proposition that the nation should reward their war services with a bonus.

Harold Russell, Amvets national commander, told the house veterans' affairs committee that "by every standard of equity the bonus is justifiable."

Certainly the GI's of Conflict Two had a precedence in the case of the Doughboys of World War I. And, remembering history, they would not be too disappointed at early delays, inasmuch as it took quite a time for the World War I veterans to obtain passage of a bonus bill.

THE AMVETS and the VFW were agreed that the rate of compensation for veterans should be \$3 a day for service in this country, and \$4 a day for service overseas. This would mean that a maximum bonus would be \$4,500, with an extra bonus for men who were wounded in action.

The question of a bonus for men who have defended their country in time of war is one of the most difficult with which a people may wrestle. There is the vast gratitude and appreciation of service on the one hand, and on the other a conception of patriotism and duty, solidified most often by lack of necessary funds with which to reward the warriors.

**TRUMAN:**

**Up & At 'Em!**

Apparently eager to accept every rebuff as a challenger, President Truman let it be known that he would "fight all summer," if necessary, to obtain congressional approval of his civic rights program.

THE PRESIDENT made it very plain that he desires every member of congress to be put on record regarding the program. The highly controversial issue for which the President is still battling caused a split in the Democratic party ranks during the 1948 presidential campaign—and promises to do so again.

The President was particularly incensed with the coalition of southern Democrats and northern Republicans which stands ready to oppose the program to the last ditch.

The measure over which there has been such bitter recriminations would establish a federal commission to combat discrimination in the hiring of Negroes and other minority groups.

THE SOUTH, usually rock-ribbed in its stand for the Democrats, doesn't want the measure, and its representatives are prepared to resist it in every way possible, the usual recourse being parliamentary procedure and the rules of the senate.

Precipitation of the row came with the effort by opponents of the program to do away with a house rule which would let the house take away from committee a bill bottled up for as many as 21 days. Until last year the house rules committee could stifle legislation to a great degree by holding up such bills as it chose. Now, Truman's opponents want that power restored.

Mr. Truman was hoping the maneuver would be defeated.

**MINERS:**

**Cash, Please!**

In most of the long, involved struggle of the coal miners and their leader, John L. Lewis, vs. the coal operators, the workers were able to continue credit at company stores and thus manage to exist through long strike periods.

In the current phase of the ever-recurrent controversy, that was the case until a few weeks ago when rebel miners, bucking Lewis' three-day work week order, went on strike. Shutdowns occurred in six coal-producing states as roving bands of pickets flouted Lewis' leadership.

THE UNITED MINE WORKER rebels declared they were tired of working a three-day week and wanted a "showdown" in their dispute with the operators. They were falling back on the old miner slogan: "No contract—no work."

But this time they encountered a move which would have grave effect on their position. Mine owners replied with a policy of their own: "No work—no credit." Several large companies, including U. S. Steel and most southern operators, told the miners they would get no more credit at company stores while they stayed away from work.

ONE INDUSTRY LEADER estimated that miners had received 60 million dollars in credit since the "no-day-week" and the three-day week went into effect. Others said it was just bad business to keep extending credit under such conditions.

Thus there appeared to be building up a situation rife with dangerous possibilities. If the strike continued and miners and their families faced actual hunger and want, there could be trouble a-plenty.

**Winnie's Look-alike?**



Rep. Dewey Short (R., Mo.) gives a good impression of Britain's Winston Churchill as he rehearses for his part in an amateur radio show being staged in Constitution Hall today February 2. The show is for the benefit of the American Heart association and will kick-off the organization's 1950 fund campaign.



**Hog Breeders Resume Pelletized Feedings Post-War Availability Of Dairy Products Helps**

Many hog breeders have reluctantly dropped skim milk and dairy by-products from their hog rations in the past few years.

Although farmers for generations have recognized the values of milk products in hog feeding, several factors have frequently influenced them to forget or ignore those values.

But now that dairy by-products can be adapted to self-feeder and labor-saving feeding programs through pelletizing of the products,



Rations which include pelletized dairy products produce champions such as this one. This Hampshire, shown by James Henderson, Coon, Iowa, was grand champion over all breeds at the 1949 Iowa State Fair.

they are again returning to their traditional place in more and more hog rations.

This is indicated in a summary of 1949 state fair results across the midwest hog belt, which seems to re-emphasize the feeding value of milk by-products and points up the fact that they can be fitted into self-feeder programs.

The summary, prepared by Kraft foods company, shows a total of 72 championship prizes and 70 first prizes won at six big state fairs and the national barrow show by hogs fed a pelletized dairy product in their rations.

**Rats Blamed for Spread Of Mesquite in Arizona**

Desert rats that gather reserve feed, store it in shallow caches, and leave many of these undisturbed, are practically planters of the stored seed. This is one of the important causes of the rapid invasion of grassy range lands by mesquite shrub.

Mesquite, says the U.S. department of agriculture, displaces forage grasses and reduces the beef and wool production. In areas in Arizona the number of mesquite shrubs to the acre have increased about 50 per cent in the past 15 years, according to a U.S. forest service report.

The Merriam Kangaroo rat is a small rodent that lives in the arid areas of the southwest. The mesquite is one of its favorite foods.

**Highest Scorer**



Shirley Mae Cooper, 18, of Baton Rouge, La., was highest scorer in individual judging at the invitational interstate 4-H poultry judging contest at the National Farm Show in Chicago. Miss Cooper, who had a total of 1,100 points, is shown with the prize-winning cocker, all awarded her as first prize.

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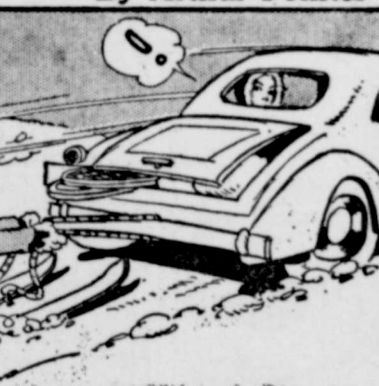
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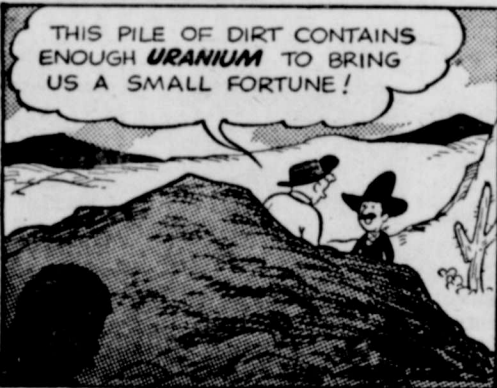
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THE BIBLE SPEAKS

By DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

Where We Came In

Lesson for February 5, 1950

A CIRCULAR LETTER came in the other day from a stranger who is hot and bothered because he has discovered that Jews and Negroes can belong to Christian churches along with white Americans. The astonishing thing is not that that should be true, but that any man should get excited over it. What astonished the Apostle Paul was not that Jews were in the Christian church but that anybody else could be! We must recall that Jesus was a Jew; that all the apostles were Jews; that the first Christian church at Jerusalem was Jewish.



New Type

THE CHURCH AT ANTIOCH, one of the great commercial cities of the Roman world, was where we Gentiles came in. The writer is indebted to his former teacher, Dr. Charles Erdman, for noting four ways in which that church in Antioch was something new.

They had no Old Testament, they knew nothing of the Old Testament sacrifices, they had no interest in the Temple or in the history of Israel. Like most Gentiles, they had usually thought of the Jew as a quaint but unimportant minority group.

Could a church made up of such different races become a true Brotherhood? So the old mother-church at Jerusalem sent up Brother Barnabas to look around.

New Leaders

GOD DOES NOT ALWAYS give the greatest successes to the "big names." Nowadays every one who knows his Bible knows Paul and Barnabas; but in Antioch both men were unknown at first, and untried.

When God wants a Reformation he calls forth a Luther, an obscure man who never fitted any of the existing priestly molds. When God wanted to open up Africa he called David Livingstone; when he wanted men for the far interior of Asia he called Hudson Taylor. When he wanted light to shine down into the slums he called William Booth.

These were all peculiar men by the standards of their times; but it takes peculiar men to break away from tradition's hearth-fire and break out new roads for the Gospel.

New Center

FOR SOME TIME Jerusalem was the capital of the Christian world. All roads led out from there, so to speak. With the rise of the Antioch church, however, a new center took the place of the old. Jerusalem withered away. In later times Alexandria led, and then other cities.

For a thousand years Rome and Constantinople were the acknowledged centers of the Christian world. Now we have also London—New York—Geneva... Many such centers have small beginnings.

In future years, who knows? Some church in Yunnan may be sending missionaries to the feeble folk left in the war-devastated ex-white world.

New Name

ANTIOCH is no longer a city of any importance. Missionaries go to it, not from it. But old Antioch left us something still cherished, a new name for believers: Christian. That name itself proves something.

It proves that the church in Antioch was something more than an aggregation of "churchmen." It was a family of Christ-men and Christ-women. These believers must have talked and lived something better than mere vague "religion."

If your church had no name, and if your neighbors were to name it, and all the neighbors knew about it were you, by what name would they call it?

**Crude Petroleum**

The oil and gas division of the department of the interior says that in 10 years from 1938, the movement of crude petroleum in this country increased 91.5 per cent to 678,753,937 tons, reflecting increased use of oil and its products. Of this tonnage, movement from wells direct to refineries totalling more than two million barrels, 72 per cent moved in pipelines, 25 per cent in water carriers or tankers and 3 per cent in tank cars and trucks.

**81 Below in Yukon**

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**MIRROR Of Your MIND** Real Feelings Seldom Apparent

By Lawrence Gould



Can you be "certain" that anybody loves you?

Answer: Never absolutely, for the simple reason that you cannot read another person's mind, and therefore can't be sure of his real feelings. If you let morbid suspicion rule you, you can't prove that your best friend's devotion is not just a pretense. That's why trying to be "certain" leads only to needless misery and mental illness. As business depends on credit, your personal happiness depends on giving others the benefit of the doubt, and assuming that if their behavior conforms to their protestations, they must love you.

with because they express their hatred of society in one form which is the symbol of their special grievance. By tracing the meaning of the symbol, you may be able to help them see the world — and themselves — differently.



May disabled children get too much attention?

Answer: Yes, writes Dr. Roger G. Barker of the University of Kansas in the Journal of Social Issues. Even the extra care and attention a disabled child must get tends to handicap his emotional development. He is likely to become too dependent on the society of adults and leave it to them to decide what he'll do next instead of planning his play for himself. This leaves him unconsciously frustrated, yet afraid to face new problems or experiences. A disabled child is quite as much a mental problem as a physical one.



Are "crime specialists" harder to reform?

Answer: No, says Dr. Edmund Mezger, German criminologist. There are two types of habitual criminals, those who specialize in one kind of offense (say, passing bad checks) and those who are ready to break any law, as fancy strikes them. Of these types, the "specialists" are easier to deal

**LOOKING AT RELIGION** By DON MOORE

**BRITAIN'S RONALD KNOX**, BRILLIANT SCHOLAR AND TRANSLATOR OF THE CATHOLIC BIBLE, ALSO WRITES EXCELLENT DETECTIVE STORIES

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**SPORTS MINDED TWEED** WEARING MINISTERS ARE HAVING SUCCESS IN HOLDING YOUTH OF SCANDINAVIA WHERE OTHERS FAILED!

**KEEPING HEALTHY**

**Infection, Neurosis Cause Tiredness**

By Dr. James W. Barton

EARLY ONE MORNING a neighbor came to my summer cottage and asked me to go fishing. I asked him why he had come for me instead of his regular fishing companion. He complained that his former fishing companion wanted to sleep all day and didn't want to get up in the morning.

A few weeks later his fishing companion died of heart disease caused by several infected teeth. Tiredness and sleepiness is perhaps the commonest sign of infection somewhere in the body.

If a normal individual who has never complained of tiredness and sleepiness begins to feel tired and sleepy during the day, an immediate search for infection should be made by physician and dentists before damage to the heart and other organs occurs.

What about the individual who is tired all the time, in fact has always been tired? In "Clinical Medicine" the question is asked as to the reason for tiredness in one who has always been tired, yet in whom careful examination reveals no cause of tiredness.

The answer which follows states that the most important diagnostic method in the case of the tired patient is the asking of three questions: "Have you been more or less tired all your life? Does rest or a night's sleep help your tiredness? Are there any new complaints in the last few months?" This latter question is to rule out any new condition that may have developed, in addition to the chronic tiredness.

Patients believe that their weakness and tiredness is due either to a physical condition or to overwork. "In the great majority of cases it is neither the one nor the other. Tiredness is, next to pain, the most common symptom of neurosis. Work, instead of making fatigue (tiredness) worse, often relieves it."

It is easily understood how an individual who thinks he has an ailment, when one exists, worries just as much as if a disease were present and what makes him more worried and upset is that he can expect no sympathy from family or friends.

**The Way it Happened . . .**

IN HAGEN, GERMANY . . . Frightened members of a "bachelors' club" fled out a window and across a rooftop when their wives agitated outside because their husbands had been taken into membership.

IN NEW YORK . . . Eight city hospitals claimed the honor of delivering the first baby of 1950.

GREAT BEND, KANSAS . . . Police Judge A. A. Kelley fined eleven motorists \$1 each for parking overtime, reached in his pocket, pulled out a similar ticket made out to him, fined himself \$1 and said: "Let that be a lesson to me."

IN LONDON . . . A young man who was ashamed to ask for a sex manual in a bookstore, "blushing like a schoolboy," stole the volume, was given six months in jail by the judge who said that should give him time to recover his normal complexion.

IN DETROIT . . . Sea gulls intrigued spectators by bicycling rides on ice cakes floating down the Detroit river.

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**Conch Shells**

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1/2 cup sugar  
1 teaspoon ginger  
1 egg, well beaten  
2 teaspoons cinnamon  
1/2 cup molasses  
1/2 teaspoon cloves  
1/4 cup water  
Melt butter or margarine in an 8" x 8" x 2" cake pan. Sprinkle with brown sugar. Cut pineapple slices in halves and arrange on top of the sugar. Measure Master-Mix into mixing bowl. Stir in sugar and spices. Combine egg, molasses and water. Add gradually to dry mixture, stirring until well blended. Pour over fruit in pan and spread evenly. Bake at 350° F. (moderate oven) 35 to 40 minutes. Remove from oven and cool two or three minutes. Turn out on serving plate, fruit side up. Serve warm topped with whipped cream or hard sauce. Makes 6 to 8 servings. To make plain Gingerbread, use the same recipe, but omit first three ingredients.

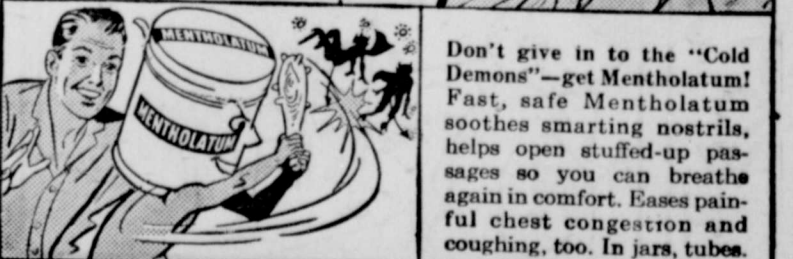
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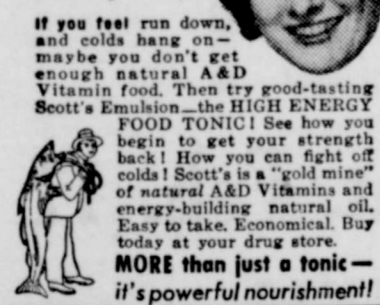
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**WONDERFUL NEIGHBOR** by HOMER CROY

Driving along the country road amid the scenes of his youth, Homer Croy—older, wiser now—recalled the people he knew, the friends he had had as a boy in northwest Missouri. He remembers happy times with the Kennedys—Newt, the kindest man he'd ever known; Mrs. Kennedy; their daughters, Ida and Lucy; their son, Harlan, his boyhood pal. He remembers the Delinskys, the "foreiners" on the scrubby farm behind the poor farm; shiftless Tom Davey and his long-suffering family, befriended by the Kennedys before the Daveys headed west again; Lester Forkade, the "city boy" betrothed to Ida; Lester's haughty parents from St. Joe. He recalls the Forkades' first call.

**CHAPTER VII**

"We've had some of the la grippe through here," said Newt. There was a painful silence during which everybody tried to think of something to say, but couldn't quite make it. Finally Newt said: "Our people seem to be coughing more than usual."

Lucy, the imaginative one, coughed just from thinking about it. One or two moved their feet; Mrs. Kennedy looked out the window to see if anybody was passing. But nobody was.

Ida and Lester sat primly against the wall, not talking at all, both very self-conscious. Ida suggested they go out to the barrel-stave hammock. There was a rope tide to a stake; Lester took hold the rope and pulled at the right place. The hammock swung back and forth, giving off a pleasant, dreamy creaking.

"How long have you lived here?" asked Mrs. Forkade.

"Always," said Newt. "I was born in what is now our smokehouse."

"Oh," said Mrs. Forkade. She turned to Mrs. Kennedy. "And you?"

"I was born in town."

"Oh!"

The clock on the shelf began to tick very loud; the dog came up to the porch, his nails scratching on the floor. "Hello, Kaiser," said Newt and snapped his fingers.

The dog made a little eager noise. "He's a good cattle dog. Do you folks have a dog?"

It turned out they had a pedigreed dog.

The clock got louder.

"I'll ask you to excuse me," said Mrs. Kennedy politely. "Lucy."

They began to rattle around in the kitchen.

Newt was alone and it was his job to entertain the company. Must make a good impression for Ida's sake. There'd been quite a bit of rain lately, he said; too much for the good of the crops; especially the millet, millet couldn't stand rain. Also there was blackleg around. Suddenly he gave a self-conscious laugh. "Oh course that ain't one of your problems in the city."

"I'm sure it's interesting to hear about it," said Mr. Forkade.

"Yes, indeed," chirped Mrs. Forkade.

Mrs. Forkade glanced around the room, trying to find something to hit on. Her eyes fastened on Harlan. "I believe I've forgotten your name," she said ingratiatingly.

"Harlan," he muttered.

"What do you do, Harlan?" she asked in the superior way grown people sometimes speak to children.

He kicked his heels back and forth. "Nothin'."

"Why," said Newt, instantly defensive. "He's a good worker! I couldn't run the farm without him." This was an exaggeration, but nice to hear.

Mrs. Kennedy took off her apron and came to the door. "Won't you folks come out to dinner?" she asked politely.

"It's just plain, simple cooking," said Newt humbly. "You'll find we don't set much in the way of style."

Ida and Lester came in and seated themselves side by side, like a married couple.

"Pa," said Newt.

Grandpa bent his old gray head over his plate and thanked the Lord for what had been set before us.

**Mrs. Forkade Admires An 'Antique' Dish**

The chairs creaked, the knives and forks clinked. Mrs. Kennedy picked up the peacock fan and swished it over the table.

Mrs. Forkade continued to chatter. Country cooking! There was nothing like country cooking, she said.

Her eyes fastened on the peacock fan. It was about three feet long and had a white braided leather handle and a little loop at the end to hang up the fan so the feathers wouldn't get crushed out of shape. "Where did you buy it?"

"I made it," said Mrs. Kennedy.

Mrs. Forkade glanced at her with respect. It wasn't everybody who could make a peacock fan and match the eyes properly.

As Mrs. Forkade ate, her eyes moved up and down the table. One

of the dishes was a glass one which was shaped like two hands being held together. It was for piccalilli.

Mrs. Forkade picked it up. "Charles, look at this charming antique."

Mrs. Kennedy gave a start; and, for that matter, so did Newt. "We didn't know it was an antique," said Newt. "We use it for everyday wear."

First we ate the filling food, then the fancy vittles.

At last we got up. Then kind of wobbled into the parlor and dropped down on chairs.

Ida and Lester went back to the hammock, soon it was dreamily creaking again.

**Newt Talks Frankly, Too**

Always, after Sunday dinner, Newt went into their bedroom and took a nap. But he couldn't before fashionable city company. He tried to talk, but in spite of himself his eyes kept slipping down. "Will anybody have a drink?"

Mr. Forkade looked up with interest. "Thank you, I will," he said promptly.

Newt went out and pumped up the chair and brought back the blue

part of life. An' Mr. Forkade said he liked people to be frank and outspoken, didn't you, Mr. Forkade?"

"Well... yes."

The bashfulness that had gripped Newt so long seemed to have departed, for he wanted to do all the talking. He talked about how many gilts were going to pig and about the calf Dixie had dropped. It was the way farmers talked among themselves—not the kind of talk city people ever heard. He turned to the big harvester calendar. He had made a circle around one of the dates. "I guess that'll interest you, Mrs. Forkade."

Mrs. Forkade looked politely.

"That's when one of our cows is going to freshen."

Mrs. Kennedy's face was suffused with shame. She tried to turn the conversation, but nothing—nothing in the world—seemed to stop Newt.

Mrs. Forkade glanced at Mr. Forkade and lifted her brows. He pulled out his watch. "I expect we'd better think about going back, dear."

Newt sprang up excitedly. "You haven't seen my farm yet! Come on and walk across. You'll see some mighty nice layin' land."

They didn't want to, but Newt insisted and got them started. At last they came back, weak in the knees, not being used to walking on plowed ground. Mr. Forkade sat down on the edge of the porch like a farmer and looked at his soiled shoes.

"It was most interesting. Most interesting," he said weakly.

At last, the afternoon was over; Mr. and Mrs. Forkade and Lester went out to the livery rig and got in promptly. But Newt wouldn't let them go. When could they come back?

"You must come and see us sometime," said Mrs. Forkade, faintly.

Newt leaped at it. "We sure will, Mrs. Forkade. That'll be a real treat to us, won't it, Minnie?"

Mrs. Kennedy said it was nice for Mrs. Forkade to think of it.

"We're sure goin' to accept," said Newt. "Maybe we can stay overnight."

"You must," said Mrs. Forkade.

The livery rig rolled away.

Ida did not see Lester for several days; then he came snorting up in his automobile, but the novelty of riding in a car was wearing off. And Lester—the dandy, the exquisite—did not seem quite so glamorous. The family sat on the porch, as they had so many other evenings, and watched Lester chug down the road with Ida beside him.

The family gathered around the coaloil lamp with the dog's head on the shade. Reading time, now. Newt got his livestock paper and settled in his rocking chair, his big brown hands gripping the paper.

There was a clattering and chugging. The noise came closer, then stopped. Who could that be? Too early for Ida. But it wasn't, for in a few moments there was the sound of her steps on the porch and the sound of Lester rattling down the road in his car, alone. For a moment it seemed that she had been crying. But she hadn't, instead her eyes were flashing. She extended her hand, but this time there was no ring on her finger. She turned to her father. "Do you know what he said?"

"I wouldn't rightly know, Ida."

"He said his parents said you were crude and that we were not the same kind of people and that only the same kind of people should get married."

"Crude!" exclaimed Newt. "They did? They said that about me? Now how did they get that idea?"

This was the end of Ida's affair with the city boy who was too good for her. But she had plenty of beaux.

**Grandpa Prefers The Old Ways**

As I read back through what I've written I find I have got in hardly anything at all about Grandpa. Yet what a vivid character he was.

Most grandparents didn't think their children were farming right; old ways were best. Grandpa Kennedy though old ways were best too, but also he thought Newt was a good farmer. Indeed, took pride in him. "If you want to know what to plant, or when to sell, you just watch what Newton does," he would say to neighbors.

Old neighbors, old ways, old days—that was what interested him. News about the "old pioneers," as he called them. When Newt came back from town he would go to him and say, "Pa, I've got some bad news to tell you. Old Mrs. Bentley passed away."

Grandpa would remain silent a moment. Then say, "She crossed two years after me." Another silence. "Did you get perticklers?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

**Ain't It So**

If a man studies logic because there are two good sides to every question, why in the world do women study it?

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### News From Hope

#### Temptation

The long-suffering husband was moaning. "Ruth," he said, "you promised you wouldn't buy a new dress. What made you do it?"

"Dear," replied the modern Eve, "the devil tempted me."  
"Why didn't you say: 'Get thee behind me Satan?'" the poor man inquired.

"I did," the woman replied sweetly "and then he whispered over my shoulder: 'My dear, it fits you just beautifully in the back!'"

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#### Missed Out

Boss to employe coming in late: You should have been here half an hour ago.

Employe: Why what happened?

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#### Fore-sight

A Scotchman had been keeping vigil at the bedside of his dying wife for several days. One evening he said: "Mary, I must go out on important business, but I will hurry back. Should you feel yourself slipping while I'm gone, please blow out the candle."

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#### How's That Again?

The kindly old lady stopped before the blind man on the corner, fumbled in her purse and then gave him a two-dollar bill.

"Lady," said the blind man, "2-dollar bills is bad luck. Ain't you got two 1's?"

"Mercy; how did you know it was a 2-dollar bill if you're blind?"

"I ain't blind, lady. It's my partner that's blind. Dis is his day off an' he's at the movie... Me, I'm a deaf mute."

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Based upon budgets, it is estimated that the total expenditures for the current year for all state, county municipal and school purposes will be about \$109 million in New Mexico, as compared with the estimated expenditures of \$91 million in the year 1948-49, \$35 million in 1939-40, \$24 million in 1929-30 and \$6 million in 1912-13. The estimates for the current year ending June 30, 1950 of \$109 million include state expenditures, \$65 million; county expenditures, \$6 million; city, town and village expenditures \$6.7 million and school expenditures, \$31 million.

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An AP dispatch from Santa Fe said Tuesday that trucks found to be violating New Mexico's overload law will be required to dump part of their load on the spot, if the load is in excess of the 18,000-pound per axle limit. Crews checking overload violations were working near Hobbs Monday. They should by all means come to Hope and check on some of the loads of lumber that come through here. We just imagine there would be lumber piled every where and any place along 83 when checking crews move in on 83.

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#### Bumper Yield



This is the type of bumper wheat yields which may be expected by the farmer who practices good soil conservation procedure wherever such is necessary to full crop production. Soil conservation, selection of good seed and attention to good farming practices generally always pay dividends.

#### Animals, Fowls Experience Man's Disease Conditions

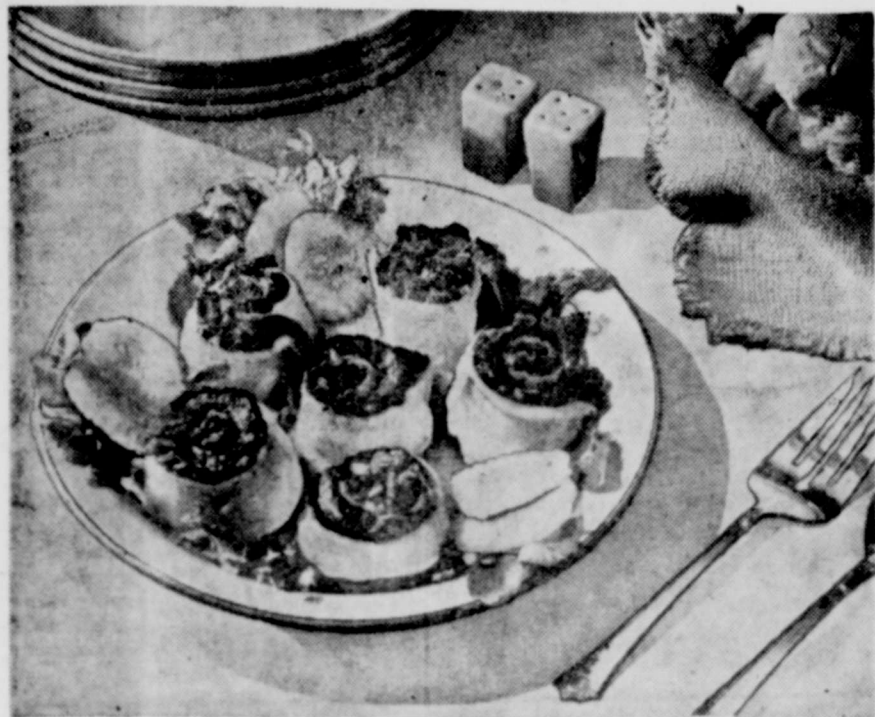
Teetotaling dogs, turkeys and chickens which drink nothing stronger than water sometimes get the same diseases which human beings develop from over-indulgence or high living.

Veterinarians' records show that turkeys and chickens sometimes develop gout, and dogs and other animals get cirrhosis of the liver. Many other disease conditions of man also are common to animals.

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# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Spinach-Stuffed Fillets Make Novel Treat  
(See Recipes Below)

### Luncheon Ideas

MANY WOMEN would like to entertain a few friends for luncheon, but they worry about what to serve, and how it can look pretty. Should it be elaborate?



Does it have to be practically a dinner? These are two of the primary questions that come up with the unaccustomed hostess.

For the luncheon at which you want to gather together a few friends casually, plan a simple menu that can be easily served. You'll enjoy your guests so much better!

Even though you entertain six or more for luncheon, the menu should be simple, and not a dinner. Serve small portions of food, daintily and prettily. Make them feminine, and not too fattening. Your guests, dieting or maintaining weight, will appreciate this type of meal more than heavy foods which they'll have to go home to prepare for the menfolk.

A good plan for luncheon includes a clear soup, fruit cup or vegetable or fruit juice for a first course, but this may be omitted for very simple luncheons.

Plan a main dish and serve it with hot breads. Use a vegetable garnish or a salad that can be served on the same plate with the main dish.

HERE ARE TWO pie recipes which you will enjoy using with any of the above main dishes.

#### Frozen Lemon Pie

- 1 1/4 cups vanilla wafer
- 1 3/4 cups vanilla wafer crumbs, finely rolled
- 2 tablespoons melted butter
- 3 eggs, separated
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon finely grated lemon rind
- 1/2 pint whipping cream

Line a refrigerator tray with one cup crumbs mixed well with butter. Combine egg yolks, sugar, lemon juice and lemon rind. Cook on



low heat until mixture thickens, stirring constantly. Chill and fold in whipped cream. Beat egg whites until they stand in peaks and fold into lemon mixture. Pour into lined tray and sprinkle with remaining crumbs. Freeze until firm. Cut in triangles.

#### Rhubarb Deep-Dish Pie (Serves 10)

- 8 cups rhubarb cut in 1 1/2-inch pieces
- 1 1/2 -2 cups sugar
- 1/4 cup cornstarch
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1/4 cup butter
- 1 tablespoon orange rind
- 1/4 cup orange juice
- 1/2 recipe pastry

Place rhubarb in colander and pour boiling water over it. Sift together sugar, cornstarch and nutmeg. Cut in butter, add orange rind and juice, and blend. Add rhubarb and mix well. Spread over bottom of 9x13-inch pan. Place 10 rectangular pieces of pastry

### LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

- Chilled Tomato Juice
- \*Spinach-Stuffed Fillets
- Cucumber Salad
- Crisp Rolls Beverage
- \*Frozen Lemon Pie
- \*Recipe Given

(2 1/4 x 4 1/4 inches) over rhubarb mixture. Slit centers with knife for steam vent. Bake one hour in moderate oven (350°).

HERE ARE SOME novel suggestions for luncheon main dishes that are ideal when entertaining. Their preparation is simple, so the hostess may keep cool and charming.

#### \*Spinach-Stuffed Fillets (Serves 6)

- 1 pound spinach or kale
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1 tablespoon butter
- Salt, pepper
- 1 egg, beaten
- 1/4 cup bread crumbs
- 1 1/2 pounds fish fillets

Wash spinach thoroughly. Cook spinach and onion together with only water that clings to leaves. When tender, drain and chop. Add butter and seasonings to taste. Cool. Meanwhile cut fillets in two-inch strips. Add egg and bread crumbs to cooled spinach. Spread the mixture on each fillet, roll and fasten with toothpicks. Place, cut side up, in greased baking dish and bake at 400° for 20 minutes.

#### Chicken Fondue (Serves 4)

- 1/4 cup finely chopped celery
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1 cup milk, scalded
- 1 cup soft bread crumbs
- 1 cup diced cooked chicken meat or 6 ounce can
- 1 tablespoon finely grated onion
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 3 eggs, separated
- 1/2 teaspoon salt

Cook celery in butter several minutes. Combine with milk, bread crumbs, chicken, onion and pepper. Add salt to egg whites and beat until shiny and whites form peaks that fold over when beater is withdrawn. Beat yolks. Pour milk mixture into yolks stirring constantly. Pour yolk mixture gradually over egg whites folding at the same time. Pour into ungreased 1 1/2-quart casserole. Place casserole in a pan of hot water. Bake in a moderate oven (375°) until a knife inserted in center comes out clean, about one hour.

#### Toasted Crabmeat Sandwiches (Serves 6)

- 1 cup flaked crabmeat (6 1/2 ounce can)
- 3 hard-cooked eggs
- 1 teaspoon minced onion
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 4 tablespoons mayonnaise
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 cup grated cheese
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper
- Paprika
- 6 slices of bread

Mix the first seven ingredients into a paste. Toast one side of bread slices. Spread crabmeat mixture over untoasted side of bread. Sprinkle with grated cheese; sprinkle paprika on top. Broil four inches from unit until cheese has melted and lightly browned. Serve at once.

### SEWING CIRCLE PATTERNS

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  - 2 tablespoons soft shortening
  - 1/2 cup raisins
1. Combine All-Bran and milk in mixing bowl.
  2. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt into same bowl. Add sugar, egg, shortening and raisins. Stir only until combined.
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By Thomas J. Mabry  
GOVERNOR

"Democratic institutions are protected by the application of reasoned intelligence to political problems."—Benjamin Franklin. Everyone is anxious to have economy in the administration of government. We know that with expanded service we are using more man power today than we used in former years. For example: because of the great expansion in the enrollment at our institutions of higher learning alone there are of necessity many more people drawing money from the state today than in 1943-44. In that year, our institutions of higher learning employed only 976 people. Today they employ approximately 3,000, an increase of more than 2000 employes in five years in our universities and colleges alone.

In the general administrative and financial branch of the state government, however, the number of employes have increased by only 134 during that period. Only strictest economy measures could have held the increase down to this low figure. At the present time several of our state departments are turning out more work than they did before the war and are doing it with fewer employees. One example is the motor vehicle department. This department now has 64 employes who work on motor vehicle registrations and this year the department registered 210,000 motor vehicles. By way of comparison, this department had 83 employes in 1942 and handled only 121,000 motor vehicle registrations. I believe we have made an excellent showing of saving here. The department is actually doing about 73 per cent more work and is doing it with 19 fewer employes.

When the present administration took office, the work of the motor vehicle department was in very bad shape, especially the "certificate of title" division. There were almost 15,000 applications for titles which had not been acted on. The department was taking an average of over 90 days to issue titles on applications for the transfer of ownership of vehicles. By streamlining the various operations, fewer employes now turn out a greater volume of work than they ever did before.

This was an intolerable situation and I gave orders to have it corrected immediately. Twenty employes were put on an overtime basis and within a period of 90 days, the backlog of work had been cleaned up, overtime was discontinued and the department was put on a current operating basis with reduced force. The result has been that instead of letters of complaint, the department now receives letters of commendation.

The increase in the number of motor vehicles on our highways has been great during the last three years. In 1946 there were 140,435 motor vehicles licensed in the state. We now have about 210,000.

It might be interesting to turn back the clock 35 years. The records in the tax commission office shows that in 1914 there were 1840 automobiles registered in the state. Chaves County boasted the largest number with 488, while Bernalillo County was second with 266. Taos County had seven and Sandoval County five.

A verse for today: "I will shake all nations and the desire of all nations shall come . . . saith the Lord of Hosts."—Hag. 2:7.

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