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HARMONY NEWS

Mrs. Willie Mae Michael and baby son, Mrs. William Blair and Sharon and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Turner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Isaacs.

Kenneth Smith spent Tuesday night with Kellas Davis. Peggy McKee spent Sunday with Nancy and Annie Pearl Franklin.

Willie Blair and William enjoyed a ball game Sunday at Seagraves.

Betty Long and Freda Snell spent Sunday with Jean Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Browning, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Pierce and children, Mr. and Mrs. William Blair and children, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Furlow and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Crouch and children, attended the circus at Lubbock Wednesday.

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THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. J. W. Gardenhire was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club in her home last Thursday. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Ken Morrison, high, Mrs. Lewis Hochman low, and Mrs. Wm. Jackson, bingo. Sandwiches, potato chips, chocolate squares and cokes were served to Mesdames Ken Morrison, J. B. Terrell, O. G. Smith, Jr., Glen Gibson, Roy Everett, James Wiese, Mac C Bradley, Irvin Street, Hal Singleton, Jr., Louis Hochman, C. R. Burleson, Johnny Billingsley, W. E. Singleton, Jr., Wm. Jackson, John Stephens and Shag Garrett.

Buckles, Belts, buttonholes and Rhinestone service; covered buttons; alterations; see Mrs. H. L. Wood at Vogue 27p

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Billingsley and sons attended the wedding of Miss Betty Billingsley to Vernon Bracher at Lamesa. Mrs. Bill McBride, sister of the bride, sang "I Love You Truly".

Our friend Henry Harris was carried to a Lamesa hospital Monday for medical treatment.

About 1 p. m. Tuesday afternoon Maselone Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith, suffered minor injuries when the car he was driving overturned near the R. E. Barnette farm just southeast of town. Maselone was rushed to a Lamesa doctor for a check up. The car suffered moderate damage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Everett visited their son in Odessa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Yandell visited relatives in Brownfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Vaughn and sons, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Bolch at Lamesa Sunday.

Woodrow Brewer and Miss Irene Becham were at the circus last Wednesday at Lubbock.

Enjoying the circus Wednesday at Lubbock were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brewer and son, Lanny, and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Schooler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Line and LaMoyn and Julia and Edna Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Hargis, and family, Mrs. Holcomb and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Aten, Ben Moore as well as numerous others whose names we missed.

Ray Willingham, his mother, Mrs. Willingham, and Mrs. Vaughn, nie Gibson visited in Ralls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Briscoe of Everton, Ark. are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cunningham.

What you have been waiting for: Welbilt Gas Ranges with heat control dial; also in butane models. Home Furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Connelly visited in Lubbock Sunday.

Charles P. Hoffman of Lubbock spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Hoffman.

YOUTH KILLED IN CAR ACCIDENT HERE

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 3 p. m. at the Church of Christ for J. W. Entekin, age 25, who was killed in a car accident early Monday morning one mile south of town. Bro. Paul McClung read the last rites and burial was in the O'Donnell Cemetery.

J. W. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Entekin, sr. of near the Pride Community, some 12 miles west of town.

Early Monday morning at about 3:30 Homer Hancock drove by and discovered the accident giving the alarm. The wrecked old model Ford was in a field just south of the road junctions of the Harmony road and the road running east and west, running west to the City dump grounds. The car apparently continued straight ahead jumping some 30 feet from the road embankment into a field. It was believed that Mr. Entekin died almost instantly as he suffered a fractured neck and back, severe multiple fractures of the head, a long gash in his throat, a crushed chest and other injuries. The car was completely demolished. He was alone. The accident was believed to have occurred between 2 and 3 a. m. as the car engine was cool when the accident was discovered.

J. W. had numerous friends here and was well thought of by our local boys. Besides his parents, he is survived by three sisters, all of Brownfield. Mrs. Ray Oliver, Mrs. Pratt Oliver and Mrs. W. E. Parker, daughter in law of Mrs. E. C. Pace, and a brother Max of Brownfield.

Our sympathy.

Mrs. Annie Foster and Mrs. Sweeney Flowers visited in Talora Sunday.

Until further notice we will remain open until 9:30 p. m. weekdays and 11:00 p. m. Saturdays. Closing as usual at 7 p. m. on Sundays. Thanks. Wiese Drug Corner Drug

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Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Rogers of Welch were visiting with the J. F. Rogers Sunday.

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We will have a car of red cedar shingles in a few days. We have a good supply of building materials including composition shingles roll roofing and many other items.

We are featuring a good stock of water heaters and all plumbing supplies.

Now is a good time to weather strip your doors and windows; we have a large supply of metal strips.

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We plan to discontinue stocking soft water softeners and will sell what we have at a good reduction in price.

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Old Age Need Hold No Terrors

Finding Useful Work Is Formula for Happiness

By BAUKHAGE
News Analyst and Commentator.

WASHINGTON.—Latest figures from the census bureau have revealed that the postwar period has produced a record baby crop—3,260,000 estimated for 1946, almost a million more than were born in 1940.

But it will take more than this belated burst of rejuvenation to keep the United States from becoming an "old" nation. Old in the sense that the average age will be high, with a heavy proportion of oldsters. There are two reasons for this: Nowadays people live much longer, thanks to medical science. And the size of the American family has shrunk.

In 1860 when the population was about 31.5 millions, 860,000 persons were over 65. In 1945 when the population approached 140 millions, 9,920,000 persons were over 65.

By 1970 there will be 16 million over that age, out of an estimated population of more than 151 millions!

This situation poses a number of problems for the nation, and also emphasizes the personal problem: The problem of growing old.

Like many of our troubles, real or imagined, the best cure is to bring this one out into the light, give it a good shaking. The result in many cases will be that it disappears (if that weren't so, psychiatry wouldn't be such a highly rewarded profession).

Wise men have known this for a long time and lived to a happy old age. Others (who didn't know it) have worried their friends and themselves to early deaths, by sitting down and weeping over their last youth instead of getting up, learning to take old age in their stride and liking it.

Recently I read a very up-to-date little pamphlet called "When You Grow Older," written in straightforward English, based on modern, scientific ideas. The pamphlet outlines methods which make that famous poem by Browning, so often regarded as wishful thinking by the skeptical, ring true. "Grow old along with me," said Browning's Rabbi Ben Ezra, "The best is yet to be."

When I grasped the theme of this pamphlet, it stirred classic

memories. I remembered that a gentleman who considerably predated Browning had said the same thing in his essay "On Old Age," written in the year 44 B. C. I refer to Marcus Tullius Cicero. He said (among other pertinent things) "qui autem omnia a se ipsi petunt, eius nihil potest videri, quod naturae necessitas adferat." Which, if you'll pardon my freedom with the text, means that those who seek their happiness from within can never regard nature's inevitabilities as bad.

Cicero wrote that essay when he was 63 years old and I have no doubt he would have lived what he preached for another decade or two if his vigorous old age had not produced the resounding "Phillipics" against Anthony which resulted in his being "purged" (Roman style) while still hale and hearty at 64.

Like Cicero, Messrs. George Lawton and Maxwell Stewart, authors of the pamphlet I mentioned, stress the psychological problems of old age. (The pamphlet is issued by the Public Affairs Committee, Inc., a non-profit, educational organization, 22 East 38th St., New York City—20 cents.)

Old age comes with a shock because we haven't prepared for it. Maybe we are ready for the "last day at the office" or at the work bench or when we sell the farm and move to the village or city, or in other ways break a lifetime's routine. But we may have failed to recognize "the need to feel important," a need which we must satisfy one way or another. Not "important" in the sense that we have somebody low-to us, but necessary to somebody or something, some business, some undertaking, maybe not a big cog, but something that helps the wheels of life go round.

Avocations Help To Retain Youth

Anybody can develop an avocation of some kind. In many cases these avocations have turned into paying vocations after retirement. In any case they are literally life-savers when it comes to making life livable.

Various skills permit varying periods of activity.

Many farmers are self-supporting at 70 or 75. Perhaps this is partly because of their environment—mental and physical. Cicero says farmers "are not hindered to any extent by old age, and seem to me to approach the ideal wise man's life."

Most jobs are of such a character that ability to perform them declines with the years. "When You Grow Older" cites as an example "speed work"—like the assembly line. Youth excels in this type of work. But age does almost as well as youth in the type classified as "power" work, the kind of job where skill is important.

There is not space here to develop the theme of "When You Grow Older" as its authors do so compactly in their 30 pages. They discuss the questions, personal and political, of old age security. They offer a host of other specific examples to illustrate the statements, some of which I have quoted here. I have attempted to review rather than a summary, moved to comment partly because of the valuable suggestions offered, and also, partly because



Just Hanging Around

these pertinent paragraphs of "When You Grow Older" offer a perfect example of how modern science and experience confirm the verities expressed by poets and philosophers of the past.

It is still the habit of many critics to praise the style of Cicero's "De Senectute" but to toss its message aside as wishful thinking. Even Montaigne, who said frankly that reading the essay "made one long to grow old," pessimistically limited what he considered a useful lifespan to a mere 50 years and thought it wrong to contemplate further existence.

Cicero's physical world was bounded by the frontiers conquered by Rome's plodding legions but his view was long in time. Today the men of our scientific age echo the request in the last paragraph of the great statesman's immortal essay when he prayed: "... that you put my words to practical test."

\$3,000 FOR TRACTORS

Farmers Caught by Black Mart

Gradually deteriorating prewar machines and implements, plus a shortage of rural labor, are the two principal factors responsible for development of a flourishing black market in farm equipment, according to manufacturers and dealers groups who have pronounced the situation fairly widespread.

Secondary circumstances which support the existence of this particular black market are the unparalleled height of farm income and the apparent determination of the nation's farm population to advance to new levels of mechanization.

Thus, the demand for farm equipment continues to be almost insatiable. Even the heavy, uninter-



JUST A TUNE-UP CLIMB... Members of the Harvard university St. Elias expedition are shown atop 12,000-foot Haydon peak in Alaska which they scaled just as a preliminary maneuver before tackling 18,008-foot St. Elias, greatest ice-covered mountain in North America. The Harvard party was the second expedition to beat the mountain in 61 years.

NEWS REVIEW

Farmers' Income Zooms; New Crisis Hits Europe

FARM INCOME: Great Gain

Latest round in a heavy barrage of statistics apparently destined to make the American farmer feel that he is an unbelievably fortunate man was an agriculture department report that the nation's farm owners are taking in more money than ever before.

It was estimated that total farm cash receipts during the first eight months of 1947 were 17.4 billion dollars, a 21 per cent gain over the same period of 1946, itself a record year.

The report said that the average farm operator realized a net income of \$2,541 from agriculture and government payments in 1946, and this year farm income skyrocketed still higher as a result of continuing unprecedented demands for produce.

"An increase of 24 per cent in prices," was singled out by the report as the chief reason for the booming income.

But the picture has another side—that of farm expenses. Operating costs continue to increase and, although no estimate was made for 1947, the farmer's expenses went up 9 per cent in 1946. Nevertheless, if the agriculture department's estimates are accurate, the increase in farm income greatly outweighs the simultaneous rise in expenses.

CRISIS AGAIN: Transfusion?

Life these days, Secretary of State George Marshall has discovered, is bounded on all sides by one crisis after another.

No sooner had he returned to the U. S. from Brazil with the mutual American defense treaty tucked safely under his belt than he was beset with calls for succor from debilitated Europe, which, apparently, was sliding swiftly down the ways toward utter ruin.

Insiders said the European situation really was desperate. Undersecretary of State Robert Lovett had sounded the first alarm shortly before Marshall's return when he said that Europe's economic structure was cracking up faster than anyone had expected.

The fear blowing in on the winds from Europe intensified. Precariously balanced Britain remained at the heart of the trouble, but more grief was added by the news that bad weather had struck hard at crops in many European countries this year. Most nations had been forced to use their meager produce for domestic consumption rather than for export. There was no profit in that, they said.

In the U. S. it began to appear more likely that a special session of congress would be called this fall to study the situation and perhaps set up the apparatus for another economic transfusion to give strength to the weakening old world.

BONDED Vets Cash In

Draft time had rolled around again for millions of ex-G.I.s, but this time it was more in the nature of a bank draft as veterans all over the nation fell happily into line to cash their terminal leave pay bonds.

Virtually every city reported that hordes of veterans had descended on banks in an unprecedented rush



to convert their hard-won bonds into coin of the realm. Millions of former Joes stuffed millions of dollars into their pockets.

What would they do with the newly acquired money? A few put it back into savings accounts; others bought clothes, furniture and similar necessities; much of it was squandered immediately. But one surprising fact developed: A great many ex-G.I.s—family men now—were using the store of cash to get out from under worrisome debts. For them it was a case of "dire need."

ISOTOPES: U. S. Offer

Radioactive isotopes—products of American atomic research—have been offered in limited amounts to all foreign nations for use in mankind's world-wide and unending fight against disease.

The gesture, marking the first sharing of the fruits of U. S. atomic ovens, loomed more significantly on the uncertain frontier of global peace than any loan or economic aid so far conceived.

Described as the most important medical research tool since the microscope, the isotopes—radioactive forms of basic elements—are utilized in the same manner as machine gun tracer bullets. Introduced into the body or blood stream, they can be used to trace life processes and plot the course of various diseases.

They are of paramount importance in current cancer research and one day may provide the clue leading to control and cure of that disease.

WITH THE COLUMNISTS

PAUL MALLON

British Blame U. S. for Plight

THE latest good reporter to survey the British plight is Eugene Meyer, publisher of the Washington Post. Meyer reported to his paper recently the British public has not been told "the facts of life" regarding their plight, and also that socialism simply has failed to bring the needed production through which Britain could recover. Everyone knows this outside Britain.

It has been evident almost officially since a British embassy official here conceded last February Britain had coal in the ground of workable thickness for a production at economic prices of 250 million tons a year for 200 years at least, but was not able last winter to mine enough of it to keep herself warm. (He blamed shortage of miners, of course, not socialism.)

The truth behind all this is, Britain's political crisis is worse than her economic crisis. Her socialist politicians are trying to save their own skins with the British people by blaming us, rather than themselves, for her condition.

With an unbelievable propaganda campaign, they even succeeded in zapping themselves from blame for their food shortage by convincing the British we were not giving them enough food. They did not let the public know their own socialist experiments with land seizures had threatened private farmers and discouraged production. Now they are compromising slightly on their socialist planning (delaying further steps for a while, they say) and are trying to dig themselves out by focusing accusations against their leading and only benefactor, the United States.

H. I. PHILLIPS

The Play's the Thing

Dear Ed—Well, I am in the show business. A feller dropped in on the farm a few weeks ago and asked if I was using my barn. I thought he was just a city man who had sublet his apartment and couldn't get it back. I told him I had some livestock in it, some old buggies, quite a little hay, et cetera. He explained he wanted the barn for the drama.

I got them to sign a contract agreeing to return the barn in good condition, not to worry the cows and never to look for an egg until the hens got off the nests. Then they brought in as crazy a lot of folks as I ever seen and things began to hum.

Well, I haven't had any peace since. Both cows are sick, the horse ran away and every hen has stopped laying except a couple that are nesting in the woods.

Shakespeare said the play's the thing but he wasn't counting on fresh milk and eggs when he said it.

If I ever get my farm back the drama can stay in the city for the rest of my life. Next week they're putting on "Two Orphans" and the wife and I are in shape to play both parts.

Your loving uncle,
Chet Hostettlers.

WALTER SHEAD

Lobbyists Lead Cooperative Fight

IF THE number of lobbyists involved is any criterion, a bitter fight is in the offing in connection with the effort to remove tax exemption of farm cooperatives.

The National Tax Equality association, which is spearheading the drive, has three registered lobbyists on the job. They are Paul L. Courtney, annual salary \$10,000; Joseph F. Leopold, annual salary \$8,500, and Claire A. Johnson, salary not specified.

In addition, there are registered lobbyists from tax equality committees of New York, Indiana, Kentucky, Colorado, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Michigan, Missouri, Louisiana, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin and Texas, with recorded expenditures ranging from \$500 to \$3,700 for the first six months of 1947.

Leading the fight on behalf of the cooperatives are six registered lobbyists, including John H. Davis, salary \$11,000, William Heckendorn, salary \$7,500, and John J. Riggle, salary \$7,500, representing the National Council of Farm Cooperatives; Jerry Voorhis, salary \$7,500, representing the Cooperative League of the United States; R. Wayne Newton, salary \$10,000, representing the National Association of Cooperatives, and Russell Smith, salary \$8,400, representing the National Farmers Union.

WALTER WINCHELL

Notes of a Newspaper Man

President Truman, in an interview, stated the problems of his office have not in the least affected his health. The Truman constitution wouldn't be quite so strong if he worried a little more about the seditionists undermining the American constitution. . . . The Republicans still are trying to find out who's responsible for the war. What Americans would like to know is who's responsible for this peace.

Our Oh, Lord! Dept. It happened at the 25th anniversary dinner of the New York Newspaper Women's club. Mrs. E. D. Roosevelt was being introduced by one of the town's food editors, Edith Barber. Edith intoned: "And now, one of our members you all know—Mrs. THEODORE Roosevelt!"

DREW PEARSON

The Merry-Go-Round

THE supposedly economical senate spent \$68,000 for telegrams in one month alone. The telegraph bill included thousands of words wired to local newspapers from the Congressional Record. . . . Four New Englanders, Speaker Joe Martin of the house, Sens. Henry Cabot Lodge and Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts and Ray Baldwin of Connecticut, are not averse to vice presidential promotion. . . . Looks as if the Puerto Rican government is playing politics with its taxes. After the P. R. government decided to go into the hotel business, it suddenly slapped a hitherto unheard of tax assessment on the Condoado Beach hotel—its future chief competitor.

Despite the fact that the long arm of the law is panting better down the back of organized labor, AFL's Bill Green and CIO's Phil Murray still can't get together on labor unity.

Alf Landon, ex-governor of Kansas, came a cropper in trying to get a radio station at Inglewood, Colo., largely because of Federal Communications commission rules that radio stations must be locally owned. After he applied for a license, more than 100 affidavits poured into FCC saying Landon's station was unneeded in Inglewood. Landon withdrew, later got a station in Leavenworth, Kas., on his own stamping ground.

WRIGHT PATTERSON

History Will Judge Debacle

ADMIRAL HALSEY, in his memoirs published in Colliers, calls a spade a spade in denouncing the sacrifice of Admiral Kimmel and General Short as the goats for the Pearl Harbor disaster. For Pearl Harbor, Admiral Halsey vaguely blames the American people. But it was not the American people or congress who employed an alien German to erect greatly needed radar equipment, and then countenanced needless delay in its erection; it was not the American people or congress who failed to give the commanders vital information. The American people or congress were not responsible for Pearl Harbor.

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Potatoes at right treated with barsprout, left, untreated potatoes, both held under the same conditions.

have shown that the chemical imparts no harmful effect. Tests have been conducted for the past five years at leading agricultural experiment stations.

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We like to talk with the many young boys with which we come in contact from day to day. Fine fellows, with life's vicissitudes mostly way out yonder. Many are doing a lot of tall (and deep) thinking, for which they do not always receive full credit. Inquisitive always, they at once become susceptible to learning, a trait which too often becomes dormant in later life. Bless 'em.
Today, we are thinking of two

very fine fellows -- the Noble boys: J. M., 3rd age 13, and Eddie, age 11. Possessed of an inquiring mind, yet showing termity in their approach, they become little gentlemen in every sense of the word. Instant response to every good move suggested by their associates and disapproval of the bad leads us to think of their forebearers on both sides of their "house" whom we

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Whey added to silage as preservative.

field. Whey powder, about pounds to the ton, was added to chopped grass as it was fed to blower. FFA members are following through to study quality of silage as it is fed out, and effect on milk production.

LYNN CO. TAX ROLL IS UP

According to Frank Mc Ghee Jr., Tax Assessor and Collector Lynn County, the 1947 tax roll approved by the Commission Court of Lynn County and State Comptroller totals \$6,615,000. The tax roll of this year is higher than the 1946 tax roll due new homes and buildings and equipment purchased during the first of October 1947 and a 2 percent discount will be given on payments during the month of October.

Control of Insects Vital in Gardening

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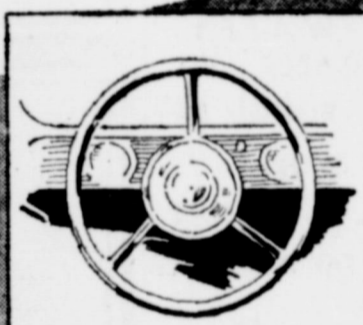
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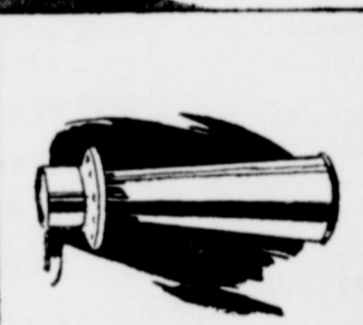
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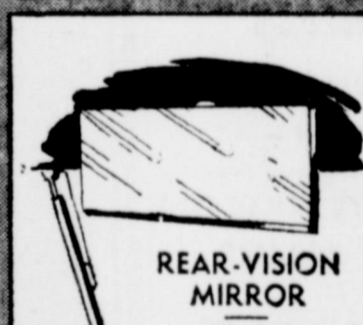
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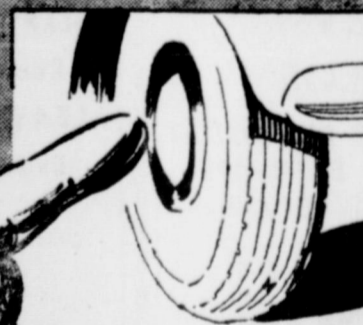
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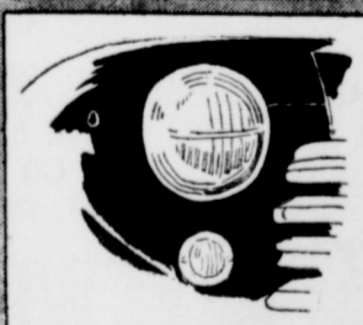
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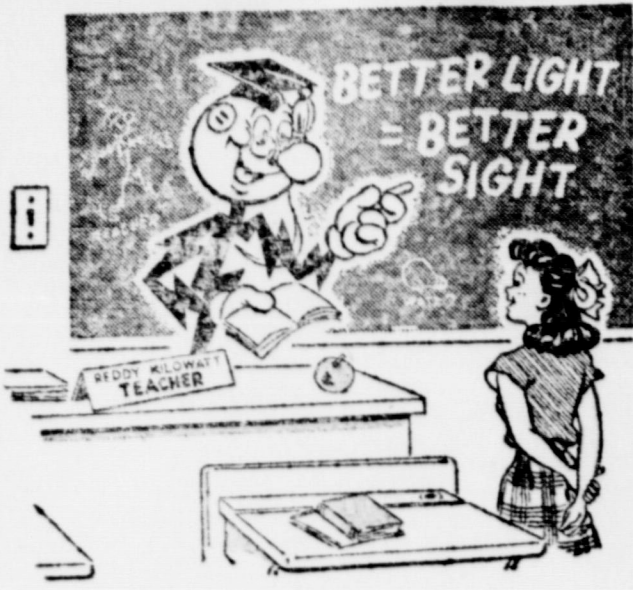
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Long trains mean fewer trains—fewer chances for accidents—fewer interruptions to traffic.

But a few railroad union leaders oppose long trains—among their current 44 demands for changes in rules is one limiting the length of freight trains to 57 average cars. Why do they demand this?

For "safety," they say. But is it? Government figures show definitely that long trains mean greater safety to railroad employees and public alike.

Then, if safety is not the real reason—what is the reason behind this demand?

It is to make more jobs which are not needed—to get more pay! This "made work" would be sheer waste. Think of big, modern locomotives using only half their power.

For this waste, you—the public—would have to pay. Higher costs mean a lower standard of living for everybody. Nobody wants that!

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Average speed of freight trains has gone up..	39%
The rate of injuries to railroad employes has gone down.....	60%
Average wages paid railroad workers have gone up.....	84%
Price of railroad materials and supplies has gone up.....	58%
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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers

Transform Vegetables Into Savory Dishes For Lunch or Supper



Asparagus takes on a pleasing look as well as extra flavor when green tips are tucked in between layers of cheese biscuit, topped with sauce and garnished with slices of hard-cooked eggs.

Remember when we just cooked vegetables in boiling, salted water and put them on the table without any thought as to subtle seasoning or attractive serving? Thank modern cookery experts for revealing the infinite possibilities of vegetables and for transforming vegetables into one of the glamorous groups of cookery.

First of all, there are innumerable sauces you can use with "perfectly cooked" vegetables to bring out all their hidden flavors. Then, if you want to forego the sauce, you can combine vegetables with other foods to make them palate-pleasing and tempting.

Whichever way you prefer to serve your vegetables, always remember that the overcooked vegetable can never be guaranteed to make friends or influence eaters to come back for seconds, as they should. Cook vegetables so there is still a bit of their garden crispness left. If cooked to this point and served immediately, you will also see less of their lovely colors.

Golden Cauliflower (Serves 6)

1 medium head cauliflower
1 cup raw carrots, diced
1/2 cup onions, chopped
Salt
Paprika
2 tablespoons butter, melted
1 cup rich milk
1 cup Wisconsin Natural American Cheese, grated

Break cauliflower into flowerets. Arrange cauliflower and carrots in buttered casserole. Cover with onion, seasonings and butter. Pour milk over contents. Sprinkle with cheese. Cover. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) 1 hour, removing cover the last 15 minutes.

"Red Cabbage and Apples (Serves 8 to 10)

2 quarts red cabbage, shredded
1 cup apples, pared and chopped
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup butter
2 tablespoons flour
1/2 cup vinegar
1/2 cup brown sugar
Buttered crumbs

Cook cabbage with apples 10 minutes in salted water, drain (save water). Melt butter, add flour, mix. Add 1/2 cup drained water, vinegar, and brown sugar, stir until thickened. Add apples and cabbage. Bake in buttered casserole in hot oven (400 degrees) 30 minutes. Crumbs are brown.

Sweet Potato Ceceilia (Serves 8 to 10)

13 pounds sweet potatoes
1/2 cup butter
Salt
Pepper
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg or mace
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 to 1 cup apple cider

Wash cooked sweet potatoes. Add 1/2 cup butter, seasonings, and apple cider. Put in buttered casserole, dot with remaining butter. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) 30 to 40 minutes, until potatoes are brown.

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Seasoning Lend Tang to Foods
If you want a really delicious sauce for your fish, melt butter, add flour, and in place of milk, add in sour cream. Add to this a dash of salt and pepper and chopped onions.

Blade of mace and a few cloves tied with the liquid when making aspic or lemon jelly will give it a spicy flavor. Strain the liquid to remove spices.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

- Baked Spareribs
 - Red Cabbage and Apples
 - Baked Sweet Potatoes
 - Molded Pear in Lime Gelatin
 - Cornbread Butter
 - Lemon Chiffon Pie
- *Recipe given.

Stuffed Eggplant

Cut a lid from one large eggplant lengthwise, scoop out pulp and cook in boiling salted water until tender. Drain and chop fine. Sauté one small minced onion in butter until soft, not brown, add eggplant, one half cup of bread crumbs, one half cup of chopped pecans, and two well-beaten eggs. Mix well with seasonings. Lastly add enough water in which the eggplant was cooked to make the mixture quite thin. Fill shell and sprinkle with bread crumbs and dot with butter and bake about twenty minutes.

Spinach Balls

Wash one peck of spinach in several waters, then cover tightly and steam with just the drippings from the washing for about fifteen minutes. Squeeze as dry as possible. Chop and press through a coarse sieve. Into this puree mix two slightly beaten egg yolks, one tablespoon of grated onion, one tablespoon of olive oil, and salt and pepper to taste. Mix well and form into balls, dip in beaten egg, then in hot fat to a golden brown.

Asparagus-Cheese Shortcake (Serves 6 to 8)

- 1 No. 2 can asparagus tips
- 3 tablespoons butter
- 1 tablespoon minced onion
- 4 tablespoons flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 2 cups milk
- 2 hard-cooked eggs, sliced for garnish

Melt butter in saucepan; add minced onion and cook slowly for 3 minutes or until tender. Add flour and seasonings and blend. Gradually add milk, while stirring; cook over low heat until smooth and thickened, stirring constantly.

Cheese Biscuits

- 2 cups biscuit mix
- 1/2 cup grated cheese
- 1 cup milk

Add grated cheese to biscuit mix and blend. Add milk, mix with fork.

Roll out to 1/4 inch thickness on floured board and cut into squares or circles. Bake on a greased pan in a hot oven (450 degrees) 12 minutes. Split and place hot asparagus tips between biscuits. Pour hot cream sauce over the top and garnish with hard-cooked egg slices.



A vegetable bowl of snowy, white cauliflower surrounded with green peas is hard to resist.

Tasty butter sauce variations will add sparkle to humdrum vegetable dishes. Here are two possibilities:

Lemon-Butter Sauce

- 1/2 cup butter
- Juice of 1/2 lemon
- 3 tablespoons parsley (if you prefer)

Melt butter, add lemon juice and blend thoroughly. Add parsley and serve hot with vegetables. An extra dash of the lemon-butter sauce may be served on the side.

Brown-Butter Sauce

- 1/2 cup butter
- 1 tablespoon chopped parsley
- Salt
- Pepper
- 3 tablespoons lemon juice

Melt butter in a frying pan and stir until a golden brown. Add chopped parsley, lemon juice, and salt and pepper to taste. Serve hot on vegetables or fish.

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Don't forget that dates added to muffins make them a party treat.

When you're using clams, don't forget that a pinch of thyme will do wonders. Crabmeat and mustard with mayonnaise makes a nice salad for a light luncheon. When you want to add a different touch to frankfurters, they can be stuffed with all variety of things—mashed potatoes—strips of cheese, bread dressing, sauerkraut or pickle relish.

THE BIBLE TODAY

International Union Sunday School Lesson
By LOUIE D. NEWTON, D. D.

SCRIPTURE: Proverbs 3:5-7; 4:23; 6:16-19; 9:10; 14:34; 15:1; 16:18; 21:3; 22:1; 27:1; 28:1; 29:18; James 4:17.
DEVOTIONAL READING: Proverbs 16:1-9.

Guidance From Proverbs

Lesson for September 21, 1947

OUR study of Sunday's lesson centers about the idea of goodness, which is a rather trite-sounding theme, but very vital, I assure you, and quite interesting. The Scripture passages are all found in Proverbs, save one, and that from the very practical preacher of the New Testament, James, chapter 4, verse 17.

Perhaps you will find the passages from Proverbs as helpful and interesting as I did. It will require but two minutes to read them—Proverbs 3:5-7; 4:23; 6:16-19; 9:10; 14:34; 15:1; 16:18; 21:3; 22:1; 27:1; 28:1; 29:18. And after you have devoted two minutes to the reading of these passages, you will have something to think about for the rest of the day, the week, all your life.

One Man's Experience

A VERY successful business man in Atlanta, a shoe manufacturer, was telling me his life story one day as we fished together at Homosassa, Fla. Finally, he said:

"Do you know the passage in the Bible that has meant most to me as a rule and guide for my faith and practice?"

I wondered what he would say. And then he quoted from Proverbs 3:5-7.

"Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. Be not wise in thine own eyes; fear the Lord, and depart from evil."

The Essence of Goodness

WHAT is goodness? We talk about good men and bad men, good times and bad times, good luck and bad luck. Just what is goodness?

Jesus himself once said to a young man:

"There is none good but One, that is, God." Mark 10:18.

Goodness then, permit me to suggest, is what happens when God lives in us. We can never know goodness apart from God, try as we may. The essence of goodness, therefore, is found in that heart, in that life, that sincerely prays, "Thy will be done."

The Essence of Badness

GUIDANCE from these great Proverbs identifies the things that we are to shun as well as the things we are to do—the essence of badness as well as the essence of goodness. Here are the seven things that God hates—the seven qualities of heart that constitute the essence of badness:

"Haughty eyes, a lying tongue, hands that shed innocent blood, a heart that deliberately plans wickedness, feet which are swift in running to mischief, a false witness who utters lies, and one who sows discord among brethren."

Analyze these seven qualities of heart, and you have the explanation of the woes of the world. Many clever modern books toy with these deadly sins, trying to make them seem good, but no amount of decoration can atone for the heart that consistently entertains these cancers of hell.

The Individual and Society

I LIKE the impact of these Proverbs. They begin with the individual. They fruit in society. Individuals who "trust in the Lord with all thine heart," will "exalt a nation." It is not enough to put better food in peoples' stomachs, better clothes on their bodies, better roofs over their heads. These are essential as expressing the better life; but you have got to give people something to live for as well as something to live on.

Good business depends upon good business men. Good international relations depend upon good nations. Good race relations depend upon good races.

We have been greatly enheartened by the establishment of United Nations as a world idea and ideal. Will it succeed? The answer is found not in dollars and bullets, but in hearts that always "trust in the Lord."

"Except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it; Except the Lord keep the city, the watchman waketh but in vain."
—Psalm 127:1

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- Is white a color?
- How much blood is there in the human body?
- Who was the first president of Texas after its declaration of independence?
- What city in the U. S. is one mile above sea level?

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- No, a shark can bite any side up.
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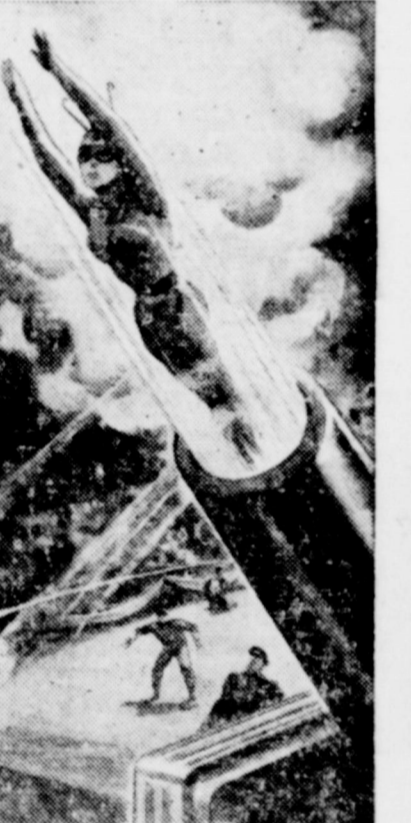
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