

Farmers Dump Wheat On Ground; Elevators Are Filled

Sherman County wheat harvest reached its peak this week, and as some farmers finished, combines moved to other farms, rapidly filling the demand for farm machinery. Tractors and farm labor hands have been in excess of the demand during harvest; however an increase in the demand for labor is expected for plowing as wheat harvest draws to a close.

Farmers are urged to make their needs for farm labor known to J. G. Cummings, at the Farm Labor office, or to the County Agent's office, so that they will have time to pass this information on through proper channels for securing any additional labor.

Mr. Cummings needs timely information as to the labor situation and farmers' plans in order to render the most valuable service to Sherman County farmers. He has access to daily reports received through the County Agent's office on labor conditions and the wheat harvest situation in adjoining counties and in wheat areas just north. These services are offered local farmers and custom combine people who may be interested.

An acute shortage of storage has developed as a result of the extremely limited number of box cars that have been made available to elevators for moving wheat. All the elevators in Sherman County are full with only approximately half the wheat harvested, and some of this has been going into farm storage. A large quantity of wheat is being dumped on the ground. This is a highly undesirable situation as it increases harvest and handling costs to the farmer and causes loss of wheat so sorely needed.

Two Naval Reserve Discharges Filed

Daryl Kenneth Lanners, Bomber third class, U. S. N. R., received his discharge from San Pedro, California June 4. He served in the Asiatic-Pacific campaign on the USS Walker, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Lanners of the southeast part of Sherman County.

Tommie Frank Baskin, Aviation Radioman second class, U. S. N. R., received his discharge June 10 from the separation center at San Pedro, California. He is a veteran of the Asiatic-Pacific campaign and the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Baskin.

Mrs. Roy Chamberlain Honored With Shower

Mrs. J. K. Richardson honored Mrs. Roy Chamberlain with a pink and blue shower Thursday morning. A few close friends enjoyed coffee, hot biscuits, and strawberry preserves while many lovely gifts were opened, several sending gifts who were unable to attend.

Ralph Harding Sells Butane Business

Ralph Harding has sold his butane business to Nash Bros. of Guyton, Oklahoma. He will continue to operate his station with wholesale and retail distribution of Phillips products.

Political Announcements

(Authorized Political Announcements subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary to be held Saturday, July 27, 1946.)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor, and Collector:
JOHN KIDWELL.

For County Judge and Ex-Officio Superintendent of Schools:
L. P. HUNTER.

For District Attorney, 69th Judicial District:
KING PIKE.
FLOYD H. RICHARDS.

For County Treasurer:
MRS. GERTRUDE WOODARD.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. LELAH BONEY.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
ROSCOE DYESS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. W. CARTER.
SIDNEY H. PARK.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
E. E. HAMILTON.

For State Representative, 124th Legislative District:
WILLIAM J. (BILL) CRAIG.

For District Judge, 69th Judicial District:
HARRY SCHULTZ.

Naval Air Reserve Refresher Course Opens Monday

GLENVIEW, ILL. June 25. — Thousands of Naval pilots and enlisted men, former combat airmen who have returned to civilian life, again associate themselves with the Navy Monday, July 1, when the Naval Air Reserve peacetime program for national air security is activated at 22 Naval Air Stations throughout the nation.

The national peacetime program for these men, who will spend approximately one day a week in refresher flight training, will be participated in by more than 6,000 Naval pilots and more than 20,000 enlisted men.

Open house will be the order of the day on all the 22 Naval Reserve air stations on Sunday, June 30.

Air groups, which will furnish the flight personnel for inactive units of the fleet, will be kept in training on these stations so that in the event of another national emergency a potent Naval air striking force will be available within 30 days. Made up entirely of Reservists on inactive duty, the Naval Air Reserve will provide a "second team" of minutemen" to back up the regular units of the fleet.

Strategically located throughout the United States to serve the largest centers of population the air stations are situated in every section of the country. These stations are: Squantum, Mass., St. Louis, Mo., New York, N. Y., Memphis, Tenn., Willow Grove, Penn., New Orleans, La., Anacostia, D. C., Dallas, Texas, Norfolk, Va., Olathe, Kans., Jacksonville, Fla., Hutchinson, Kans., Miami, Fla., Minneapolis, Minn., Atlanta, Ga., San Diego, Calif., Grosse Ile, Mich., Los Alamitos, Calif., Glenview, Ill., Livermore, Calif., Columbus, Ohio, Seattle, Washington.

Men who participate in the regular part-time duties will be enlisted in the Organized Reserve of the Navy and will be paid on the basis of their rank and rate for the time they serve.

In addition there will be a large group of inactive Reservists who will serve in the Volunteer Reserve without pay. They will not be on a definite schedule and will report whenever possible to participate. Included will be both officers and enlisted men.

The stations where the Air Reserve program will be in operation are manned by stationkeeper personnel, Reservists on active duty, who enjoy the privileges of active duty in the Navy but still are not subject to transfer to other stations.

Petroleum Industry Expansion Program Planned For Future

The petroleum industry will expand and improve its services to the American people as rapidly as federal restrictions and materials shortages will permit, President William R. Boyd, Jr. of the American Petroleum Institute said on his arrival in Dallas Wednesday for the meeting of the API Board of Directors starting Tuesday.

"A great building program has been projected by the industry," he said "both in new construction and in replacement and repair of existing facilities. In addition, a number of companies have announced plans for expanded research activity. There are a goodly number of new products ready for introduction to the market. In short, given a green light the petroleum industry will embark on the greatest expansion wave in its history.

"When that will come I have no idea. It cannot start as long as federal price regulation shackles the industry and lack of materials hampers building."

Mr. Boyd said a number of important matters would be discussed by the Directors, among them the report of the tentative program of the newly-formed Agricultural Development Committee, the report of the Public Relations Committee, and those of the Committees on Post-War Activities.

In addition to these, the Directors will discuss the OPA situation and the newly organized oil and gas bureau of the Interior Department, established to unify federal oil policy as well as hear reports from the regular standing committees of the Institute.

Potatoes To Aid Shortage In Wheat Flour

The early crop Irish potatoes now abundant in local markets can be of paramount value in filling the gap caused by the world shortage of wheat and wheat products, says B. F. Vance, state director, Production and Marketing Administration.

In urging housewives to serve this seasonally abundant food more often, he said one small serving of potatoes can replace a piece of bread in well-balanced diets. Increased use also lessens demand for the less plentiful processed foods and makes it possible to release greater supplies for famine stricken countries.

Mr. Vance said that while early potatoes doubtless would be welcomed by peoples abroad, their low keeping quality makes it impracticable to try to ship them. Those spoiling in transit wastes valuable shipping space which could have been filled with wheat and other foods of good keeping qualities, he added.

"Even if they will not stand up under long hauls, we can consume greater quantities here at home as an alternative for the more readily exportable cereals," he explained.

Through the latter part of June, production is expected to reach 52,000,000 bushels. Based on current crop conditions, the total crop in early commercial areas up to September 1 may establish an all-time record as high as 70 to 75 million bushels.

Eugene Harrison Returned To States Tuesday Morning

First Lieutenant Eugene Harrison, called his father, M. H. Harrison, Tuesday morning over long distance telephone, to announce his arrival in the states at Oakland, California. Harrison has been stationed on Iwo Jima for the last 8 months. He will receive his discharge at Camp Beal and he and Mrs. Harrison will leave immediately for Stratford.

Blondo Poduces Many Signs

H. L. Blondo, who does sign writing as a side line along with his shine parlor, has made a large contribution to directing information to transients here for the harvest. Sign boards displayed over this section which give harvest information were produced by Blondo.

Assembly of God Church

Welcome to Assembly of God Church, across street from Court-house.

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Evangelistic service Sunday evening 8:00 P. M.

Bible study and Prayer Meeting Thursday 8:00 P. M.

Radio Service Building Opens On 287 Today

H. W. Raymond, is opening his Radio Service firm, today in a new building which was finished yesterday on U. S. 287, on lots between the homes of Ivan Willey and Mrs. Tim Flores.

The home of the new firm is a new 16x20 foot frame and stucco building. Mr. Raymond states that he did not desire to get out of the business district to open his new business but that the location was picked in order to give him an opportunity to work where there was the least local interference with radio reception.

Along with his radio repair service, he will handle Motorola car radios, and has in stock several table models of Olympic radios, along with his line of automatic electric record changers and combination radio record changers.

He invites the public to visit his new business and states that his stock of radios will be increased as merchandise becomes available.

WCSA Met Wednesday With Mrs. Flores

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hattie Flores for a social gathering. Due to the threatening weather only six members were present. The business meeting was dispensed with and the afternoon was spent in conversation.

Ice cream and cake were served to Mesdames Pendleton, Agnes Foster, Ann Harrison, Osa Gamble, P. J. Pronger, Jr., Emma Lou Williams, Flores and Miss Peggy Foster.

The W. S. C. S. will not meet during July and August.

Clayton Rabbit Ears Round-Up Association announces a rodeo and celebration July 3-4.

Methodist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Intermediate MYF 6:00 P. M.
Senior MYF 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
Woman's Society of Christian Service each Wednesday at 2:30 P. M.
Choir rehearsal each Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.
Youth play night each Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M.

First Christian Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 P. M.
Evening Services 7:30 P. M.
Choir practice 8:00 P. M. Wednesday.
You are always welcome at any and all these services.
G. M. Eastman, Pastor.

Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Training Union 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.

OPA Rangle Continues As Expiration Deadline Nears

Democratic Committee Met Tuesday

Sherman County's Democratic Executive Committee men met Tuesday to determine the costs of holding the primary elections, assess candidates with costs of the election, and to draw names for their places on the official ballot.

County Chairman G. L. Taylor was assisted by Precinct Committeemen Royal Pendleton and P. J. Pronger.

Miss Lucile Parsons Married In Long Beach, California

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parsons announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lucille, to James Hurley Wood, Sunday, June 23. The ceremony was conducted in the Normandy Wedding Chapel in Long Beach, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood will make their home in Long Beach where the bride and groom each have employment.

Walter Pendleton Builds Temporary Quarters For Home

Walter M. Pendleton is having a frame and stucco building completed on his lots on U. S. 287 between the homes of Mrs. C. V. Collins and W. G. O'Brien. Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton plan to make this their home until building materials become more plentiful. At such time they plan to convert their living quarters into a garage.

Residents Complain Of Chickens Destroying Gardens And Flowers

Several complaints have been placed with the City Council this week by residents who have had gardens, flowers, and lawns damaged by chickens which have been allowed to run loose.

The Council requests that owners of chickens in the City limits provide a place where they may keep the fowls to prevent them from causing further damage. A city ordinance prohibits allowing stock and fowls to wander loose in the city limits.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many kind deeds and courtesies shown us during our recent bereavement.

Lieut. Elmo Cunningham, S. L. Cunningham and Family.

Floydada announces its first farm-to-market road is now being topped.

Chillicothe in announcing its financial status for the year, deplored its condition but was optimistic in the total figures being over that of 1944.

Army Order Stresses Fats, Oils Savings

Instructions put out recently by the Army Service Forces, indicates the renewed efforts of the Army to do what every American housewife is now being urged to do—conserve and re-use all fats and oils to help feed starving millions.

"Every source of fats, greases, bones, and meat scraps will be conserved. Those not used for cooking will be salvaged and sold to renderers," the Army says.

"Until fats and oils are again in full production in former Japanese and German occupied territories, the present acute shortage will continue. Spent cooking fats will be strained off and saved in a separate container. Under no circumstances will they be thrown in the sinks or with the garbage.

"Bones and meat scraps of every kind, both raw and cooked will be saved.

"Production, based on man per month (mess count) at supervised messes that strictly observed regulations, shows that the amount of fat salvage per man per month is one pound of cooked grease, 2.35 pounds of bones and meat scraps, and four-tenths of a pound of trap grease."

WASHINGTON, June 26. — Congressional conferees agreed Tuesday on a full year's extension of price control after eliminating Senate provisions which would have ended controls on meat, poultry, dairy products, petroleum and tobacco Sunday at midnight. The bill went to the house Wednesday for ratification.

Clearing up other major points which had been in disagreement, the joint committee decided on:

Holding subsidies of all kinds to \$1,000,000,000 and ending food subsidies next April 1.

Creation of a decontrol board, independent of OPA, which could overrule the price administrator or the secretary of Agriculture if they failed to remove controls from specific commodities.

Modification of the Wherry amendment adopted in the Senate, to provide that distributors, wholesalers and retailers must be allowed percentage markups and discounts which were effective last January.

Three and a half hours were required to reach the agreement. The conferees went into sessions behind closed doors a few minutes after 7 o'clock and threw open the doors to reporters at 10:35.

Senate Majority Leader Barkley announced the report was signed by a majority of the seven conferees from each house.

Taft a Holdout
Senator Taft of Ohio announced that he and Senator Millikin of Colorado did not sign it. Senator Radcliffe of Maryland, running for re-nomination in the Maryland primary, was not present.

All the House members except Representative Crawford of Michigan approved the pact, and his colleagues said he planned to do so tomorrow.

The decision to take out the section calling for almost immediate decontrol of meat, poultry, dairy products, tobacco and petroleum represented a victory for the House.

The Senate prevailed on the length of extension (the House had voted for only nine months) and on creation of the decontrol board.

Won't Guess on Veto
When a reporter asked whether the President is likely to veto the revised bill, Barkley replied:

"I'm not going to speculate on what the President is going to do about the bill. I am going to urge the Senate to adopt it, as I think it is the best we can get under the circumstances."

Buyers Strike Proposed
Before the committee met, Senator Taylor of Idaho proposed a virtual buyers' strike in case prices skyrocketed. He addressed an OPA rally at the Washington Monument.

Delegations representing housewives and labor groups, at the same time, interviewed congressmen at the capitol with the demand to "save OPA." They called upon senators and representatives in their offices and buttonholed them in the halls.

Taylor, introduced to the rally by Actor Orson Welles, declared that if consumers refuse to buy at high prices "they can make prices come down."

"I need a new suit badly" he said, "but I am not going to buy one until prices come to a sensible level."

Joyride to Destruction
"If, when you see me from the Senate gallery, you think I look a little shabby, I want you to understand this: Glen Taylor is in uniform. He is wearing the uniform of the militant consumer who refuses to be imposed upon."

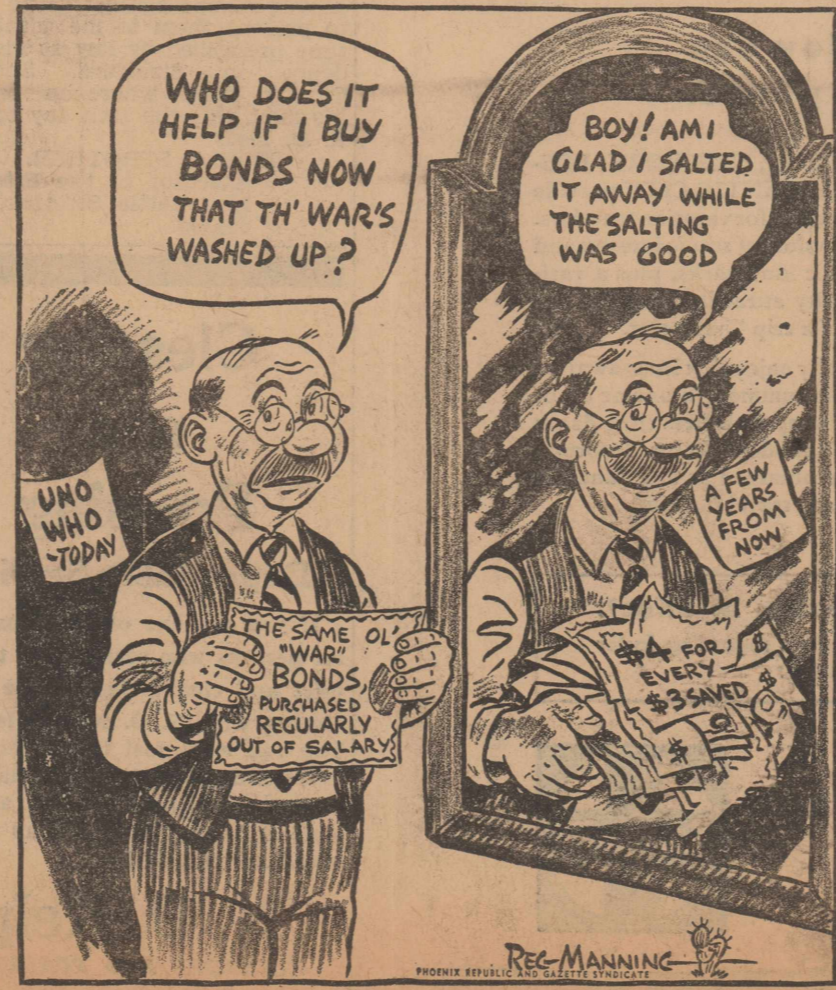
Representative Helen Gahagan Douglas, of California, told the rally, "the only thing that stands between the people and the joyride to destruction proposed by Senator Taft, of Ohio, and the National Association of Manufacturers is the OPA."

Taft, one of the conferees and author of a senate-approved amendment to require that increased manufacturers' costs be reflected in price ceilings, predicted a final showdown Wednesday.

The present price control act will expire Sunday unless an extension measure is enacted.

Stamford voters unofficially defeated its hospital bond issue by 38 votes.

Look in the Mirror, Brother



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The veteran disabled in line of duty during his military or naval service has first claim on govern-

ment medical aid and hospitalization. But ex-servicemen whose illnesses or injuries are not a result of their service also may receive free hospitalization, if they left the service under conditions other than dishonorable, and are unable to pay for treatment at a private hospital.

However, until the Veterans Administration's hospital construction program is completed, veter-

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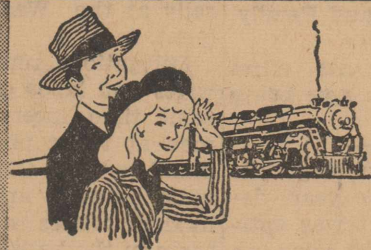
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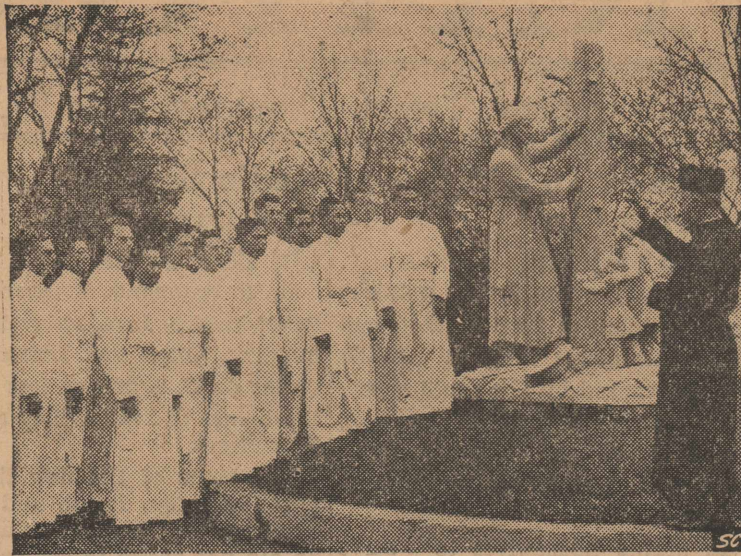
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Jesuit Missionaries Receive Blessing



AURIESVILLE, NEW YORK—Reverend Demetrius Zema, S. J., of the Shrine of Our Lady of Martyrs at Auriesville, imparting blessing to group of Jesuit missionaries returning to Philippines and Japan. Their return marks the beginning of the observance commemorating the 300th Anniversary of the martyrdom of St. Isaac Jogues, first saint to be martyred on American soil. The Jesuit Missionary was killed by the Mohawk Indians at approximately the spot pictured here, where his statue is part of a national shrine erected in honor of him and his companions.

Father Zema was for many years Professor of History at Fordham University in New York.

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You are probably having as much trouble getting canning sugar this season as I am. What little sugar I have had to spare, I've used in making jells. The other day as I poured paraffin wax over the top of a jar, I began thinking what an important role this product plays in conserving food.

Waxed paper, especially, is an indispensable kitchen helper. And do you know that waxed paper is made by a process in which thin sheets of paper are dipped in melted paraffin similar to that which you and I use on top of jams and jellies? When we wrap foods in waxed paper, we are assured of freshness in all our foods—just as the paraffin preserves and protects our jells.

We housewives can make waxed paper do a double job in our homes. By reclosing our bread wrappers, cereals, crackers and other foods in their original waxed paper wrappings—and by using waxed paper to keep left-overs fresh—such as sandwiches, meats, fruits and vegetables—we are saving food and money for ourselves. And we are helping to release more food to feed the starving people of Europe, as well.

One alert housewife made the remark that, "Waxed paper pays for itself in the food it saves." And, I believe, if we think about it, we will all agree with her. The roll of waxed paper in your kitchen, for example, saves you many dollars' worth of food that would ordinarily spoil without this protection. No wonder housewives say, "Waxed paper pays for itself."

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disabilities will experience some difficulty in obtaining hospitalization program is completed, veteran hold the top priority.

In cases of life and death emergency, any veteran will be admitted immediately to any veterans' hospital. Next in line under the priority system is the vet with a service-connected disability. Third in the lineup is the veteran needing treatment for a non-service-connected disability, but receiving a pension for a disability he did acquire in service. Fourth is the veteran whose only disability is non-service-connected.

In an emergency case, a large part of the necessary paperwork may be deferred until after the veteran arrives at the hospital.

The procedure for a veteran with a non-service connected disability who wishes to get into a VA hospital is as follows: He goes to the nearest VA regional office or hospital, or to a VA office in a small town, and files an application. He will be examined to determine his need for treatment, and he must certify that he is unable to pay for treatment at a private hospital.

A veteran with a service-connected disability follows a similar procedure, except that it is easier

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF SHERMAN:

TO those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of Lieu Zettie Strother, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed Executor of the Estate of Lieu Zettie Strother, deceased, late of Sherman County, Texas, by L. P. Hunter, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 10th day of June A. D. 1946, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement and those having claims against said estate to present them to me within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this the 10th day of June A. D. 1946.

ROY A. STROTHER, Executor of the Estate of Lieu Zettie Strother, Deceased. 37-4tc

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for him to establish eligibility for hospitalization. For example, his ability to pay for treatment is not considered, a veteran with a service-connected disability is always entitled to treatment at a veterans' hospital.

Disabled veterans taking vocational treatment at any time during their training period, if they suffer any injury or disease that would cause interruption of their training.

Memphis votes June 21 on air-transport bonds, and heard plans this

week on a \$423,000 power and light plant.

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The Church Pew

(By Dr. Norman V. Peale)

It is obvious to every thoughtful person that we have arrived at a crisis in American history. History has certain turning points. It is sometimes difficult to distinguish when a turn is being made, but all indications point to the fact that we are now at one of those junctures where history makes a distinct turn.

All through the history of this country the Church has been closely related to all movements in American thought. This country is

unique in that it is the first great nation in history to be established on a distinctly religious base. Our social and political institutions, as well as our religious life, were laid down by godly men who came here in the name of the Lord of Hosts. We are the descendants of a great breed of Christian forebears, who reading the Bible and having committed themselves to Jesus Christ, became free men, and established here a free state. Now we find ourselves in a time of crisis. A strange, sad bewilderment and confusion disturbs and agitates the

The General and an Ex-GI Agree U. S. Savings Bonds Back the Future of Vets



For Ray Augustus, Treasury Department employee who signed up for America's greatest home front army—the payroll savers, on his return to civilian life, this meeting with General Dwight D. Eisenhower was a soldier's dream come true. The Army's Chief of Staff reassured the ex-private, who served under his command in the victorious assault on Germany, that the peacetime dreams of all ex-servicemen can become realities if they remember their war training. "Prepare, prepare, prepare. This was the GI's life in wartime," says Eisenhower who urges his former soldiers to prepare for their peacetime future by saving part of their income on U. S. Savings Bonds.

By **GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER**
Chief of Staff, U. S. Army

Millions of American fighting men upon return to civilian life have discovered that allotment of part of current income for investment in United States Savings Bonds has become a vital element in family life.

During their military service they were made familiar with war bonds as a force for their personal good.

In a campaign on the battlefield, victory may depend upon how ably an army and its individual members conserve their strength and supplies for vital moments. Attainment of goals in civilian life also depends upon proper husbanding and safeguarding of an individual's resources.

The former serviceman who looks forward to a home or business of his own, education for his children, or even indulgence in a hobby can best work toward these

ends by remembering his war training. Prepare, prepare, prepare—this was his life during wartime. The efficiency of his own preparations was the greatest ingredient of our victory over the Axis nations.

The ex-soldier is fortunate to find that the Treasury Department with the cooperation of business, industry, banks and post offices is continuing the sale of savings bonds. Thus he will have the opportunity to prepare for future commitments or temporary personal emergencies by saving some of his current income in the form of bonds, which grow in value the longer he holds them.

While obviously it is not my prerogative to tell our veterans how to conduct their lives after their release from the Army, nevertheless, my continuing interest in their welfare impels me to urge that they give serious consideration to the advantages offered by United States Savings Bonds.

U. S. Treasury Department

minds of our people.

There are exponents of various philosophies and ideologies rising up to tell us that they have the answer. They say Christianity has existed for nearly 2,000 years and that it has not accomplished anything. They state that the time has arrived to dispense with Christianity and adopt their method. All I have to say to that is that it did not take 2,000 years to show that their methods will not accomplish anything, except trouble and confusion.

Therefore, we must reassert and reaffirm our faith, neither to the doctrines of the right nor to the doctrines of the left, but to the center of the main high road, the

Kingdom of God idea which lies in the heart of the New Testament. There never has been any political party; there never has been any political program of any sort that has even remotely compared with Christianity. Christianity does not descend to any one of them. It rises above them all. That is the position that must be taken in this day and age.

There are some small-minded people who have the idea that to be a Christian today, one must lean away over to the left or to the right; either to take Communism on the one hand, or something else on the other. For the life of me, I have never been able to understand how any man who regards himself as a leader of the Christian Church, can attempt to so depreciate the teachings of Jesus as to try to get them into the thinking of Karl Marx or of some Fascist. Those puny little fellows, compared to the colossal mind of Jesus Christ, pale into mere insignificance.

Who then shall save America? There was a time when I had some faith in the politicians and I still believe they can do a great deal, but there is just one person who can save America. He is the man who Sunday after Sunday sits in the pew of the Christian Church, absorbs the message and does his utmost to practice it in his daily life.

One of the greatest institutions in America is the pew in the Church. The most distinguished and honorable men in our history have sat in the pew and counted it an honor to do so. No man has ever been elected President of the United States who did not consider it a great privilege to sit

in the pew. All of our great leaders have been men who have found their inspiration in the pew.

And worshipping with these leaders were those of the more humble walks of life. Rich and poor, exalted and lowly, all were in the pew each Sabbath Day seeking Divine Guidance. These men and women in the pew made America. We Americans can save America by returning to the pew, there to gather strength and courage such as enabled our forefathers to build this great nation.

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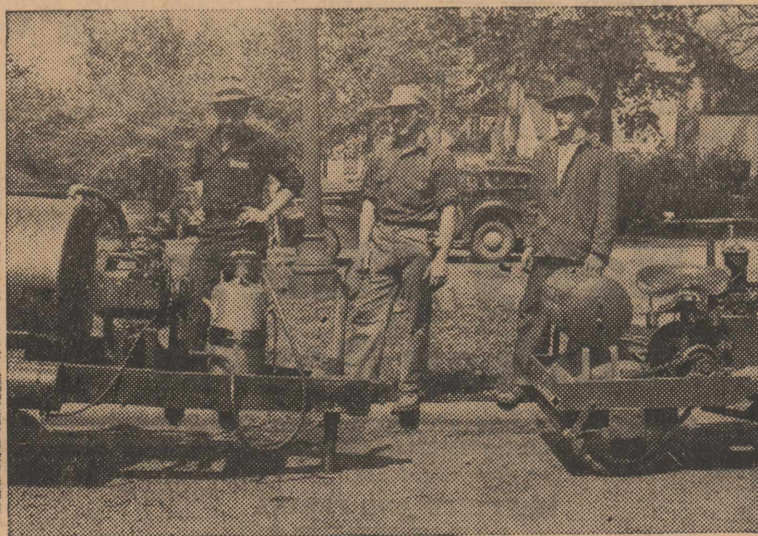


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Local News

Mrs. Sarah Highley brought her sister, Mrs. Ethel Skillin, and son, Jimmie, home this week. Mrs. Skillin has been ill in a Lubbock hospital.

Misses Patricia Grimes, Arline Grimes, and Marijo Brown were visitors in Dalhart Sunday.

Rev. S. M. Williams, Mt. Vernon, Texas was here last week looking after his wheat interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Moseley left Thursday of last week for their home in Atlanta, Georgia after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton.

A. P. Gibson, Amarillo, was here

Tuesday in the interest of the campaign of Boyce House for Lieutenant Governor.

Mrs. I. D. Divine, Texhoma, visited friends here Tuesday.

Roy Judd, San Fernando, California is here visiting relatives and friends.

E. L. Forrest, Slaton, Texas, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

C. W. Reynolds, Amarillo, is here for a visit with his son, Ted Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Arnold spent the week end as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Arnold of Bushland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duby and Shela

left Sunday for a trip to Denver and other points in Colorado.

Mrs. Curt Adams and two children of Hobart, Oklahoma are here visiting in the homes of her brothers, Ralph and Wayne Harding.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dyess and children were visitors in Dalhart Sunday.

William Martin, Houston is here for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Martin.

Mrs. Mary Holt, Mrs. H. M. Brown, Mrs. Mynola Ross, and Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross and daughter were visitors in Dalhart Sunday afternoon.

S. L. Cunningham and son, Lt. Elmo E. Cunningham, arrived Saturday from Tulsa, Oklahoma, where the funeral was conducted June 20, for Mrs. Elmo Cunningham who was drowned while the young couple were honeymooning in Salisbury Mills, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozie Green and son, Amarillo, visited in Stratford Sunday with his mother, Mrs. M. B. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Denney were visitors in Borger and Pampa Sunday.

Van B. Boston was an Amarillo visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Steel returned Sunday from Weatherford where they attended the birthday celebration of A. L. Steel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vincent and Henry Yates, Texhoma, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. Harley Alexander in Gruver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Steinberger, Canon City, Colorado, are visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings this week.

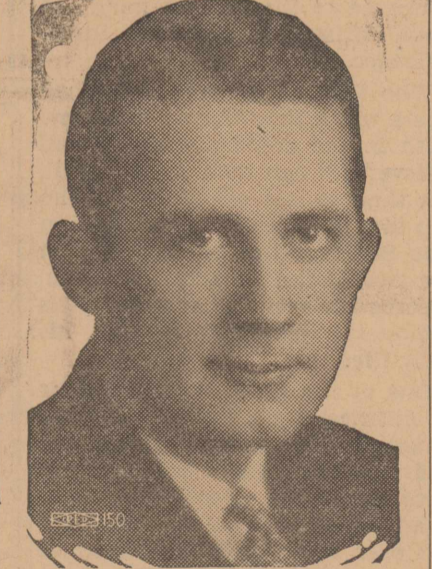
Miss Vendell Guthrie and Mrs. Leon Guthrie were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mansfield, Ottawa, Kansas, are here looking after wheat interests and visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elliott.

Miss Fern Cunningham arrived home Monday from Canyon where she has been attending West Texas State College. After a summer vacation at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cunningham, she plans to re-enter school there next fall.

Ernest Lovelace and Chester Plunk were business visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.

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J. S. Hall and daughters, Misses Myrtle and Alma Hall, Hedley, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Mullins over the week end.

Miss Ermalee Bonar and Bill Skillman met Miss Kathryn Bonar in Amarillo Tuesday. She was returning from the University of Texas in Austin to spend the summer here.

Bill Skillman, Wichita, Kansas, is visiting in the home of Mrs. C. R. Bonar as a guest of her daughter, Miss Ermalee.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pickens and son, Rickie, were in Miami, Texas Thursday and Friday of last week to attend funeral services for Mr. Pickens' father, who passed away Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. S. L. Cunningham, and son, Lieut. Elmo Cunningham, Mrs. Frank Mehner, Mrs. Arthur Ross and Gene Ross attended the XIT rodeo Monday in Dalhart.

Mrs. N. S. Lawler, Mercedes, Texas, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kelley.

Graydon Gamble visited with his family in Mercedes, Texas last week and brought home his daughter, Cynthia, for a visit in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. W. R. Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Pendleton returned home Wednesday night of last week from a trip to Colorado.

Mike Sullivan returned to his home in Elk City, Oklahoma Tuesday after a weeks visit here with relatives.

Mrs. Russell Kelp and Mrs. Charles Cameron were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dietrich and son, Edwin, Colorado Springs, Colorado, and Miss Ineva Headrick, Amarillo, will spend the week end as guests in the home of Mrs. Agnes Foster.

Tom Pugh and daughter, Mildred Sangster, Texhoma, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oris K. Gamble, Clapham, New Mexico, were here last week for a visit with his mother, Mrs. W. R. Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. Hose Flores and daughter, Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger, Jr. and Miss Florence Alexander were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
TO: Henry A. Alexander, Defendant, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Sherman County at the Court House thereof, in Stratford, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 17th day of June A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 12th day of June A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 1081 on the docket of said court and styled Nellie Sims Alexander, Plaintiff, vs. Henry A. Alexander, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:
Action to dissolve marriage bonds between plaintiff and defendant, and for custody of children, based on drunkenness and threats injuring health of plaintiff by defendant, and abandonment of plaintiff by defendant for more than two (2) years, as is more fully shown in Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Stratford, Texas, this the 17th day of June A. D. 1946.

Attest:
LELAH BONEY,
Clerk Court, Sherman County, Texas.
37-4tc

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Alexander and Mrs. H. L. Vincent, Gruver, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price were visitors in Amarillo Wednesday.

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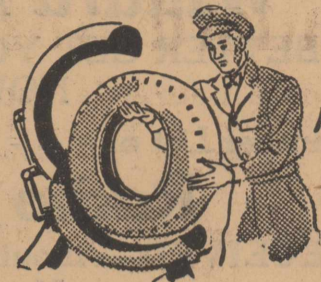
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LOCAL NEWS

Dick Diehl and Mike Sullivan were in Dalhart Monday to attend the XIT celebration.

Horace Small, El Paso, was in Stratford on business Friday.

Spurlock News

There were sixteen at Sunday

School Sunday.

Clare Foreman of Plainview was a visitor at Sunday School Sunday.

Miss Ruby Lea Sweeny spent last week end with Alene Eastman of Stratford. She attended a friend's wedding in Dalhart Sunday.

Ned Miller of Slaton, Texas has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Lacy Fedric, Mr. Fedric and children. Mrs. Betty Miller will return to her

home with him. She has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fedric for several weeks.

Guy Sweny is reported to be doing better in the clinic at Halstead, Kansas. He does not know when he will be able to come home.

Beverly Reynolds of Sunray has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Alvin Spurlock, and family. this week.

I Give You Texas

(By Boyce House)

The wind is one of the outstanding characteristics of our Southwest. Here is a poem by Nina Green Copenhaver of Dallas:

Oh, wind, why do you sigh and moan—
Why wail among the trees?
Why do you grieve, why do you groan,
Why cry among the leaves?
Have you sometime done some great wrong?
Why do you sorrow here?
Why love, compassion in your song
With just a hint of tear?

Oh, wind, where have you been today?
Where spent your yesterdays?
Have you been fanning new-mown hay
Or rippling quiet bays?
Have you flown over prairies bare
Or over desert sands
Or have you precious time to spare
In far-off, distant lands?

Oh, wind, why autumn's leaves amass?
Why drift the winter's snows?
Why scamper 'neath the spring's fresh grass?
Why kiss the summer's rose?
Why do you howl in norther's blast?
Why gently blow with rain?
Why fierce with hail, dark clouds o'ercast?
Why calmer grow again?

Oh, wind, why cool the fevered cheek?
Why humming all the while?
Why lull the weary to their sleep?
Why make the lonely smile?
Why are you always on the wing?
And by whom are you led?
Why is it that you always sing
Where sweetly sleep our dead?

Oh wind, wind, don't you ever rest
And don't you weary grow?
Are you, like all the world, distressed?
And will you ever blow?
The troubled, sorrowing hearts to heal
To comfort those in death?
We can not see your form but feel,
Oh, wind, you are God's breath.

Traffic Deaths Mount During '46

Traffic deaths in Texas during the first five months of the year mounted to 708. During January 36 traffic accidents in cities caused 38 deaths; 12 accidents in towns caused 13 deaths; 69 traffic accidents on highways caused 99 deaths; 16 accidents on county roads caused 22 deaths; bringing the total for the month of January to 163 deaths.

During February the Texas traffic toll dropped to 140. Thirty-nine accidents in cities with 40 deaths; 9 accidents in towns with 9 deaths; 73 accidents on highways with 76 deaths; 13 accidents on county roads with 15 deaths.

During March the traffic death toll rose to 150. 36 city accidents took 37 lives; 14 town accidents caused 16 deaths; 69 highway accidents caused 84 deaths; 12 county road accidents caused 13 deaths. There were 147 traffic deaths during April. Of these, 36 city accidents caused 37 deaths, 11 town accidents caused 16 deaths; 66 highway accidents caused 76 deaths; 16 county road accidents caused 18 deaths.

Traffic deaths in the state dropped to 108 during May. The 18 city accidents cost 19 lives; 4 town accidents took 4 lives; 62 highway accidents took 74 lives; 11 county road accidents took 11 lives.

Basement Considerations

Whether to build a basement, a question architects have debated for years, is a primary problem the family now planning a new home must decide. M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer for the A. and M. College Extension Service, has summed up some arguments on both sides for the information of the prospective home builder.

Those in favor of a basement point out that besides providing space for a central heating plant and fuel storage, more effective heating often is obtained when the unit is located below the house level. A basement provides space for storage, workshop, recreation and laundry that might be diffi-

cult to locate elsewhere in the house. In cold climates where the foundation must go deep into the ground, to get below the frost-line, the cost of the basement is partly paid for anyway.

The fact that many of the newer heating systems do not need to be below the first floor to function well is one of the arguments against a basement. Another is that workshops, laundries and recreation rooms are more satisfactory above ground where they have better light and ventilation and are more convenient to reach. Also, basements are often too damp for good storage of many articles. Proper insulation will be as effective as below ground heating. A basement means carrying loads up an downstairs, adding to the strain of housekeeping.

Mr. Bentley says that where frost is not a serious problem, economical, durable buildings without basements may be built on concrete slabs for foundation and floors, although such floors are not so comfortable as wood floors. A good basement costs money to build, but brings greater returns in comfort in a cold climate.

Pick A Pickle

Cucumbers are abundant this year, and homemakers who would like a few jars or more of cucumber pickles should begin shopping around now. Cucumbers for pickling should be firm, well-shaped, fresh and bright looking, with a solid green color. Withered or shriveled cucumbers should be passed by as their flesh is generally tough and somewhat bitter. Yellow tips are a good indication of age.

These tips in choosing good pickling cucumbers come from Gwendolyn Jones, specialist in food preservation for the A. and M. Col-

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lege Extension Service, who offers the following suggestions concerning the process of pickling.

The first job is to wash the pickles. Miss Jones says that cucumbers are best pickled not later than 24 hours after they have been gathered. So she advises having all quipment for washing and processing ready.

The right amount of salt is important, especially for dill pickles. In a brine too weak, pickles spoil, and in a brine too strong, they shrivel.

For those inexperienced in pickling, she suggests asking the local county home demonstration agent for a free copy of B-131 "Preservation of Vegetables by Salting and Pickling" or sending a request to the Extension Service, A. and M. College, College Station, Texas.

Inefficient Hens Must Be Culled

Any hens laying less than a dozen eggs a month is losing money for her owner, considering prevailing prices of feed and eggs. These inefficient hens should be culled from laying flocks, the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service is advising farm families and backyard poultry raisers of the state.

A hen consumes about five pounds per month even though she is not laying, so further reduction of laying flocks is being

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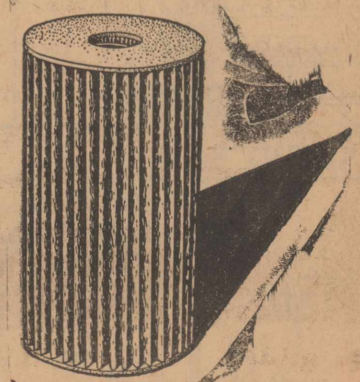
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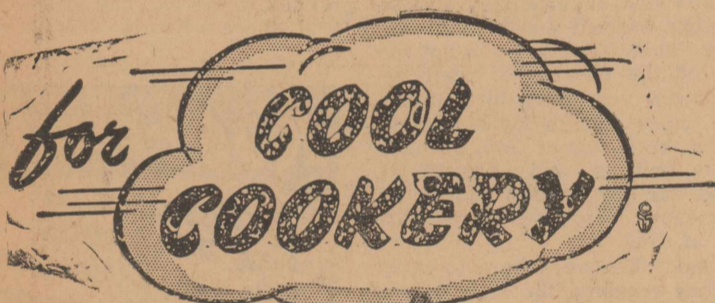
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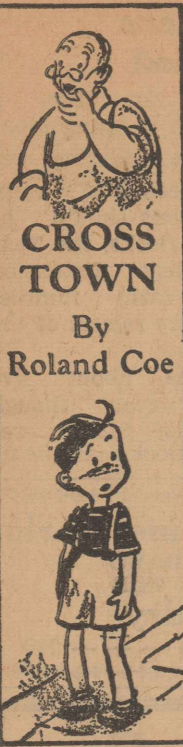
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Lesson for June 30

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JESUS' FRIENDS CARRY ON HIS WORK

LESSON TEXT—Mark 16:15, 16, 19, 20; Luke 24:45-49; Acts 2:46, 47; 5:42.
MEMORY SELECTION—Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.—Mark 16:15.

Friendship brings results. We respond to it with our own interest, and by our desire to bring others into its helpful circle of influence. Obviously, the man who knows the friendship of Jesus wants others to meet his Friend and know his love and power.

The disciples had seen the risen Lord, a privilege which carried with it the responsibility of declaring the good news of completed redemption to all the nations of the earth. We find them engaged in

I. Blessed Preaching (Mark 16: 15, 16, 19, 20).

The call and commission of the Lord before he was caught up into heaven was clear and definite. How glad we are that the disciples obeyed, went and preached, and had such blessed results.

The response of these early Christians was immediate and enthusiastic. Would that such a spirit had characterized the church through all the generations since then, and if it had, the commission would long since have been carried out. It has been estimated that if everyone in a church of two thousand were to win one soul a year, and each convert win one soul each year, the world would be evangelized in less than thirty-five years. Why not?

But while on the whole the church has failed, there have been valiant souls all down through its history who have given themselves to the business of preaching the gospel. With them, as with these of the first century, the secret is ever, "The Lord working with them."

II. Powerful Witnessing (Luke 24: 45-49).

The death and resurrection of Christ made possible the preaching of repentance and remission of sins, the message of redemption which was to go out to all nations through the disciples.

They were witnesses of these things, they spoke that which they knew and had experienced, and so their word carried weight and conviction. That, however, was not the secret of the success of their efforts; there was something more.

It is never enough for a man to speak of the things of God, no matter how brilliant and eloquent he may be, nor how certain he may be of his facts. He must have the power of God.

The early believers were to tarry until they received the Holy Spirit. We need only yield to him for he is present with every believer—the indwelling One—ready to empower and use us.

We need a real revival of the Holy Spirit power in the church, and we need it now. If the church as a whole will not yield to God, let us do so as individuals that we may be witnesses with power.

God is looking for men. He has always honored those who in faith have obeyed his command. The whole history of church and missionary endeavor bears eloquent testimony to that fact.

III. Glad Soul-Winning (Acts 2:46, 47; 5:42).

There are a number of things in this passage. There is the fine fellowship of the believers in the early church. We also note that they were regular in their attendance at the temple. They preached and taught both in the temple and at home. But the significant thing which we wish to note now is that it all resulted in the salvation of souls.

The Lord added to the church "day by day those that were saved," for such is the proper reading of verse 47. Day by day souls were won for Christ and added to the church. Why do we not have more churches of that kind today?

The church, which is so much the center of life for Christians, is not as well understood as it should be. We have come to regard it as just one organization among many competing for the attention and interest of men, when it is really a divine, living organism established by Christ as his body and representing him in this world.

The church is made up of those who are saved (v. 47), those who have received the word by faith and witnessed a good confession of their faith in Christ (v. 41). This is a fact to be remembered in a time when there is so much laxness in receiving members into the church. It is not a religious or social club. It is not a rallying place for those who wish to work for some economic, political, or social project. It is not a gathering of good people who wish to share common interests.

The church needs to cleanse its rolls of all unbelievers, all hangers-on, and to get back to the purity which it had when only those were received who were manifestly "added" by the Lord (v. 47).

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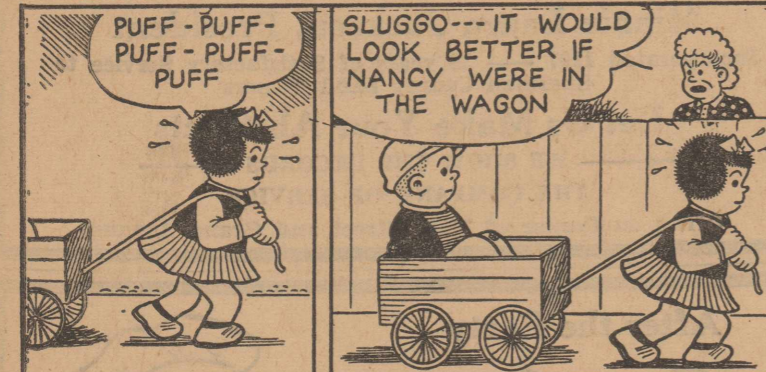
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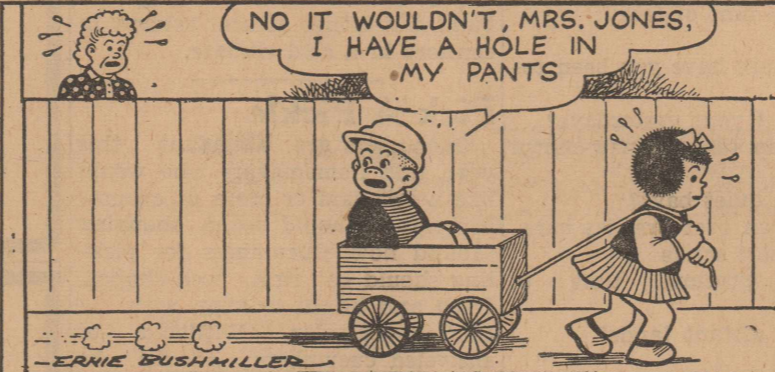
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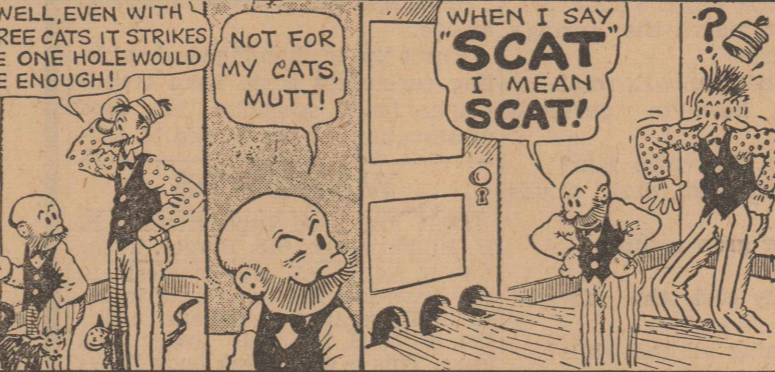
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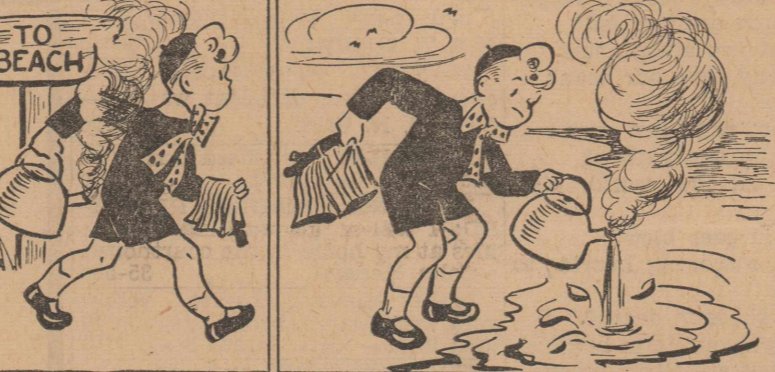
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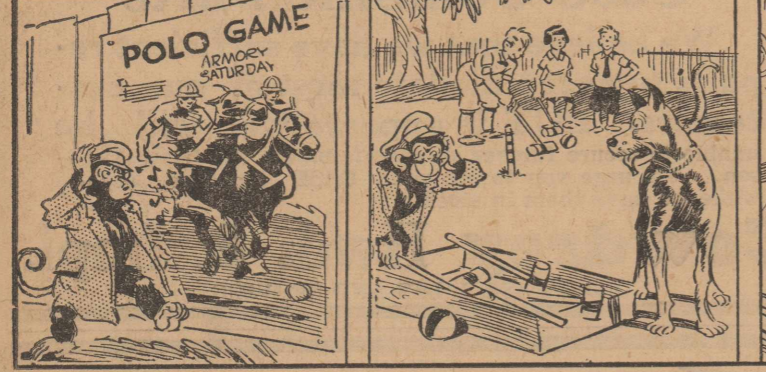
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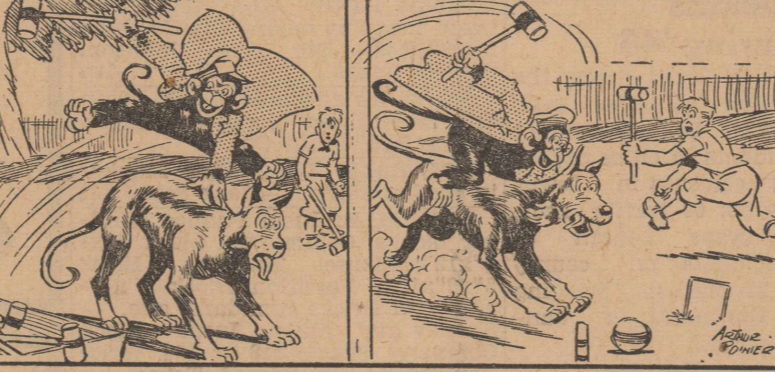
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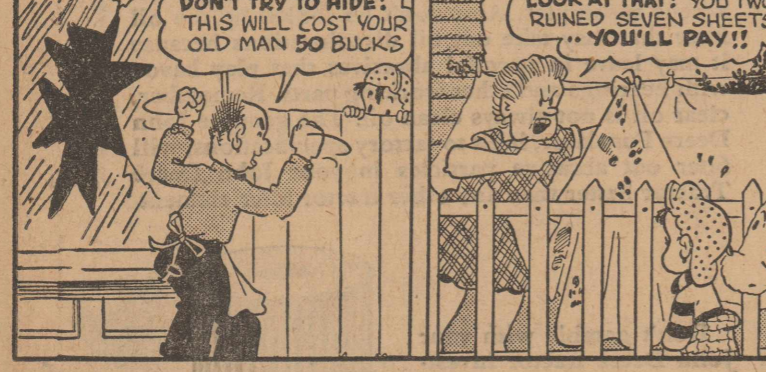
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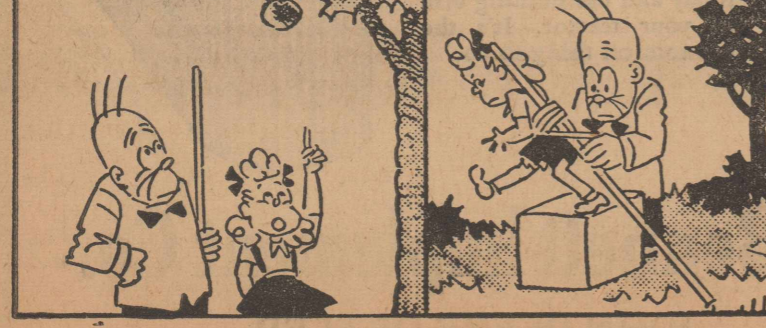
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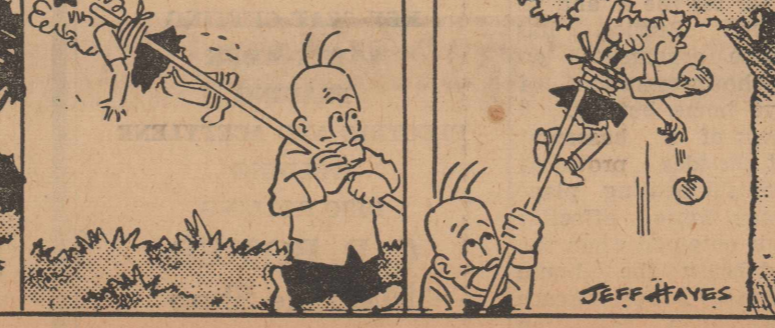
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Disabled Vets Producers

Disabled veterans on occupational therapy farms operated in connection with 31 veterans' administration neuropsychiatric hospitals will this year attempt to surpass their last year's record production of 9,857,000 pounds of foodstuffs valued at \$948,676.

The higher goal set for this year will aid in conserving other foods for feeding the hungry in Europe, but it will also furnish thousands of patients in VA hospitals with fresh vegetables, fruits, eggs, milk and meat. Although the agricultural activities on VA farms are operated primarily to provide beneficial therapy for patients, all of the food grown is used in hospital kitchens and none is wasted.

During the past year, more than 2,000 patients in the 31 VA hospitals spent a total of 2,263,000 man hours cultivating gardens and tending cattle, sheep, hogs and chickens. They provided the dietetic departments of the hospitals with a total of thousands of pounds of badly-needed food products.

The largest farm is at Chillicothe, Ohio, where 1,444 acres is devoted to truck gardening, wheat and barley crops and pasture for dairy herds.

Questions and Answers

Q. My husband was killed in action on Luzon and I have had several tell me I may be entitled to get a loan to build a home under the G.I. bill of rights. Is this true? And if it is not, then I as one of the many widows of this war think we should be able to. I have three children and have to pay \$48 per month for rent which I could be putting into my own home.—Mrs. S. M. S., Littlefield, Texas.

A. As a widow you are not entitled to loan privileges under the G.I. bill. You are, however, entitled to (1) all your husband's back pay, plus a gift of six months pay from the army, (2) a pension for life for yourself and a pension for each of your three children until they are of age. Unless you have already done so, you should make application immediately for back pay allowances to claims division, general accounting office, office of special settlement accounts, 27 Pine street, New York 5, New York. For your pension write all details or visit personally your nearest Veterans' administration hospital or office at Amarillo or Wichita Falls.

Q. My husband has been in service 16 months, 5 months in the states and overseas 11 months. We have one child. What I want to know is does he get two points for the 11 months overseas. Do they get two points a month now?—Mrs. F. C. T., Marshall, N. C.

A. He receives one point a month for each month of service and an additional point for each month overseas, up to September 2, 1945.

Q. My husband has been in service 18 months and overseas 10 months. He has 42 points. All the boys who went with him have already come back. If my husband is still in the hospital, he has been there over 3 months. Do you think he will get home soon?—Mrs. O. C., Tishomingo, Miss.

A. I have no way of knowing how long he will be in the hospital. If he has 40 points, he should be home by June 30, 1946, unless he is detained for some other cause.

Q. I am a widow with four children, my husband died in 1916 during World War I. His death was not connected with the war. I have reared my children from the time of his death until now, 30 years, without an income of any kind. He died before he was enlisted in World War I. Am I entitled to a widow's pension?—Mrs. K. M. C., Union Church, Miss.

A. No, since your husband was never in the army, you are not entitled to a veteran's pension.

Q. My husband was discharged from the army November 21, 1945. He had a war bond coming at that time and hasn't received it as yet. Where should I write to find out about this?—Mrs. J. L. C., Lewisport, Ky.

A. Write to war bond division, U. S. Army, 4300 Goodfellow Blvd., St. Louis 20, Mo.

Q. My husband was drafted into the army in August, 1944. He landed in India in August, 1945, and is still there, not expecting to be home any time soon. How many points does he have?—Mrs. M. D. P., Blue Springs, Miss.

A. As of September 2, 1945, your husband had 13 months' service, or 13 points, plus 1 month overseas or an additional point. If he has no children and no decoration or battle stars, he then has 14 points. No, he will not continue to earn points after September 2, 1945, the army now considering length of service.

Q. I am the mother of a service-

Portlight
GRANTLAND RICE

IT WILL be interesting to note what will happen when baseball returns to a more normal way of life. We took up this somewhat twisted matter with Bill Dickey, the Yankees' new manager.



Bill Dickey

"This has been one of the strangest seasons I've ever run across," the loose-jointed "Arkansas Traveler" said. "Suppose, for example, we had known back in Florida during our training season that the Yankees were going to get good pitching. That was supposed to be our weakest spot because so many of our men were troubled with bad arms. We would have been picked as one of the surest things of the year, rated well in front.

"But suppose we had known that after six weeks of play our team batting would be around .240 with such fine hitters as DiMaggio and most of the others hitting below .260. Then, we would have been picked far down the list. Hard hitting has been the Yankees' main factor in winning ball games, but as a team we haven't been hitting a half lick."

"You don't think this hitting weakness will last?" we asked. "I certainly don't," Bill said. "No pitchers are going to keep such hard hitters as DiMaggio, Keller—who has been our best—Stirnweiss, Etten, Lindell, Henrich, Gordon and the others bottled up much longer. Those fellows can hit. They are naturals. I happen to know that Joe DiMaggio was banking on this season being his best year. I've never seen any one work harder, or try harder or train harder. His fielding and his home-run hitting have been exceptional. I don't believe this slump in hitting can last.

Dickey and the Red Sox

We asked Manager Dickey what he thought of the Red Sox and the chance the Yankees and other American League clubs had of closing the gap.

"I'll tell you exactly what I think of the Red Sox," Bill said. "I never like to underestimate an opponent. In my opinion, they have a first-class manager in Joe Cronin, who failed in the past because the winning material wasn't there. Cronin isn't going to lose any pennant for his club. Joe will do his share."

"The Red Sox have the strongest team they ever have shown. They have a fine infield and a strong outfield. They have had the hitting and the pitching—and I honestly think that so far they have out-hustled the rest of us.

"In Pesky and Doerr, the Red Sox have a great mid-infield combination, both on offense and defense. Pesky today is a greatly improved ballplayer. He means a lot to that club. Cronin certainly has a much stronger pitching staff than anyone looked for last March—Hughson, Harris, Ferriss and Dobson are about as good as any manager could ask for.

"This doesn't mean," Dickey said with a grin, "that I am picking the Red Sox to win the pennant. I think we can catch them, but I know we can't wait too long. They are too good to be given any big lead, and I believe the Yankees are just beginning to realize this. They have been strong on both offense and defense and they've fine spirit.

"What about the rest of the league so far?" we asked. "You can't overlook Washington," he said. "This is a good, steady, consistent club all along the line. You also will see Detroit get much better pitching than the Tigers have known thus far. Their pitching has been like the Yankees' hitting—too far below normal to remain that way. When their pitching gets as hot as it can get, and they begin to hit nearer their stride, you'll see a big change."

Dickey, who has the full support of Larry MacPhail, and who has enjoyed so many years of training under Joe McCarthy—the manager Bill ranks far above all others in baseball—is giving everything he has to the job of making good. With a cool head and a stout heart with which to work, he doesn't expect to pick up all the needed managerial details in a few days or in a few weeks.

Bill has the complete affection and respect of his players, and it is my opinion that he will make few mistakes in directing up to the hilt the material he has at hand. Like other great catcher-managers—Bill Carrigan and Mickey Cochrane, for example—he has been in the best spot to know what is going on, especially in the direction of a pitching staff that still is uncertain.

No one knows better than Larry MacPhail and Bill Dickey that the Yankees need one or two more ball-players to carry anything like an even chance to overtake Boston.

Washington MERRY-GO-ROUND
DREW PEARSON

SENATE MONSTROSITY

WASHINGTON. — Seldom has a senate committee been so loath to put its name to a piece of legislation as the senate banking and currency committee which finished sabotaging the price control bill recently. About all that was left of the bill was its name.

When it came to signing it, New York's Senator Wagner, chairman of the banking and currency committee, flatly refused. He pointed out, in a closed-door session, that he had opposed the emasculating amendments and would submit his own minority report.

Senator Taft, who did more than almost anyone to tear the bill to pieces, also hesitated. He said he had his own bill which he wanted to introduce.

Finally someone proposed that the senators' names be signed in a circle, so the public could not tell who signed first.

"It reminds me," said Kentucky's Alben Barkley, "of the young man who shot his mother and father, then appealed to the court for leniency on the grounds that he was an orphan."

NOTE—Finally, Senator Barkley agreed to report the gutted OPA bill to the senate, but accompanied by a stinging criticism of the way the OPA had been virtually destroyed.

PATIENT LAUNDRY LEW

Secretary of Labor "Laundry Lew" Schwollenbach is a patient man. He learned the virtue of patience as a Spokane laundryman when he had to handle customers' complaints about frayed collars and lost shirts. Patient as he is, Lew has had a tough time with his boss in the White House during the maritime strike negotiations.

Shortly after the talks began, Schwollenbach called on the unions, the shipping people, and government officials to say nothing which would arouse feelings and imperil the negotiations. The very next morning, however, Lew's boss in the White House did exactly the opposite by announcing plans to use the navy to break the strike. This, of course, put the ship owners in a favored position. They were no longer under any compulsion to settle before the strike deadline. When patient Laundry Lew heard this, even he hit the ceiling.

Then the navy announced, with White House backing, that it was calling on its reserves and volunteers to break the strike. Again this played into the ship owners' hands; again the secretary of labor was upset.

Finally, he sent Assistant Sec. of Labor John Gibson to the White House with a personal appeal to the President to refrain from prejudicing the negotiations. Truman agreed, issued a statement saying the government hoped for settlement, did not want to be put in the position of breaking the strike.

CABINET CONFIRMATIONS

American history shows that Presidents of the United States have had more difficulty with senate confirmation of the secretary of the treasury than any other cabinet post. In all, 10 different votes have been cast by the senate defeating confirmation of cabinet members.

The first of these was Andrew Jackson's fight to appoint Roger B. Taney as secretary of the treasury. Jackson was defeated.

Second senate battle was President Tyler's attempt to appoint Caleb Cushing as secretary of the treasury. Tyler forced three different votes in the senate to confirm Cushing, but lost each time by large majorities. Tyler also had trouble appointing David Henshaw as secretary of the navy, and James M. Porter as secretary of war.

The next senate fight over cabinet confirmation occurred in the administration of Andrew Johnson, when he attempted to appoint Henry Stanbery, as attorney general, but was defeated.

Calvin Coolidge also lost a fight to appoint Charles B. Warren as attorney general.

The first vote on Warren was the famous occasion when Vice Pres. Charles Dawes failed to be present. His excuse was that he was napping and his alarm clock failed to go off. However, Coolidge, who never got along with Dawes, always suspected that his vice president wanted to avoid being put on the spot by a tie vote, which he, as presiding officer, would have had to break.

CAPITAL CHAFF

Six-foot, eight-inch high governor-elect Jim Folsom of Alabama is going to be a political force to be reckoned with. He has six months to plan his strategy before taking office, and one move he will make is to spend one month in Atlanta as a guest of Georgia's hard hitting Gov. Ellis Arnall. Folsom will study Arnall's liberal administration from A to Z in order to profit from his experience. . . . Folsom was a leading Henry Wallace delegate at the 1944 convention.

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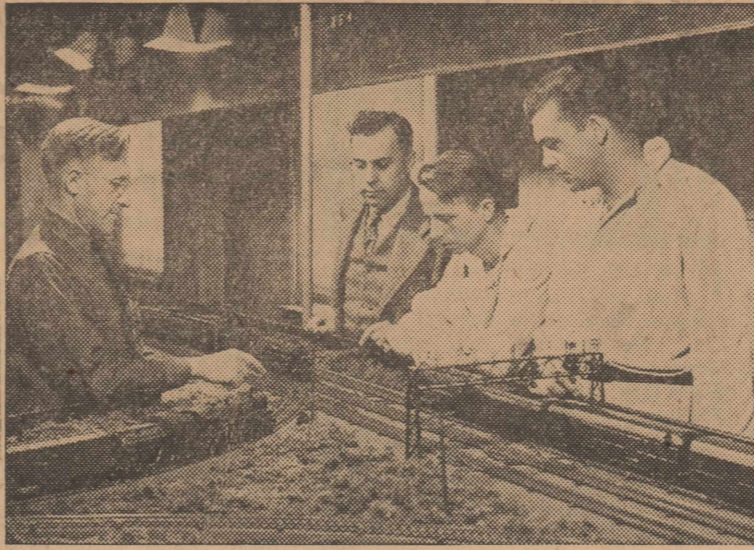
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The American Way

Like So Many Robots
(By George Peck)
One hundred and sixteen years ago, Lord Thomas Babington MacCaulay, English historian, essayist and statesman, tersely summed up his conception of an ideal society. In an article which appeared in the Edinburg Review in

the year 1830, MacCaulay said: "Our rulers will best promote the improvement of the people by strictly confining themselves to their own legitimate duties; by leaving capital to find its most lucrative course, commodities their fair price, industry and intelligence their natural reward, idleness and folly their natural punish-

VETS LEARN RAILROADING



Veterans Administration Photograph.

Any kid—up to 85 years old—would like to have this miniature railroad, now touring eastern Veterans Administration hospitals: A representative of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, which owns the display, points out an automatic signal block to patients of a Dayton, Ohio, VA Hospital.

ment; by maintaining peace, by defending property, by diminishing the price of law, and by observing strict economy in every department of the state. Let the government do this, the people will assuredly do the rest."

That MacCaulay statement most aptly describes the kind of government set up here in America by the Founding Fathers. We did pretty

well in abiding by this formula for a century and a half. Then a few years ago something slipped; we began to abandon it bit by bit.

MacCaulay said, "Our rulers will best promote the improvement of the people by strictly confining themselves to their own legitimate duties." Ask yourself if that is true of our national government today. Honestly will compel you to answer that the Administration and Congress are not confining themselves strictly to the duties as stipulated by our Constitution and the Bill of Rights.

MacCaulay said that government should leave "capital to find its most lucrative course." Most certainly that does not apply today in the United States. On the contrary, the various government bureaus are working day and night to discourage the flow of capital into legitimate enterprise.

MacCaulay said that commodities should be left to find "their fair price." Today, we have chaos caused by OPA not allowing commodities to find "their fair price." We helplessly look on while OPA unsuccessfully flaunts nature and the law of supply and demand, the net result of which is that black markets have been built up in practically every commodity and necessity.

MacCaulay said that industry and intelligence should be left to find "their natural reward," and "idleness and folly their natural punishment." Is this true in America today? No. On the one hand, we find a concerted drive on the part of the bureaucrats to destroy all incentive to the individual to exercise initiative and thrift. On the other hand, we find no penalties for idleness and folly, unemployment benefits being paid to idle strikers who foolishly walk off their jobs.

MacCaulay said that government can best serve the people "by observing strict economy in every department of state." Today to cite just one of the many examples of governmental waste, we have hundreds of thousands of government employees whose services are not needed, who eat at the public trough, further increasing the burden of the already sorely-tried taxpayers.

MacCaulay were he alive today, would be nonplused at the spectacle of a once free proud and liberty-loving people abandoning the precepts and ideologies that enabled our forebears to build the greatest and finest human society the world has ever known. Almost would he be inclined to retract, insofar as America is concerned, what he wrote, also in 1830 in his Southey's Colloquies:

"Nothing is so galling to a people, not broken in from the birth, as a paternal or, in other words, a meddling government which tells them what to read and say and eat and drink and wear."

When will this nation awaken to what is happening to it? Or are we irrevocably resigned to having an all powerful, paternalistic government regiment us like so many robots?

Liberal Couple

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