

O'Donnell Index-Press

25th Year; No. 16

O'DONNELL, LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS, Thursday, Jan. 22, 1948

\$1.50 PER YEAR

Farmer Reid Asks For COND TERM

Would like to take this opportunity to thank the people of Lynn County for the cooperation they have given me in the first year as County Treasurer.

Will do my best at all times to you friendly, courteous and efficient service.

Showing the balance of all County funds as of December 31, 1947 and amount of bonded indebtedness to date.

General Fund	\$8,941.65
County Jail	\$3,209.85
County Bridge	\$963.33
County Jail	\$5,006.67
County Sinking	\$6,751.07
County No. 1	\$463.24
County No. 2	\$925.44
County No. 3	\$4,880.83
County No. 4	\$1,496.30
County R & B Sinking	\$6,607.89
Permanent Improvement	\$9,652.01
County Salary	\$5,786.58
County Road	\$14,495.58
County Co. Spec. Rd. Bd	\$3,884.93
County 946 Sinking	\$20,818.29
County Co. Spec. Road Bond	\$49.22
County Permanent School	\$8,000.00
County R & B funding	\$10,000.00
County J refunding	\$10,000.00
County Co. Spec. Road	\$223,000.00

Acts About FFA

To those who have been wanting to know what the F. F. A. means: The national emblem of the Future Farmers of America is significant and meaningful in every detail. It is made up of five symbols: the plow, the rising sun, the cross section of an ear of corn, which is surmounted by the American eagle. Upon the face of the emblem appears these words: "National Agriculture" and the letters "F. F. A." The owl is a symbol of wisdom and knowledge; the sheaf of wheat is the symbol of labor and the rising sun is the symbol of progress and the day presents progress, and the farmer trained and have learned to cooperate, the cross section of an ear of corn represents common agricultural interests since corn is grown in America and grown in every state; and the eagle is indicative of the national scope of the organization.

The colors are rich and cheerful: national blue and corn gold. The memberships are: Active, Associate, Collegiate and Honorary.

The degrees are: Green Hands, Farmer degree, State Farmer, and American farmer. Reporter

Orphan Home Truck To Be Here Soon

Friends and supporters of the Orphan Home will be glad to know that the truck from the one will be in O'Donnell January 25th (Monday) to receive any food that shall be offered them. This truck is at Tipton, Oklahoma and carries for some 250 unfortunate and homeless children. These little ones are clothed, fed and educated through the offerings of individuals who care. The truck will be at the Church of Christ building Monday, Jan. 26th. Any kind of food will be appreciated by the Home. Also writing paper, pencils, and shoe shoes are needed.

Letters To Editor

I want to know who poisoned my dog. I know it is a person with a soul because they would not have taken the life from my pet. Not only have they taken the life from my pet, but they have killed my neighbor's 3 pets.

RUTH ADELIA JONES
(The Index always welcomes letters from our readers—especially the young generation. Ruth is 3 years of age and writes well for so young a lady. We hope the person involved will heed the plea of a child who lost a pet. Community relations would not suggest a base action as poisoning animals.)

Mr and Mrs. Harley Jolly spent Sunday in San Angelo.

Mr and Mrs. Howard Wright have recently moved to near Portales where they will farm.

Mr and Mrs. J J Hodnett spent last Wednesday at Colorado City.

Mrs. Fannie Marks returned last week to her home at Van Nuys, Cal.

Funeral Here For Mrs. Wright

Mrs. Mary Alice Copley Wright was born July 11, 1867. After an eventful pilgrimage upon this earth of 80 years, 6 months and 1 day, she took the passage to the great beyond on Jan. 12, 1948.

She was united in marriage to William Jefferson Wright in 1888 and to this union were born 12 children, 6 of them are living today. Mrs. Wright, with her husband, became a Christian some 45 years ago, having obeyed the Gospel of our Lord.

Mr. Wright passed on a number of years ago. The family was reared in Hamilton County, Texas near Pottsville and Indian Gap. This is where Grandmother Wright has lived until about two years ago when coming to live with her daughters in Lynn and Dawson counties.

Her body was laid to rest in the family plot of the cemetery in Pottsville.

Mother Wright is survived by 2 sisters and a brother: Mrs. Nina Potter of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Maud Kensington of Rockwood, Tenn and Bud Copley of Jamestown, Tenn. The six children who survive to mourn her passing are Mrs. Lora Ellis of O'Donnell, Margerite Wright of Phoenix, Ariz, Myrtle Wright of Lamesa, Thelma Wright of Amarillo, Proctor S. Wright of Veterans Hospital, Waco and Virgil Wright of Ft. Worth.

There were two funeral services conducted. One at the Church of Christ in O'Donnell and another at Pottsville, Texas. Bro. Arthur Golden conducted both services.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mr and Mrs. Dub Dull on the arrival of a fine son weighing 10 lbs 10 oz. born last Saturday at a Lamesa hospital.

Congratulations to Mr and Mrs. Rex Marshall of Friona on the arrival of a baby daughter, Peggy Dell, born Jan. 13 at Friona and weighing 7 lbs. 4 oz.

Mr and Mrs. Barney Bradshaw have moved and Barney will farm with his father.

Mr and Mrs. H D Terry of Abilene visited her sister Mrs. Ben Moore, Sr. Sunday.

Bill Rogers and Miss Romona Box of San Angelo visited his mother, Opal Rogers and the Schoolers over the week end.

BEN MOORE INSURANCE REAL ESTATE

Mrs. O H Shepard is visiting in Louisiana and Mississippi and will be gone until in February.

Mr and Mrs. C R Bursleson, Sr. returned last week from an extended visit at Tulare, Calif.

Tom Brewer returned last week after several days in a Lamesa hospital.

Mr and Mrs. E A Gehring visited with Mr and Mrs. H Y Conrad last week. Elmer Conrad left with them to visit a few days.

John Richard (Dickey) George, son of Mr and Mrs. Dick George of New Moore, who became ill Jan 5th with the strange malady like so many at Midland had, is better, but the little fellow has certainly been ill.

Mrs. J A Melton, who recently underwent major surgery in a Lubbock hospital, has been returned to her home two miles east of town. Mrs. Melton is doing splendidly and is expected to be well again soon.

Billy Schooler will attend college at McMurry at Abilene.

A WISE JUDGE SAYS:



"I became judge of the Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court on June 1, 1939. Since that time I have tried approximately 8,000 boys and girls under 17 years of age for violating the law. Of that number, only 42 were regular in attendance in Sunday school or Church. Of course others of the children had at one time or another gone to Sunday school, but many of them had not. Another unusual fact is that of these children there has not been a child in court whose father or mother attended Sunday school regularly."

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Report Of Tax Office For Lynn County Given

Statement of Taxes collected, automobiles registered and polls issued up to Jan. 1, 1948.

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State taxes collected: \$25,405.91 or 25 per cent of total charged on the roll.

Total cars, trucks, and trailers registered with 1947 plates: 4068. Total car titles processed: 2373. Total poll taxes paid and exemptions issued: 1653.

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Starting February 1, 1948 a penalty will be added to all state and county taxes remaining on the roll as unpaid.

Respectfully submitted, FRANK McGLAUN, Jr., Tax Assessor Collector, Lynn Co.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH BYLBY BUILDING

The Calvary Baptist Church has recently purchased and moved to their church lots an army barrack building which will be remodeled into Sunday school rooms. It is the plan of the church to move their auditorium back on their lots and attach to the barrack building in the near future. This will eliminate a bad corner and add much to parking facilities at the church especially during muddy weather.

NEWMORE NEWS

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Mr and Mrs. Virgil Adams spent the week end in Big Springs visiting relatives.

Lois and Jesse Murphy of Sand spent Sunday here.

Mr and Mrs. Charlie Ellis of Grassland visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Hubert Webb spent Saturday night with the Jesse Murphys at Sand.

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School Election Set For Feb. 7th on Consolidation

Petitions have been circulated and elections called for school consolidation with O'Donnell, T-Bar and Wells. All pupils from both T-Bar and Wells have been coming to O'Donnell during the current school term by contract, according to Supt. S. F. Johnson. It felt by many that by consolidation all districts concerned will be benefitted.

It is interesting to note that a recent recommendation on education called for administrative units of approximately one thousand. This will probably be acted on in the next legislature, and will in all probability be passed in some form. That is the trend in educational units.

If all the consolidation movements carry, it is very likely that a reduction from the current \$1.59 rate can be effected after next year. Larger administrative units will result in more economical operation.

The date of the election has been set for Feb. 7th. Tom Brewer is to be judge of the election at O'Donnell, A. E. Leverett is judge at T-Bar and Joe McLaurin judge at Wells. The elections will be at the school buildings of the three districts concerned.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. O. G. Smith, Jr. was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club last Thursday. High score went to Mrs. C. R. Bursleson, Jr., low score to Mrs. Johnny Billingsley and bingo to Mrs. Bill McBride.

Pie and coffee were served to Mesdames: Roy Gibson, L L Birdwell, Johnny Billingsley, J W Gardenhire, James Wiese, C R Bursleson, Jr., Bill McBride, W E Singleton Jr., Glen Gibson, J V Burdett, Jr., Shagg Garrett, John Stephens and Ken Morrison.

THREE INJURED IN GIN MISHAP SATURDAY

Last Saturday afternoon three employees of the Jordan Gin were painfully burned when the mud-valve or man-hole of the steam boiler blew out burning J C Ballard, V C George and Stewart Schooler. Mr. Schooler was taken to a Lamesa hospital for treatment of his burns. All are recovering.

GINNING SEASON NEARS SEASON'S CLOSE

The 1947 cotton season is rapidly grinding to a close with 27,922 bales of cotton clearing the local Trinity Warehouse Tuesday, according to Mr. Baker, the manager.

An estimated 20,000 bales of cotton were ginned here by the 7 gins with the other 8,000 bales coming from neighboring community gins. The Wells gin, Joe McLaurin, manager, has ginned approximately 6,000; we hope to have Harmony's report next week.

Many of O'Donnell's gins are closed for the season with others preparing to close. The harvest of cotton and grain was unusually good considering the limited rainfall of last year, and farm prices were generally high.

NOTED EDITOR TO SPEAK HERE

Last minute plans are being completed for the scheduled lecture of Chas. Guy, Lubbock editor at the school auditorium on Jan. 27th.

The Country Editor

JOHN EARLS recently elected city official, has taken the initiative in our long needed paving project and has made arrangements for a meeting between a paving contractor and the City officials. The contract is expected to be let with in the next few days on re-paving the square as well as the re-paving running from the bank corner west to the Compress. Mr. Earls is working with property owners in his neighborhood on a property owners paving project whereby the City will assist financially those wishing to pave their block. No plans are definite but repaving costs will run about 75 cents a square yard and new paving will run from \$1.00 to \$1.10 a sq yard. A 50 foot residential lot, new paving, would cost

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness and words of comfort during our sorrow in the loss of our dear mother. May God's richest blessings be yours.

Mr and Mrs. Johnnie Ellis
Margaret Wright
Virgil Wright
Myrtle Wright
Thelma Wright

SINGING SCHOOL TO START

C H Mansell said this week that Monday nite at the First Baptist Church there would commence a COMMUNITY SINGING SCHOOL under the direction of Charles Hogan of Arkansas. Also Sunday afternoon there will be an all afternoon Singing Convention at the Church. YOU are invited. Plan to be there.

E W Hester of Lubbock visited here Tuesday.

NOTICE TO ALL TAX PAYERS

All poll tax receipts MUST be issued before mid-night January 31, 1948 to entitle you to a vote in the 1948 election. The Tax Collector's office will remain open until 12 midnite Saturday, January 31 for your convenience in paying poll taxes and property taxes.

After January 31st a penalty will be added to all tax payments. Notice To All Motor Vehicle Owners

The 1948 license numbers for Lynn County vehicles have been received at the Tax Collector's office and will go on sale February 2, 1948.

The numbers are black with yellow numerals and letters.

The passenger car numbers are AR 1000 to AR 3599 and Commercial trucks: MC 3700 to MC 4199 and Farm trucks: RC 1650 to RC 2249. Under the provisions of a new law, 1948 Plates can legally be placed on vehicles that were registered in Texas for 1947, on or after Feb. 1st.

Under the old law, the plates could be purchased in February but not placed on the vehicle before March 1st.

1947 Registration Receipts must be presented before 1948 Plates Can Be Issued. FRANK McGLAUN, JR. Tax Assessor - Collector Lynn County

Mr. Guy will review post war European problems as he saw them in a recent visit.

LUBBOCK KIWANIS CLUB PRESENTS AFRICAN ADVENTURES OF THE W. G. McMILLAN FAMILY



Moving Pictures in Full Color With W. G. McMillan, Sr. Commentating

WORLD PREMIER: Friday, January 23rd at 8:00 p. m. O'clock. ALL SEATS RESERVED. \$2.40 Tax Included

MATINEES: Saturday, January 24th and Sunday January 25th 2:30 P. M. Children 60c Adults \$1.50 tax included

NIGHT: Monday, January 26th Through Wednesday January 28th 8:00 P. M. \$1.50 ALL SEATS RESERVED

LUBBOCK HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
Benefit: Lubbock Kiwanis Boys and Girls Fund
Ticket Office: Adair Music Co. 1012 Main St
Mail Orders: In Care of Kiwanis, Box 3, Lubbock

WANT ADS

COME To The Nursery and SAVE. Complete line of Nursery Stock. EASON Acres Nursery, 6 miles East on Highway 80 Big Spring, Texas. 2-15-48

FOR SALE: 1 regular Tractor, upright boxes, equipment steel slides and one 4 row stalk cutter. See Clyde Frost at

FOR SALE: 8,000 bundles fair Regras. See C. V. Gunter, 1 mile west of north "Y"

IF INTERESTED in a small place see Pete Beal. Price \$1400.

FOR SALE: Registered Duroc Jersey bred gilts. Also gilt pigs. See Dale S Thurea rt. 8 (Wells) Stp

FOR SALE: Business building between Vogue and former location Home Furniture Store. See Mrs Jewell Seely.

FOR SALE:

STALK CUTTERS
5-row power lift Stalk Cutters at \$130.00
5 row Drag Type Stalk Cutters at \$120
4 - row power lift Stalk cutters at \$105
4 row drag type stalk cutters at \$97.50

GO DEVILS
4 row power lift Go Devils at \$120.00
4 row Drag type Go Devils at \$110.00
9 row sand Fighters at \$95.00

The above are All Steel and are Guaranteed. We built the FIRST All Steel Stalk Cutters and FIRST All Steel Go-Devils that were built.

PHARES and WILKINS
2209 Ave H. Lubbock, Texas

FOR SALE: Early Heigar Bundles; Cheap; Mutt Gilliam

FOR SALE: 2 Tom Turkeys J J HOBNETT

SEE OUR GIFT SELECTIONS FOR WEDDING & BABY

Showers

There's Always Something New At
Boydston Variety Store
MRS. W.E. HUFFHINES, Manager

We Advertise What We Sell--We Sell What We Advertise

Watch Our Ads In The Index-Press

Many Political Thrills Seen in 1948

Democrats, GOP Unafraid Of Wallace Party Threat

By BAUKHAGE
News Analyst and Commentator.

WASHINGTON.—From the way things look to the newsmen whose beat stretches along that historic mile-and-an-eighth from Capitol Hill to the White House, politics in 1948 is going to be a rodeo—plenty of excitement for the audience, a lot of hard riding and tough spills for the performers.

At this writing, nobody's down-hearted. At the last rodeo I attended, there was a very funny funny-man who fell off horses and rode backwards and made wisecracks over the loudspeaker system (it was a very up-to-date rodeo not more than 2,000 miles from where the deer and the antelope play).

There were also a number of very good, very earnest contestants who had learned their bucking and breaking a long ways from a drugstore or a Hollywood set. The funny-man himself was no tenderfoot when it came to forking a bronc, but once in a while he got in the way of the real performers. Since they weren't riding for glory alone (the purses were fairly heavy), he incurred some displeasure from the regulars, if not from the spectators.

This year the political field will take on a similar appearance. The owner of one of the sombreros tossed into the arena in December is going to cause considerable concern to the rest.

I refer, of course, to hard-riding Hank, the Iowa Whirlwind, who is no more afraid to ride bare-back than he is to ride bear-back. He isn't so bad either with the vocal lariat when it comes to throwing as well as roping the bull. As the contenders size up the situation with the aid of a lot of wishful thinking, Mr. Wallace is going to get in everybody's way but theirs.

Likewise, each hopeful favorite son finds something to cheer him. But the canny observers are placing no bets yet, and those who had their money down have had to do very little hedging. There is only one thing certain and that is: It's going to be a grand show.

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Lo, the Noble Horse

The year 1947 ended with a new sea serpent story which you undoubtedly read about. I mention it, because I myself saw a strange and terrifying beast as I walked to work one late December morning, and I believe the two tales worthy of repetition.

As to the sea serpent: The Associated Press carried a signed story by the master of the steamship Santa Clara, J. Fordan, in which he described the monster sighted in the Atlantic 118 miles east of Cape Lookout. He named the first and third mates and the navigation officer as witnesses.

According to their testimony, the monster's snake-like head was about two and one-half feet long, there was about 35 feet of cylindrical body some three feet in diameter visible. The water about the beast was thrashing around in apparent agony, causing the skipper to believe that the ship had cut it in two. The beast's skin was "brown, slick and smooth, there were no protuberances, fins or hair on the head, neck or visible parts of the body."

That's the skipper's story. Mine is equally terrifying. I actually saw in the early morning, moving down New Hampshire avenue, a huge creature, whose body, like the skipper's sea serpent, was without fins or protuberances, but unlike it, was covered with hair. The head was more than two feet long, the barrel-shaped body was supported on four long legs which made the creature higher when it threw up its head, much higher than a man.

Its feet were not large compared to the great, powerful body, and they terminated in a great claw, or nail-like substance, which would give the creature terrible weapons of offense or defense. The teeth were large and blunt, and the mouth, though not large, plainly could inflict damaging wounds.

Human beings looked puny beside this creature which appeared as out of place on a Washington city street as a hippopotamus or an elephant. Strangely enough, it did not cause any great commotion except among the younger people who stared in wonder, obviously never having seen anything like it, except in picture books. It did pose considerable problems for motorized traffic. Horns honked, drivers jittered, back-seat orders thundered.

Finally the monster turned off the street and went up an alley. That was a great relief to me. I knew what it was. I had even ridden one when I was in the artillery, and later, but it was a shock to see a real live EQUUS CABALLUS in a city street.



DEFENSELESS . . . A striking study of a man who found something he never expected at the end of his path of false glory is this picture of former Nazi Junker Gen. Wilhelm Von Leeb, who was a member of the German high command. Now he sits in the prisoners' dock at Nuernberg, charged with crimes against humanity and peace and atrocities against civilians.

NEWS REVIEW

Truman Asks Tax Cut; Brazil Ousts All Reds

Whether President Harry Truman's state of the union message to congress was "socialistic," as Republican partisans dubbed it, or "forthright and courageous," as in the eyes of loyal Democrats, remained a matter of opinion, but it was fairly obvious that in making it the President had cast a loving glance toward next November's election day.

He proposed a combination tax-cutting-and-raising device that manifestly has no chance of passage in the Republican dominated congress but one that sounds good to a lot of voters. His plan, embodying tax-relief to the "little man," would give each individual taxpayer an immediate \$40 tax cut for himself and for each dependent. To offset that reduction in federal income he proposed that corporation taxes be raised by 3.2 billion dollars.

Mr. Truman presented the scheme as a "cost of living" credit designed primarily to relieve the small taxpayer.

In a phrase certain to be quoted with relish by Democratic orators during the coming campaign, the President said he wants to keep revenue collections where they are and still help those who need relief to "buy the necessities of life."

Supplementing the tax proposals he called for a 75-cent-per-hour minimum wage, representing a 35-cent increase over the present 40-cent minimum. Although in the past he has favored raising the national minimum wage, the 75-cent figure was the highest flat demand he has made.

General tone of the President's message to the joint session led most observers to believe that he was swinging his administration back to "a little left of center," a point which generally is identified with New Deal philosophies.

Some saw in the speech a perceptible bid for the left-wing and liberal vote that Henry Wallace's third party is threatening to take away from the Democrats.

Republican reaction to Mr. Truman's speech was bitter and intense and the G.O.P. went ahead more determinedly with its own tax-reduction bill.

KNOCKOUT:

Brazil

Brazil, which severed diplomatic relations with Russia in a huff last October, now has administered what looks like the coup de grace to Red activity within its own borders.

It came in the form of a law, signed amid great furor by President Enrico Dutra, virtually abolishing every vestige of Communist action in Brazil by removing all Communists from elective posts throughout the nation, including congressmen.

The process of outlawing the Reds was far from a calm one, marked at times by dramatic displays of Latin-American nerve and temper.

Fist fights broke out frequently on the floor of the chamber of deputies, and at one point during the debate the session was suspended temporarily when three deputies pulled guns from their pockets and waved

AND FURTHERMORE . . .

Taxes were not the only controversial issue touched upon by Mr. Truman in his message to congress. He also asked for:

1. The once-rejected 10-point anti-inflation program with power to impose wage and price controls and rationing.
2. Universal military training.
3. Authorization of the four-year Marshall plan.
4. Stronger and extended rent controls.
5. Public housing for low-income families and government action to cut building costs.
6. Modernization of farm price supports and broader crop insurance.
7. Extension of unemployment compensation, old age and survivors' benefits, a national health plan and federal financial aid for education.
8. Admission of European refugees into the U. S.
9. Statehood for Alaska and Hawaii.

them at three Communist members. No shots were fired.

Outside the building private citizens argued vociferously and exchanged blows. Leftist crowds shouted vengeance on the deputies and police sirens screamed through downtown Rio de Janeiro.

It was, by and large, the most turbulent legislative session ever held in Brazil.

Other nations could take an object lesson from Brazil's achievement. Communists can be frozen out of government activity even though the process may be noisy and painful.

THIRD FORCE: Socialism?

Latest voice from among the less potent nations of the globe to rise in protest of the cold battle between Russia and the U. S. was that of Leon Blum, French Socialist leader and short-time premier of France.

He called for a "third force of the world" to stand between the Big Two, even as such a middle group has stood between the Communists and DeGaullists in France.

Blum said the international third force would oppose American capitalism and expansion as well as Russian imperialism and extinction of human rights. That force, he proposed, ought to be headed by France and Great Britain.

Blum was espousing on a world-wide basis an old and eminently workable theory — the balance of power. While Russia and America are battling it out on fairly even terms, Blum would have the two lesser nations step in to take control of the slight power balance that is left over and thus possibly be able to steer a course more to their liking.

Between Russia and the U. S., said Blum, "there is room for nations which want at the same time personal liberty and collective economy, democracy and social justice." It was another plea for a middle course, and to Blum a middle course meant Socialism.



GOOD LEADERSHIP AND PLANNING ARE MAIN FACTORS IN A REVISED RURAL ECONOMY.

SMALL TOWNS, U.S.A.

Rural Planning Must Emphasize Restored Soil, New Employment

Released by WNU Features.

Restoration of the soil and introduction of new types of employment are major factors in revitalizing rural economy to meet the challenge of the changing times. The growing necessity for sound rural economic planning is apparent in small town and agricultural America, faced as they are by revolutionary changes in the living evidence that most rural living problems can be solved. Happily this evidence, which has been accumulating for several years, shows the solutions can be accomplished by simple, home-devised plans.

Rural America At Stake — No. 3 In a Series

Rural economic problems ordinarily come from limitations on earning opportunities. The earnings get lean when the land is allowed to wear out and other employment in the neighborhood is limited. Therefore, the solution lies in restoring productivity of the soil and in providing new kinds of employment. Both these things can be done with good leadership and good planning.

Extension of rural electric lines, the trend toward decentralizing industry, new methods of farm production and land use, all are making easier the task of reviving the country communities and small towns.

Much valuable community work has been done. Some of the pioneering dates back 20 years and longer. The successes of some communities provide examples for others to follow. One of the earliest and most highly regarded small community developments is in the southern mountains at Brasstown, N. C. There the soil has been saved and returned to fertility, and some small industries have been introduced to provide the needed opportunities to earn.

Model Rural Community.

Brasstown is a model in the rural life movement. It has shown that the home and the home surroundings are the most important things in happy living. High wages are not essential if there are better compensations. Happiness cannot be bought with wages. All is well when there are jobs for all, if the work is pleasant and the home is secure.

Brasstown is a folk center. It is the home of a school of rural living, which has become the influence that shapes and guides the life of the entire community. This is the John C. Campbell Folk school, established to be a permanent and useful memorial to a devoted worker who spent his life as a teacher of mountain people. The school is the life work of Mrs. Olive D. Campbell, widow of the man for whom it was named.

This school is like nothing else in the U. S. Its pattern was the folk schools of Denmark, and Danish rural school ideas have been adapted to the needs of the Brasstown community.

The school has more than classes and teachers. It is the voice and spirit of the community. Since it was founded the living standards and the outlook of the whole people have been uplifted and given a solid rooting. It has succeeded in making the present bright and the future hopeful.

The school is a place for demonstration, practice, study and recreation. It is the stimulus not only of the culture, but of the commerce of the whole countryside. All ages may go to its classes. Everything having to do with local living is part of its program — farming and forestry, folk dancing and games, health and nursing, home industries and house-keeping, and the marketing of the

things the people make and grow. The school has a demonstration farm, a forge for iron work, looms for weavers and benches for wood carvers.

Develop New Skills. Brasstown wood carvings are known wherever there is a market for southern mountain wares. Five of the best carvers taught in the school have earned as much as \$1,300 in one year by their spare-time skills. But the land is first and the people are taught to protect and preserve it. "Do not neglect your farm. Carving is for spare time, and for pleasure." That is advice that the school people give often, and with emphasis.

It should be made clear that the John C. Campbell program is more than the teaching of skills and methods. It is a program of ideas and attitudes. The school has made Brasstown (and that means the coves and the ridges for miles around) proud of its culture and its homes, and proud of the land. It has given the people an "appreciation" of what they have and are.

Moreover, it has made them community conscious, with some very practical results. Through study and leadership the school has developed a keen response to cooperative ideas. This has grown into a thriving producers-consumers' cooperative store, operating a retail business and a producing milk plant.

Work of Individual.

For this example of how to organize and guide a community living program, not only Brasstown, but the entire rural life movement is under a lasting obligation to Mrs. Campbell. She did her work largely unaided and with only the experience of the Danes to go by. The results achieved have been the product of her vision, personality and determination. A part of the school's support comes from the home missions of the Presbyterian church (North) and the American Missionary association, but the greatest share of the going expenses is raised by Mrs. Campbell's own efforts.

The next article will tell of community projects managed by rural pastors.

Speeding With Mules Legalized as Ancient Blue Laws Revoked

MT. CARMEL, ILL.—For the first time in the history of this town of 10,000, it now is legal to drive a mule "or other animal" 10 miles an hour on the streets and alleys or "five miles an hour around corners."

This and other ancient blue laws passed into oblivion when a new and streamlined city code went into effect.

Now the peace and quiet of Sunday afternoons may be shattered legally by youngsters playing baseball or even flying kites in the business district.

Other formerly illegal activities, which now are tolerated are the unhitching and feeding of horses in front of any property without permission of the property owner; the playing of a game of cards for amusement within confines of the city park.

Here's One Barber Who Never Talks

SPRINGFIELD, ILL. — Contrary to the prevailing trend among tonorial artists, one Springfield barber throughout his 12 years in the trade never has bored his customers with lengthy recitals on politics or weather or wonder oils for rindown scalps.

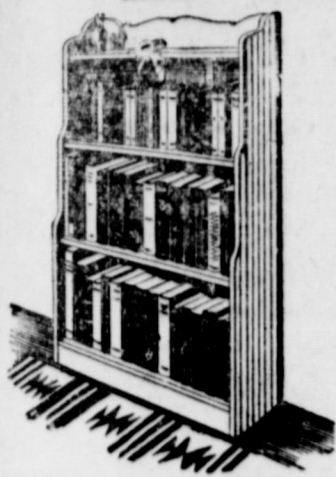
This novel barber, Bob Belford, who stands behind chair No. 5 in Jim Drew's barber shop here, has been a deaf mute since birth. But

some of his customers never are aware of his infirmity.

Barbers on either side of Belford act as interpreters for the customers, pointing out the tonic desired or gesturing for the various types of scalp treatments or a facial.

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About an hour later, when the hump crew prepared to switch out the cars that had been repaired, the yardmaster noticed that all the cars had been freshly chalked "DG."

"How can I tell the 'okay' cars from the 'bad orders'?" the yardmaster stormed, "and what in blazes does 'DG' mean?"

"Why, that's simple," the switchman replied, "it means 'Do Go' and 'Don't Go.'"

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THE LEOPARD'S SPOTS

By WILLIAM C. FORD

THE bank examiners were coming Monday. And Blake needed five thousand dollars.

He checked over some of his personal papers again as he sat in the President's office of his bank. No use! Nothing he could realize on right now. Good enough later, but no good to him before Monday.

His buzzer rang, and he put the papers away hastily. It was Carter, his cashier.

"Mr. Steinberg is here, Mr. Blake," said Carter on the extension phone. "He wants to renew his note again. He says it would break him to pay it now but he'll be on his feet in two months. I told him I'd have to speak with you."

Carter had been with him long, but he didn't take much responsibility.

"Let him renew it," said Blake. And he hung up.

He ran the pencil down his private papers again. No use. "Got to do something," he told himself.

He picked up his hat and hurried out.

On the street in front of the Lawyers' building he met Carter's daughter. A slender girl, she was, with fine hair, and skin, and a flush on each cheek that heightened as she came toward him.

"You're looking fine, Doris," he greeted her.

"Good morning, Mr. Blake. Oh, I'm feeling first rate, thank you," she said.

He looked at her. "Not overdoing, are you? What'd that doctor tell you this time?"

The girl set her mouth into a smile. "Oh, he was all right," she said. "Always has that silly notion about my going away for a while. But I told him I couldn't leave father. He says I'm doing fine."

Blake tapped her shoulder. "Cheer up, Doris. We'll fix it," he said. "Take it easy, as he told you."

Blake waved goodbye and swung into the doorway of the Lawyers' Building where his foster son Ernest practiced law.

Blake had brought up Ernest and educated him and started him out. Now Ernest was building a reputation as a two-fisted, hard-fighting jury lawyer.

"Hello, Governor," said Ernest. "What can I do for you?"

"Plenty," said Blake. "Plenty today. You know that five thousand dollar fund I set up for you when you were 21? Well, I want it for a little while — need some money in a hurry."

Ernest stopped on his way to the swivel chair behind his desk.

"That five thousand!" he exclaimed. "Why governor — you gave me that outright! I've made my plans on that — I — What do you want it for?"

"Does that make any difference?" "Well — it might — the way I'm fixed."

"All right then, if I must say it. It isn't everywhere I could go. I hap-

pen to need it in a hurry — The bank examiners are coming Monday."

"The bank examiners," said Ernest softly, and Blake saw the lines harden round his mouth.

"What I mean, Ernest — I'm not in a position to tell you the details. I tell you I need it — that ought to be enough."

Ernest straightened. "Of course. But right is right. I've got my prin-



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principles, Governor, and I've got a right to know if you've done something illegal."

Blake's eyes narrowed as he watched him.

"O. K. Ernie," said he. He rose. "Wait a minute, Governor," said Ernest. "Try to see it my way. I'm trying to do what's right. I can't go against my principles. You wouldn't want me to do that. I've noticed things lately, Governor — and I've felt for a long time I ought to talk to you about them."

Blake sat down. "Go ahead!" said he.

Ernest put the tips of his fingers together.

"Well, first, you're too easy going, Governor. You're not hard boiled enough for a banker. This being in a hole now proves it. Your borrowers know you'll always help them. You've got to get hard boiled."

Blake took a deep breath, and got up.

"All right, Ernest," said he. "Be hard boiled! That's that. The leopard ought to change his spots. Much obliged."

He started for the door.

"Hold on! There are a couple more things, while we're on it. Ernest held up a hand.

"All right, Ernest," Blake told him. "Let's have them."

"That daughter of Carter's — I saw you from the window when you met her just now. And you're old enough to be her father. She's crazy about you. Everybody knows it."

Blake smiled.

"Well, Ernie," he said. "I feel a bit flattered. Of course it's only a passing notion, if it's there at all; she'll get over it mighty quick. But she's a fine young woman, Ernest. Keeps house for her father now and has taken great care of him since her mother died."

"She's too good to him," Ernest snapped. "Better if she tried to get him to work out of his rut and make something of himself."

Blake got up.

"Don't be so righteous, Ernest," he said from the doorway.

He walked back to the bank. It



Internal Parasites Cut Yield of Wool

Year-Round Control Program Advocated

Most of the emphasis on parasite control in sheep has been tied up with faster gains, better lamb carcasses and prevention of damage to the intestinal walls of the animal. Attention of sheepmen now is being directed to the effect of internal



Producers must be insect free.

parasites on the yield of wool. Michigan State college is urging flock owners in that state to treat animals with phenothiazine to keep them in good condition and to get a heavier growth of wool. Phenothiazine is administered as a drench or in pellets, or mixed with salt and kept before the flock all the time. A dependable year-round program calls for individual treatment of all animals in fall and spring, and use of the phenothiazine-salt mixture throughout the pasture season. This is the program being followed by progressive sheepmen to keep parasites in check.

Soil Needs Nitrogen

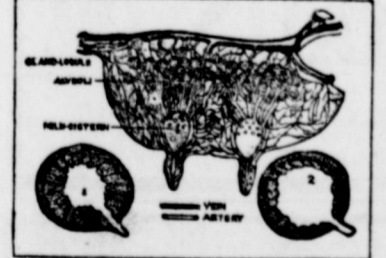
How lime, clover and crop residues increase the soil's nitrogen and organic matter supply and thus boost crop yields, is shown by the chart below. This drawing summarizes results of tests at the Dixon soil experiment field by University of Illinois agronomists. All three plots in the tests were limed and the crop rotation on each included corn, oats and wheat. One plot had no clover. The small grain straw was removed and the cornstalks were burned. This plot produced a four-year average of 57 bushels per acre. The second plot had the same

LIME-NO CLOVER	CORNSTALKS BURNED.
CORN - 57 BU.	
LIME-SWEET CLOVER	CORNSTALKS BURNED.
CORN - 81 BU.	
LIME-SWEET CLOVER	CORNSTALKS, OATS AND WHEAT STRAW PLOWED UNDER.
CORN - 88 BU.	

treatment, except that sweet clover was seeded in the wheat and plowed under as a green manure crop for corn. The increased nitrogen and organic matter from the clover boosted the corn yield 24 bushels. On the third plot, sweet clover was grown and in addition the cornstalks, oats straw and wheat straw were returned to the soil. The extra organic matter, nitrogen and other plant foods thus saved and returned in the crop residues gave the soil "what it takes" to yield 88 bushels of corn per acre.

High Milk Producers Required for Profit

The size of the milk wells is a true measure of the size of the milk veins. This diagram of the udder structure by Clemson Agricultural college shows the udder structure in detail. If the end of the vein is forked, two or three milk wells



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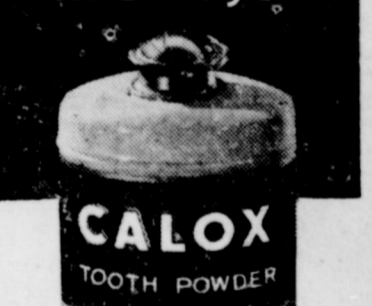
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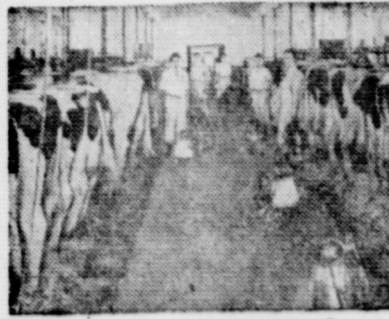
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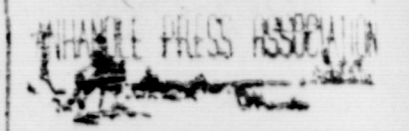
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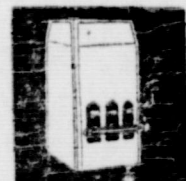
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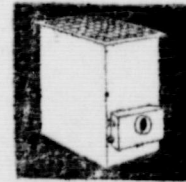
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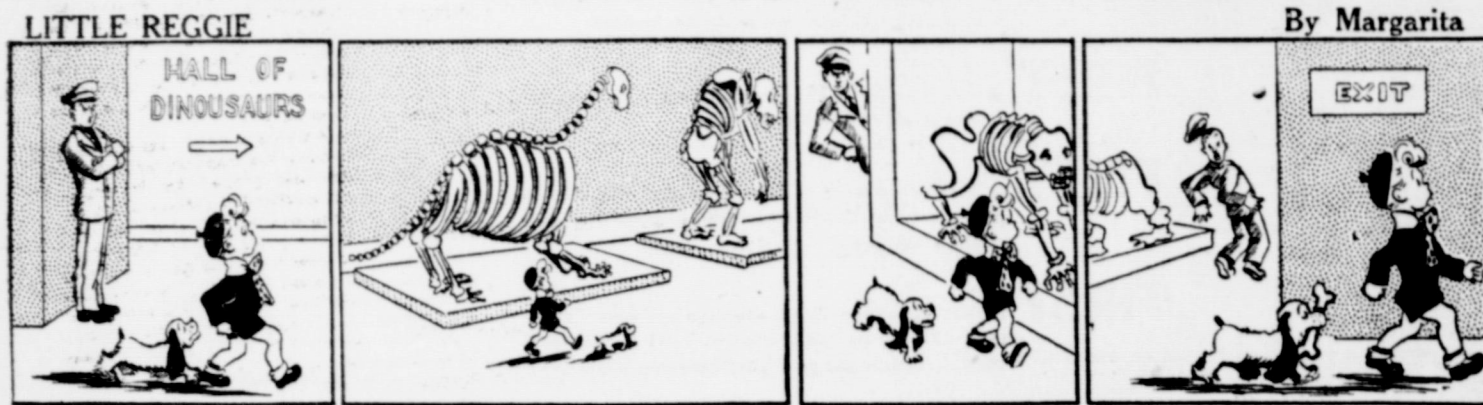
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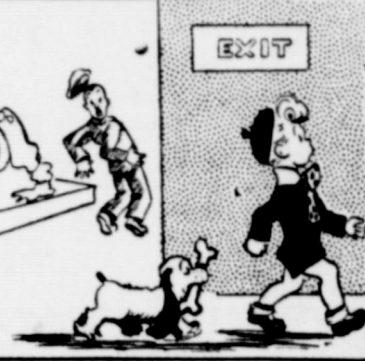
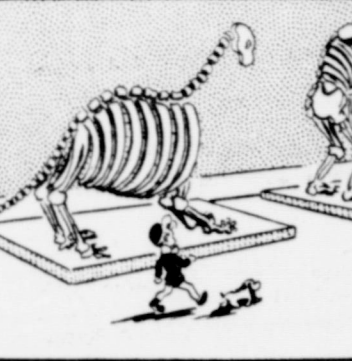
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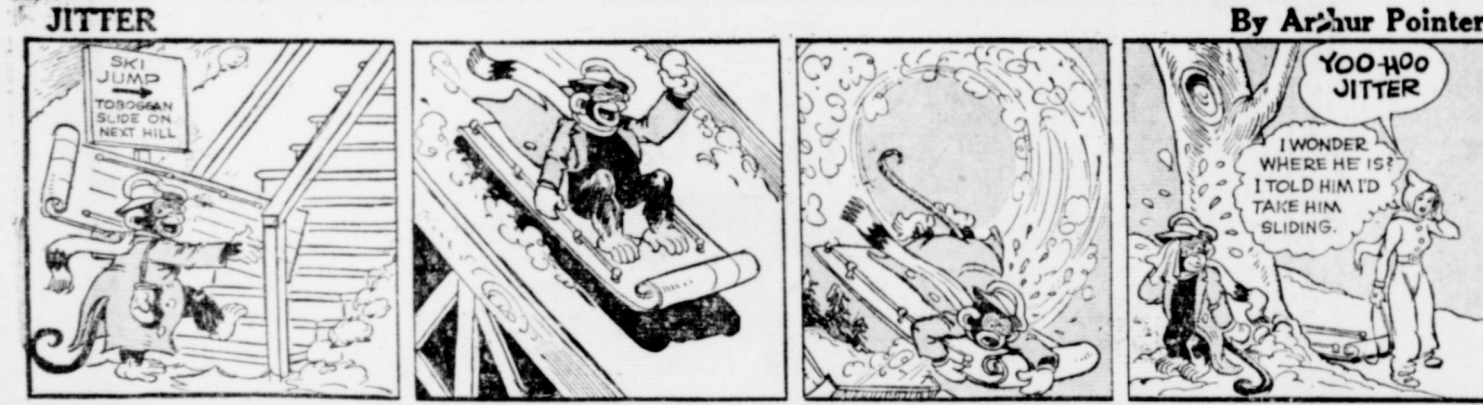
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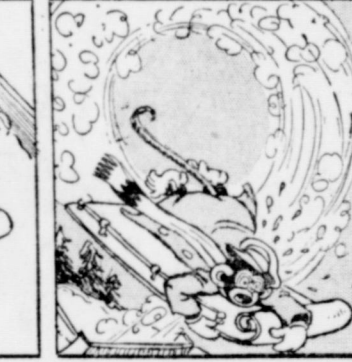
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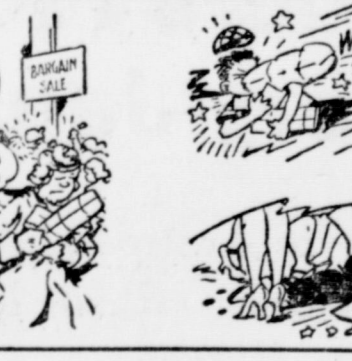
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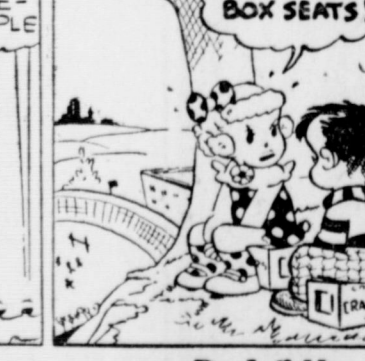
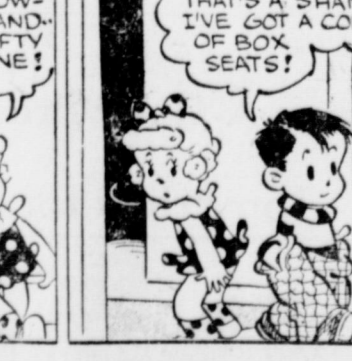
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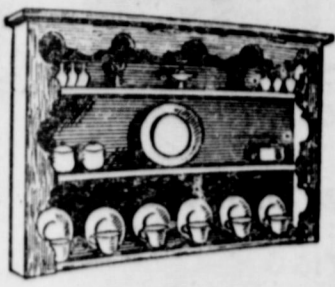
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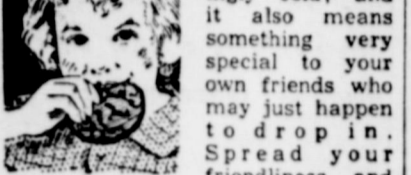
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Old and New Cookie Favorites Rank High For Snack Purposes

Do you like to have people dropping in just to be neighborly? Do you have youngsters who bring their friends home often? Then you'll want to have the cookie jar well stocked at all times with old favorites and new.

A cup of hot chocolate and a cookie mean something to every youngster, especially when the weather is biting cold; and it also means something very special to your own friends who may just happen to drop in.



Spread your friendliness and cheer in this way with others and you'll be a happier person.

It's easy to have cookies on hand if you select those that are quick to fix and easy to keep. You'll feel a lot easier about inviting people in if there's always a snack or two ready.

In view of the prevailing high cost of butter and shortenings, the cookie baker must be careful to select recipes that spare these precious products.

Nut Macaroons. (Makes 3 1/2 dozen)
4 egg whites
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon almond extract
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
3/4 cup sugar
3 cups cornflakes, slightly crushed
1 cup pecans, coarsely chopped
1 cup coconut

Add salt to whites and beat to a coarse foam. Add flavorings. Add sugar by one tablespoon proportions, continuing beating until liquid is stiff and glossy. Fold in cornflakes, nuts and coconut. Drop from teaspoon onto well-greased baking sheet. Bake in a moderate (350 degree) oven until delicately browned, about 15 minutes. Remove promptly from baking sheet.



Dates and syrup keep the sugar content low on these Date Drops. They stay fresh and moist for a long time, if they last, in a cookie jar or covered cookie tin. Use for snacks and lunch boxes.

If you like crunchy, fruity cookies, make these Date Drops. You'll find they keep nicely in a cookie jar.

Date Drop Cookies. (Makes 4 dozen)
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon ginger
1/2 cup shortening
1/4 cup brown sugar
3/4 cup bottled corn syrup (dark)
1 egg, beaten
2 tablespoons milk
1 tablespoon orange juice
2 teaspoons grated orange rind
1 cup chopped dates

Sift flour, measure and sift again with baking powder, salt, cinnamon and ginger. Cream shortening, add sugar and beat until light and fluffy. Add corn syrup and then egg, mixing well after each has been added. Add dry ingredients alternately with milk and orange juice to creamed mixture. Stir in orange rind and dates. Drop by spoonfuls on greased baking sheet. Bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees) about 10 to 12 minutes or until golden brown.

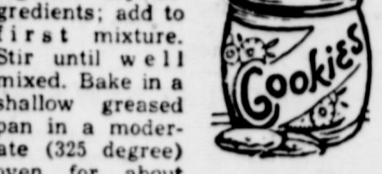
Date Dainties. (Makes 25 1 1/2-inch squares)
2 cups chopped dates
1 cup nutmeats, chopped
1 teaspoon vanilla
3/4 cup sugar
3 eggs, beaten
1 cup flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt

LYNN SAYS:
Solve That Leftover Problem Easily
Meat juices and gravy are excellent to use with meat or even vegetables for flavor.
Cooked cereals may be chilled and sliced, fried and served with jelly or syrup.
Canned fruit juices are easy to use in fruit salad dressing, such as thinning mayonnaise, pudding sauces, flavoring milk or basting meat. Use also for liquid or any part thereof in gelatin salads or desserts.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Fried Liver with Onions
Mashed Potatoes Cream Gravy
Grapefruit, Apple and Pear Salad
Buttered Corn Kernels
Hot Biscuits
Baked Custard *Fruit Nuggets
*Recipe given.

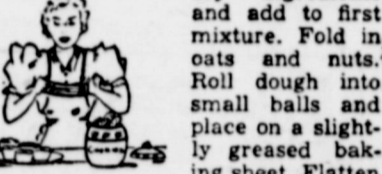
Put dates, nuts, vanilla, sugar and beaten eggs in a bowl and mix thoroughly. Sift together dry ingredients; add to first mixture. Stir until well mixed. Bake in a shallow greased pan in a moderate (325 degree) oven for about 50 minutes. Cut in squares and sprinkle with powdered sugar.



Oatmeal Crunchies. (Makes 30)
1/2 cup shortening
1 cup brown sugar
1 egg, well beaten
1 cup flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup rolled oats
1/2 cup chopped pecans

Cream sugar, shortening and egg. Beat until well blended. Sift together dry ingredients and add to first mixture. Fold in oats and nuts. Roll dough into small balls and place on a slightly greased baking sheet. Flatten balls slightly and bake in an oven set at 400 degrees for about 10 minutes.

***Fruit Nuggets.** (Makes 5 dozen)
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 1/4 cups brown sugar
1/2 cup shortening
3 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup currants
1/2 cup chopped mixed fruit (candied cherries, citrus fruit peel, etc.)
1 cup chopped pecans
1 tablespoon milk



Sift together first four ingredients; add sugar; mix in shortening with a fork. Add unbeaten eggs and flavoring and mix thoroughly. Add fruit, nuts and milk. Drop by spoonfuls on a greased baking sheet. Bake in a moderate (375 degree) oven for 10 to 12 minutes.

You'll find an interesting combination of flavors in these Nut Macaroons. They're a nice, crunchy, low-calorie snack which will fill many roles in your home entertaining.

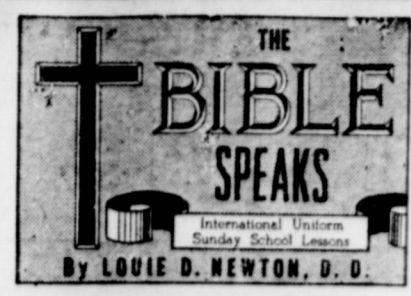


Scotch Shortbread. (Makes 3 dozen)
1/2 cup butter
1/2 cup powdered sugar
2 egg yolks
2 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon baking powder

Mix butter and sugar together well. Add egg yolks. Fold in sifted dry ingredients. Roll out 1/4 inch thick; cut in desired shapes. Prick with a fork. Place on baking sheet and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) about 20 minutes or until a delicate golden brown.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS
Holding onions under water while peeling makes it a tearless process, and keeps the onion odor from penetrating. . . . To flour chickens evenly for frying, place the flour in a paper sack, then the pieces of chicken, and shake vigorously. . . . Adding a teaspoon of lemon juice to the water in which rice is boiled will help separate the grains of rice.
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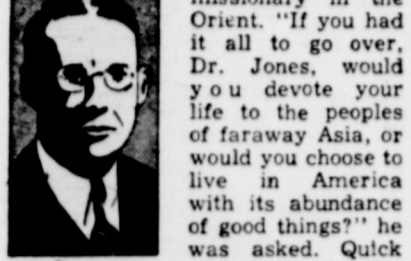
Leftover breads, rolls and crackers may be toasted and served with spread. If they are very hard and old, have them thoroughly dry or toasted and then put through the food chopper for bread crumbs.
The best way to keep lettuce is to wrap it in waxed paper and place it in the refrigerator unwashed. It is likely to turn brown if it is washed.
Soured milk and cream may be used to make gravy for meats, such as veal. Also use them for baking breads, cakes or cookies.



SCRIPTURE: II Corinthians 5:20 to 6:10; Hebrews 11; DEVOTIONAL READING: Romans 12:9-21.

When We Work With God
Lesson for January 25, 1948

DR. E. STANLEY JONES was in Atlanta on one of his several visits, and some of us were asking him about his notable and unique experience as a missionary in the Orient. "If you had it all to go over, Dr. Jones, would you devote your life to the peoples of faraway Asia, or would you choose to live in America with its abundance of good things?" He was asked. Quick as a flash of lightning he replied: "If I had a thousand lives to give, they would all gladly go to the wistful souls of Asia."



Paul would have been enheartened in the day that he wrote II Corinthians 5:20 to 6:10, and Romans 12:9-21, to have heard someone talk as Dr. Jones talked that afternoon, for in our lesson for Sunday, Paul is summoning every Christian to the highest possible commitment to the will of God as we go forth in the task to beseech all men to be reconciled unto God through Jesus Christ, who hath taken upon himself the iniquity of us all, "that we might be made the righteousness of God in him."

Thus we come to see the significance and the meaning of the memory verse for Sunday's lesson, "We are fellow workmen for God," I Corinthians 3:9.

PEOPLE WHO WORK WITH GOD
READ Hebrews' 11th chapter for a picture of some of the noble souls who really worked with God, by faith, as the writer delights to put it.

Abraham, for example, "went out, not knowing whither he went," but when he came to the end of life's day, he was accounted the friend of God. Moses, "choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season, esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures of Egypt, endured as seeing him who is invisible."

HOW WE WORK WITH GOD
READ again that eleventh chapter of Romans to discover how the men and women named there worked with God. Two words will quickly come to light — faith and obedience. They believed God, and they obeyed God. Junior boys and girls will do well to recall some of the heroes of history — men like Washington and Lincoln and Lee — and in every instance you will discover that they, too, believed God and obeyed God. Remember the story of Washington kneeling in prayer in the snow at Valley Forge?

We cannot work with God unless and until we believe and obey him. "Can two walk together except they be agreed?" You cannot please your earthly father unless you believe him and obey him.

GOOD WORKMEN ESSENTIAL
WE COME now to the deeper implications of the lesson, revealed in II Corinthians 5:20 to 6:10. "We then, as workers together with him, beseech you also that ye receive not the grace of God in vain; but in all things approving ourselves in much patience, in afflictions, in distresses, in watchings, by kindness, by love unfeigned, by the power of God. . . ."

Here is the acid test of doing the work of an ambassador of Christ — we must first be fully committed to him before we can persuade others to accept him as Saviour and Lord. We shall not have better homes and better churches until we first have better Christians. We shall not have better business until we first have better business men.

And the only way by which we become good workmen is through the redeeming, transforming grace of the Lord Jesus Christ.

JOY OF WORKING WITH GOD
WHY did Dr. E. Stanley Jones answer so quickly about giving a thousand lives to the benighted, wistful souls of Asia? Because he had discovered the unspeakable joy of working with God in reconciling men unto him. The largest, surest wages in this world is the experience of working for and with God. "What I kept, I lost; what I gave, I have."

Do you believe it? It is difficult to believe until you try it. Indeed, I would say that it is beyond all imagination to grasp the meaning of working with God. You have to take Christ at exactly what he meant when he said, "Come and see."

"When we walk with the Lord, in the light of his word, what a glory he sheds on our way!"

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Last Wednesday the Fire Department entertained members of the cast of "Fun For You" with a supper at at the Legion Hall.

At a recent meeting of the Fire Department, C A Doss was elected Secretary and Treasurer. There are openings for 3 firemen on the department, according to Fire Chief F M Jones.

BERRY FLAT NEWS

Mr and Mrs W W Staggs and children visited in Ropes Sunday. Billy Simpson and James Rains spent Sunday in the John Berry home.

Rev Monroe Teeter will preach at Berry Flat Sunday afternoon Jan 25th at 2:30 P M. Everyone is invited to attend.

Several young people from Berry Flat attended a party given by Dorothy Bradshaw Saturday nite. Mrs. R I Rains is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Outhouse at Portales. N M

Mr and Mrs. Robbie Lane, Billy and LaQuita visited in Causey, N M last week.



LOOKING AHEAD
BY GEORGE S. BENSON
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An Echo Testifies

President Truman recently suggested that price controls might have to be used to meet the present emergency. Here is a bit of history. It is an echo from government managed economy that keeps on testifying to the ill effects of government managed economy. During the war the government kept prices of crude oil at an abnormal low. This column called attention to that fact then, indicating there would be a future shortage of oil.

Wild-cat operators and small companies find most of the new pools and sell much of the crude oil. But prices during the war kept wild-catters from buying adequate equipment. It didn't pay. Machinery and wages kept going up, but the price of oil was held low. Instead of buying new rigs for new wells, oil men removed old rigs from low producing wells that would have been kept in production if the price of oil had been favorable.

How to Stall Industry

There was less searching for new fields, because oil prices were so out of line with cost of labor and machinery. The risk was too often a losing proposition. This unwise control continued so long that a grave shortage developed in oil field equipment, in oil well pipe lines, and even in refineries. Now we are reaping the harvest. Many will go cold this winter. Gasoline may be short in some areas, and industrial fuel scarce.

One big operator said to me during that period: "To help win a war I am operating present equipment at full capacity. But I am making only about 1/4 of 1 per cent profit on my investment. Consequently, I am not spending new money for expansion of my business. A man can't risk his capital when there is only a chance of 1/4 of 1 per cent profit even if the venture proves entirely successful, and 100 per cent loss if it fails, as many of them do in the oil business."

Sad Picture Now

On November 12 Oscar L. Chapman, Under-secretary of Interior, told the American Petroleum Institute in Chicago: "We face critical times, critical for all of us, and for the competitive freedom of the petroleum industry. This winter for the first time in its peacetime history, the oil industry will be unable to meet the full needs of the American people."

The oil people may come through with another miracle as they did during the war. They may actually meet the demand, even though this well-informed government official thinks they cannot. I am awfully slow to put a limit on what free men in a free country can do. But it must be said that the present threat of fuel shortage results from the abnormally low price that government maintained on crude oil during the war and thereafter.

The Danger is There

This should underscore the danger of giving the government power to set prices. Even now, such power can be misused. It could happen that price control now might well obstruct the building of homes, hospitals, and factories -- five years from now. Free markets and free prices are the only sane controls. These have given America higher wages for workers, better income for farmers, and better living conditions than any other system. Let us have the courage of good citizenship to keep freedom and do what we know we should do.

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