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Local News

Billie Archer and Mertie Bailey of Lamesa are visiting the Joe Kirkpatricks

RETURN FROM CAMP POST

Eddie Thompson, Charles Holcomb, Odell Howard, Buddy Veach, Harold Sanders and Leo Barrington returned Saturday from a week's stay at Camp Post.

Mr and Mrs Arch Proctor

have moved to Brownfield where Mr. Proctor is employed.

Mr and Mrs Ben Moore, sr and Elvin Ray Moore visited in Austin over the week end.

Mr and Mrs A H Boates of Brownfield visited his father and sisters here Sunday.

Miss Glenna Weeks of Klondike is visiting Mr and Mrs James Crumley.

Mrs Ella McLaurin had as guests Omah McLaurin and family, M L McLaurin, Miss Verna Mae Hilton of Pecos, Bud McLaurin and family of Justiceberg and the group went to the home of the Woodrow McLaurins for Sunday dinner.

Mrs Frank Stamps of Dime Box is visiting Mrs. O. G. Smith, sr.

Helen Jean Hoffman is at Camp at Los Leimitas at Buffalo Lake near Lubbock.

C L Davis is visiting a son R C Davis at Olney.

Mr and Mrs R L Cathey and Mrs M L Cathey visited Mr and Mrs Dode Miller Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Hamp Thompson and family and Mr and Mrs Loyd Davis visited in Grassland Sunday.

Miss Patsy Sutton is visiting her sister Mrs Aubrey Carpenter at Lamesa.

Mr and Mrs Cicero Arnett spent the week end in Lamesa.

Mr and Mrs J T Middleton sr had all their children home Sunday the occasion being a reunion with their daughter and family Capt. and Mrs John Jewett who have recently returned from a tour of duty in Germany. Those home were Mrs Tofay of Hot Springs, N M, Mrs Maurice Day of Houston, Mr and Mrs Lewis Thomas and children of Lubbock and Mr and Mrs J T Middleton, Jr. Capt. Jewett will be stationed at El Paso.

James Bowlin left Sunday for McAllen where he has purchased a gin.

Mr and Mrs Perry Howard spent the week end in Littlefield.

Mrs. T L Taylor of Muleshoe is visiting her sister Mrs Cora Beasly and others.

Mrs Henry Harris and Mr and Mrs Max Harris and Ronnie of Lamesa visited Mr and Mrs Buster Harris at Lubbock Thursday.

Mrs B B Foreman and daughter visited relatives in Colorado City last week.

Milk Cows for sale; see Teeter

See The Nice Gift Sets For Dad At Corner Drug

O E S CALLED MEETING

All O. E. S. officers are asked to be at the Masonic Hall Monday June 19th at 2 p m to practice for initiation which is to be held that night at 8 p m; O E S visitors are welcome. Mrs Vera Vaughn W M.

DORCAS CLASS MEETS

The Dorcas Class met with Mrs C H Mansell Friday afternoon. Mrs Stubblefield brought the inspiring devotional and Mrs Hancock the prayer. After a social hour and the exchanging of gifts, the hostess served delicious punch, open face sandwiches and cookies.

Mr and Mrs Harlan Austin, Mr and Mrs Bob Granath of Hobbs visited Mrs Henry Harris over the week end.

Mr and Mrs Dick Harris and Dickie Marie spent the week end in Ballinger visiting relatives.

Mr and Mrs E W Summers will leave Friday for Gatesville on a vacation.

Mrs R O Baggett and daughter Ina Joyce returned last week from a month's stay at Corsicana where Ina underwent medical treatment.

Mrs Alma Dean of Clamoren, Kansas is visiting relatives here.

Mrs James Bowlin went thru a Lubbock clinic last week.

The Thursday Bridge Club will meet Thursday with Mrs Homer Hardberger.

Joe Brewer and son Lanny spent Sunday in Post.

Mrs Llewellyn Notley of Teague and Mrs Don Phillips of Las Alamos, N M visited Mr and Mrs H G Hackelman last week.

Miss Peggy Etter of Tech, spent the week end at home.

Mrs W E Holcomb has returned after a visit at Waco.

Mr and Mrs E W Summers and family and Mr and Mrs Geo. Ballard visited in Hamlin Sunday.

Mr and Mrs H J Land visited in Odessa Sunday and Mrs Land stayed for a visit with her sister who is ill.

Mr and Mrs J C Griffin of Lubbock visited her parents the J R Cunninghams.

Mrs. Burley Brewer and son have returned from San Antonio.

Mrs Carrie Eckridge of San Francisco, Calif. visited Mrs W E Holcomb last week and returned by plane to her home.

Mr and Mrs Ervin Jones spent Sunday in Anton.

Mrs B D Ballew and Doris and children visited Donald Ballew and family at Brownfield Friday.

Mr and Mrs H V Conrad visited Mr and Mrs Frank Brien in Tahoka Sunday.

Mr and Mrs R E Hargis and family have returned from a visit to Gatesville and other East Texas points.

Mr and Mrs Otis Harris and children and Mr and Mrs O L Harris spent the week end in Uvalde attending the Harris reunion.

Mr and Mrs Golden Turpin and son Ulysses of Romance, Ark have been visiting their son and brother, the Rev. Calvin C Turpin, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church; they plan to return to their home in Arkansas next week.

Mr and Mrs Harvey Castleberry attended the funeral of a nephew at Rochester last week; the youth was a veteran of World War II and had been in a Veterans hospital at Amarillo prior to his death.

Mrs Betty Terry received word that her grandson Pfc Rex Marshall, jr is able to be up and around at the home of his parents at Friona after being in the Veterans hospital at Amarillo for 19 days; he accidentally shot himself after being home from Saipan only 6 days.

Congratulations to Mr and Mrs A E Ewing nee Mary Brown on the arrival of a fine son born June 5th at Price hospital.

Mr and Mrs James Crumley and family visited his parents at Lamesa Sunday.

Misses Treva and Geneva Gibson of Welch spent last week with her aunt and family, the G L Isaacs.

Mr and Mrs G L Isaacs visited J C Isaacs in Harmony community Sunday.

Fire Boys Are At Convention

Those from the O'Donnell Fire Department attending the State Firemen's Convention June 13 thru 15th at Wichita Falls are David Thompson, Fire Marshall and Oscar Veach and Curt Finley, firemen. O'Donnell has one of the best Fire Departments in Texas, in the classification of towns under 2,000. F. M. Jones is Chief.

MISS FANNON WEDS

Miss Puietta Fannon, daughter of Mr and Mrs Clyde Fannon and Jimmie Crawford, son of Mrs J D Crawford, both of here were married in a double ring ceremony performed Saturday afternoon at 2 p m in the home of Mr and Mrs J E Sherrill, jr at Tahoka. Ernest West, Church of Christ minister officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a powder blue garden suit with white accessories and carried white roses on a white Bible. Miss Jerry Schooler of here and maid of honor was dressed in white pique with light blue accessories and a pink carnation corsage. Mr Sherrill served as best man.

After a wedding trip to Colorado Springs, the couple will be at home in Lubbock. For travel the bride wore a navy blue crepe dress with white accessories. Mrs Crawford is a student at a business college at Lubbock and Mr Crawford was a May graduate from West Texas State College. Gur best wishes.

CONCERT TO BE HERE 19th

The Otis Echols Quartet will give a concert here Monday night June 19th at the school auditorium at 8 p m and is sponsored by the Euzelean class. Admission is 50 c and 25 c.

Caswell Well To Start Wednesday

The Magnolia 1-4th mile west offset to the recent Pennsylvania lime discovery in southeast Lynn Co. will begin June 14th -- this Wednesday. The well will be to 3,750 feet. Production from open hole on the discovery was 244 barrels on the well is flowing. The offset is on the W W Caswell farm.

Tuesday the Index had calls from drilling crews for housing and trailer parking camps. O'Donnell is missing a bet if we let this oil business go to other towns.

Clarence Lacey, of Ackerley is ill in a Lamesa hospital and will probably undergo surgery.

Mrs Hulon Boleh underwent surgery at a Lubbock hospital this week.

Mr and Mrs Geo. Morris of Tahoka visited Mr and Mrs Harvey Line Sunday.

Home Accidents Take Big Toll

Home accidents took 30,500 lives in the nation last year and falls are listed as "public enemy No. 1" so far as the home is concerned for they led the home accident list. Too many home injuries, says Mrs. Bernice Claytor, extension home management specialist of Texas A and M, College, are caused by faulty steps and stairs and she offers these suggestions for improving the situation.

She says it is dangerous economy to build steep stairways to save space, especially if they are frequently used. The treads of steps should be deep enough to hold the weight of the foot securely, and the risers just high enough for comfortable stepping. She says treads 10 inches deep, with a one-inch overhang and with risers seven and one-half inches high are also satisfactory. If space is a problem, she says it may be better to use a pull-down ladder from the attic store room rather than to build extremely steep stairs. Don't forget, she adds, that at least seven feet of space should be left between the stairs and the ceiling.

Stair steps need to be uniform. Off-measurement steps break the even stride and may cause a fall. Spiral staircases are a hazard because treads are tapered to the turn and two straight runs of stairs set at right angles with a square landing between are safer.

Every stairway should have the protection of a handrail, low enough for children. Steep stairways need handrails on both sides. Good clear lighting for stairs, doorsteps and porch steps is a necessity. Cellular steps too often are poorly lighted. Mrs. Claytor says, and she suggests painting them white. It is a good safety measure to keep a flashlight handy for use when climbing such stairways, she adds.

Mrs. Claytor points out that wax should be omitted or used very sparingly on stairs. Loose scatter rugs should not be used at the top or bottom of a stairway. Carpeting is desirable for the stairs but should be fastened securely on each step and kept in good repair to prevent slips and falls. Loose boards or nails in steps and stairs have caused many falls and certainly, she adds, steps and stairs are no place to store toys, boxes, trash, brooms, mops and the many other articles that seem to find a place there. Lastly, she says take it easy when going up or down stairs and never carry a load so large that you can't see where you are stepping.

Cicero, The Curious Cloud Causes

Hail Over Area

Friday evening from 7:30 p m to about 9:30 p m this area was pestered with a visit from Cicero, the Curious Cloud which in an area of some 40 sections brought hard rains, wind and hailed out an estimated 20 sections completely.

The cloud bank formed to the north and northeast at about 5 p m after a burning hot day. One detached cloud, called Cicero, seemed nose and did dip toward the ground but was not a twister in the real sense. The path of the storm was generally to the north and east of town being some 15 miles long and two to 1 mile wide.

The blunt of the storm was felt from the C C Schooler farm east to Draw and south to the G C Aten farm. The T A Harris family lost some window glass from hail stones as big as eggs and trees were flattened. Mrs Harris said the wind did have a noticeable twist but was not a tornado. Most of the hailed out land is being replanted this week to cotton. Average rain in the storm's path ran about 3 inches in less than an hour's time.

In August of 1948 the last big hail storm was caused by Herman The Cloud; John Earles told the Index he still remembers a Herman "C" generally are very good, and some chopping is in progress.

Soft Ball News

In the City league soft ball play the following are the results: Tuesday the Co-Op defeated the Hi school 11 to 7.

Thursday the Hi school defeated the Lane Plumbers 30 to 2.

Monday this week Lane Plumbers defeated Hunts 11 to 8.

This week and next week's schedule:

Tues.: Co-op vs H. and S.
Thurs.: Hunts vs. Hi school
Mon. June 19th Co-op vs. Lane
Tues. June 20th H and S vs High school.

Team Standings

Co-op 1 0
H and S. 1 0
Hi School 1 1
Lane plumbers 1 1
Hunts 0 2

Mr and Mrs Floyd Myers and daughter of Clayton spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Harvey McKee.

Mrs R W Hefton of Bull Shoals, Ark. Mr and Mrs Dan Leverett and children of Holester, Calif., Mrs Tom Cashion and daughter of Coolidge, Ariz., are visiting in the home of Mr and Mrs Harvey McKee.

Local Team Entered in Legion Ball Program

Following is the schedule of the American Legion soft ball team in the District Legion program: (South Half)

June 13th Spur at O'Donnell
June 16th O'Donnell at Brownfield

June 21st Ralls at O'Donnell
June 23rd O'Donnell at Level-land

June 26th Slaton at O'Donnell
June 30th O'Donnell at Spur
June 28th O'Donnell at Lubbock
July 2nd Brownfield at O'Donnell

July 7th O'Donnell at Ralls
July 10th Levelland at O'Donnell
July 12th O'Donnell at Slaton
July 14th Lubbock at O'Donnell

All games will be at 4 p m of the day set and winners of the north and south half will meet in a play off at Lubbock.

TOWN'S POPULATION IS 1468

Tuesday noon the Index was notified by the District Census director that the town's unofficial population was 1468 subjected to later minor corrections. This is a net gain of 281 people from the 1940 census of 1187 or a gain of 24 percent in 10 years. This figure was a disappointment to many who expected the town to hit over 2,000.

1.7th Miles Road Added To Borden Project

Commissioner Hubert Walker said this week that he had received the formal o. k from the Highway Commission to add 1.7 miles more paving to the 10.5 miles now being paved. The addition will run toward Gail and the Highway Department will build the additional mileage soon. Hot topping is expected to start this week on the 10.5 miles of road.

Legion Hopes To Start Building This Year

Plans are being drawn up for the building this summer or fall of a new American Legion hall to be used jointly as a community center. The building will be 70 feet by 125 feet and will be on the Legion's property south of the present hall. The building will cost approximately \$30,000. On the building committee are: Ralph Beach, J C Harris, John Etter, Guy Bradley and J W Gardenhire.

Bible School In Progress At Methodist Church

A large attendance is reported at the vacation Bible school at the Methodist church. The school continues thru this week and next and is from 9 to 11 a m daily.

"Sky-juice" Kelles Is Visitor Here Last Week

A welcome visitor to the Temple of Truth, Postmaster Nobles and C H Mansell were Mr and Mrs T J. "Sky-juice" Kellis, formerly of Arizona and enroute to his new home in Archer Co. Mr. Kellis was publisher of the Index from about 1926 to 1929 and he well remembered by many of the long time residents here. He has promised the Index a letter in his old style of humor that made the Index so popular a quarter of a century ago.

Cub Scouts Have Train Ride And Picnic

Friday a group of Cub Scouts and their den mothers enjoyed a train ride to Lamesa, had lunch at the park and visited the radio station. Cub scouts and their dads who enjoyed the camping trip to Post Saturday were J W Gardenhire and son Tommy, Holland Simpson and Wayne, Willie White and Kenneth, Arch Proctor and Arch, jr, S M Clayton, and Sumner, 3rd, Joe Brewer and Lanny, Carr Sprabery and David.

Mr and Mrs I M Davis and son visited in Waxahachie Sunday and Kell stayed for a baseball school which will last a month.

Mrs Cathey Bagwell and children of Dallas are visiting her parents Mr and Mrs Pose Mansell.

Mr and Mrs Boyce Allen and children of Odessa visited her parents Mr and Mrs Jesse Lane Sunday.

Mrs Mary Vaughn, her son and wife of Oklahoma City visited Mr and Mrs F I Vaughn and other relatives here last week.

Mr and Mrs Glen Gibson and Dianne, Miss Helen Stokes, Mr and Mrs James Wiese and family, J D Stewart and Sam Bigler of Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, spent Sunday at the Sweetwater Lake.

Miss Wanda Cunningham is visiting in Lubbock this week.

FOR SALE:

2 room House and Bath

one lot and half; 1 block

East Mack's Grocery, see

Edwards at Park-In Gro.

and Market; O'Donnell

Reunion Is Enjoyed

Brother and sister reunion was held at the B K Cooley home Sunday; attending were: Elvin Cooley, Mr and Mrs R H Cooley, Mrs Ruby Bishop of Hamlin, J D Cooley and daughter, Mr and Mrs Calvin Cooley and sons, of Abilene and Mrs Y C Watts and son of Sweetwater, Mrs Vincent Thomas and daughters of Miami, Ariz., Mr and Mrs Jim O'Neal of Edinberg, and Mrs C J Cooley and family. Mr and Mrs Otis O'Neal of Plains, Mr and Mrs James O'Neal of Tokio and Mrs Kille of Sonora, Mr and Mrs H V Cooley and family, Mr and Mrs Leroy Mensch, and Mr and Mrs B K Cooley of O'Donnell and Mr and Mrs Gerald Renfro and family of Hamlin.

Tubb Coming Back As A Coach

Signing of Gano Tubb as high school basketball coach was announced this week by school officials. Tubb, who coached here in '47 and '48 has been at Levelland since that time. Before coming to Levelland he spent nine years at Levelland. His best years at Levelland were in 1945 and 1946 when he coached the Lobos to the state basketball championship. Four other years his etmas advanced to the regional playoff. The past season Levelland won the District 4 A crown but was beat in the first game of the region at finals by Canyon, eventual state champions. Tubb and his family are now in Oklahoma but are moving here next month.

Attends Church Meet

Four delegates from O'Donnell attended the Northwest Texas Conference Youth Assembly at McMurry college last week. More than 400 hi school and college students arrived last Monday for the six day session. The Rev. Alsie Carleton, pastor of the Big Spring Methodist church, was speaker. Delegates from here were Marguerite Carlisle, Virginia Sanders and Sue Smith.

Girls Chorus Meets On Wednesday

The All Girl Chorus met last Wednesday night in the recreation room of the Methodist Church for practice and election of officers. The organization is sponsored by Mrs Cecil Pearce and Mrs Darris Sumrow with Carolyn Pearce, president, Mary Frances Sanders, vice president and Nana Beth Cos, secretary and treasurer. All girls interested in Choral singing are urged to attend each Wednesday night at 8 p m in the recreation room of the Methodist church.

Grain Support Price To Be Announced Soon

Congressman George Mahon advised early this week that Department of Agriculture officials had informed him that all the papers had been prepared for an announcement of the support price loan on grain sorghum. The announcement has been held up for weeks pending Senate passage of a bill increasing the capital stock of the Commodity Credit Corporation. The Senate acted on June 6th passing the bill which the House had approved last March 23rd. Mahon stated that Presidential approval of the pending measure was expected soon and that within a few hours after the President signs the bill, the grain sorghum loan will be announced. Mahon said that the support price on grain sorghum might possibly be announced before the end of the week.

Mr J P Bowlin sr left for Dallas Sunday.

Dad wants a New Era shirt or sport shirt for FATHER'S DAY June 18



They're "TOPS" for POPS!
Give Dad the shirt or sport shirt he'd pick out for himself—tailored by the master craftsmen of New Era. They're real beauties—handsomely styled, attractively priced. In Dad's favorite fabrics and colors.
**O'DONNELL BARGAIN STORE
MRS E. CLEMAGE**

Singleton APPLIANCE

Watch for the opening date of Western Auto Supply Store

COMPLETE LINE OF AIR CONDITIONERS
Domestic Sewing Machines
All Gas and Electrical Appliances

BROADWAY AND MAIN STREET

This Guy Khrustalev Must Have a Lot of Crust, Making Fun of Poor Old Joe Stalin That Way

By BILLY ROSE

Generalissimo Joseph V. Stalin
Chairman, Council of Ministers
Kremlin, Moscow, U. S. S. R.

Dear Joe:

If I may be so bold, I'd like to call your attention to a matter which is no laughing matter, even though it's been getting a lot of laughs lately. Namely, the recent efforts of your propaganda boys to win friends and influence people in this part of the world.

Take, for instance, last winter's lollapalooza about how your engineers were nudging mountains with uranium. We degenerate democrats, whether you know it or not, are a fact-minded people who thrive on details. When a fellow says he's Napoleon we want to see his birth certificate, and when he's atomized an Alp we want to see the hole in the ground.

Then there were the recent hum-dingers which claimed that every doodad from the wheel to the flying saucer had been invented by a Russian. Now, I can't doubt that many an important idea has been hatched between the carpathians and the Urals, but when your propaganda machine gives the rest of the world credit for nothing but the Lindy hop and the bubonic plague, a lot of folks who might otherwise be friendly begin to titter—and even your legitimate claims get lost in the chuckle.

OUR MASS REACTIONS were neatly summed up a few months ago when The New Yorker cartooned a group of your agents in China discussing policy. "The main thing is to handle them with tact,"



Billy Rose

said one of them. Let them think they invented gunpowder." Some issues later, the same periodical ran another captious cartoon in which several Politburocrats were debating the question, "Shall we invent television now or wait until they perfect color?"

As another, and admittedly picaresque, example of what I'm getting at, let me tell you about my own experiences with your editors and copywriters.

Every now and occasionally, as some idle-eye in your press division has apparently noticed, I take a playful poke at your regime in my column — an event which certainly doesn't figure to precipitate a crisis of state. But instead of filing it in the wastebasket and going about their business, your name-callers have twice made the mistake of answering back — and both times with the finesse of a lumberjack trying to fat.

The first time, a year ago, both Pravda and Izvestia reported I was a "white slaver" and that my humpty-dumpty little cabaret was "the biggest bordello in the world." And as if that weren't enough, they went on to say that my partners in this enterprise were John Edgar Hoover and Bernard M. Baruch.

Well, as might have been expected, this bombastic bombshell

exploded nothing but giggles. Time magazine reprinted the item as a gag, my chorus girls threatened to picket the Russian consulate, and the syndicate which handles my stuff picked up a few more papers.

ALL OF WHICH should have taught your word-wasters a lesson, but it didn't. A few days ago, someone mailed me the February issue of your magazine, *Novy Mir* (New World), and—lo and surprise!—in it was an article by one P. Khrustalev which, by way of documenting the degeneracy of American culture, described me as "a gangster with three chins" who "murdered a man and grabbed his capital."

I took this, I assure you, as a plaudit rather than a potshot. On your way up, as I get it, you knocked off a couple of banks yourself, and since have undoubtedly knocked off an opponent or three. Khrustalev, it was evident, meant to be complimentary when he word-painted me in the image of Soviet Citizen No. 1.

All kidding aside, though, don't you think it's about time you sent for your typewriter assassins and pointed out that their releases are getting more howls than hosannas? And while you're at it, you might point out that Joe Goebbels' theory—the bigger the lie the more apt it is to be believed—only works with people who desperately want to believe the lie.

One thing more: I fraternally suggest you keep an eye on this Khrustalev fellow who said I had three chins. Such a man, in a reckless moment, might describe his premier as having two heads.

Sincerely,
Billy Rose



WHAT SAY? . . . Sporting his first new hat in 50 years, Frank E. Gimlett, famous hermit of Arbor Villa, Colo., and advocate of a return to the gold standard, shows how he regained control of his speech after suffering a stroke last February.

This Is Your Paper 'A Little Late' Means Trouble

By William R. Nelson

A PUBLICITY chairman of a prominent civic group rushes breathlessly into the newspaper office, her face a picture of worry.

"I hope you will forgive my being late with our news, but I simply forgot what day this is," she begins. "I just have to get this announcement into the paper."

In a metropolitan newspaper office nothing could be done to help her. Deadline is deadline there. But, in the home town paper office it is sometimes difficult to be so rigid about deadlines. In the hypothetical instance cited, let us assume an exception is made. Here is what would probably happen.

The breathless chairman would go her way much relieved. Although received after deadline time, her organization's news will be in the paper, as usual.

At the newspaper, however, the chairman's tardiness has precipitated a chain reaction of upset schedules that will affect virtually every member of the staff.

An editor will have to handle another news story. One or more items already in type will have to be shortened to make room for the late story. Type already set will have to be discarded and more set. Page dummies will have to be altered. Lockup of page forms will be delayed. Printing and distribution will be off schedule.

This probably exaggerated example of what happens imposes late news upon the paper, is duplicated, even more disruptingly, whenever an advertiser fails to get copy to the paper on time.

As long as humans are prone to forget, have accidents, or otherwise be delayed in performing duties, it will probably be necessary for stores and newspapers to occasionally accept such impositions. But these disruptions of necessary schedules will be materially reduced, no doubt, when people fully realize what inconvenience their tardiness causes.

Whenever you have news or advertising for the paper, get it in well ahead of the deadline. You will get better service, and have the satisfaction of knowing that you did not impose upon the newspaper's people.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

By DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: Malachi, DEVOTIONAL Reading: Malachi 1-6.

Help for Our Times

Lesson for June 18, 1950

FOR TIMES that are dull, times without hope, Malachi is the prophet. When he lived the exile was over; but it was no golden age. In the dingy little city of Jerusalem, rich and beautiful no longer, lived only a comparative handful of rather poor people, dragging out a monotonous existence.

To these people, living in discouraging times, Malachi had, and has, a message from God.

His prophecies do not have the bitter tang of Amos nor the melancholy of Hosea, the grandeur of Isaiah, the dramatic power of Jeremiah or the eerie visions of Ezekiel. But with inspired common-sense, he offers in the name of God a simple remedy with four ingredients.

Better Leaders SPEAKING DIRECTLY to the priests of the people, namely the leaders, Malachi condemns them for not really taking stock in the thing they were doing. How we need that today! If the church today in any place is dead, you may be sure there are some dead leaders. Dead from the neck up, that is. And not necessarily the preachers.

Many a good preacher breaks his heart for lack of support. How many men and women, in your church, can the minister count on to fill in where they are needed, without making up a dozen reasons why they "can't" do it?

Why do Christians talk and pray as if their religion were all-important, but act as if everything else came first?

Law Observance

ANOTHER THING for which Malachi pleads is law observance. (E.g. 2:8; 3:5) They did not need new laws, for they had good ones. What they needed was to obey the laws they had. This again is what our times need. We have so many laws now that only an expert can keep up with them. No civilized nation could live, to be sure, under the unchanged statutes of a generation ago.

Nevertheless, if all the legislatures in America were to resolve to pass no more laws for five years, and if for five years the energy, time and money spent ordinarily on getting up new laws were put in on educating the people in the laws now in existence, and in fostering law observance and in preventing and punishing crimes, ours would be a better country.

The Unbroken Home

A GAIN, Malachi stands for the unbroken home. He knows that no country can be strong when its homes are weak. (2:10-17.) In the year 1948 there were about 420,000 divorces in the United States, and 1.80 million marriages. That is a divorce rate of about 23 per cent. In some states the percentage of divorce is even higher. Indeed, in one large midwestern city it was announced in the papers about two years ago that the marriages had "caught up with" the divorces, i.e., they were at last having more marriages than divorces! This was an extreme case.

To say nothing else about it, 420,000 divorces and 12,000 desertions means that in the United States alone there are at least 432,000 persons who have no regard for the most solemn promises.

Support The Church

FIRST AND LAST, Malachi asks better support of the church. You need the church, of course; but then the church needs you. There is need for better leadership in the first place, and better support from the common man. Few persons want to live in a community without churches; yet a mere church building will not effect community life in the least. A beautiful building and a tall white spire are not a church.

The only church which will help a neighborhood is one in which the neighborhood takes an active part, a church where neighbors together worship God and where they are inspired to plans and acts of service for their fellow-men.

The main object of the church is not to shore up the country; still if you want a better country, one of the best ways to support it is to support the Christian church. For of all the institutions in the nation, the church is the only one devoted to the purpose of transforming human lives.

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BOY O'BOY! POP'S RIGHT! 3-IN-ONE MAKES THINGS RUN LIKE NEW!



Personal To Women With Nagging Backache

As we get older, stress and strain, over-exertion, excessive smoking or exposure to cold sometimes slows down kidney function. This may lead many folks to complain of nagging backache, loss of pep and energy, headaches and dizziness. Getting up nights of frequent passages may result from minor bladder irritations due to cold, dampness or dietary indiscretions.

If your discomforts are due to these causes, don't wait, try Doan's Pills, a mild diuretic. Used successfully by millions for over 50 years. While these symptoms may often otherwise occur, it's amazing how many times Doan's give happy relief—help the 15 miles of kidney tubes and filters flush out waste. Get Doan's Pills today!

Doan's Pills CONSTIPATED? READ THIS HAPPY LETTER

"Had tried method after method to relieve constipation, until I lost faith. Then I saw an ad about ALL-BRAN. I started to eat this Kellogg cereal daily and was amazed at the fine results!" Mrs. Aspers, 212 Bailey St., Camden, N. J. Just one of many unsolicited letters from ALL-BRAN users. For you, too, there's hope, for constipation due to lack of bulk in the diet. Simply eat an ounce of crisp Kellogg's ALL-BRAN daily, drink plenty of water. If not completely satisfied after 10 days, send empty carton to Kellogg's, Battle Creek, Mich. Get double your money back!

LOOK YOUR BEST FEEL YOUR BEST

KEEP Your Digestive Tract FREE From Constipation. When the Liver Is Properly Activated, It Helps Tone Up The Whole System.

YOU'LL LIKE THEM TOO

SPRAY TO KILL APHIDS

One ounce makes 6 gallons of spray. Kills aphids and similar sucking insects by contact and fumes. Spares friendly insects. Leaves no harmful residue. Can be mixed with other standard sprays. Proved dependable by 35 years of use on fruits, vegetables and flowers.

HOT FLASHES?

Are you going through the functional "middle-age" period peculiar to women (38-52 years)? Does this make you suffer from hot flashes, feel so nervous, high-strung, tired? Then do try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms! Regular use of Pinkham's Compound helps build up resistance against this annoying middle-age distress!

7 DAYS WILL DO IT

YES, in just 7 days . . . in one short week . . . a group of people who changed from their old dentifrices to Calox Tooth Powder averaged 38% brighter teeth by scientific test. Why not change to Calox yourself? Buy Calox today . . . so your teeth can start looking brighter tomorrow!

CALOX TOOTH POWDER

McKesson & Robbins Inc., Bridgeport, Conn.

Star Dust

STAGE SCREEN RADIO

By INEZ GERHARD

RONALD COLMAN has emerged so completely from professional retirement that nobody would be surprised if he returned to his first love, the stage, where Lillian Gish discovered him years ago and had him engaged as her leading man in "The White Sister." His radio show, "The Halls of Ivy," Wednes-



Ronald Colman

day nights on NBC, was the first step. Next came the hilarious United Artists picture, "Champagne for Caesar," his first film in three years. Colman is wonderful as a double-or-nothing quiz contestant who runs his take up to a \$40,000 jackpot. Even the talented parrot who plays "Caesar" can't steal scenes from him—quite a feat!

Lowell Thomas, CBS newscaster, had quite a week recently. The doctor let him discard the crutches he'd been using for seven months, ever since he was thrown from a horse while trekking through Tibet. And his son was married, with Thomas as the best man. The beautiful wedding took place in a charming church in Greenwich, Conn. James Melton sang.

Jan Sterling's standing at Paramount was boosted so high by audience reaction to her work in "United States Mail" and "Union Station," when they were shown at sneak previews, that she was given a top assignment in "Ace in the Hole."

Mona Freeman has been worried; she's so little and looks so young that she feared she'd never get roles where she could look her age—25. "I could just see my daughter growing up," said she. "And going to the movies with a boy friend, pointing to a bobby-soxer on the screen and saying 'That's my mother'." But now Mona's happy; she looks her age in "Branded."

Stewart Granger is going to be stuck in costume pictures for a long time to come. M-G-M was delighted with his performance in "King Solomon's Mines," and will now turn him into a swashbuckling hero. He will do "Robinson Crusoe," "Ivanhoe," in full-blown Technicolor, followed by that old favorite, "Scaramouche," and then will don uniform for Kipling's "Soldiers Three."

THE FICTION CORNER

3-Minute Fiction

"EVERY MAN," said Inspector Joe Warren, frowning over the letter which he held in his hand, "has a weak point. In the case of 'The Flash,' most daring criminal of this city's criminal history, it appears to be vanity." He gestured toward the letter. "The fellow has become drunk with his success in accomplishing two outstanding robberies. And now he has taken to writing us letters, stating just where he's going to be at a certain time and what he plans to do."

Detective Fargo blew smoke rings at the ceiling and evaded his chief's eyes. "So far," he said, "he seems to have been pretty successful in carrying out his plans. This is the third letter we've received."

"Each time The Flash has appeared where he said he would at exactly the time denoted in his letters. And while we've stood idly by he's committed his crimes and escaped. What's he up to this time?"

"The Devonshire party," Warren growled. The truth of Fargo's statement scored him. "Mrs. Devonshire is planning to wear that valuable emerald her husband brought her from Europe a month ago. The Flash states in this letter that he intends to steal the emerald and defies us to stop him."

Fargo crushed out his cigaret. "Have you taken any steps to prevent the robbery?"

"Fargo, as you know, the Flash's disguise is perfect. He'll appear at that party as a guest, or servant or someone with whom the Devonshires are but slightly acquainted. I want you to go up there early,



The butler's face was white and drawn.

meet Mrs. Devonshire when she comes down stairs and stick with her until the last guest has gone. Then see to it that the emerald is stored away in a safe before you leave. I'll have Johnson and a couple of other men mingling with the guests."

AT 11 O'CLOCK on the night of the Devonshire party Inspector Warren drew his roadster up before the palatial mansion and ascended the steps.

Warren stepped quickly inside. And at that moment Mrs. Devonshire, accompanied by her husband and Detective Fargo, came flying down the stairs.

VANITY ALL

By Richard H. Wilkinson

"What's happened?" Warren barked at Fargo, ignoring the incoherent babble of Mrs. Devonshire.

"It's gone," Fargo grated. "About an hour ago I was standing behind Mrs. Devonshire in the reception line. Someone poked a gun in my back and told me to walk backwards. When I saw the fellow's face I knew it was The Flash, because he was a dead ringer for myself."

"A ringer for you!" Warren gasped. "What the devil do you mean?"

"I mean," said Fargo grimly, "that his disguise this time looked like me, generally speaking. He forced me into a closet and cracked me over the head. Naturally no one noticed that anything was happening her emerald at the time."

"Ten minutes ago I came to and began to kick on the door. Devonshire opened it. I rushed to Mrs. Devonshire and discovered that she had just missed her emerald. — The Flash has outsmarted us again!"

Warren slumped wearily into a chair. "Tomorrow," he groaned, "every newspaper in the city will have the story. It will be the most humiliating moment of my life."

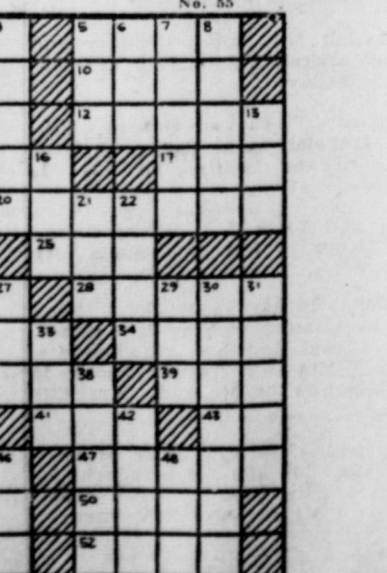
Fargo smiled bitterly. "Every man has his weak point," he said. "Yours seems to be vanity."

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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| ACROSS | 3. The shank (Anat.) | 22. Secular |
| 1. Indian (Peru) | 4. Fossil resin | 24. Put through a sieve |
| 5. Crowds | 5. Part of face | 27. Fate |
| 9. A rule or standard | 6. Finnish seaport | 29. Bowl underhand |
| 10. Incite | 7. Vehicles (Paints) | 30. Stirrs up |
| 11. Bush | 8. Severe | 31. Abounding in news |
| 12. Norse god | 11. Male deer (pl.) | 33. Primary color |
| 14. Tungsten (abbr.) | 13. Masculine nickname (Egypt.) | 35. Weep convulsively |
| 15. God of earth | 16. Insect | 36. Peevish |
| 17. Anger | 19. Sleeveless garment (Arab.) | 37. Around |
| 18. Old wine cup | 21. Male cat | 38. Become mature |
| 20. City (Vt.) | | |
| 23. Talks | | |
| 25. Gazelle (Tibet) | | |
| 26. Edible mollusk | | |
| 28. City (Ill.) | | |
| 32. In place of | | |
| 34. Center | | |
| 35. Broadcast, as seed | | |
| 39. Arch | | |
| 40. Sphere | | |
| 41. Slope | | |
| 43. Pronoun | | |
| 44. Stall at a fair | | |
| 47. Flower | | |
| 49. Reliable | | |
| 50. American Indian | | |
| 51. River of Hades (myth.) | | |
| 52. Seizes | | |
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| 1. Brutish | | |
| 2. Likewise | | |

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER

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 L I V E



Sure Cure
A tourist was crossing the ocean for the first time, and began to feel strangely dizzy. Staggering to the steward, he asked what would prevent seasickness. "Have you a quarter," the steward asked. "Certainly," replied the tourist, taking the desired coin from his pocket. "but do hurry." "Now," said the steward, "put it between your teeth, and keep it there."

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BROADWAY AND MAIN STREET

Ghosts Haven't Ghost of a Chance in Manhattan But This Haunting Story Gave New Yorkers Pause

By BILLY ROSE

We men of Manhattan are an undaunted and unhaunted lot—or at least think we are—and so ghost stories seldom stand a ghost of a chance in this town.

The other night, however, a real estate man buttholed me coming out of "21" and told me a chiller about a deserted house in the Flushing section of Queens, and on the off-chance that your scalp can use a tingle or two, I'd like to pass it along . . .

On the night of the big snow three winters ago, a doctor in Queens answered his doorbell and found a smallish man in a faded mackinaw standing on the stoop.

"My wife is very sick," he said. "I hate to ask you to come out on a night like this, but it's only a few blocks."

The doctor followed him to a large wooden house near the intersection of Vine street and Broadway, and when the man unlocked the door the physician could see by the glare of an unshaded droplight that the lower floor was empty except for a few kitchen chairs and a length of carpet.

"THIS IS NO PLACE for a sick woman," he said. "You ought to have some heat in the house."

The man led him up a creaky set of stairs to the second floor, and in the front room an emaciated woman was lying in an old four-poster bed. She kept coughing into a blood-flecked handker-

chief, and though the doctor went through the motions of an examination he knew at once it was an advanced case of tuberculosis.

"I can give her something to relieve the congestion," he told her husband, "but she'll have to be moved to a hospital first thing in the morning."

He then wrote out a prescription. "It'll get it filled right away," said the man, and showed the doctor to the door.

Next morning, wondering how the woman was getting along, the physician stopped by the wooden house, but there was no answer when he rang the bell. Moreover, there were no tracks in the snow to indicate that an ambulance or any other vehicle had pulled up in front of the place.

Puzzled, he went to the office of a real estate agent on the next street and asked if he could get some information about the residents of the house.

"THAT'S A FUNNY sort of question," said the agent. "There aren't any residents and there aren't likely to be any. The house hasn't been occupied in 15 years, and though

it's always been on my list, nobody's ever wanted it."

"Do you think squatters might be living in it on account of the housing shortage?" asked the doctor.

"Could be, but I doubt it," said the agent. "There's been a lot of queer talk about that house, and the last family that moved in during the depression could only stand it for a few weeks. The husband and wife slept in the front room on the second floor, and to hear them tell it they were kept awake night after night by the sound of a woman coughing. It finally got so bad they packed and left."

"I know its sounds absurd," said the doctor, "but I examined a sick woman there last night, and if you've got a key I'll walk over with you and prove it."

"When they got to the house, it took the agent quite a while to get the rusty lock open, and when they entered there wasn't a stick of furniture in sight. 'I could have sworn I saw some chairs and a carpet down here last night,' said the doctor.

"Maybe you've got this house mixed up with another one," the agent suggested.

"I still think it's the same place. Let's look upstairs."

On the second floor they went into the front room. It was also empty. Empty, that is, except for a piece of paper on the window sill—the prescription the doctor had written the night before.



SYLPH-CONTROL . . . Thomas (Tiny Tim) Jones of Pittsburgh hopes that an apple a day will keep extra pounds away.

This Is Your Paper Those 'Changed' News Items

By William R. Nelson

"WHENEVER I bring in a news item, why do you always change it all around?"

That question is one of the most frequently asked in every home town newspaper office in the country. Sometimes it is asked in considerable exasperation.

The answer is, of course, that news stories are easier to read, better understood, take less space, when they are written to conform to a somewhat flexible pattern. That style, developed over the years, is fairly uniform in all newspapers because it was designed to evaluate the facts for their news value and tell them quickly and clearly.

A well written, straight news story presents its outstanding information in the opening paragraph, or lead. What follows after that is amplification, additional details.

There are excellent reasons why news story style is best, among them: (1) The reader can quickly read the lead, and quit there if the story fails to interest him or her.

(2) It permits cutting or reducing the length of a story, to get it into a particular place in the paper, by eliminating from the bottom. As these bottom paragraphs contain less important details, their removal will not seriously reduce the information the story is conveying.

The editor tries to pack his paper with as much news as he can get, written in clear, readable style, and arranged to give the paper a varied and attractive appearance. Yet he cannot prepare the entire content of an issue in an hour or a day.

Because writing, editing, setting type, putting the type in the page forms, and printing, addressing and delivering take time, they must start early enough to conclude at a specified time each issue. If news stories are not written so they can be made to fit the space assigned to them, much time will be lost and the paper will contain fewer stories and be less interesting.

The editor is a specialist whose stock-in-trade is an understanding of what interests people. He welcomes news and does his best to present it in accurate, readable, interesting form.

Next time you bring in a news item, and it is "changed all around," remember that it was rewritten into news style to help you make it of interest to the greatest possible number of readers.

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THE FICTION CORNER BART'S DECISION

By Richard H. Wilkinson

BART HODGES had lived in the city for two years and he was getting tired of it. Country bred, he longed for the smell of sweet, fresh air, the sound of roosters crowing and cows lowing. He wanted to go to bed to the tune of crickets cheeping and bullfrog jug-a-rumming.

It wasn't as if the city hadn't been kind to Bart. It had. It had taken him to its bosom, and he had prospered. Nor had he been unhappy. He loved the lights, the noise, the bustle and bustle. And most of all he loved a girl.

Tonight, lying on the divan in the living room of the apartment, Bart was troubled with an annoying thought. He wondered, strangely, which he wanted most: Sabina's love or the country.

It was at this particular moment in Bart's speculation that the telephone rang. A strangely familiar feminine voice answered.

"Hello, there, Bart," the voice said. "This is Sadie Blake, fresh in from the old home town. Come down and talk to one of your forgotten friends."

Bart's pulse leaped. Sadie! His boyhood pal! Sadie, whom one day he expected to marry! Sadie, in the city. Here! Now! Fresh from Centerville, with news and notes of the old home town galore.

At that moment Sabina Goodnow was forgotten. There was just one girl in the world for Bart. And that girl was Sadie Blake. He felt suddenly ashamed he had neglected to write, to remember her at Christmas . . .

Sadie, pink cheeked, blooming with good health and freshness,



Her name was Sabina Goodnow, and she adored him.

met him in the lobby of her hotel. "Hello, pal," she cried. "Looking just the same. Thinner, maybe. But otherwise old Bart himself."

"Sadie!" Bart stared in open admiration. "Sadie! How good it is to see you. Tell me, how are things in Centerville? How are the folks? Tell me everything."

"Same old town, Bart. Your folks are fine. Your dad owns a new tractor. Polly, the horse, died you know. But I suppose they wrote you that. The voters decided to run town water up to William's Hill at the last town meeting. Not so much danger if fire breaks out now. Ed Salmon ran off with Bob Evans' wife. She came back two weeks ago, and Bob took her in. Shame. Poor kid . . ."

THEY TALKED FOR HOURS. By evening Bart was full . . .

praised of all the events and happenings in Centerville during the past two years, and assured that his folks were well.

He took Sadie out to dinner, and delighted in showing her around. She seemed a little awed by it all, and more awed by Bart's indifference to the many wonders.

"You get used to it after a while," he said indifferently, and stood gazing thoughtfully at the many lights along Broadway. He felt enlightened and no longer homesick. Strangely enough the noise and bustle associated themselves in his mind with Sabina. He was glad to be a part of it all.

He gazed furtively at the comely Sadie and pictured her in the rural setting of Centerville.

They attended a theater and dined afterward at an exclusive night club. Sadie would have liked to go back to the hotel, but she wanted to please Bart.

"Bart," she said, when at last they stood outside the door to her room. "When are you coming home? When are you going to give up all this and come back where you belong?"

Bart looked down into her eyes and saw something that two years ago he had longed to witness. He sighed deeply.

"Sadie, it's been just great seeing you. Just what I needed. A sort of tonic." He smiled at her gently. "I'm not going back just yet, Sadie. There's something keeping me here, something that before I never knew existed. I know now that it's something greater than anything. Some time I'm coming back, and when I do there'll be two of us."

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER

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ACROSS

1. Consume
4. Total
7. River (Russ.)
9. Scorch
10. Frighten
11. An ancient language
13. Mulberry
14. S-shaped molding
16. Biblical name
17. Disease of sheep
19. Untrained fox-harship
21. Half an em (Bib.)
24. Farm building
26. Tattered piece
28. Prosecute judicially
29. Opposed to "former"
32. Labels
35. Elevated train (shortened)
36. Send forth
38. Apex
39. Diminutive of Alfred
41. Heaten image
43. Land-measure
44. Girl's name
46. Kind of cement
48. Desert (Asia)
49. Astringent fruit

DOWN

1. A Greek geometer
2. Constellation
3. Edible rootstock (Paraguay)
4. Exclamation
5. Fruit of the palm
6. Foolish talk
8. Supports
9. Cracks
10. Medieval story
12. Ennead
15. Goddess of dawn
18. Short lance
20. Tight tea
23. A kind of (Paraguay)
25. Thrash
27. Zodiacal sign
29. Girl's name
30. Assert
31. Free
33. Chin whiskers
34. Nimble
37. Spinning toys
40. Thrash
42. Soothe
45. Tropical tree (var.)
47. Plaything

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Other attractions will consist of a giant parade at 10 in the morning in which will be many floats of considerable beauty, horses with riders, the Lubbock County Sheriff's Posse, the post stampede and many others. A prize of \$50 each will be given to the winning display from within Slaton and the winner from outside the city.

IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL NOTES
One pound of 4-12-4 or 5-10-5 fertilizer dissolved in 5 gallons of water makes a good starter solution for watering newly set plants. Use it in either the flower or vegetable garden.

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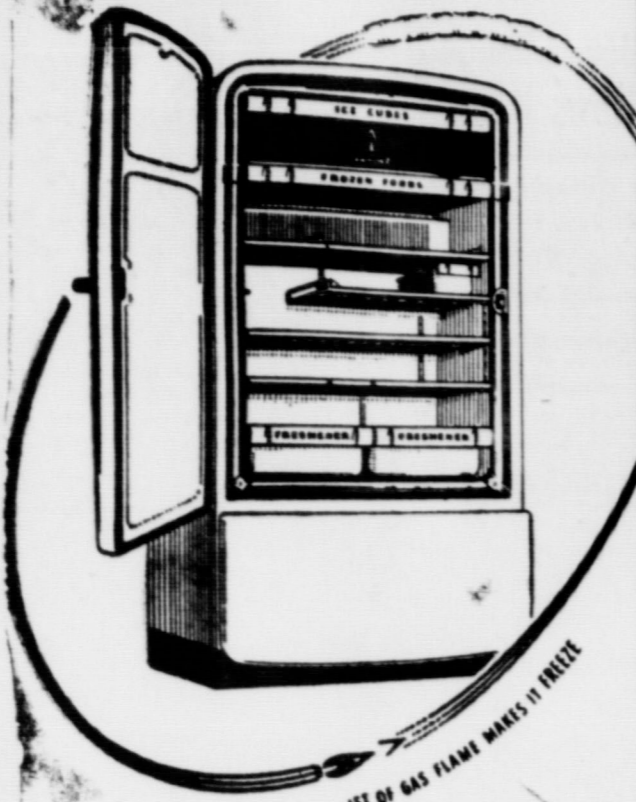
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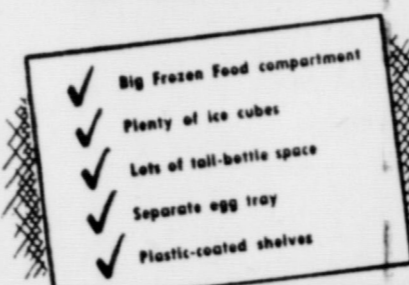
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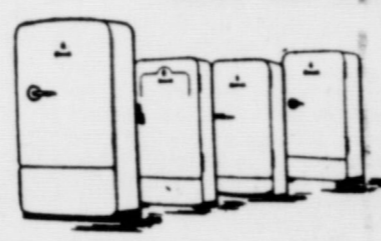
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Taxes paid this month (March) will have a penalty
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Political Announcements

The O'Donnell Index - Press is authorized to announce the following candidates for office subject to the Democratic primaries:

- For District Judge: Louis B. Reed (re election) Tom Garrard
- LYNN COUNTY: For Tax Assessor - Collector: J. E. "Red" Brown Marvin J. Mann For County Clerk: Beulah Pridmore (re election) For Sheriff: Roland "Slek" Clem (re election) Chas. F. Wells For County Attorney: B. P. Magdox (re-election) For Co. Superintendent of Schools: Mrs Lenore Tunnell For Justice of Peace: T. W. "Bill" Brown (Re-election) J. M. Christopher For County Treasurer: Thomas (Tom) Reid Mrs. Frances Chestnutt FOR COMMISSAR: J. T. Edwards For Commissioner, Pet. 3: F. E. Redwine Will Edd Tredway John Earles Woodrow McLaurin For County Judge: Walter Mathis
- RAWSON COUNTY: For County Judge: R. W. (Buster) Herndon (re election) For County Clerk: Howard Humphrey For Commissioner, Prec. 2: W. T. (Bill) Snellgrove (Re Election) BORDEN COUNTY: For Commissioner, Pet 1: Hubert Walker (re-election) For State Representative 119th District: Forrest Weimhold Waggoner Carr

New diggings place Rome's founding at about 575 B. C.

School finds video helpful in teaching lip-reading to deaf.

S. E. C. official declares utility industry in good condition.

Nurse says temporary props support business activity.

Churchill bids Britain and France give Germany equality.

Russians again emphasize preparedness for peace move.

Liberty Bells to ring in U. S. savings Bond campaign.

Crossed eyes impair vision of one in 148 children.

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For sale: Higari bundles; see Robert Line

For Sale: stoves, broilers and starters; see Tom Moore near the South Y

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For Sale: Motor Scooter \$65; see Wallace Cook at O'Donnell

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In removing this paint brush from a can of paint, it is always best to scrape off any excess fluid to prevent dripping or streaking.

with a few drops of benzine on a dry cloth. This is done to remove any grease. Care should be taken, however, as benzine is inflammable.

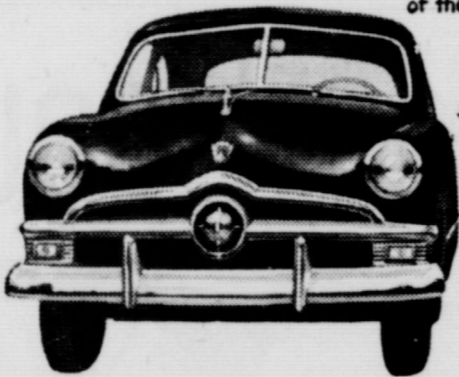
Should the present paint on the woodwork be in poor condition, then it should be removed entirely, or at least in the bad spots, with a paint remover. This applies especially to areas with blisters, roughness, streaks or looseness. Any paint left on should be cleaned with benzine.

Farm prices steady for month with items bought higher.

U. S. industries to spend 11 per cent less for construction in 1950.

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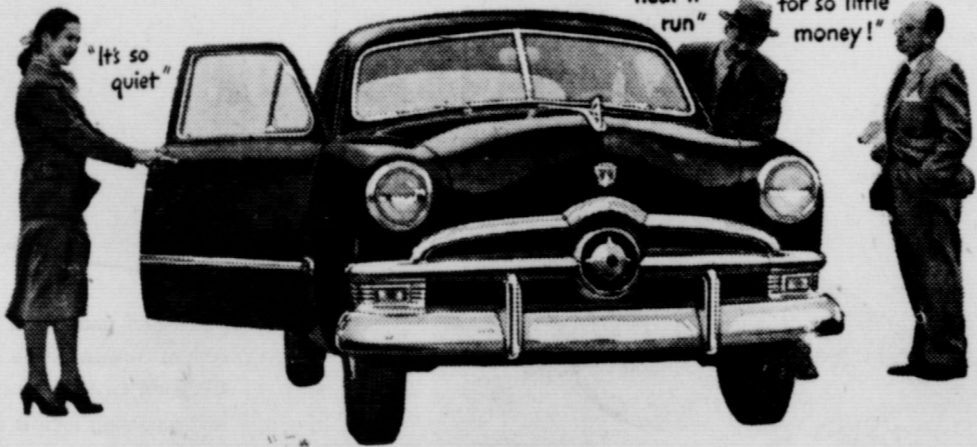


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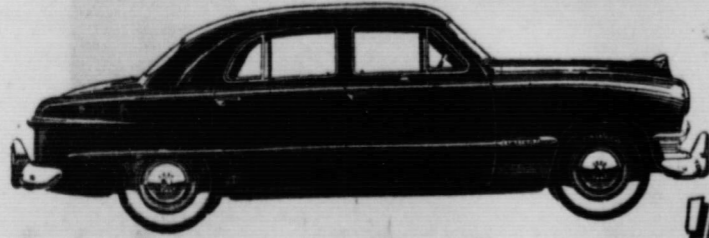
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A "Test Drive" and you will learn Ford's quality firsthand! You'll marvel at the performance of the 100-h.p. V-8, or its companion-in-quality, the 95-h.p. Six . . . the comfort of its "Mid Ship" Ride. You'll feel the safety of Ford's 35% easier-acting King-Size Brakes. And after you've come to know this car, you'll thrill to its complete economy—low first cost, great gas mileage, low upkeep and high resale value. You'll recognize that Ford's the "Big Economy Package" of the low-price field.



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Morning worship 11 a m
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Evening worship 7 p m
W. S. C. S. Monday 2:30 p m

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Morning Worship 11:00 a m
Evening worship 8:00 p m

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Training Union 7 p m
Preaching Service 8 p m
Wednesday nite
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Prayer meeting 8:30 p m
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Wednesday, Prayer meeting 7 p m

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Regular evening service 7:30 p m
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8:00 p m Ladies Fellowship (for all women)
7:30 p m Mid Week Bible Study and Prayer

President tells officials to ignore loyalty subpoenas.
Neo-fascism is held to be on the increase in Italy.

E. C. A. is ready to cancel all Atlantic Gulf contracts.
Minorities told to be not over-sensitive, drop prejudices.
New bond and share issues in first quarter highest since 1929.

E. C. T. mission chief scores Italian red tape, business men.

American nations are asked to reduce their armaments.

Soviet walks out of United Nations for seventeenth time.

Garry Davis, "citizen of the world" admitted as immigrant.

Racial, political issues beset fight on alien farm migrants.

Farm income declined last year; if the same thing had happened to business incomes, the air would be filled with lamentations of those who now tell us about the glories of private enterprise.

More and more Czech women taking over men's jobs.

First U. S. shipment of weapons is on way to Italy.

Britain showed best health during the year ending March 31, 1949.

Drop in U. S. exports is ascribed to trade revival abroad.

Business urged to seek Federal aid in winning public backing.

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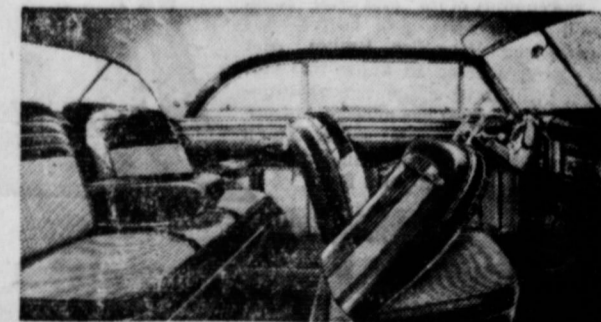
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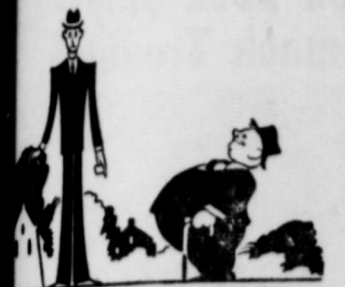


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Tells of Chickenpox
Has chickenpox come your way? If it has, or if it does come your way in the future, the first thing to do is to call your physician, says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.
Chickenpox is a common communicable disease caused by a virus. It occurs most frequently in the winter and spring among children less than 15 years of age. The virus is present in the discharges from the mouth and nose and from small blisters which contain a watery fluid. Chickenpox is very contagious and is probably spread by direct contact with the patient.
Chickenpox begins from about 14 to 21 days after exposure, usually with feverishness and loss of appetite. Within about 24 hours, the skin breaks out in small raised rose-pink spots which eventually fall off. The scabs are not contagious. Each crop completes its course from rose-pink spot to crust in from two to four days.
Scratching or picking at the blisters may cause serious sores and disfiguring scars. The doctor will probably suggest a remedy to relieve the itching, which may be severe. Usually the child is not very ill and begins to feel better in from one to three days.
Warning — Chickenpox is an entirely different disease from smallpox. But when a person has been vaccinated, mild smallpox is sometimes mistaken for chickenpox, because the early symptoms are strikingly alike. Smallpox is a serious disease which spreads rapidly among unvaccinated persons.
At the first signs of what appears to be chickenpox, call your physician so that an early diagnosis can be made. If he finds that the patient has smallpox, prompt vaccination may save the other members of the family and outsiders, who have been exposed, from an attack of the disease.
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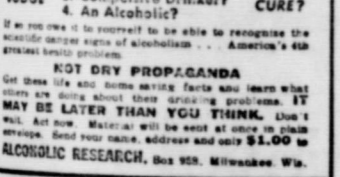
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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers

Vegetable	Preparation Required	PROCESSING		
		Hot Water Bath Min.	Pressure Min.	Cooker Lbs.
Asparagus	Wash, precook 3 minutes, pack	180	40	10
Beans—(String, Wax)	Wash, string, cut or leave whole; precook 5 minutes	180	40	10
Beans, Lima	Shell, grade, wash; precook 5 minutes, then pack	180	55	10
Beets	Wash, retain stem; cook 15 min., slip skins, pack	120	40	10
Cabbage, Brussels Sprouts	Remove outer leaves, wash; precook 5 minutes, add fresh water	120	40	10
Carrots	Wash, peel; precook 5 minutes, pack hot	120	35	10
Cauliflower	Remove outer leaves, wash; precook 4 minutes, pack	150	35	10
Corn on Cob	Remove husk; precook 5 minutes, pack	210	80	10
Corn	Cut from cob; precook 5 minutes, pack	210	80	10
Greens	Wash, steam to wilt, pack loosely	180	60	10
Parsnips	Wash, pare; precook 5 minutes, pack	90	35	10
Peas	Shell, grade (use young); precook 3 min., pack loosely	180	60	10
Pumpkin	Cut in pieces, steam or bake until tender, pack	180	60	10
Squash	Wash, steam to wilt, pack loosely	180	60	10
Sauerkraut	Pack cold, add salt, no water	30		

Guide Vegetable Canning With This Chart

(See Recipes Below)

Canning Vegetables

THOSE GARDENS will soon be bursting with lovely green, yellow and red vegetables which you'll want to speed onto your canning shelves for healthful eating this fall and winter. Best results can be achieved when you have the kitchen ready, the night before, to take in the produce early in the morning while the dew is still fresh on them.

Whether you pick your own vegetables or buy them from somewhere else, try to get them well on their way to canning within two hours. Vegetables which have been picked for longer than eight hours before canning do not give as tender or high quality canned products.

Certainly the work is made easier if the kitchen is all set for action. This means that you have your jars freshly washed and scoured, sitting in tubs or large kettles ready to sterilize. You can put them on to boil when you go out to pick the vegetables.

Have a work table ready with colanders, knives and spoons where you can work on the vegetables after they're washed.

The pressure cooker should have been checked for use to see that the gauge is accurate. It should be clean and fitted with a rack, ready to receive the jars after they're packed.

Have a large kettle ready on the work table or range so that vegetables can be pre-cooked. Some women still use cold pack, that is pack the jars without any cooking of the vegetable. However, most women say they have more luck with precooking since this shrinks the vegetable before packing and also sets the color better.

Choosing Vegetables

IT'S EASY to determine whether a vegetable is right for canning just by careful inspection. Here are tips to guide you.

Asparagus stalks should be green for the greater part of their length, inasmuch as the white parts are woody. Choose firm stalks.

Lima beans or snap (green) beans should be young and tender. Both types should look green and fresh. Green beans should snap readily when bent.

Kernels on corn should be plump and full of milk. The husk should be fresh and green.

In greens, choose those with tender, young and unbruised leaves. Never use wilted leaves.

Pea pods should be bright and full. Avoid the puffy pods with small peas. Peas, when shelled should be tender.

LYNN SAYS: Treat Pressure Cooker Like Fine Machine

One of the best things about the pressure cooker is the accuracy with which it processes foods. Treat it carefully so that the accuracy can be maintained.

Guard the cooker against blows, as these may dent it or break it. If the pressure gauge is jarred or damaged, it will lose its accuracy.

Keep the sealing surface clean and dry as this enables you to close the cooker properly.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

- Apricot Juice
- Tuna Fish Loaf
- Creamed New Potatoes
- Succotash
- Tomato Salad
- Bacon Muffins
- Beverage
- Lime Sherbet

Follow These Directions

WHEN VEGETABLES are brought in for washing and preparation, have your pressure cooker all ready to use. The rack should be in place, the safety valve assembled and the petcock open. The jars should be ready, too, after washing, in a pan of hot water.

Have the teakettle or other vessel with boiling water ready, too, as this is the liquid you'll need for filling vegetable jars.

Wash and prepare the vegetables to fill the jars you have.

Pre-cook the vegetable for the specified length of time, then ladle into the jars immediately. Add enough boiling water to the jar so that it reaches to within 1/4 to 1/2 inch of the top. Add salt to the jar, in the proportion of 1/2 teaspoon to pints and 1 teaspoon for quarts.

Run a spatula around the inside of the jar to release air bubbles. Wipe the sealing surface of the jars with a clean cloth.

Adjust the jar closure, using manufacturers' directions. These vary with different caps, so it's smart to read directions for the particular one you're using.

Place jars in cooker, seeing that they do not touch, and that there is enough room for the hot air to circulate. There should be enough water in the cooker to cover the bottom or the rack.

Adjust the lid on the cooker, and tighten clamps as directed by manufacturer.

Processing Under Pressure

TURN THE heat under the cooker on, and let steam pour from the petcock for 7 to 10 minutes. This is necessary for releasing the air from the cooker so that when you do start the actual pressure cooking, you'll have correct temperature.

Close the petcock and let the cooker come to the desired pressure. It's important that this be maintained, as fluctuations of a pound or two either way several times during processing will drain liquid from the jars, thus giving an unattractive look to them, as well as leaving them dry to the point where they are uncovered.

Process according to vegetable chart given above.

Turn heat off and remove to a cooler place until the gauge registers zero, then release petcock, clamps and cover. Always, stay far enough away so that the steam does not burn you as you open the cooker.

When you want to clean the petcock and safety valve, use a pipe cleaner, running it back and forth through the openings. Never use toothpicks as these may break and clog the cooker.

Never store the pressure cooker away without insulating it against any moving or dust and dirt. Wrap well in newspaper and cloths.

It's best to store the lid separately from the cooker, so that no musty odors, difficult to rid, can develop in a closed utensil.

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Del Monte No 2 1/2 can

Clorox 14c

Quart Bottle

Oxydol 19c

Large Box

Tissue 5c

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Peaches 19c

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Mrs Hugh Lott and daughters joined her mother and sister in Lamesa and the group left for Ruidoso Monday.

Mr and Mrs Fred Mize and son of Lubbock visited their parents in Mr and Mrs M C Anderson Sunday Miss Winona Anderson visited her sister in Dumas This week

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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Pineapple 32c

Dole; Sliced or crushed no 2 can

Flour \$1.65

Kimbell's Best Print bag 25 lbs

CORN 11c

Whole Kernel Kounty Kist 12 oz can

KIX 2 for 33c

Crisp corn cereal large box

Salmon 37c

Chum 1 lb can

CAKE MIX 35c

Dromedary; White cake per box

PREM 39c

Luncheon Meat 12 oz Cans

Sugar 81c

10 lb bag pure cane

Salad Dressing 25c

Everlite pints

KRAFT DINNER 2 for 25c

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Soap 2 for 19c

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Cheese 43c

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Mr and Mrs Calvin Fritz visited in Brownwood over the week end

Mr and Mrs A C Lambert Jr of Amarillo were the week end guests of their parents Mr and Mrs Cliff Lambert

Mr and Mrs Geo. Shumake of Seagraves visited the Geo. Shumake Jr family Sunday

Mr and Mrs C F Shook of San Fidel, N M. Mr and Mrs C A Shook of Albuquerque, Mrs Tom Horton and daughters, Rita and Sharon of Eustancia were the house guests of Mr and Mrs S M Clayton sr and others last week

for **Governor**



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5 lbs Sugar pure cane 43
Gerbers Baby Food 3 cans for 23
Vienna Sausage Del Valley 10
No 2 1-2 can Red and white peaches sliced, halves 2 for 45c
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No 1 Grade Salt Pork lb 28

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Tide, Duz, Super Suds 25c

AJAX 11c

Per can

Sausage 9c ea.

Vienna; Old Bill; per can

Spinach 2 for 25c

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hominy 3 for 25c

Lahoma

Pickles 24c

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BABY FOOD 3 for 24c

Heinz

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Sunshine 1 lb box

Beef ribs 36c

Beef, nice and lean

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Sugar Cured

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