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Shall Courage Be Wasted?

It is a shameful thing to have to report that some people snickered a little when Paul Satko's "ark" was halted by Seattle authorities as he was about to sail for Alaska.

Courage and determination and the unshatterable dream of a better future in a new land are never things to laugh at.

Satko's story is an epic of courage that should make the snickerers feel humble and ashamed. It is a fountain of inspiration and hope to see such determined bravery in our time.

Satko was unemployed in Richmond, Va. Using odds and ends as material, he built a strange-looking "ark," an amateurish and flimsy 40-foot boat. He loaded it on a trailer and hauled it all the way across the country to Tacoma, Wash. He supported himself and his brood of children by doing odd jobs.

For six months at Tacoma he prepared for the journey to Alaska. He worked at what he could get. He worked at his boat.

Gradually he equipped it in makeshift fashion for a 1500-mile voyage—a voyage by a landsman in a homemade boat through unknown waters, with no guide but a vision of a new land where he might hew out a future for himself and seven children.

Authorities stopped him at Seattle. The boat wasn't strong enough, hadn't enough power. The children wouldn't be safe.

No doubt they are right. But can the United States afford to see Paul Satko thwarted? Is this kind of courage so common that it can be cast aside?

How safe were the western pioneers when they pushed off for the west in clumsy wagons, facing hostile Indians, and brutal blizzards, and starvation? "Pike's Peak or Bust!" read the scrawled slogans on the Conestoga wagons, and whitening bones along the trails testified that many fell short. Yet the west was won.

Without attempting to judge between Satko and those who are holding him up at the moment, there is something there on the Seattle docks that must not be wasted. It is courage and determination and initiative, and it must not be frustrated.

Alaska needs men like Paul Satko, and the United States needs them, and the world!

Never Too Old

Probably the most unusual dance establishments in the country are the "Friendship Clubs" in Minneapolis and Milwaukee, conducted exclusively for people between 28 and 120. Hostesses are 55 and 65 years old, and the dances are liquorless and jitterless. "Whistle dances" are featured so that the old folks can get acquainted—the sort of thing that used to be called, we believe, the "Paul Jones."

Now here we are, all worried about jitterbugging and rug-cutting by the young folks, when it develops that the older folks retain their itch for, if not actually cutting rugs, at least mangling them.

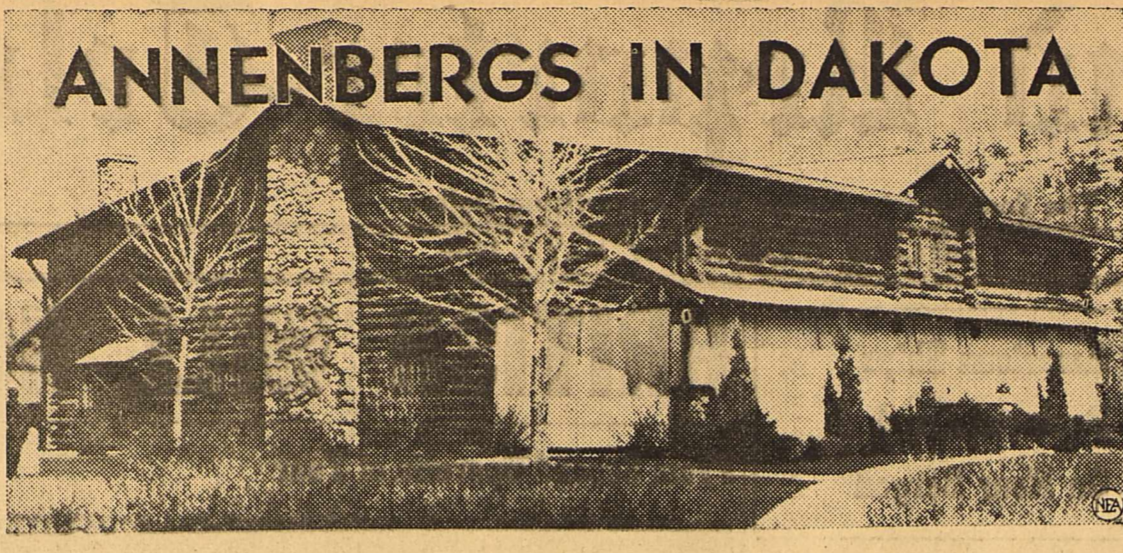
And why not? With every statistic showing clearly that we're all living longer, we might as well arrange to have fun longer, too.

Distinction Without Difference

Probably this time of ours will stand out above all others for its hypocrisy. We like to invent little locutions to make the unpleasant taste more palatable. Thus in the war news you can almost always interpret "a strategic retirement to previously prepared positions" as "a good licking."

But the Germans, with their "protective custody" for internment or imprisonment, and "protective occupation" for invasion, bid fair to carry off the palm. A German admiral, one Lutzow, has reached the apex in saying of the Narvik naval battle that "The enemy did not succeed in winning the fight against these destroyers and in destroying them." Lutzow explains that before any such misfortune could happen, the crews scuttled the ships.

This is one of the finest examples we have ever seen of a distinction without a difference.



The lodge at Ranch A boarded up now—and probably for the whole summer.

ANNENBERGS IN DAKOTA

Moe and His Family Make Quite a Splurge . . . Black Hills Folks May Miss Them This Summer, But Not Their Trout Fishing Technique

BY JOE KOLLER
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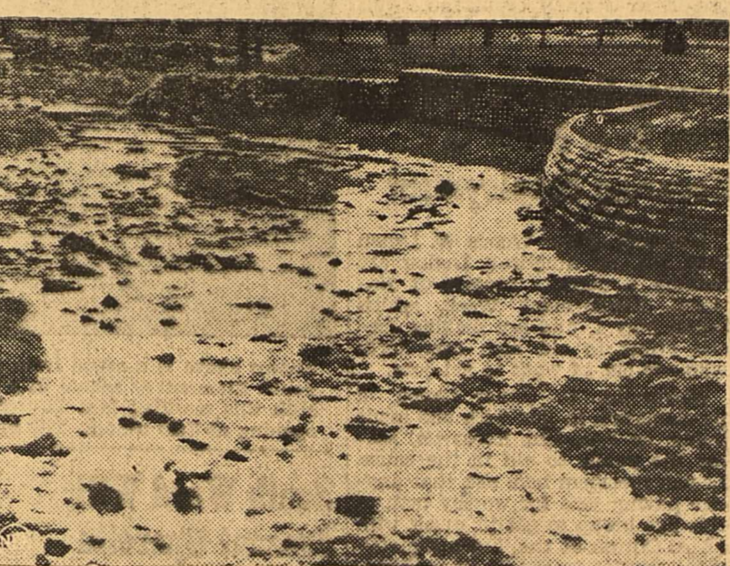
BELLE FOURCHE, S. D.—Folks out here in the Black Hills aren't sure whether they're glad or mad about the news that Moe Annenberg has pleaded guilty in Chicago to income tax evasion, and so probably won't be visiting here this summer.

The millionaire Philadelphia and racing news publisher is a sort of neighbor here, where he owns Ranch A, a \$300,000 summer lodge, and worals some of the best trout streams for his private fishing.

He rolled into quiet little Belle Fourche, once the greatest cattle shipping point in the world, one afternoon back in 1932. He was NEWS here and the boys practically spread out a red carpet for him to drive in on.

The publisher said he had eaten a mess of trout in a small cafe and wanted to know where they were caught. They were caught in Sand Creek, a tiny stream running out of the Black Hills just across the state line near Beulah, Wyo. Annenberg said he wanted more of 'em.

He got 'em. The Annenbergs agents swung into action and first thing the folks of Belle Fourche and Spearfish and surrounding towns knew they had a neighbor up on Sand Creek. "M. L." came



The trout stream that Moe cleaned up so he wouldn't snag his hook.

Annenberg had cleaned up the trout stream running through his place, combed Sand Creek for moss and snags, shaved the banks of underbrush. You couldn't snag a hook.

And you couldn't snag a fish. A lot of complaints started about Annenberg ruining the fishing for the rest of the people on Sand Creek.

Nothing was done about it, but the glamor began to wear thin right there.

The publisher spent a few weeks at Ranch A when it was finished. The first summer he put in a teletype to keep up with his business. The next summer he took it out.

He got up at 6:30, had breakfast at 7, generally alone. Then, wearing baggy knickers, a cotton shirt and a battered hat, the millionaire would gather up his expensive fishing equipment and hit for the clean-shaven stream.

His family came out but the daughters didn't like the place and never came back after the first summer. His son Walter had his

picture taken in cowboy togs. After the heat got on Annenberg he stopped all pictures, brought up everything he thought had been taken in, except the shot of Walter.

ALL COMFORTS OF HOME
The publisher had a few guests, including his summer physician, Dr. Lyle Hare of Spearfish. He gave the doctor and his family an all-expense trip to New York by air to see a Joe Louis bout and the fair.

Annenberg liked to sit around the kitchen at Ranch A and kid his favorite cook, Rose Baba, who flew out from New York with him.

Ranch A is in charge of a caretaker now. There is also a gardener, and a groom. The groom looks after 15 horses and a flock of young ducks. Annenberg is fond of roast duck. The estate also has a deer, elk and antelope. The antelope are so tame they'll drink milk out of a bottle.

In fact, everything is pretty tame right now at Ranch A.



Walter Annenberg posing as a western hombre all set for trouble.

down to the commercial club one day and made a speech and the thing looked good for the tourist business.

CAN'T DO THAT ON SAND CREEK
AND then Annenberg started operations on his Ranch A. That was all right, too, till the fence went up, an 8-foot wire fence, with a guard at the gate and a lot of signs hung around. The signs said "Private. No Trespassing."

You can't do that on Sand Creek. The creek belongs to everybody.

Ranch A wasn't much of a ranch. In fact, it wasn't right to call it a ranch, out here where ranches run to 25,000 acres.

The publisher said he wanted a lodge. The lumbermen said you couldn't cut green logs and use 'em right away. But Annenberg was paying for it so they cut the logs and put up a beautiful place in record time. Afterward the logs shrank and had to be chinked up.

It was an attraction right away on Sand Creek; that is, if you could get in. A few people managed somehow. The lodge had eight bedroom suites with individual showers, a huge dining room, a pool room, and living room, etc. The living room walls were "westernized" with cowboy stuff.

MOE MOVES IN ON THE TROUT
THEN the fishing trouble started.



tions with his fishing tackle.

"There are so many new folks in Brady and McCulloch county," says "Sauce" in The Brady Standard. "It is actually getting embarrassing for some of us oldtimers. A life-long Brady citizen, born and raised here, aptly expressed it the other day. He said: 'If you speak to 'em when you don't know 'em, they are apt to think you are forward; if you don't speak to 'em when you should, they will certainly think you've gone high-hat.'"

How Many Saw It?
"Saturday night is my treat to show tickets for the commissioners' court," wrote Stuart Long in "The Long and the Short of It" in the Kermit Sun last week. "The show is 'The Grapes of Wrath.' So far I've had two acceptances." (Note—Kermit is in Winkler county where the commissioners' court barred the book from the library.)

"This is a very unusual spring, so say the local weather prognosticators," wrote "Sidewalk Chatter" in the Balmorhea Texan, "which prompts the question—did you ever see a usual spring?"

"Love and marriage and good business sense mix just about like gasoline and fire and water as a general rule," says "Sauce" in the Brady Standard. "Which is merely another way of saying that all marriages are not made in heaven, and love not infrequently flies out of the window when the wolf comes in the door."

"The Hell Box" in the Eden Echo says: As of this moment, the good Col. (E. O. Thompson, railroad commissioner) looks to be the best of the lot for governor, but unless he can rig up a good side-show we don't think he stands much chance of election for governor."

"There is a big crop of promising candidates springing up," says "On The Divide" of the Eldorado Success. "In fact, most of them will

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Maytime



Babson Says Russia Holds Winning Cards in the War

BY ROGER W. BABSON
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Financial Bureau

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 3.—World War II has just started. Up until the time Hitler embarked on his Scandinavian campaign, there was always the possibility of a settlement around the peace table. Now this last hope of avoiding hostilities has been sabotaged. The war may well be a long one. Certainly, I see no hope of peace this year. Furthermore, I strongly believe that Russia—not Italy—holds the winning cards in this gigantic war game.

You read in the papers that Italy will soon be in the war on the side of Germany, but in my talks with army officers and government officials of England, I learn they have no fear of Italy. These men recognize that the Germans are a wonderful people; they did not want to go to war against them. But they have no fear of the Italians. Besides, the Italians do not like the Germans, nor do they like to fight. Mussolini is now in a bad fix. He has a big army in Ethiopia. In order to keep his supply lines open to Ethiopia, he must go through the Suez Canal. This is absolutely controlled by France and England.

IL DUCE IN QUANDARY

If Italy should declare war on the Allies tonight, the Canal would be shut up tight tomorrow, and Italy's Ethiopian army would be on the spot. Of course, Il Duce could send another army to the Balkans and perhaps take Yugoslavia and Rumania. The British and French have over half a million men in the Near East with the idea of protecting the Balkans. If Italy went into the war to help Germany she could perhaps break through to the Black Sea, but she could never get to Allied Army. It would need only to withdraw into Turkey so that it could not be surrounded or penned up.

Moreover, Italy has a very vulnerable coast line. Practically all her big cities are on the coast while

promise anything.

Possible Nominations
"Our choice for the two best possible nominees for president," observes "The Babler" in the Sterling City News-Record. "Gordell Hull and Wendell Wilkie, and we bet they are not nominated."

"Sly Si Says" in the Sanderson Times: "A bunch of doctors met in Birmingham, Ala., a while back, and tried to figure out why men grow old before they die. Maybe it's because the majority of them don't live neighbors to Germany."

"Think it over, my friend," urges "The Wasp Nest" in the Heart O' Texas News, "and you'll better realize the tragedy that's being enacted in Europe's Scandinavian countries."

"Of the thousands of hairs on the human head, why is it a wife always picks on the one she finds on her husband's coat lapel?" asks "Milling Around" in the Elvin Enterprise.

"Government can make as big a mistake trying to regulate everything under the sun as it would without regulation of any kind," says the Fort Davis Dispatch.

Officers Examining Candidates for Air Pilot Positions

FORT SAM HOUSTON, May 3.—El Paso, Lubbock and Abilene, Texas, are the next stops for an Air Corps Board of officers from Barksdale Field, Louisiana, that is touring a large number of cities in the Eighth Corps Area for the purpose of examining qualified candidates for flying training at Randolph and Kelly Fields. The stop at Abilene will end the present tour of the board.

Two days will be spent at El Paso, May 7 and 8; three days at Lubbock, May 9, 10 and 11; and three days at Abilene, May 12, 13 and 14, during which time prospective applicants will be given a complete physical examination, and upon successful completion of this, they will be furnished application blanks for appointment as Flying Cadets in the United States Army Air Corps.

Lieutenant Colonel John B. Patrick, an officer with 20 years of flying experience in the Army Air Corps, heads the four-man board of officers. Colonel Patrick was a participant in the Transcontinental Air Race 1910—West to East. He is now stationed at Barksdale Field, La., in command of the 6th Air Base. Captains J. R. Copenhaver and Lester O. Crago, Flight Surgeons, will make the physical examinations. Second Lieutenant William G. Hipps, Air Corps, is the fourth member of the flying board that is making the tour in a twin engine airplane.

Applicants will be examined throughout the stay of the board at each of the above places. Those who desire to take this examination must be unmarried male citizens of the United States between the ages of 20 and 26. They must present evidence of having completed at least two years of study at a recognized college or university. By completing this amount of college work, the prospective Flying Cadet will be excused from taking a written educational examination.

New classes for flying cadets start the nine-months course of flight training every six weeks. During this time they are paid \$75.00 a month and in addition are furnished uniforms, food, quarters, and medical care. Successfully completing this course in flying which consists of more than 200 hours of actual time in the air, the Flying Cadet is commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Air Corps Reserve and may remain on extended active duty from one to seven years.

After three years of active duty the Second Lieutenants are promoted to First Lieutenants with a substantial increase in pay and allowances. During this time they are eligible to compete for a commission in the Regular Army when vacancies occur, providing they are under 30 years of age at the time. Those who do not desire to remain with the Army Air Corps are paid a bonus of \$500.00 upon their return to an inactive status at the end of the three year period.

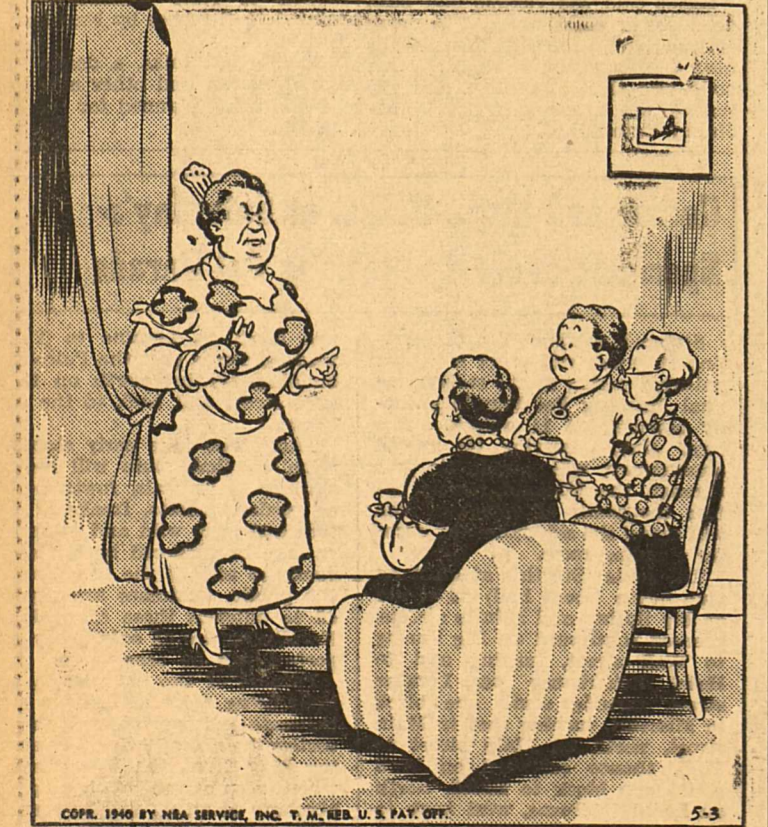
Any young man who possesses the required qualifications and is interested in becoming a Flying Cadet, but who was unable to appear before the board during its visit to this vicinity, may secure full information on this subject by writing to the Commanding General, Eighth Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

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Rumania Largest Buyer At Leipzig Trade Fair

LEIPZIG (U.P.)—The Leipzig Fair, recently concluded, was attended by 115,667 business men from 35 neutral countries. In a report on activities it was revealed that Rumania was the largest buyer, followed by Holland, Hungary and Italy.

Hold Everything!



"I can't go on being president of our garden club forever! Couldn't one of you other girls do a little thinking?"

Council of Church Women Sponsors May Luncheon

Six Churches Are Represented in Large Attendance

May luncheon of the Midland Council of Church Women was held in the Methodist annex Thursday with almost one hundred women in attendance. Leaders of the Council expressed gratification at the interest and companionship shown by the women of the six churches represented at the meeting. These churches were Presbyterian, Christian, Episcopal, Methodist, Assembly of God, and Christian Science.

The theme for the day—"What do ye do more than others?"—is a question asked by Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount. His preceding question throws light on the meaning of the theme: "For if ye love them which love you, what reward have ye? Do not even the publicans the same? And if ye salute your brethren only, what do ye more than others?"

A series of four talks, by members of the four churches which make up the Council, developed the luncheon theme. Mrs. W. J. Coleman of the Presbyterian church spoke on "What Do Ye More Than Others?" Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, Episcopalian, spoke on "Why Do Ye More Than Others?" Mrs. Chas. Brown of the First Christian church discussed "Where Do Ye More Than Others?" Mrs. W. Earl Chapman, Methodist, spoke on "How Do Ye More Than Others?"

Following the talks, Mrs. Jack Hawkins and Mrs. Bill Hester sang "Teach Me to Pray" as a duet, accompanied by Mrs. A. M. McClure. Mrs. Chas. L. Klapproth, Council vice-chairman who presided as mistress of ceremony, discussed projects of the Councils in other towns of the eighth district and presented a resume of the convention at El Paso in March.

She also conducted a roundtable and told of the history of the organization in Midland, recognition being given to Mrs. Geo. Ratliff and Mrs. J. L. Greene, former presidents of the Fifth Monday Association.

The Council voted to sponsor a Vacation Bible school as its first project. Mrs. J. M. Prothro, acting chairman, presenting the project for consideration.

Other projects discussed included the sponsoring of cleaner literature for news stands, Bible study for credit in the schools, and sponsoring of a water and sewer system for Moody addition (the latter drawing applause from the audience when mentioned).

The following board of directors was named: Mrs. William Osborn, Presbyterian church; Mrs. Geo. Ratliff, First Christian church; Mrs. Rec Sindorf, Methodist church; and

Dinner-Bridge Closes Season for Evening Joe de Vie

Final party of the evening Joe de Vie club for this season was held at the John Dublin home, 1300 W. Missouri, Thursday at 7:30 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. Dublin and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Speed Sr. as co-hosts.

Roses and larkspur were party flowers and were used on the dinner table. A two-course dinner was served at small tables.

Afterward four tables of bridge were played with high score for women going to Mrs. Chas. L. Klapproth and high score for men to P. F. Bridgewater. Bingo prize was awarded to Mrs. Frank Williamson.

Those present, all club members, were: Mmes. and Messrs. P. F. Bridgewater, Russell C. Conkling, Hugh Corrigan, R. B. Cowden, Geo. Glass, Chas. L. Klapproth, Fred Turner, Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. O. B. Holt, and the host couples.

Needlecraft Club Meets at Home of Mrs. Tuttle

Mrs. O. L. Wood was the only guest when Needlecraft club met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Tuttle, 1508 W. College, Thursday afternoon.

Embroidering, sewing, knitting and such other needlework as suited the fancy of members occupied the group during the club hours.

At tea time the hostess served a salad course.

Spring flowers lent a ray note to the party rooms where the following members gathered with their guests: Mmes. B. C. Girdley, J. K. Wright, P. F. Kasper, H. H. Watson, Geo. Phillips, John Dunagan, A. W. Wyatt, Wallace M. Ford, Virginia Jeffers, M. L. Wyatt, and the hostess.

Next Thursday the group will meet with Mrs. Watson, 1701 W. Holloway.

Shower Features Meeting of Sewing Club Thursday

A pink-and-blue shower honoring Mrs. Bill Joyce was the feature of the afternoon at the meeting of the Friendship Sewing club at the home of Mrs. A. E. Dixon Thursday afternoon. Mrs. W. C. Moore was co-hostess with Mrs. Dixon.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Joe Shelburne, Mrs. C. O. Fuller, Mrs. George Arnold, Miss Lorine Betts, and members, Mmes. L. M. Iedges, Ben Biggs, W. C. Moore, A. E. Dixon.

Miss Leta Scarborough was also a visitor.

Next Thursday the club will meet with Mrs. Bill Joyce at 210 E. Kentucky.

Church Services

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
H. D. Bruce, Pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
10:55 a. m. Morning worship. The pastor will preach.
6:15 p. m. Evening union.
8:00 p. m. Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor.
7:00 p. m. Wednesday. Teachers' meeting.
7:45 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
510 South Baird.
John Wharton, Pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
7:30 p. m.—Church service. Sermon by pastor.
7:30 p. m. Tuesday—Young people's service.
7:30 p. m. Friday—Prayer meeting.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
John E. Pickering, Pastor
H. G. Bedford, Supt. of Bible School
Mrs. Lee Cornelius,
Director of Music.
9:45 a. m. Bible school.
10:50 a. m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on the theme "Why a Christian Will Go to Church."
7:00 p. m. Evening worship service. Young people will present the worship service (no meeting of the young people's group at 6:30 o'clock).
3:30 p. m. Monday. General meeting of woman's council.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Choir practice.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
W. J. Coleman, Minister in Charge.
9:45 a. m.—Church school. Good departments and efficient teachers for every grade.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. The minister will bring a message on "God, The Day-by-Day Guide," Psalms 37:5.
6:00 p. m. Young People and Pioneers meet at the church.
There will be no evening worship service as the church is co-operating in the special union service to be held at the First Methodist church.

TRINITY CHURCH.
(Protestant Episcopal)
Oliver C. Cox, Minister in Charge.
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon conducted by Rev. Cox.
No evening service.
GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH.
T. H. Graalman, Pastor.
Services are held every second and fourth Sunday at the Midland Seventh-Day Adventist church, West Pennsylvania and Loraine streets, at 2:00 p. m.
A cordial invitation is extended to all.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.
"Everlasting Punishment" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May fifth.
The Golden Text is: "The way of the Lord is strength to the upright; but destruction shall be to the workers of iniquity" (Proverbs 10:29).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible:
"For the Grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world" (Titus 2:11, 12).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Sci-

ence and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Reason is the most active human faculty. Let that inform the sentiments and awaken the man's dormant sense of moral obligation, and by degrees he will learn the nothingness of the pleasures of human sense and the grandeur and bliss of a spiritual sense, which silences the material or corporeal" (page 327).

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.
W. C. Hinds, Pastor.
9:45 a. m. Church school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. The pastor will bring a sermon on the theme, "Christ Speaking."
6:30 p. m. Intermediate and Senior Leagues meet.
8:00 p. m. Union church service sponsored by the Lions club. Lions International will speak on "Is the Lion's Business the Only Business of a Lion?"
7:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.
7:15 p. m. Thursday. Choir practice.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
West Tennessee and North "A" Sts
C. C. Morgan, Minister.
Program For The Week.
Lord's Day Bible study, 10:00 a. m. Sermon and Lord's Supper, 10:50 a. m.
Radio sermon, KRLE 2:45 to 3:00 p. m.
Young People's Bible class, 7:00 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:45 p. m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
West Pennsylvania and Loraine Lee Carter, Pastor.
Saturday Services—
Sabbath School, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.
ST. GEORGE CHURCH
(Roman Catholic)
Father John J. O'Connell, Pastor.
8:00 a. m. Early morning mass for Spanish speaking people.
10:00 a. m. Mass and benediction for English speaking people.
7:30 p. m. each Monday. Perpetual novena service.

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Corner of South Colorado and California streets.
Lord's Day services at 10:30 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.
FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH
502 Illinois.
Chas. B. Hedges, Pastor.
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Preaching service.
7:15 p. m. Preaching service.
7:15 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting. The public is invited.

NAOMI CLASS.
The Naomi (inter-denominational) class for women will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer.

JOLINESS TABERNACLE
(Pentecostal)
O. W. Roberts, Pastor.
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Preaching service.

MEN'S CLASS.
The Men's class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer. It is a non-denominational class and every man who does not attend services elsewhere is cordially invited to attend.
The teachers are Marvin Ulmer and W. I. Pratt. There is a singing service of fifteen minutes prior to the speaking.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES.
Study of the Bible together with Watch Tower publications will be held each Wednesday and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at 200 S. Dallas. No collection.

Mrs. Al Boring
Is Hostess to
Jollitee Club
Roses and honeysuckle were used at vantage points in the playing rooms and tallies in spring theme, featuring blue and pink, were used in games when Mrs. Al Boring entertained the Jollitee Bridge club at her home, 611 S. Colorado, Thursday afternoon.
The courtesy was in the form of a dessert-bridge at 2:45 o'clock.
In the two tables of bridge, Mrs. D. E. Baker held high score and Mrs. C. M. Floyd second high.
Present were the following, all members: Mmes. Baker, C. R. Fitch, J. C. Ellis, J. Alfred Tom, K. S. Boone, Floyd, Bill Wyche, Homer Ingham, and the hostess.
Next Thursday the club will meet with Mrs. Ellis at 801 N. Main at 2:45 o'clock in the afternoon.

L. W. Leggetts Hosts to Choir At Dinner Party

Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Leggett entertained members of the choir of the First Baptist church with a dinner party at their home, 420 S. Main, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A regular choir rehearsal preceded the two-course dinner which was served in the back yard of the Leggett home.

After the meal, the group returned to the house where games were played, stunts and take-offs given, and singing participated in. Solo, quartet, and group vocal numbers were given.

Present were: Miss Edith Conyers, Miss Vivian Gildwell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. J. Webb Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mims, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Donnelly, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Leggett, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Denham, Mrs. H. D. Bruce, Mrs. Anton Theis, Mrs. L. W. Leggett Sr., Misses Louise Whitson, Janice Watts, Louise Cox, Marthan Theis, Jacqueline Theis, Evangeline Theis, Margaret Murray, Louise Bryan, Fay Marie Power, and Jimmie Van Arsdale, Leland Aldridge, Wallace Wimberly, Mrs. Pearl Blair, and the host and hostess.

Flower-Colors Are Stressed for Party Appointments

Flower-colors, appropriate to the spring season, were chosen by Mrs. Jas. H. Chapple for party appointments when she was hostess to Bien Amigos club and a group of guests with a dessert-bridge at her home, 700 W. Storey, Thursday afternoon.

Conflowers and other spring blossoms were used as house flowers, while table covers and napkins for the dessert course, as well as playing accessories for the bridge games, repeated the flower hues.

In the afternoon's play, Mrs. J. D. Dillard scored high and Mrs. Homer Johnson second high for guests. High score for club was held by Mrs. F. E. Weaver and second high by Mrs. C. A. Mix.

Club guests were: Mmes. R. Moles, Dillard, R. E. Young, V. P. Niessl, Tom Sealy, Johnson, Jack Brown, Phil Yeckel, J. M. Kenderdine, R. Jarrett, H. J. Summy, G. Vorbe, W. G. Whitehouse, E. R. Osburn, L. G. Lewis.

Members present were: Mmes. W. B. Harkrider, Preston Bridgewater, J. M. Haygood, John House, C. R. Iman, Elliott Miller, Mix, Joe Perron, J. P. Ruckman, Weaver, and the hostess.

YEA, MUSTANGS!
Four-fifths of all the oil produced in Texas is also refined in Texas, making petroleum refining the state's largest manufacturing industry.

Chic Is No War Casualty



Symbolic of how famed Parisian couturiers have firmly put the war into the background in their determination to "carry on" as style leaders is this photo, snapped in the Place de la Concorde, Paris' Egyptian obelisk, its base protected against wartime damage, is seen at left. The fashion model displays one of the most successful Molyneux afternoon ensembles shown at a recent Paris style show in Amsterdam, Holland. It's of black and white printed silk crepe. The long coat has a bloused top and the dress has a pleated panel, from throat to hem. The large-brimmed hat is of black straw, trimmed with ostrich plumes.

Emotional Pressure Found To Cut Down Life Span

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—The belief that highly emotional persons let their heart interfere with their head is an established medical fact, Dr. Frederic Leavitt of the Philadelphia County hospital told 2,000 physicians here.

"One American in seven has high blood pressure and one in four over the age of 53, dies of it," he declared. "For years doctors believed high blood pressure was caused by emotional and nervous disturbances which caused the blood vessels to become tense, then to shrink and harden."

Midland Student Named to Council

DENTON, May 3. (Special)—Miss Dorothy Speed of Midland has been selected by the director of the department of foreign languages to represent foreign language students on the Advisory Council at Texas State College for Women during the coming school year of 1940-41. She was chosen for this place because of her high scholastic and citizenship standing.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Speed, Miss Speed is now a junior student at the college.

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FOR RENT: About May 10th. Two-room furnished house; bath. 704 South Dallas. Phone 678. (46-3)

FOUR room modern house, see it in morning. 100 East Florida. Apply Wingo Cafe. (46-3)

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THREE-room modern house; garage. North D; \$30.00 per month. Phone 1145. (48-3)

FIVE-room house; 304 South Pecos; roomy lot; close in. W. R. Upham, phone 451. (47-3)

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11--Employment

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16--Miscellaneous

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Nude Statuary Stirs St. Louis

ST. LOUIS (UP)—Citizens of this city will get their first glimpse of the controversial nudes of Sculptor Carl Milles when the fountain group is unveiled on Aloe Plaza May 11.

The statues, whose nudity raised a storm of protests from various groups on the grounds that the figures would tend to corrupt the immature, will receive the blessings of the city fathers at the unveiling.

The "fait accompli" of the Swedish sculptor in getting the city art commission's approval of his work, however, has not been accepted by opponents of the fountain group. It required spirited and lengthy argument to obtain the art commission's approval and the subject is always sure to bring out the heated discussion whenever brought up before the board of aldermen.

Names Under Dispute.

So bitter is the feeling toward the statues of the "Mississippi" and the "Missouri" that one faction has rejected the official name of "The Wedding of the Rivers" and insists on calling the fountain group "The Meeting of the Rivers."

Leaders of the "anti-nudes" take the position that the portrayal of a wedding in which both principals are in the nude tends to lower the dignity of marriage. "Pro-nudes" deny this, however, and steadfastly

refuse to include the slightest bit of raiment among the statues' effects.

Milles Stands Pat.

Milles has threatened to destroy the group and its models if the statues are changed in any respect from the original plan approved by the art commission. There is no danger of this, however, as both factions are agreed that nothing can be done about it, anyhow, now that the group has been accepted.

The fountain group's principal figures are that of a youthful

Girl, 16, Has Attended 74 Schools in 10 Years

BOSTON (UP)—Miss June Hanke, 16, whose address might be given male, representing the Mississippi river and that of a maiden, representing the Missouri river. The confluence of the two streams is only a few miles north of here.

Supporting the two figures are reproductions of various piscatorial dwellers of the streams and a number of joyful water nymphs and other mythological creatures. A shark is included among the figures.

as "North America," is getting her education the hard way.

In the past 10 years she has attended 74 schools in every state and in Canada and Mexico. Miss Hanke is the daughter of a salesman who travels "like a gypsy" and settles temporarily wherever prospects look good.

Born in Detroit, she attended six kindergartens in her first year. Her freshman year at high school was spent in 16 schools. Despite her "hit and run" education, Miss Hanke is in the same grade as other girls her age.

She estimates that she has traveled 360,000 miles in 10 years.

Rhode Island May Jail Drivers With Worn Tires

PROVIDENCE, R. I. (UP)—Motorists whose automobile tires are worn thin may be fined or sent to jail in Rhode Island.

Gov. William H. Vanderbilt has signed a bill providing for a \$10 fine or five days in jail for anyone whose tires show "breaker strip, cushion gum or fabric." The law is part of the state's highway safety program.

People With Big Fists Also Have Large Hearts

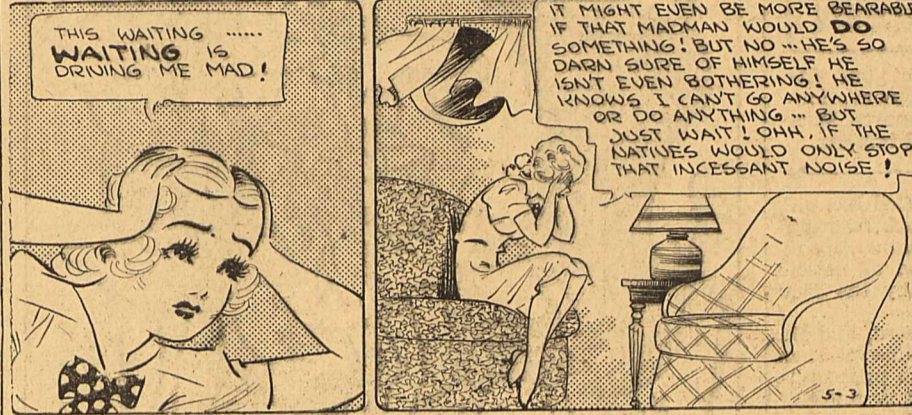
PHILADELPHIA (UP)—Curl your fingers into a fist and that is the size of your heart.

Dr. W. Edward Chamberlain, of Temple University, reported at a postgraduate institute of the Philadelphia County Medical Society that examinations over a number of years have accurately proved that the size of your heart is reflected in the measurements of your fist.

"Big-fisted people have large hearts," he explained, "and small-fisted people have small hearts."

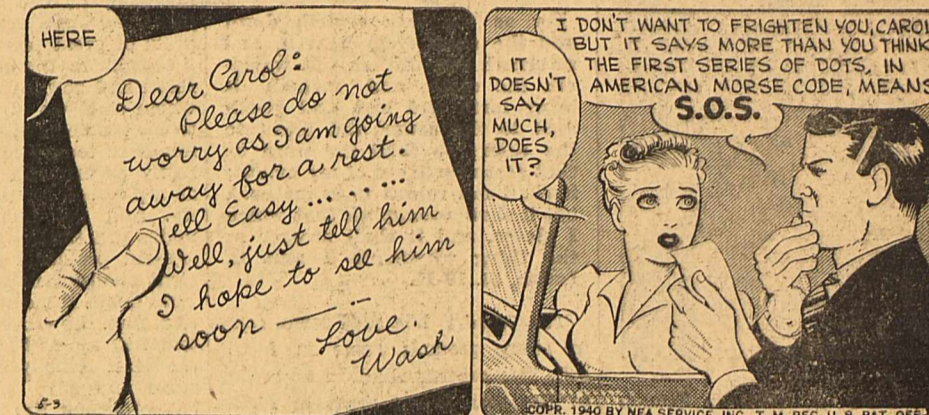
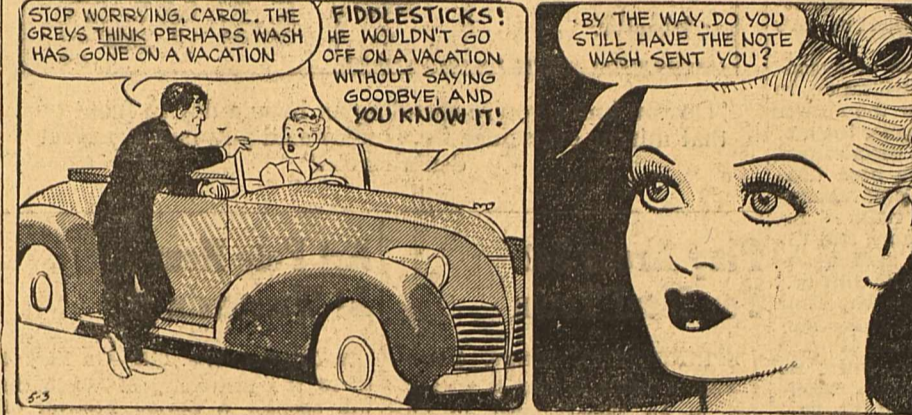
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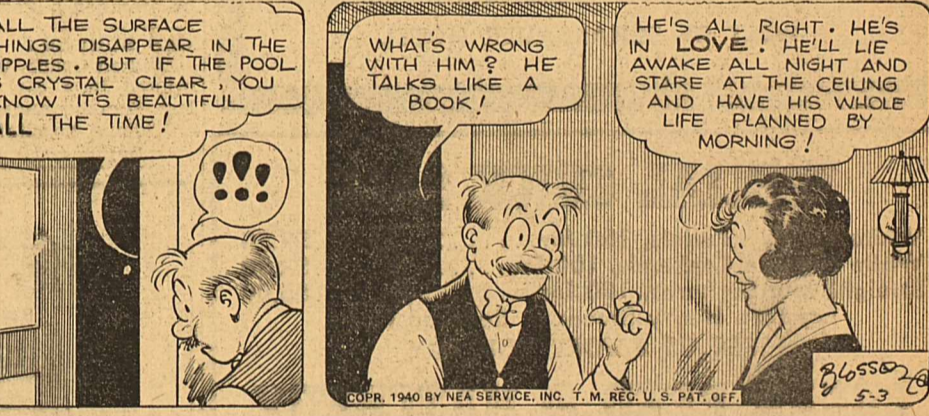


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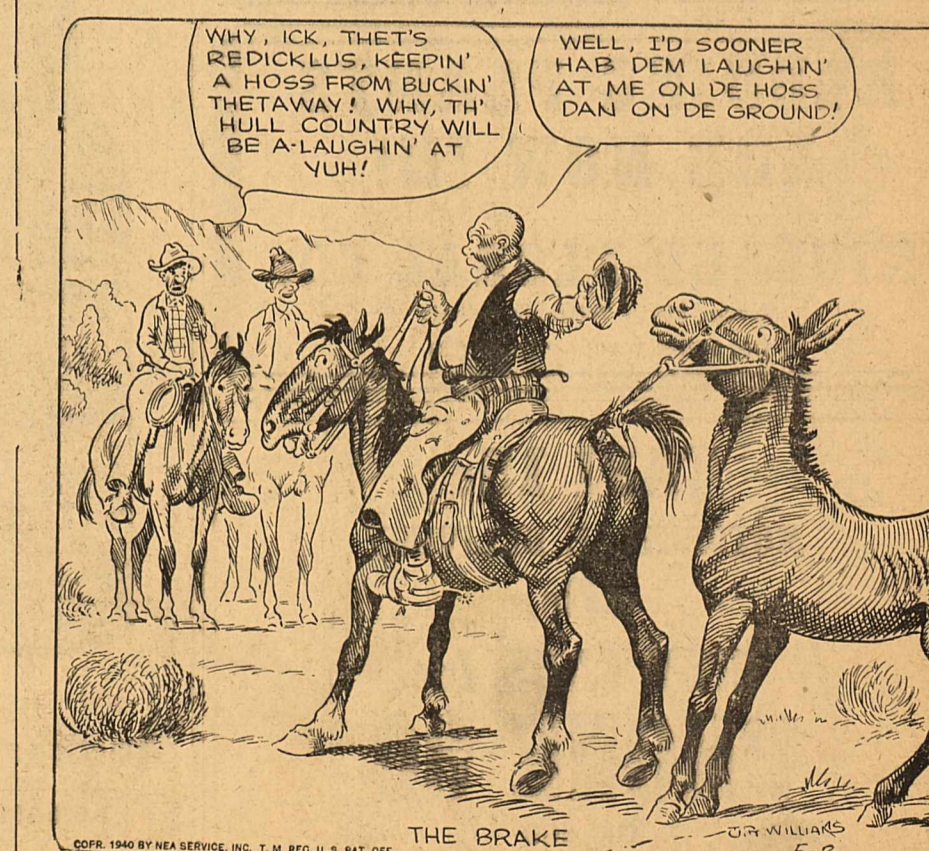
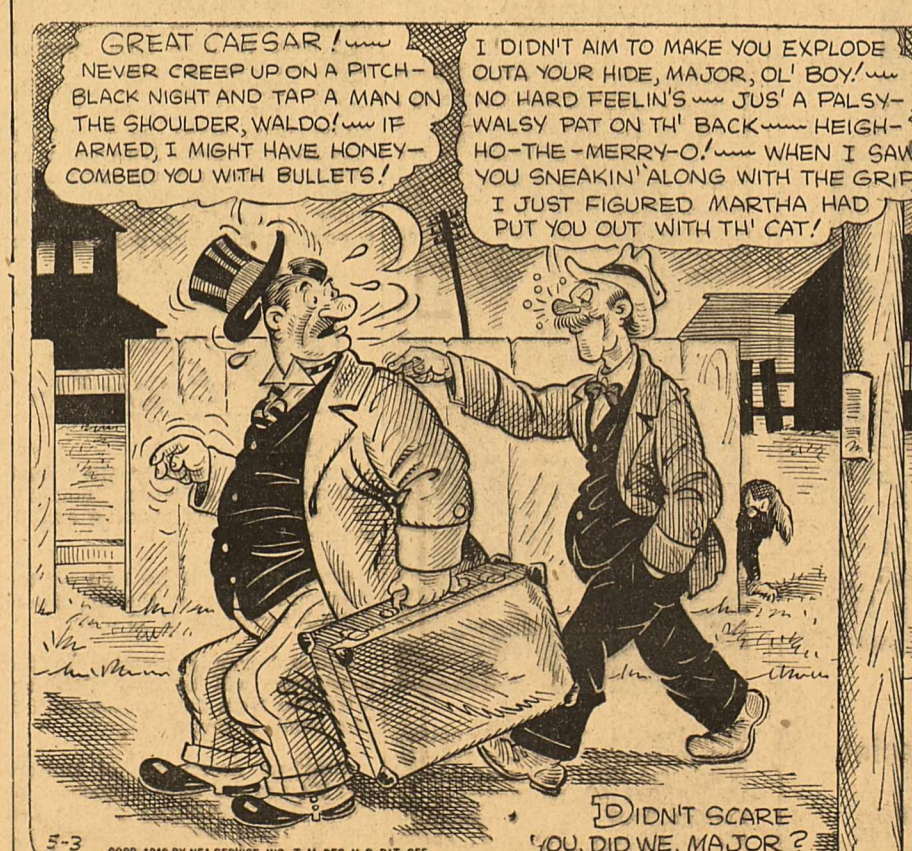


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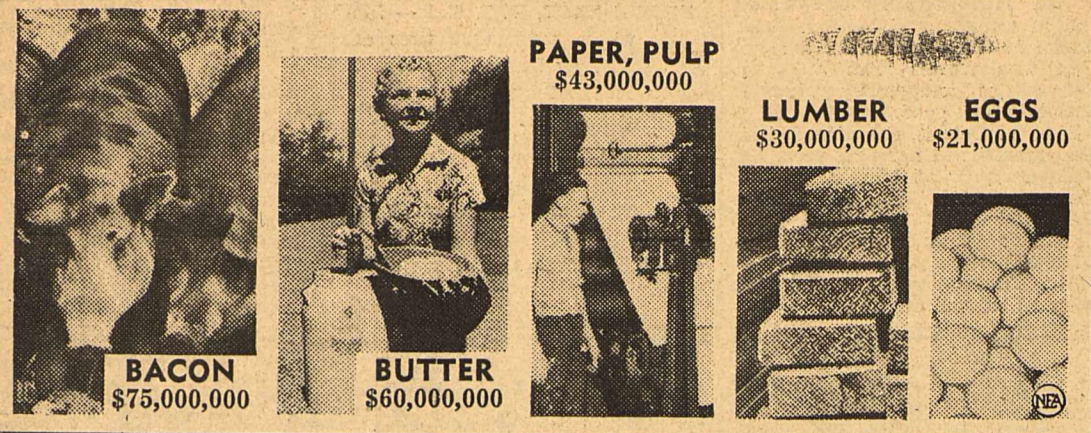
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Britain Loses Food, Wood Imports From Scandinavia



Cut off by the Nazi invasion of Scandinavia are Great Britain's imports from the Nordic nations, including the five principal products shown on chart. These represent half of the United Kingdom's foreign bacon supply, a fourth of her dairy imports and a quarter of her wood and paper imports. Most of foodstuffs came from Denmark, wood from Norway and Sweden. Figures show annual imports.

Sails for France To Aid Civilians



Mrs. Henry A. Hutton, French Red Cross volunteer nurse in the last World War, pictured as she sailed from New York for France recently to head American volunteer civilian refugee relief center.

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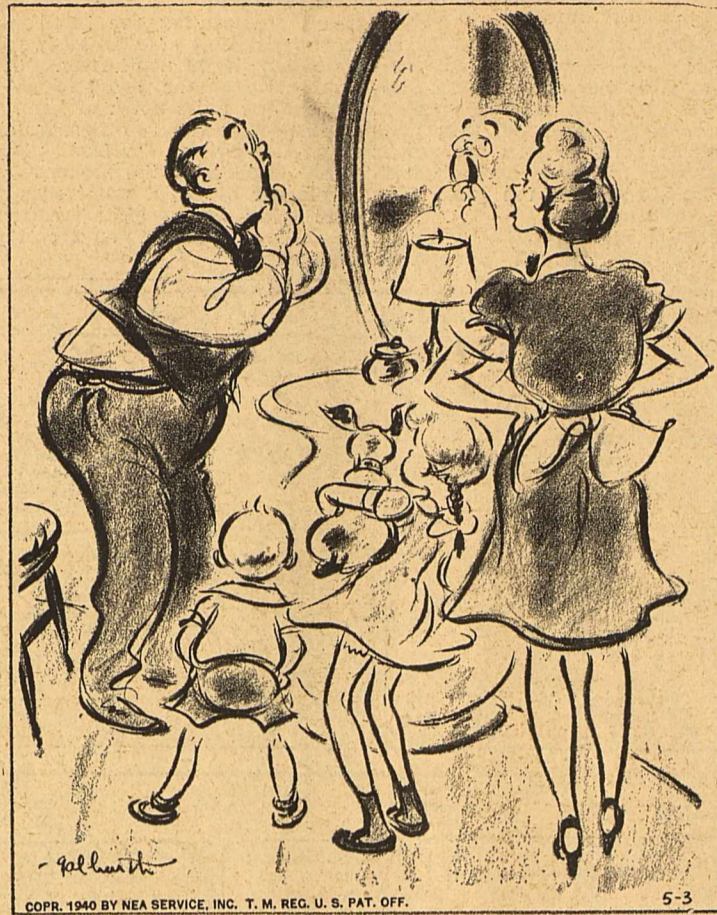
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Word of God Is Guide to Man in His Earthly Life

Editor's Note: The following discussion of this week's Sunday school lesson, written by Mr. Weaver, is printed here for its interest to the public.

BY R. A. WEAVER

For as the rain cometh down and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, and giveth seed to the sower and bread to the eater, so shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth; it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing wherunto I sent it. Isaiah, 55, 10-11.

The Word is like seed sown, some in stony ground; some in fertile soil. The returns shall be according to the soil. When sown in fertile soil, it brings forth an hundred fold — accomplishes with miraculous power in the lives of men, that which it is ordained of God to do. Abraham the ranchman; Moses the shepherd; Paul the diplomat; Matthew the tax-gatherer; Peter the fisherman; Gypsy Smith the derelict; Billy Sunday the ball player, and John Wesley the salesman—all these were shining examples of the miracle of Grace.

The power is still in the word—it is the dynamite of God, and its potency will never fail. Heaven and earth may pass away—stars may fall; constellations may vanish into the outer void; the heavens may pass away as a scroll; old earth may melt with fervent heat, but the Word of God remaineth forever. Truer than the Northern Star; firmer than the rock-ribbed hills; having no shadow of turning, the same yesterday today and forever, the Creator is still revealing, inspiring and working with His mighty power through the Word. The efficacy of the power of God has only to be tried to be realized. Its transformation of human nature, its regeneration of men and of nations is well authenticated by the facts of history.

Play Areas Set For Ideal Town

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (UP)—Plenty of space to play is a necessity in an "ideal" town, in the opinion of a public recreation commission headed by Dr. Kirtley F. Mather of Harvard University. "The ideal setup for a town of 10,000," the commission said "would include at least six or eight neighborhood playgrounds which should be directly connected and adjacent to the elementary schools. "Every junior high school should have from 8 to 10 acres connected or adjacent to the school. And the standard for the high school should not be less than 20 acres—which, of course, includes an athletic field."

Ex-Kaiser Appreciates Chicagoan's Greetings

CHICAGO, (UP)—Karl Navratil just likes to make royalty happy, and royalty apparently appreciates it.

FROM PASTORS' RETREAT

Rev. W. J. Coleman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has returned from Mineral Wells where he attended a Pastors' Retreat.

HAS SURGERY

Mildred Grubb, Wink girl who was injured in a car wreck near here last Sunday, underwent surgery in a Midland hospital today.

Ari Fete Near At Wisconsin U.

MADISON, Wis. (UP)—On May 4 to 19 the University of Wisconsin will sponsor a Spring Festival of all the arts brought together under the one roof of the modernistic, million-dollar Wisconsin Union theater.

Wage Hour--

Continued from page one. "pay-as-we-go" basis. Major General H. H. Arnold, air corps chief, was reported to have told a Senate committee that the army was making drastic changes in its armament fighting planes because of lessons learned from the European war.

Actress Chosen Buddy Poppy Girl

Brunette Ellen Drew, motion picture actress, was recently selected 1940 National Buddy Poppy Girl of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. V. F. W. committee in Kansas City, Mo., chose her as a "typical American girl."

Japan's Puppet Ruler of China

Heretofore unpublished, this photographic character-study of Wang Ching-Wei, Japan's puppet "ruler" of China in opposition to Chiang Kai-Shek, was taken when Wang was Chiang's right hand man and personal representative in fighting against Japan.



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are visible milking and feeding the animals — a mass of color, black, white, yellow, gray and brown. The "Olympic Cows," however, do not enjoy luxury for long, since scores are sent to the slaughter houses and others are being shipped to the new homes of their owners. But now streams of cattle are arriving daily and the total remains about stationary. The Sibelius Academy now has all available space filled with tiers of wooden beds, housing 10 to 12 persons in each room. There is a home atmosphere about the place. In one big room all gifts of clothing and other necessities donated for the evacuees is piled high on the tables. They have a Christmas gift atmosphere about them. The evacuees are patient and calmly wait for better times. They repeat to themselves the old Finn proverb: "There is nothing so much of in this world as time."

Asia's High and Low. In Asia, the earth's surface reaches its highest and lowest points. Mount Everest's snowy summit rises more than 29,000 feet above sea level, while the salty surface waters of the Dead Sea are 1290 feet below.

For Better Traction. Tires with the most tread should be placed on the front wheels of an automobile, since in wet weather their squeegie action helps to dry off the road surface and affords better traction for the rear tires.

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