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Forthcoming Marriage Is Announced

This week Mr and Mrs. J W Gates are announcing the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Doris Nell Gates to James W. Taylor, son of Mr and Mrs. C T Taylor of Littlefield.

Miss Gates, since her return from Cleveland, Ohio has been employed as a member of the faculty of the West Texas Hospital School of Nursing in Lubbock. The wedding date has been set for Sunday June 6th.

Mr and Mrs. Floyd Myers have returned to Clayton; N M.

Mr and Mrs. J E Jett, Mrs. Howard Adams and boys, Earl Walker, Floyd Mayo, Joy Baker, Hazel Walker, Mr and Mrs. H R Pruett and family, Mr and Mrs. Willie Page all of Lubbock, spent Mother's Day with Mrs. Florence Walker and family.

Truman Childress of DeLeon is visiting his uncle, the C. D. Childress family.

Mr and Mrs. Edd McKee of Seagraves had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr and Mrs. Van McKee and children; Mr and Mrs. Harvey McKee of O'Donnell; Mr and Mrs. Joe McKee and daughter, Mrs. Cora McKee of Seagraves.

Loretta Owens and Woodrow Able are trying their luck at fishing this week.

Mrs. Loretta Owens and baby are visiting in the L W Able home.

Mrs. June Isaacs and son are visiting a sister at Morton this week.

Our friend, "Judge" Tom Brewer was called to Ft. Worth on account of the illness of an 87 year old uncle.

Alton Hobby and family spent the week end in San Antonio; Alton said he went on business but the kids had a good time.

JUMBO, after reading the folder on the hospital plan, takes oath and certifies it sounds sound as a pre-war dollar; so it should go over.

The home I C Dorman built for his son, Cecil, has been completed and Cecil and his wife moved in Wednesday of last week.

Mr and Mrs. W J Jordan had as guests Sunday, Mr and Mrs. D L Greenwood of North Spade.

Mr and Mrs. Roy McNeill of near Houston visited with his uncle Felix Jones and family a few hours last Thursday.

FOR SALE: A Burpee sealer -has been used only a few times; also a Sewing Machine Motor and foot pedal in A-1 shape. See Mrs. H. L. Wood.

FAMILY REUNION

The home of Mr and Mrs. I C Dorman was the scene of a family reunion with about forty guests attending coming from New Mexico; Morton, Seagraves, Brownfield and O'Donnell.

Sewing Club Meets

The Friendship Sewing Club met on their regular meeting day last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Velma McGregor. The club spent the time sewing and visiting. Cup towels were presented to the hosts. Coolaid and cookies were served to the president, Mrs. Pauline Eakers, the secretary, Mrs. Toni Brewer, treasurer, Mrs. Velma McGregor, Mrs. Ollie Lane, Mrs. Deena Veach, Mrs. Vivin Veach. Sending cup towels but not attending was Mrs. Neeta BeMillan. The club meets next Thursday in the home of Mrs. Deena Veach.

Donkey Baseball Game Here Thursday

Thursday nite at Johnson Field at 8 p m there will be a donkey baseball game sponsored by the O'Donnell Chapter of the Eastern Star. One team will be of local negro players and the other team of white youths. Admission is 50c and 25 cents.

J. P.'s Offices Moved "To Town"

This week Justice of Peace Brown and Dep. Sheriff Brush moved into their down town offices in the lower floor of the Masonic Building. They have a phone and are ready to fine you day or nite - service de lux.

Plans Made To Have Ball Club Here

Calvin Pugh has requested the Index to advise those interested in a regulation ball team for O'Donnell to meet at the Legion Hall at 6 p. m. Friday to assist in organizing. Practice has started with some 12 to 15 players working out. The team will be free-lance this year and if successful will apply for membership in the Oil Belt league next year.

Summer School Starts Here May 25th

M. D. Conger is this week announcing the opening of summer school here for a 6 week period starting May 25th and running thru June 21st. Registration will be Monday May 24th. Mr. Conger will head the school and Miss Stokes and Mr. Reed will also teach. Miss Stokes is also planning a school for Adults this summer.

Grady Gantt and family are moving to San Angelo this week; their numerous friends will regret losing them to the City on the Concho.

The 1939 and 1946 Study Clubs have accepted an invitation from the Study Club at Tahoka for a book review on May 11th at 4:30 at the First Baptist Church at Tahoka. Some 15 to 20 local ladies enjoyed this meeting.

Mr and Mrs. Sam Singleton and Mr and Mrs. C N Hoffman and daughter visited in Lubbock Sunday.

A E Wiese is visiting his mother at Temple.

John Tidwell has returned from a visit to his daughter and family, Mrs. Chester Taylor at Houston.

FOR RENT: 2 Room furnished Apartment. Mrs. W T Burk

Mr and Mrs. Herbert Ropy had as their guest Sunday Mr and Mrs. T. M. Wilson and grandson, Louis and Mr and Mrs. Cecil Roye of Seagraves and Mr and Mrs. L E Wood of Okarac, California and Mrs. Jewell Seely of O'Donnell.

daughter spent Friday nite of last week with Mr and Mrs. Edd Dorsey of Tulsa

Sunday guests Mr and Mrs. T O Ferguson and son of Rails

Mrs. H J Land is visiting her sister and family at Big Spring

Mr and Mrs. Cliff Weaver of Wilson spent Sunday with her sister and family the Clarence Danfels.

The following recital was given last Friday nite by pupils of Mrs. Gibbs at the school and was highly enjoyed by the public

PROGRAM

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| SWANS ON THE LAKE | THOMPSON |
| JANICE HUNT | HOPKINS |
| LITTLE BROWN BUNNY | |
| RITA HARGIS AND KAY PLATT | |
| LEAF OF LOVE | |
| DURRANE COOK | |
| WITH A HEY AND A HI AND A HO, HO | |
| TEN GIRLS | WILLIAMS |
| JUBILEE MARCH | MARYLIN WRIGHT, TESSIE AUTRY |
| VIRGINIA SANDERS, MARYLIN WRIGHT, TESSIE AUTRY | |
| NOW IS THE HOUR | |
| JOAN SHELTON | THOMPSON |
| A LITTLE WALTZ | |
| PATSY CLARK | BESTHOFF |
| TOY BAND PARADE | SCHAUM |
| ANN SINGLETON and CAROLYN PEARCE | |
| SHORTIN' BREAD | |
| BETTY SNELLGROVE | |
| DICKEY BIRD SONG | REA |
| 8 GIRLS | |
| THE LINNET | |
| BETTY BURKETT | WRIGHT |
| INDIAN LOVE CALL | |
| MARYLIN WRIGHT | |
| THE BAND | |
| Virginia Sanders, Anna Lois Rains and Tessie Autry | |
| HIG ROCK IN THE ROAD | LITZ |
| JOAN SHELTON AND BOBBY HAIRE | |
| SREAM OF LOVE | KETTERER |
| EMILY FRANCES HOLTZCLAW | |
| THE BRAVE KNIGHT | ROLFE |
| MARSHA COCKRELL | |
| RUSTIC CHAPEL | |
| FRANCES VANDIVERE AND SALLIE GRAY | |
| TAP DANCE | |
| KATE CARBINESS | |
| TAKE ME HOME AGAIN KATHLEEN | |
| ANN GILLIAM | VANDERBECK |
| EDELWEISS GLADE | |
| SALLIE GRAY | |
| TEN PRETTY GIRLS | REBE |
| JUNIOR COMMANDOS | |
| CAROLE THOMPSON and MARSHA COCKRELL | |
| TENNESSEE WALTZ | |
| Bobbie Lou Barnes and Beth Brian | |
| TEA FOR TWO | |
| ALTA B. STEPHENS | BERMONT |
| THE JOLLY MILLER | |
| FRANCES VANDIVERE | |
| GONNA GET A GIRL | |
| Homer Dan Vaughn and Travis Pearce | HOIST |
| THREE AND TWENTY PIRATES | BETHOVEN |
| LAVERNE McLENDON | |
| MINUET IN G | CARMICHAEL |
| RODDY FELTS | |
| STARDUST | |
| CAROLE ANN THOMPSON | |
| WEDNESDAY NIGHT WALTZ | |
| MRS. ELLIS BARNES' PUPILS | |

Small Fire Here Saturday

A fire Saturday afternoon at about 4 p m partly destroyed a frame building between the O'Donnell Bargain Store and the H. and S. Store. Watson Wilson, a Lubbock accountant, had offices in the building. The Fire Department made fast work of the blaze; a brisk southwest wind storm was blowing and the fire could have easily been a disaster without the efficient action of the fire boys - a darn good reason why the City and the town should continue to help the Fire Department.

Harmony News

Mr and Mrs. Willie Blair and Jean spent the week end at Sayer, Okla.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Blair and children spent Sunday at Post. William plays on the Seagraves ball team and they played Post Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Long and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. R L Carter and children spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Roscoe Snell.

Mr and Mrs. Cleo Pierce spent the week end visiting her parents at Munday.

Our good friend, Alice Gillespie remains in the hospital at Lamesa; we wish him a speedy recovery.

We have two reports of the measles in our community; Jodie Fletcher and Melba Furlow.

Homer Harburger returned Sunday from South Texas after visiting relatives. His brother in law flew him home by plane.

The Dorcas Class will meet with Mrs. J T Middleton, Sr Friday the 14th at 4 p m. The occasion is the social and business meeting of the class.

Mr and Mrs. C E Griffin had as their Sunday guests: Mr and Mrs. Matt Farmer and son, Mr and Mrs. Roy Burdett and children, Mr and Mrs. Putman of Pyote, Mr and Mrs. Raymond Nichols of Lubbock, Mr and Mrs. Carl Rains and Grandma Griffin.

Garland J. Clark spent a few days this week with his sister Mrs. C. E. Griffin. He has been in the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo for some time.

Mrs. Roy D. Smith and Mr and Mrs. McKeever and Grandmother McKeever left Monday for a three week visit to Los Angeles and other parts of California.

Mrs. Effie Aulay was honored with a covered dish dinner on Mother's Day; all her children were present.

Mr and Mrs. Raymond Britton of Dennison spent the week end here with a sister Mr and Mrs. N G. Cunningham.

Mr and Mrs. L M Mires and children left Friday to spend Mother's day with Mrs. Mires mother Mrs. M B Shaw at Dawson.

Mrs. C F Vick Jr and baby of New Boston spent a few days here with her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs. Shack Blocker and Mrs. J D Lumpkin. From here she went to Carlbad to spend a week with her mother Mrs. Dora Hays who is a teacher in the schools there.

Mr and Mrs. C B Morrison left Saturday to spend the week end with friends and relatives at Big Lake and San Angelo.

Hospital Plan Meeting Favorable Response

The first distribution of the descriptive folder for the proposed hospital for O'Donnell was made on Saturday. Immediately thereafter family memberships were sold. On the back page of this issue is a reproduction of all the information on the folder. Those living in Brownfield, Seagraves, Tahoka, Lamesa or other towns who have ties with O'Donnell are invited to membership in the Association. The charter will incorporate the Mutual group at \$75.00.00. Some 750 family groups will be signed up. Surplus Government hospital buildings and equipment is being sought and at least two doctors have applied for the staff jobs.

For any further information call the Index or see Shack Blocker, Joe McFaurin at Wells, Carl Sanders, Supt. Johnson, J. W. Gardenhire, Bill Snellgrove at O. K. or John Burkett of Mesquite. Money will be returned if for any reason the proposal is not consummated. You may may the membership out by the month.

This plan is the Little Man's answer to the unreasonable high cost of medical care. It's up to you? Will the doctor take all your savings when the dark clouds roll in?

Paving Will Start This Week

City Sect'y Thomas J. Yandell said this week that Kerr and Middleton, contractors for O'Donnell's paving project, would start work here by this week end. Some 12 blocks will be paved or repaired. A note to His Honor, Mayor Stark, how about a clean up week and a DDT spraying project. Let's take O'Donnell from one of the dirtiest towns on the Plains to the CLEANEST. IT CAN BE DONE !!!

NOTICE OF SALE

In accordance with due provisions of law, the FARMERS CO-OP ASSOCIATION of O'Donnell serves notice and hereby assumes that notice has been given, that it did sell and convey to Jack Reed and J. A. Edwards on May 1st of 1948 all the physical assets of the LOCKER PLANT.

Obligations made thereafter will be that of the new owners.

Signed: J. A. Edwards Mgr. O'Donnell Farmers Co-Op Assoc.

WILLIAM HERMAN DORSEY IS LAID TO REST HERE

Calamitous "Taiban Curve", 14 miles east of Ft. Sumner - which has claimed 3 lives in a year and half and has been responsible for numerous non fatal wrecks in the same period, was the scene of an accident shortly after midnight Saturday in which one Curry County man was killed and another injured.

The treacherous bend in the highway without any special markings on its approach to warn traffic of the extreme danger lurking there, sent a 1935 model 2 door sedan, driven by William Herman Dorsey age 48, rt. 3. Clovis, careening into the shoulder and down the embankment to roll over three times.

Dorsey and his two companions, Floyd Thatcher and Earl Thompson, both of Clovis, were thrown thru the canvas top of the car and the machine crushed Dorsey underneath. Thatcher sustained a broken arm and Thompson was unhurt.

State Policeman Floyd Miles said the car, owned by Thompson was enroute from Ft. Sumner to Clovis. He reported that Dorsey was dead when he arrived at the scene of the accident. "That curve should be straightened out", Miles commented.

Dorsey is survived by his widow and two sons Leroy and Jerry of Clovis and a third son William who is a member of the United States Marine Corps stationed in China, and other survivors are three daughters, Norma Jean and LaVada Dorsey and Mrs. Richard Hinebaugh and the father J H Dorsey.

Funeral services were here Tuesday at the First Baptist Church with Rev. J M Hale reading the service and burial in the local cemetery. An obituary will follow next week.

Wells Club News

Since the last report, the Wells H D Club has met twice in the Led better home. At the first meeting a group of women were taught to make Italian hemstitching.

The regular meeting was held May 4th. Five ladies were present. Miss Hard discussed lawns and shrub beds.

The club is to meet with Mrs. T B Barton May 18th at 2:30 p m. We expect Judge Tom Garrard and Co. Agent Griffin to be present. All women of the community are urged to be present to discuss what they would like to have in the fair next fall.

Commencement

Exercise

High School Auditorium
MAY 21, 1948; 8:15 p. m.

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| PROCESSIONAL | Mrs. Rosa Gibbs |
| INVOCATION | Rev. A. L. Golden |
| SALUTATORY ADDRESS | La Quita Roberson |
| VALEDICTORY ADDRESS | Verna Faye Creighton |
| ADDRESS | Rev. Alby Cockrell |
| Presentation of Diplomas | S. F Johnson |
| BENEDICTION | Rev. C. C. Calhoun |
| RECESSIONAL | Mrs. Rosa Gibbs |

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

MAY 16, 1948

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| PROCESSIONAL | Mrs. Rosa Gibbs |
| INVOCATION | Rev. C. C. Calhoun |
| CHORUS | C. H. Mansell, Leader |
| SERMON | Rev. J. M. Hale |
| BENEDICTION | Rev. Alby Cockrell |
| RECESSIONAL | Mrs. Rosa Gibbs |



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MRS. E. CLEMAGE

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- Tex-Tan Belts and Bill Folds
- ESQUIRE SOCKS
- ARMAN DRESS SHIRTS---Thrill him with a Shirt
- Wemberley Ties---There're the Best
- Fancy Sport and T-Shirts in Colors

Gift Suggestions for the GIRL GRADUATE

- ATOMAID HOSE
- EZ--HR QUILTED SLIDES
- DOVE UNDIES Always a nice gift
- SHIP - N - SHORE BLOUSES
- COSTUME JEWELRY and many more items

Thompson's Toggery

Palestine Trouble Heads for Climax As Arab Nations Prepare to Attack; Vandenberg Gives Warning to Russ

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

CLIMAX: Palestine

With a clashing of arms and a babble of alarmed voices, events in Palestine appeared to be piling up for another minor but bloody climax in human history.

This particular crisis had its immediate beginning in a savage attack on the Arab city of Jaffa by members of Irgun Zvai Leumi, Jewish underground force. Fact that the Irgunists' foray against Jaffa was made in defiance of orders by Haganah, the regular Jewish militia, carried no weight in the rush of incidents that followed.

From Palestine's coastal plain, site of the neighboring cities of Jaffa (Arab) and Tel Aviv (Jewish), the focal point of the disturbances moved swiftly inland to the holy city of Jerusalem.

Arabs and Jews hastily deployed their on-the-scene forces in preparation for what stacked up to be a major battle for possession of Jerusalem. Facing each other across a scant 200 yards of no-man's land, each side had its eyes fixed on the strategic Alamein camp which the British were evacuating.

But that wasn't all. It soon became apparent that the Arab league nations surrounding Palestine did not intend to stay out of this fight.

Reports were current that six Arab nations had decided to invade the Holy Land with ground, sea and air forces before the British ended their mandate on May 15.

The whole thing was shaping up in the form of a more or less total Arab effort to crush completely the Jewish intention of creating a Zionist state in Palestine.

Worried United Nations delegates, meanwhile, cast about for a means to prevent the inevitable carnage, or at least to preserve the city of Jerusalem.

France pushed its sponsorship of a heavily-armed volunteer U. N. police corps to safeguard Jerusalem. Hint of the shake-up of such a force was given in the suggestion that it might include 100 New York police volunteers, but no Russians. This protective army would number from 500 to 800 members.

While the Palestine situation leaped into a frantic state of flux, the United States kept discreetly out of it all in conformation to its recently adopted policy of apparent disinterest to what happens in the Holy Land.

DEFIANCE: Two Issues

In a surprise speech at a dinner given by Michigan chambers of commerce for the state's congressional delegation, Sen. Arthur Vandenberg served notice on Russia that:

- The United States may join western Europe in a military alliance against Communist aggression, and
- "We shall not surrender to Communist conspiracies in the United States."

Thus, the chief Republican proponent of bi-partisan foreign policy split the rind on two issues which, like grapefruit, will come more and more to be in the public eye as this year wears on.

Simply stated, those two issues are: Whether the U. S. should line up militarily alongside the recently formed union of western European nations, and whether the Communist party should be outlawed in this country.

They could become decisive issues in the presidential campaign. Indeed, Harold Stassen already has introduced one of them by coming out bluntly in favor of outlawing Communists in the U. S.

Vandenberg said, "We are suicidal fools if we do not root out and destroy any treason at home which may dream of bringing world revolution to the United States."

The Michigan senator only hinted at a U. S. military alliance with western Europe, but his remarks hardly could be misconstrued.

What Vandenberg didn't say is that while the U. S. has no formal or official role in the union of western European nations, American aid and support, military-wise, of that union almost inevitably is implied.

Whether or not this nation will grant that assurance will come to be a towering question in the public mind soon.

SKY-HIGH: Bombing

A team of air force and army ordnance men is seeking better methods of hitting pin-point bomb targets from extremely high altitudes, out of reach of most anti-aircraft guns or fighter planes.

This joint organization is conducting most of its secret tests in the California desert at Muroc air base. It's assignment is to carry out research in bombing techniques, particularly at high altitudes.

Target



Walter P. Reuther, president of the United Auto Workers (CIO), was seriously wounded when he was shot by an unknown assailant who fired a shotgun at him through the window of his Detroit home. Communists were suspected of being behind the attack because of Reuther's strong opposition to them in the union.

MINERS: Temporary

Let not the public be deceived by the spell of quiet that is reigning in the nation's soft coal mines and the temporary evaporation of John L. Lewis from the stage.

As it looks now, this peaceful situation is good only until June 30. Even while the miners continue to chop coal in the pits, they make it clear that they expect to go back to their fishing on that date.

June 30 is the day the present wage agreement between the United Mine Workers and the coal operators expires. It is possible, of course, that a new agreement may be reached before then, but it is practically impossible to find anyone who thinks so.

After Lewis' tussle with Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough in which he and the union were fined a total of \$1,420,000, the miners went back to work after hearing John L.'s "wish" that they do so. This, however, is regarded as merely a temporary truce.

One of the reasons advanced for Lewis' cantankerous delay in coming to terms on the pension dispute was that the mine leader was eking out the work stoppage as long as possible in order to deplete the nation's coal reserves and so put himself in a better bargaining position when the contract negotiations came up.

That he accomplished that end there is no gainsaying. Coal stocks went down almost to zero all over the country, resulting in curtailment of steel production, a cut in rail travel and various major and minor industrial shutdowns.

It is a fact, too, that industry will not have recovered its balance sufficiently by June 30 to cope adequately with whatever emergency Lewis might precipitate this time.

FOOD PRICES: Logical

Not that it makes it any easier to pay the grocery bill, but the reasons why food prices are so high are no mystery.

U. S. has been channelling food and resources into foreign countries at a rate and volume never before approached. Also, every American able to digest solid food is eating 17 per cent more than he did before the war.

Finally, until just recently, consumers have been spending their money on food because there was nothing much else available to buy. Those conclusions were reached by University of Wisconsin economists after an investigation into the causes of current high price levels.

Center of the whole spiral are grain prices. Strong exports of corn and wheat caused an upswing in prices on the commodity markets. More expensive grains cause prices of flour, bread, ham, pork loin and rib roasts to go up.

OREGON: Next Up

After whirling breezily through Ohio to the thorough disgustment of Sen. Robert Taft, campaigning Harold E. Stassen set his political sights on the May 21 Oregon primary election where he was due to joust with Gov. Thomas E. Dewey for that state's Republican convention delegates.

In a kick-off address in Portland Stassen refurbished his foreign and domestic policies for the edification of Oregon voters who will elect the 12-member GOP delegation.

Stassen was taking his Oregon campaign seriously because a large measure of importance was being attached to the election insofar as it would provide the first test of West coast opinion on Republican presidential contenders.

SHORTAGE: Farm Machinery

Behind the present shortage of farm machinery in the U. S. lies a now all-too-familiar story: More such machinery is being produced than ever before but it isn't enough to meet the demand.

Waiting list for farm machinery is phenomenally long, yet 131 per cent more tractors, cream separators and other pieces of farm equipment were produced in 1947 than were available in 1939.

Washington Digest

Case of the Nazi Reception, Or Misleading Propaganda

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator

WASHINGTON—Last month there was a memorandum on my desk from the department of the army addressed to "all former war correspondents, subject: Army Day, 1948." It suggested that perhaps I had a war story that stood out in my mind that I would like to relate as an Army Day feature. The memorandum didn't state which war was preferred, if any, but I supposed that it didn't matter so long as it wasn't the next one.

I reported the landing on the Normandy beaches, the Battle of the Bulge and many of the other important events of the last war—from a microphone in Washington; my connection with World War I was less vicarious; my experiences during earlier conflicts such as San Juan, Gettysburg, Chapultepec, Yorktown and Hastings are a little hazy.

Therefore I decided that the department of the army might permit me to relate an adventure which provided a little comedy relief in 1939, in the nervous interlude, known as the "phony war," before the real storm broke. It went something like this:

It happened at Wesermuende, the German air and naval base, shortly after Britain and France had declared war on Germany. America correspondents still had considerable freedom, and I had managed to wrangle permission to interview the first British fliers shot down by the Germans. I did, but that isn't this story.

For all the careful German preparations for war, there was still a certain amount of confusion in the office of propaganda under the highly efficient father of lies, Dr. Goebbels, but I managed to get the use of a German army transport plane to fly me (with a German radio man) from Berlin to Wesermuende.

The war was roaring westward into Poland and the great Tempelhof airfield in Berlin was all but deserted when we arrived before dawn and were escorted with alacrity, and not a little wonderment, to our transport which already was warming up. We had been up all night and my colleague immediately fell asleep on a pile of parachute equipment. As soon as dawn broke, I busied myself watching the anti-aircraft batteries in the fields surrounding Berlin, gun pits in fields surrounded by complacent, cud-chewing cows who were, like the rest of the bemused population, unaware of what the Fuehrer was about to bring down on them.

For some reason we flew low, almost scratching our wings on the church steeples. At last my companion awoke. We were approaching the airfield. It was a lively spot. As we drew nearer, we could see a detachment of marines which came to attention as we approached. A half dozen staff cars were drawn up in a semi-circle, balanced by blue jackets and ground personnel of the air force.

"We're lucky," my companion remarked, "some big brass must be coming, we'll see a parade." No other plane was visible though, as we circled a couple of times over the docks, thick with ships including the long-lost Europa, back on her dash from Murmansk. Finally we landed a couple of yards from the military formation which by now was drawn up at attention. We were a little embarrassed, for we were in plain sight of the imposing array, and were afraid we might suddenly bump into the visiting dignitary—and we were hatless and unshaven.

I let my companion go ahead. There was no place to go, however, but in the direction of the naval detachment and their commanding officer. It later developed he was the commander of the base, a tall, slim, correct naval officer, perhaps a little nervous, though we were too nervous ourselves to realize it at the moment.

We advanced, like pups approaching a porcupine. A command rang out. The troops snapped to present arms, the officer saluted and drew a manuscript from his tunic, something new to me in military procedure—all I could think of was a painting of General Washington reading a message to his troops (and I always had thought that was a flight of the artist's fancy).

The officer began reading—it was a message of welcome all right. Finally, my companion (he was half-English, which may explain his fortitude) interrupted: "There must be some mistake. We are two radio correspondents."

The commander bowed, looked abashed, glanced over our heads toward the plane.

"But where are the other gentlemen?" he wanted to know.

"There are just two of us," we replied.

"But the minister of propaganda? Who is representing him? We were notified by the department—a special plane—the truck for the baggage—"

We explained briefly, and waited for the skies to fall. They didn't. The officer continued his speech without even dropping his monocle—just to be sure—editing it slightly to make it apply as he went. There was no question that he thought we were going to be, certainly OUGHT to be Goebbels.

The formation melted away, the truck which had been requested to transport sound equipment started to load, all but one of the staff cars slunk away. There was only one red face, the air force commander's, but he felt no embarrassment, but rage. This was a purely military field and I had held up the German war effort for half a morning, thus contributing my bit to Allied victory even before America was in the war.

For the rest, the only significant memory, except for my interview with those British boys, was the questioning by the German officers. Obviously they didn't share the complacent assurances of victory of the Nazi higher-ups—they remembered World War I.

Today the greatest danger to the peace is the possibility that the will, the purpose, the power of the United States will not be understood in time by the Russian command—that they will fail to recognize the risk of self-annihilation they are taking in their "cold war," as the Kaiser and Hitler failed to realize it.

Roses, But Never A Spray of Yew

There are many good garden books, and I for one had about come to the conclusion that the final word on gardening had been written, when along came the Woman's Home Companion Garden Book (P. F. Collier and Son corporation, publisher, New York City) with many new angles. Edited by John C. Wister, director of the Arthur Hoyt Scott horticultural foundation, Swarthmore college, this book speaks with authority.

"It is correct," it states on page 472, "to speak of narcissus, and also correct to use the English term daffodil for all species and varieties of narcissus. There is confusion about this, a popular impression being that daffodils are the yellow kind, and narcissus the white kinds. There also has been confusion about the name jonquil. All the daffodils of the jonquil group are distinguished by their narrow, garlic-like foliage and by their characteristic bright yellow color, which is the same shade throughout the flower."

All of this interested me mightily as I had just been studying a photograph of a clump of narcissus in a popular magazine's "name this picture" contest. The leaves on the plant shown were broad, though the answer given by the editor was "jonquil." Obviously, even contest editors may err.

The narcissus discussion is a sample of Editor Wister's directness in this new garden book and there is more like it on every page.

Not the least interesting writing in this book is the foreword by the well-loved Liberty Hyde Bailey, dean of all gardeners, whose accomplishments need no eulogy here.

Another intriguing feature is the discussion and diagramming of various geographic areas according to their geological and climatic conditions. Most of us have been frost-bitten too often for comfort by blindly following the usual maps.

Additional data and measuring qualities have been added to long-established material in making a broader and yet more personal presentation of his problems to the gardener in any given section of the United States and Canada. The net result is the clarification of many heretofore-vague statements.

It would be unfair to other excellent books to say that this is the best garden book yet published. In some ways it excels all others, but still there are other volumes which may contain more information on specific subjects.

Perhaps the way to size up this 1,000-page volume is to say that regardless of whatever other gardening books you own, you need this one too if you seek fresh angles on your favorite hobby.

With its fine cover and paper stock, its 24 photographic pages in full color, its 56 pages of black and white illustrations and more than 100 how-to-do-it pictures, the Woman's Home Companion Garden Book is completely satisfying.

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by Roger C. Whitman

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STATION IDENTIFICATION

By JOHN H. HOSE

"PLEASE take a seat along the mezzanine, sir. The next tour of Radio City begins in approximately five minutes," piped the charming hostess as she handed the tour tickets to Bob Johnson.

Only two days remained of the week for which Bob had saved all year. Vacation in New York—gosh! It had been wonderful. . . . Coney island, Grant's tomb, Statue of Liberty, Central park. . . . meals in Greenwich village at the "Captain's Bell," and the night in Chinatown. Only two things remained on Bob's schedule—a night ride on the Staten island ferry and this tour of Radio City.

Bob was 25, tall, blond and tagged as the rugged type by the hometown bobby soxers. After his graduation from Mascoutah high school, he had gone to work at Carl Mayhew's filling station and garage. Everyone in the Illinois town said that Bob was a born mechanic. Although Bob had been to nearby St. Louis many times, he always had longed to come to the big city. Now his dream visit had blossomed into reality, but it was drawing rapidly to an end. In 36 hours, he would be on the Pennsy speeding westward once again.

"But it sure was worth it," thought Bob, as he joined the group of 14 or 15 people which had gathered in the mezzanine foyer of the RCA building. He only casually noticed the girl who seemed so deeply engrossed in the showcase full of modeled hands of eminent NBC conductors. He had been looking at the unusual display only a few moments when the petite tour guide called.

"Please step forward to the elevator, folks. I am Helen Barry. We're happy to welcome you to Radio City. In the course of this tour, we shall visit the studios, show you the inner workings of radio and conclude by attending an actual broadcast of the 'Fred Waring show.'"

"Now I think it would be nice to know your names, and especially where some of you are from. We'll let you begin, sir," she said as she pointed to the portly man in the vanguard of the little group.

"We're Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fisher from Cedar Rapids, Iowa," from the dignified gentleman.

The others dutifully chimed in. "Elmer Petersen, St. Paul, Minn." "Eloise Miller, Altoona, Penn." "Bob Johnson, Mascoutah, Ill." "Mr. and Mrs. Mark Brown and sons, Gary and John, Chicago." "Anne Strong, Vandalia, Ill."

Partly because she came from nearby Vandalia, but more because of the soft, resonant quality of her voice, Bob turned quickly to inspect the young lady thus identified. As he looked into her self-confident, smiling face, he remembered the young lady whom he had noticed while waiting for the tour to begin. Her round face with its even, pleasing features made him think of Illinois, somehow. It seemed that she was symbolic of the wide, sweeping prairies of his home state—almost a breath of refreshment in the crowded elevator.

As the group emerged from the cage after a rapid ascent, Bob crowded ahead among the others until he reached Anne Strong.

"Miss Strong," he stammered, "I overheard you say you were from Vandalia. I'm from Mascoutah, and I've been to Vandalia lots of times."

"Yes, Bob, I heard you say you were from Mascoutah," answered Anne casually, as though she and Bob had been friends for years.

"Are you enjoying your visit here in New York?" she continued.

"Oh you bet!" replied Bob. "I'm going back tomorr—" "

"If you will step this way, please, we will enter the sound effects department," interrupted the guide at this point, and Bob didn't quite finish his sentence.

"Please observe, and I shall demonstrate how sounds are simulated with the most simple devices," the girl continued as she entered a glass-enclosed booth.

"For example, to create the sound impression of a trotting horse, we simply take these half coconut shells and clap them together sharp-

ly. Each seemed to be deeply engrossed in his own thoughts.

"Now we shall televise some of you," the guide announced, "and you can observe how you might appear on a television broadcast."

"Would you like to be first, Miss," she asked, indicating Anne.

"Oh. . . I guess so," replied Anne, stepping forward.

As he watched her enter the enclosure under the glare of the lights for the television view, Bob again was aware of the undertones of feeling created by Anne's vibrant personality. He couldn't help but note



Anne Strong recognized that the remote flutter of excitement within her was due to this young man rather than the wonders of radio.

ly. The plop, plop, plop comes through your radio at home just like the trotting hoof-beats. If we wish to make your mouth water with the sound of frying eggs, we need only crinkle bits of cellophane before the microphone.

"When we wish to reproduce telephone calls, we use the filter microphone. . . ."

The voice droned on and on, but Bob had lost interest in radio. He was infinitely more aware of the slim young lady at his side. Her arm had brushed against him as the group crowded forward to watch the sound demonstration on the other side of the glass partition, and Bob was shaken by the tremour of excitement aroused by this brief contact.

Anne Strong, too, recognized that the remote flutter of excitement within her was due to this young man rather than the wonders of radio.

When Anne left Vandalia, she had decided never to return. It was such a provincial little town, she thought, and she felt sure she couldn't stand spending the rest of her life there. Of course she knew that one didn't go to the big city to achieve fame like a Horatio Alger hero; but at any rate, she would be free from the petty gossip and restrictions of small town life.

Anne was considered the best beautician in Vandalia, so she was quite confident that she would experience no difficulty in finding work in New York. But for a few weeks, she planned to "see the sights" before going to work. Only this very morning, she had decided to see Radio City.

As they left the sound effects' room and moved along the corridor toward the television demonstration, Bob and Anne walked silently to-

gether. Each seemed to be deeply engrossed in his own thoughts.

"How did I look, Bob? Was I terrible?" she inquired.

"You were wonderful!" said Bob, and Anne seemed to understand and interpret the feeling in his voice as genuine.

"When are you going back to Vandalia, Anne?" asked Bob, as they followed the group along the corridor.

"I wasn't planning to return to Vandalia. . . ever."

All the elation seemed to drain out of Bob when she answered. For the swiftly moving machinery which carries us so rapidly into the future already was busily at work creating fantasies for Bob. Across the miles, his thoughts had planned how he would borrow Carl's car to drive to Vandalia to see Anne. But Anne wasn't going back; she was staying in New York.

"That concludes our tour of Radio City. I hope you have enjoyed your view behind the scenes in radio," came from the girl guide to jerk Bob back to reality.

Turning to Anne he asked: "Since I'll probably never see you again, how about celebrating my last day in New York with me?" It can be your farewell salute to Illinois!

Anne said, "O. K., Bob, what's on the schedule?"

Somewhat sheepishly, Bob told her his plans, and they set out together. They visited the art museum, lunched at the open air restaurant in Central park, shared a bag of popcorn at the Bronx zoo and enjoyed dinner in a Slovakian restaurant below Third avenue. They brought the happy day to a close with the ride on the ferry.

As they walked slowly toward the hotel where Anne was staying, she asked quietly: "Where do you live in Mascoutah, Bob?"

"Since Mother died," replied Bob, "I've been living in two rooms over the garage where I work. I batch. It's not a bad place. There are five rooms there, but I use only two of them."

"I just wondered," said Anne, "thought I might like to send you a postcard some time. It's been great fun today, Bob. You're the first person in New York with whom I've felt really friendly. And you had to come all the way from Illinois." She paused as they drew near the hotel entrance.

"I hope you have a nice trip home," she continued as she extended her hand to him in a farewell gesture, "Thanks for a very nice day!"

"Gee, Anne, I had a swell time," said Bob. "Glad I got to know you. Maybe we'll see each other again some time, you knows."

They were both silent for a few moments. Then Bob shuffled his right foot around before he said, "Well, so long, Anne." Anne noticed the droop of his shoulders as he shuffled off down the street.

Two weeks later, Carl came into the garage and shouted to Bob: "Hey, Bob, who do you know in Vandalia?"

Bob looked up somewhat surprised, asking, "Why?"

"Letter here from Vandalia for you, and it looks like a female's handwriting to me," bantered Carl. "Ummm! Smells good, too."

Before he looked at the trim handwriting, Bob knew that a certain beautician had decided that the big city wasn't so good after all.



Legumes Open Soil To Air and Water System of Rotation Prevents Compaction

Tight "stuffy" soils are robbing many farmers of high bushel-per-acre yields of corn and small grains each year. Loams, silt loams and clay loams need large amounts of organic matter in the plow layer and deeper to keep them open and loose for high crop production.

Heavy soils that are low in organic matter and worked with heavy tractors and machinery become



Tap roots of alfalfa and sweet clover, as shown to sketch, break through packed soil to assure water and plant food for growing crops.

packed, especially just below the plow sole. These compactions slow down the intake of water. They cut down the amount of water and air the soil will hold for crop use. They keep the fibrous roots of corn and small grain "upstairs" away from water and plant food held deeper in the soil.

Temporary relief can be had by using machines that reach below the ordinary plow layer and break up the plow sole compactions. Real relief, however, comes only through regular use of deep-rooted legumes in the rotation.

The driving tap roots of sweet clover and alfalfa force their way through the compactions and reach deep into the soil, thus opening it to air and water. The mineralized organic matter they leave there improves soil tilth and furnishes plant food for other crops.

Channels of the tap roots are routes for water and air and fibrous roots to follow deep into the soil. Compaction-busting alfalfa and sweet clover need phosphate and potash if they are to do a good job.

Smash Sale Records



All records for Ayrshire auction sales in the U. S. were broken when an average of \$2,267.39 was paid for 23 Scottish bred Ayrshires imported and sold by Frank V. Lile of Bellefontaine, Ohio. The sale grossed \$52,150.

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Increased Yields Noted With Use of Fertilizer

Wheat yields can be stepped up 7 to 14 bushels per acre and the hay crop can be increased through use of more fertilizer in hay and pasture crops seeded in small grains, declares Dr. D. R. Dodd of the Ohio experiment station.

This practice is particularly profitable on land already highly productive, Dodd points out. As an example, he cites tests made by researchers on plots at the Ohio station. The land's producing capacity already had been built up by good soil management so that it was producing an average of 85 bushels of corn, 23 bushels of wheat and 3 tons of hay per acre.

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The Henry home—Red Hill, in Charlotte county, Virginia—which was burned in 1919, is to be restored as it was in Patrick Henry's time, and furnished with the furniture and decorations that Patrick Henry had.

This great patriot won his first fame by demanding for colonial Virginia the rights of Englishmen. He won his greatest fame by demanding for all Americans complete freedom forever from England.

Although a slave-holder, Patrick Henry considered slave-holding an economic curse as well as a social evil. He was a lawyer by profession, and also a very successful politician.

By 1775 war was imminent. On March 23 Patrick Henry offered a resolution to organize the Virginia militia and put the colony in a state of defense. In supporting it he made his most famous speech, which closes with the declaration: "Give me liberty or give me death!"

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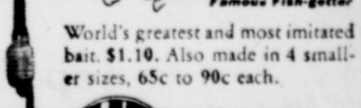


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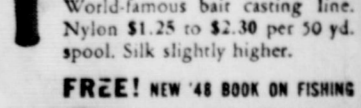
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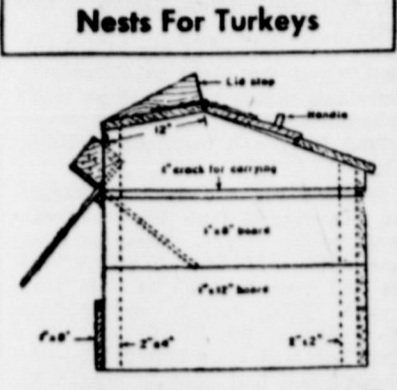
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LOOKING AHEAD
BY GEORGE S. BENSON
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JUST ROUTINE TACTICS
The "good" Communist is sworn to lie. (Unfortunately, all the lies are not in Russian, nor even in the Communist party in this country. Life would be much more simple if they were.) However, among the so-called liberals, and even the low-travelers there are those who are waking up to the fact that gain for plain old honesty and integrity is one of the chief characteristics of Communism. I know only one answer to the problem of the lie, and that is: truth.

If there were only one Communist in the world folks with truth in their lives could isolate him easily enough. But when you admit the tactics of lying into international relationships, things begin to get complicated. It is indeed a real problem to deal with nations which lack moral integrity, and my sympathies go out to our statesmen who have to meet the Communists on international issues.
Nothing On Merit
To illustrate. Shortly after President Truman's message to Congress on European recovery, the Moscow radio announced: "The essence of the Marshall Plan is war." Marshall, the radio said, was out there to assist American monopolies. Marshall was called the "international friend of Wall Street big wig" because he seems that to represent Secretary of State Marshall as imperialist monopolist, oppressor, and warmonger is just routine Communist tactics.

Secretary Marshall is not an imperialist and he is not trying to conduct a program in Europe in the interest of American monopolies, and so on, which fact every one knows. Even the Russians who were saying those things knew the statements were untrue. Their method of defeating the Marshall Plan at that time was to misrepresent it. They didn't dare criticize it on its merits. See the Methods
These statements were designed, of course, for the American public. To the American public this particular incident was perhaps of little importance in itself. However, it is useful in demonstrating the tactics used by Communists in America for several decades. These men knew at the start it would not be easy to undermine the American day of life. They realized their best method was to cause dissension and friction among the groups in America.

The Communists apparently decided that the easiest way to create this friction would be to set labor and industry against each other. To this end they began picking out American industrialists and calling them profiteers and capitalists, disinterested in the welfare of the worker. They also misrepresented the amount of profits, until many people think industrialists make ten times the profit actually made. We can see quickly the absurdity of attacks on Secretary Marshall. But perhaps we have been slow to see the lies and misrepresentations used right here in our country against our own people. Our industrialists have worked unceasingly along with labor, to help raise our standard of living. Only in America do the rank and file enjoy cars, radios, telephones, refrigerators and hundreds of other luxuries. Let's keep our thinking straight, despite Communist tactics.

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The facts about polio are these: It attacks so few people that 20 per 100,000 population is considered an epidemic. Half of those who get the disease recover without crippling, another 1-4 th, with good care, recover with only slight crippling. Deformities can be prevented and crippling lessened in many cases, by prompt, complete and sometimes prolonged medical care.

Even though these encouraging facts have been established, still with polio a knowledge of disease prevention is better than cure. Summer is the chief danger period, and to avoid the risk of contracting this disease, it is well to observe the following health suggestions, especially with regard to children: practice absolute cleanliness in personal, home and community life; try not to mingle with crowds; don't get overtired since extreme fatigue lowers resistance; avoid chilling by swimming overlong in cold water and consult your doctor at once if a member of your family has fever, headache, nausea, a cold, upset stomach, muscle soreness or stiff neck.

Following these suggestions will help to prevent the spread of polio but if you do have a case in your family, remember that the majority of patients with good care recover without crippling. Your fear or panic will only make it harder for you and your child.

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RAILROAD STRIKE

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Union leaders representing less than one-tenth of railroad employes reject recommendations of President's Emergency board—refuse to negotiate except on their own terms—threaten to paralyze nation by strike!

THE LEADERS of three railroad unions, representing less than one-tenth of all railroad employes, have called a railroad strike that would paralyze the nation.

These leaders refuse to accept a 15½ cents an hour wage increase retroactive to November 1, 1947. This increase was recommended by an impartial Emergency Board appointed by President Truman.

This increase of 15½ cents already has been accepted by the 19 other railroad unions. But the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, and the Switchmen's Union of North America won't accept what more than 90% of all railroad employes have accepted. They have called a strike to get more!

Unions refuse rules discussion
 Certain rules changes demanded by these union leaders—which would increase wages still further—were recommended by the Board. But the union leaders want more—they demand that the railroads put into effect ALL the changes they asked for, including those the Board felt should be denied.

On top of this, they insist that certain rules changes proposed by the railroads be withdrawn—in spite of the fact that the Board recommended them! These union leaders have refused to negotiate except upon these arbitrary terms.

Greater wage increase not justified
 Engineers and firemen are among the highest paid of all employes in America, as figures in the box show. This strike threat doesn't justify giving a greater increase than other railroad workers received.

Emergency Boards are a means provided by the Railway Labor Act in the public interest to avoid strikes. The President's Board,

after hearing evidence for 33 days, made recommendations based on all the facts in the case. The railroads have accepted these recommendations.

Who's to blame?
 Although they deplored so large an extra cost burden, the railroads accepted the report of the Board because they felt it was in the public interest to uphold the spirit and intent of the Railway Labor Act.

In contrast, this small group of railroad union leaders are attempting to flout the intent and spirit of the Railway Labor Act, and dictate their own terms.

They have dictated a paralyzing railroad strike.

You will be the victim!

How long will the American public stand for the undemocratic, arbitrary, and abusive use of the right to strike and the disregard of the obligation to provide transportation? How long can the American people permit a few dictatorial union leaders to defy the processes provided for peaceful settlement of disputes?

Force seldom produces settlements that are either fair or lasting. Moreover, a point is often reached when personal interests must be held subordinate to the greater public welfare. That is why the railroads have accepted the Emergency Board recommendations. That is also why the leaders of these three unions should reconsider their decision to call a paralyzing strike.

Compare these wages with what you make!

Type of Employee	1928 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings with Wage Increases Recommended by President's Board
ENGINEERS			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$3,960	\$6,152	\$6,785
Road Passenger	3,632	5,391	6,025
Road Freight (Through)	3,147	4,682	5,167
Yard	2,740	4,075	4,740
FIREMEN			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$2,738	\$4,721	\$5,310
Road Passenger	2,732	4,544	5,170
Road Freight	2,069	3,480	3,914
Yard	1,962	3,156	3,646

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The FICTION Corner

A RIDE IN THE DARK

By LOUISE BERGSTROM

THE headlights of the blue coupe flashed on in the driveway. Joyce, who had been watching from an upstairs window, reached hurriedly for the coat lying on her bed. As she slipped into it she made a last quick survey of the room to see that she had not forgotten anything. By the door her neatly packed suitcase stood ready, and even now the room had that deserted, impersonal atmosphere a room acquires when its occupant goes away.

Her heightened emotions threw an unnatural clarity over the familiar scene. Little things she had not noticed for weeks sprang suddenly into focus. A silly little horn hanging on the dresser was a reminder of a dance Terry had taken her to while they were still in college. He had kissed her that night for the first time. The photograph stuck in the edge of the mirror: Terry with a horrible grimace pretending to clutch her throat as she knelt in supplication in the sand. That had been taken the day the gang drove out to Three Tree Point for a picnic.

"How young we were!" she thought wistfully. "How terribly, carelessly young! And we'll never be young like that again!"

She shivered and drew her coat closer around her shoulders. For tonight was the end of her girlhood, the end of the careless, silly years. After tonight nothing would ever be quite the same again. Better, perhaps. Oh, yes—far, far better! But not the same, ever again.

She caught her breath in a sudden panic, and for one horrible, despairing moment she thought, "I don't want to go through with it! I'm afraid!"

Then with a laughing sigh at her absurdity, she shook the mood from her and hurried out of the room without looking back.

Safely in the car with her suitcase tucked under her feet, she relaxed comfortably against the shoulder of the young man behind the steering wheel.

"Look, Terry, there's a new moon tonight. Is that a good omen, do you suppose?"

"I hope so, darling." He looked tenderly down at the delicate oval of her face, childish mop of brown curls and the small hands folded carefully in her lap.

"Oh, Joyce," he exclaimed abruptly, "don't you think we should have told your mother after all? Are you sure that you want to do it this way?"

"Hush, Terry." She patted his knee. "Let's not go into that again. It's too late, anyway. You know Mother, she thinks I'm still a baby! She wanted us to wait at least another year."

"She might be right at that," Terry replied uncertainly. "Maybe you are too young."

"Nonsense!" She shook her curls emphatically. "A girl knows when she's ready. Wasn't it lucky Mother decided to go to California when she did? Everything worked out beautifully. Now she needn't know a thing about it until it's all over."

"Darling," her voice grew pensive. "Why do you suppose it is that middle-aged people can't seem to remember what it's like to be young and in love? Don't they remember the beauty and the relentless urgency? Don't they know that there has to come a time when you've got to have it all and even everything is not enough?" Her voice faltered, and in the silence between them the words were like dark wings beating.

Terry reached down and took her hand in a hard grip.

"Joyce, dearest!" he whispered. They were silent then, and the moon-bathed landscape sped past as his foot pressed hard on the gas pedal. It was early spring, and the cool night air blowing in through the car window had the restless, exciting smell of new growth.

At last they were out of the country, coming into the suburbs of a town, where street lights dimmed the moon and houses stood in dark huddled rows.

Terry slowed the car, then suddenly pulled up to the curb and turned to the girl beside him. His arms went around her and his head bent down to hers.

"I love you, Joyce," he said against her soft hair. "Are you afraid of tonight?"

She thought fleetingly of the moment in her room when she said goodbye to her girlhood, but that moment was passed, swept away by the tide of new emotions.

"As long as you love me, Terry," she replied simply. "I'm not afraid of tonight or afterwards." It was quite true; she felt strong now, and confident, ready for anything the future might hold.

He kissed her gently and the car moved forward again, slowly now as though the future had become too precious for any risk. A brightly lighted building loomed before them, and Terry stopped again at the foot of a flight of stone steps. He picked up her suitcase and stepped out of the car, then turned to take her arm.

Joyce looked up eagerly at the words cut over the entrance to the building.

"LAKEWOOD MATERNITY HOSPITAL."

She smiled at her husband gravely, reassuringly, and together they started up the steps toward the welcoming lights.



"How young we were!" she thought wistfully. "How terribly, carelessly young! And we'll never be young like that again."

LET'S TALK ABOUT YOU

BY CHARLES B. ROTH

The Secret of Good Habits

Because you have been warned so many times against breaking habits, you may have jumped to the conclusion that all habits are bad. But they aren't. I think the number of good habits is greater than the number of bad habits.

You may be astonished when I tell you that being more effective and successful in your life is largely a matter of habit. What I mean is that clever and successful people have formed helpful habits of thinking and doing, while neurotic and unsuccessful people have the wrong kind of habits. That is the chief difference between them.

Look at a habit in this way and you will see what I mean. What is habit except doing—or thinking—the same thing often enough until doing or thinking it becomes automatic, and you do every customary act in the same way. Such action is called "habitual action." When you think the same thoughts often enough until they have become thoughts that come and go without your bidding, really without your control, you are doing habitual or habituated thinking.

Now, the secret of winning the right kind of personality and place in life is simply to determine a pattern of thoughts that you want

to have, and then to think those thoughts and keep on thinking them long enough until thinking them becomes a habit.

Let's say that at the present time you are willy-nilly about everything you do. You can't make up your mind. You waver. You postpone. You can't make decisions.

Those things are a sign of faulty thought habits.

Decide that for one week you will act decisively, even if wrongly, in little things. During that week act, live, carry yourself like a person of resolute habits.

Maybe one week's experiment isn't going to be long enough to overthrow the faulty thought habits of a lifetime, but it will help. It will be long enough to put you on the road to right thinking and to right habits.

Dig deeply enough into the way the person you admire the most lives, and you probably will find that he is controlled by a series of habits—right habits. The sum total of those habits is what gives him his personality, his attractiveness. The sum total of good habits in your life will do just as much for you.

New Army Technique Aids Plane Survivors

GOOSE BAY, LABRADOR. — A new technique for rescuing survivors of plane crashes in the frozen Labrador wastelands by pin-pointing dog-led teams by parachute has been developed by the air transport command.

The newly developed operation "dogled" will save precious hours for plane crash survivors exposed to the bitter cold and possibly suffering from injuries received when their craft plunged earthward.

Conceived by Sgt. George E. Abbott, Norfolk, Va., the unusual operation is especially valuable because some areas of the woody terrain in Labrador are so dense that helicopters cannot land.

Huskies, sleds and para-doctors jump from C-47's via the silk chute route and gather together at a focal point where the dog teams are assembled. Then the unit proceeds to the scene of the crash where it administers first aid, evacuates the seriously wounded and provides food.

The entire procedure lasts only a few minutes, contrasting sharply with the hours and days that it has taken overland rescue teams to reach some crash scenes in the past.

Twins Are Identical, Even to Toothaches

Six-year-old Janice and Jeanette Washburn of Mattapoisett, Mass., are identical twins—painfully identical.

When they reported to the school dentist, Dr. George M. Teasdale, with toothaches in corresponding molars, Dr. Teasdale insisted he never before had heard of such a coincidence.

To their mother, however, it was an old story. The twins lost the same corresponding first baby teeth on the same day. Similar circumstances also surrounded the loss of their second teeth.



Congressional Football

FROM a window in the puny department of labor quarters in the Federal Triangle building at 14th street and Constitution avenue and looking across the green expanse of the mall, the huge department of agriculture building — 10 acres big, 4,500 rooms, 40 elevators, nine floors, seven miles of corridors, 68,000 employees, streetcars running into its basement and with its annual appropriations running up to some 700 million dollars—stands as a Gibraltar-like monument erected in behalf of and functioning for the benefit of the six million American farmers.

The agency dates back to almost 1800 when a few people started it working in a corner of the old patent office. Lincoln officially established it as a department in 1862 and it attained cabinet rank in 1889. Administrations come and go, but the powerful D. of A. rocks serenely along, not much perturbed about it.

By contrast, the department of labor, a congressional football, did not obtain cabinet rank until 1913 and the bill creating it was signed by Pres. William Howard Taft. So it is somewhat ironic today that one of its critics is Sen. Robert A. Taft, son of that president and himself a candidate for president.

The statistical bureau of the labor department dates back to 1833 and that's about all the department is today—a statistical bureau. President Truman has put forth two reorganization plans to combine all labor functions within the department but congress has discarded both plans.

It has lost its children's bureau, its USES, its mediation and conciliation service and other bureaus. The national labor relations board is set up under a separate agency, and so is the railway mediation board. Its appropriations have been slashed, its personnel demobilized and disorganized until today it has about 4,000 employees and its annual appropriation is about 12 million dollars.

Yet it is set up to function in behalf of and for the benefit of 60 million workers, 42 million of them non-agricultural workers.

But the paradox of this story is the fact that the department of labor has been assigned one of the former functions of the department of agriculture, namely to recruit some 10 million migratory and temporary agricultural workers to harvest the nation's crops this fall. During the war this was the function of the D. of A., and agriculture recruited, housed and transported its migratory labor force. The act was repealed, however, and congress tossed the job into the lap of the labor department.

So with its meager resources, the labor department is attempting a nation-wide campaign to recruit these workers who start in southern states about May 15 and work north ending up the job along around October. Wheat and other small grain, sugar beets, truck crops, berries and fruits of all kinds, cotton, peanuts and potatoes comprise the main crops to be harvested.

If the Arizona legislature has its way, congress will authorize construction of a fence the entire length of the Mexican border to prevent infiltration of hoof-and-mouth infected cattle. And if a California legislative committee has its way, its legislature will approve an appropriation of \$25,000 "for lunches and entertainment of congressmen" in the state's fight for tideland oil lands.

Aid to Education

The 300-million-dollar federal aid to education bill, as it passed the senate, leaves to the states the decisions as to whether private and parochial schools shall benefit. In some states school buses haul pupils of parochial schools; in some free textbook states books are furnished parochial schools; in some states recreational facilities and free lunches are provided. Debate on the measure ranged from some pretty low-grade bigotry and intolerance to some high-grade statesmanship. This reporter liked the following quotation from the speech of Sen. Brien McMahon (Rep., Conn.):

"It cannot be said that giving a child a glass of milk or fixing his teeth or fitting up a basketball court is going to make him an atheist, a Mohammedan, a Protestant, a Catholic or anything else, but it may make him an American better prepared physically to carry on for his country in the event of a conflict."

Man for the Job

Sharp-nosed, blue-eyed, thick-shouldered and barrel-chested Paul Gray Hoffman, who has the nation's most important appointive job as boss of ERP, will make a go of it if anyone can. He's the Eric Johnston or Senator Flanders type of Republican—liberal and progressive, sound thinking and human. So he knows human nature and the importance of friendly human relations. He has demonstrated that in business and in previous government jobs.

College Students Admit Offenses

Texas Survey Reveals They Are Just Better at Covering Trails.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—College students indulge in the same juvenile delinquency offenses as boys and girls who do not have the opportunity for higher education, but only a few of them ever get into court, says Austin L. Porterfield of the department of sociology of Texas Christian university.

Writing in the Christian-Evangelist, a national weekly church publication, he cites a study of 2,049 alleged delinquents in Fort Worth, Tex., and of 337 college students in three schools in northern Texas.

"It is a striking fact," says Porterfield, "that 100 per cent of the men and women in college reported doing at least one of the acts that had been serious enough to get less fortunate boys and girls into the courts, but instead of getting into court the former went to college."

Everyone Guilty.

The average college man reported doing in his pre-college days 17.6 per cent of the acts charged against court cases, the average college woman 4.7 per cent of the delinquent acts.

Not one acknowledged less than three kinds of delinquent acts.

Specific juvenile offenses which got into the court records varied all the way from shooting spit wads to murder.

Students, answering questionnaires anonymously, freely reported delinquencies of the same kind.

These students in their pre-college days "disturbed church, turned in false fire alarms, tripped trolleys, threw rocks at cars, set off fireworks in public buildings, drove while intoxicated, stole automobiles, bicycles, money, shoplifted, burglarized houses, forged checks, gambled, passed slugs and bad coins, had pre-marital sexual intimacies, attempted rape and so on."

They Have a 'Drag.'

Thirty-nine per cent of the men and 3 per cent of the girls reported drunkenness before enrolling in college, Porterfield disclosed, and 43 per cent of the men indulged in drunkenness during their college days.

Porterfield concludes that pre-college students do not suffer the penalties of these offenses because they have plenty of persons who "go to bat" for them, friends in the home, school, church and community.

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Diarrhea in any one of five forms is caused by B-vitamins may cause diarrhea. B-vitamins may cause diarrhea.

Water Crop Thrives After Heavy Rainfall

Water poses no serious question with flax in humid areas where flax prospers. It seems to be in areas of less rainfall, where flax is not so successful. Annual precipitation is only 30 inches annually and where flax is not so successful. Annual precipitation is only 30 inches annually and where flax is not so successful.

Modern Stock Barn



War-born quonsets have been adapted to many farm uses. Above photo shows how a Brighton, Mich., farmer utilizes a quonset. Note the improved window arrangements.

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Early Spraying Advised For Black Cherry Aphid

Sprays applied before the buds break, say insect specialists, are more consistent in controlling the black cherry aphid than sprays made after the buds are open.

Feeding of the black cherry aphid, if present in large numbers, affects the size and flavor of the fruit. Also, a secretion known as "honeydew" produces a sticky and unattractive appearance of the fruit, especially if it is to be sold as fresh fruit. Development of a sooty fungus in the honeydew may contribute further to the unsightly appearance of the cherries. Sweet cherries are more commonly infested than sour cherries.

Uncle Sam Says



Some day soon—perhaps this very day—one of Uncle Sam's volunteer representatives is going to ring your doorbell to ask you to do one of the most important things you can do now for yourself and your country. He or she is going to urge you to start, or to increase, your buying of United States Savings Bonds under a patriotic, automatic and regular plan. If you heed my nephew or niece's advice, you'll be doing yourself a favor. For these security bonds—as they do their part to insure a stable economy, cornerstone of the future security of our country—will pay you back \$4 for every \$3 ten years from now. They can mean financial security for you and your family. AMERICA'S SECURITY IS YOUR SECURITY!

Prompt Action Required To Relieve Cattle Bloat

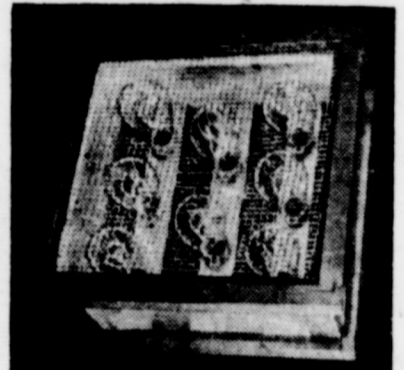
Removal of the gases from the rumen is the primary object in treatment of bloat in cattle. If bloating has just started, the animal should be forcibly exercised and the distended abdomen massaged or kneaded with the clenched fist to bring about belching of the gases from the stomach. A wooden gag can be placed in, and across, the mouth of the bloated animal.

Renew Your Index



Simple Dehydrator Saves Garden Crops Homemade Apparatus Serves Many Purposes

A homemade dehydrator heating unit, which also may be used as a room heater in the home or brooder house, is an economical device and a labor-saver on the farm. Successful drying depends upon removal of enough moisture from the fruit or vegetables to prevent spoilage. This must be done at a temperature that does not seriously affect the texture, color and flavor of the vegetable or fruit. Best results are obtained when fruits and vegetables are dried in a dehydrator, like one shown, rather than in the sun. In hot, dry localities, however, sun-dried fruits have excellent color, flavor and good nutritive value. Sun-dried vegetables usually are noticeably inferior to dehydrated vegetables in most respects, but when properly dried they are fairly satisfactory. If gas-filled tungsten-filament lamps are used, care should be taken to prevent liquids dripping onto the bulbs, as that is likely to crack them. If carbon-filament lamps are used, as shown in the picture, water dripping on them will not crack the bulbs.



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Continued High Demand and Price Drop Foreseen.

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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Kabobs Help You Keep Cool
(See recipes below)

Cool Tactics

As soon as warmer weather starts seeping into the house, many a woman asks the all important question, "How can I keep cool and still cook for the family?"

That is a neat trick, but you can do it, too. The first thing is to plan your menus so there are no long cooking ideas in them. Make a point of not selecting anything that will require more than 30 minutes cooking.

The second is to do most of your work in the cool of the morning, so that you won't be spending too much time right at supper time when it is so warm.

The third is to plan all-cool meals and get the preparation out of the way before hot weather really hits you. There are a number of cool ideas such as meat or meat-fortified salads that can be whipped together early and stored until supper time. Do this once or twice a week and see how nicely it works.

Here are several ideas that won't require much actual cooking preparation. Use them often for variety.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

*Kabobs

Broiled Tomatoes
Boiled New Potatoes
Tossed Greens, French Dressing
Split, Toasted Hard Rolls
Butter
Chilled Pineapple Cubes in Orange Juice
Chocolate Chip Cookies
Beverage

*Recipe Given

Breaded Veal Cutlets
(Serves 6)

6 veal cutlets, 1/2 inch thick
Salt and pepper
1 cup fine bread crumbs
2 eggs, slightly beaten
Fat

Season cutlets with salt and pepper. Dip in bread crumbs, egg and then in bread crumbs.

Saute in fat for 15 minutes on each side, using low heat. Serve with tomato sauce.

Jellied Tuna Fish
(Serves 6)

2 6-ounce cans tuna fish, flaked
2 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
1/2 cup sliced stuffed olives
2 tablespoons capers
1 tablespoon chopped chives or minced onion
1 tablespoon plain gelatin
1/4 cup cold water
2 cups mayonnaise
Lettuce, sliced tomato, sliced avocado

Combine tuna fish, eggs, olives, capers and chives. Soak gelatin for five minutes in cold water. Dissolve over hot water. Add to mayonnaise, stirring constantly. Add to fish mixture and mix thoroughly. Turn into mold and chill until firm. Unmold on lettuce and garnish with tomatoes and avocado.

Shrimp Salad, New Orleans
(Serves 4)

1 cup cooked rice
1 cup canned or cooked shrimp
3/4 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 tablespoon minced scallions or onion
2 tablespoons French dressing
1 tablespoon chopped stuffed olives
1/4 cup sliced green pepper
3/4 cup diced raw cauliflower
1/3 cup mayonnaise
1/2 small head of lettuce or escarole, finely shredded

Chill rice. Clean shrimp, removing black vein down the back. Cut shrimp into pieces, then combine with remaining ingredients. Serve on individual beds of the shredded lettuce.

Sold That Satisfies

Salad suggestions always intrigue the homemaker who is interested in varying her menus, particularly when she wants to "dress up" a cold meal for hot summer days. Here is one slightly different from the usual salad: Make lemon jelly in the usual manner, using lemon flavored gelatin or the plain unflavored gelatin and following the standard recipe. Turn into molds which have been rinsed with cold water. Fill molds about one-fourth full. Let this gelatin harden. Then fill molds with a combination of chopped apple, grated coconut, celery and a bit of chopped pimento for flavor. To two cups gelatin, use one cup chopped apple, two-thirds cup chopped celery, one pimento and one-half cup grated coconut. Fill molds with gelatin and chill until firm. Serve on salad greens with French dressing or a sour cream dressing.

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Vegetable Sausage Salad
(Serves 6)

1 quart diced cooked potatoes
2 cups cubed salami or Thüringer sausage
2 tablespoons vinegar
2 cups large cooked peas
1 cup chopped celery
1 pimento, chopped
6 sweet pickles, chopped
2 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
Mayonnaise and salt

Mix all ingredients together and add enough mayonnaise to moisten, salt to taste and extra vinegar, if desired. Heap in a large wooden bowl lined with crisp lettuce and garnish with tiny whole pickled beets and slice of hard-cooked eggs.

LYNN SAYS:

Color, Flavor Contrast Will Whet Appetite

If you don't want warmer weather to wilt appetites, keep in mind interesting texture, flavor and color contrasts in preparing foods. No appetite wanes when food plates look pretty.

Roll oranges and lemons until slightly soft before squeezing to get more juice.

For crisp, dry bacon, broil on a cake rack. Drain on unglazed paper.

BIBLE TODAY

International Union Sunday School Lesson

SCRIPTURE: Malachi
DEVOTIONAL READING: Luke 2:1-6, 15-17

Malachi Demands Sincere Religion

Lesson for May 16, 1948

GET ready for some straight talk in next Sunday's lesson. Malachi reveals the dark picture of unrequited love, polluted offerings, impious priests, unfaithful husbands. You wonder if Sam Jones has come back to life. He begins by crying, "The burden of the word of the Lord to Israel by Malachi." We shall miss the entire meaning of this lesson if we fail to read every word of the Book of Malachi. We cannot claim any of the promises of a better day, as indicated in the latter section of Malachi unless and until we deal with such hypocrisy as may infest our lives today, even as the priests and people were consumed with iniquity when Malachi prophesied unto them.

GIVING OUR BEST TO GOD

"A SON honoreth his father, and a servant his master; if then I be a father, where is mine honour? and if I be a master, where is my fear?" Malachi 1:6.

How can God bring good out of evil, when his people hold back their best from him? Let us bring it closer home, and ask, How can our earthly parents do their best for us, when we give them half-hearted allegiance?

OUR BEST IN WORSHIP

PASSAGES in the first, second and third chapters of Malachi reveal the lack of sincerity on the part of the priests in the worship which they offered and which they taught the people to offer. Here we see that unclean hands can never bring an acceptable offering unto the Lord. He looketh on the heart. He knows what is in man.

Using the house of God to make a show before men was one of the shameful evils of the priests in the days of Malachi. It did not fool God, nor will it fool him today. Unless our worship is an expression of something fine and sincere, he will not accept it.

THE DAY OF RECKONING

"BEHOLD, I will send my messenger, and he shall prepare the way before me; and the Lord, whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to his temple, even the messenger of the covenant, whom ye delight in. . . . But who shall abide the day of his coming?"

One would think that such words of warning would have brought the priests and the people to their senses in humble contrition before God; but they continued to disregard the words of God's messenger.

"For, behold, the day cometh, that shall burn as an oven; and all the proud, yea, and all that do wickedly, shall be stubble; and the day that cometh shall burn them up, saith the Lord of hosts, that it shall leave them neither root nor branch."

Thus did God warn. And the day of reckoning did come—a day in which priests and people went down beneath the chariot wheels of the invaders. And once again the warnings of God, though despised, were fulfilled to the last word in the terrible punishment upon those who forgot him.

THE PROMISE TO THE FAITHFUL

BUT God does not forget those who truly love him, and thus the Book of Malachi closes with the words of promise to the faithful. "But unto you that fear my name shall the Sun of righteousness arise with healing in his wings; and ye shall go forth, and grow up as calves of the stall," Malachi 4:2.

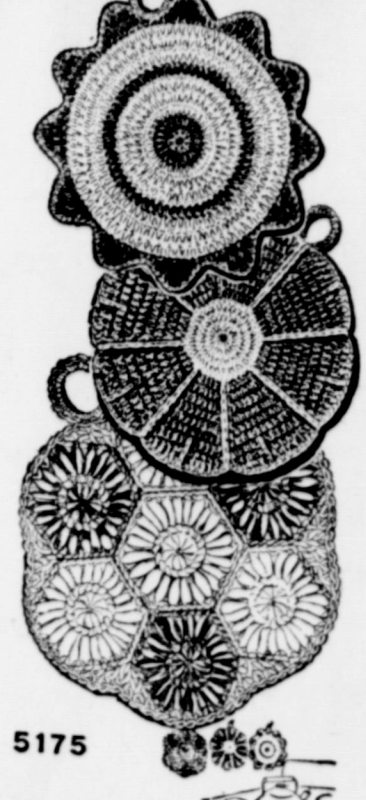
The remnants of those who remained true to God in the midst of a wicked generation were used to perpetuate his witness in the earth. The dark days of persecution could not put out the light of his presence and peace.

Let us pause as we study this Book of Malachi and search our own souls, lest we be guilty of the hypocrisy which destroyed the people in the long ago. With every strand of strength which he grants us, let us do with our might what our hands find to do, and the peace that passeth all understanding will be our portion.

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Question: For what is the \$100.00 membership fee to be used?

Answer: The membership fee will be used to build and equip the hospital.

Question: Can a membership be transferred?

Answer: Yes, when one is found to take your place and such a person is approved by the membership committee.

Question: Can non-members receive service at the hospital?

Answer: Yes, at regular hospital and physician's prices and as the hospital is able to care for people beyond its membership.

Question: When are annual dues payable?

Answer: December 1st each year.

Question: When will annual meeting be held?

Answer: First Tuesday in February.

Question: Can Doctors other than members of the staff use the hospital?

Answer: Yes, the hospital is open to any qualified M. D. who wishes to bring in patients for medical or surgical treatment.

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 Three persons in family\$22.50
 Four persons in family\$25.00
 Additional Children (each)\$2.50
 Other Dependents (each)\$7.50

NOTE -- By other dependents we mean the father, mother, or other blood relative of a family living with such family and dependent on such family for food, clothing and shelter.

For the above stated dues you receive all examinations, treatment, and other services of our Medical Staff as often as is necessary at no cost. The services of our Doctors are FREE to our members at all times. You pay only for materials and medicines used. The annual dues shown above do not provide for free hospitalization; however, such hospitalization will be provided by our hospital at a greatly reduced cost.

Our charges for hospital services are:

Room, Food and General Nursing Care:

Ward, per day\$3.50

Semi-private room, per day\$4.50

Private room, per day\$5.50

Anesthesia -- Operating Room Fees:

Major Operation (Appendicitis, etc)\$25.00

Minor Operations (tonsils, etc.) 12.00

Obstetrical Cases 12.00

Laboratory work (blood tests, etc) will be provided at a very low cost.

Tri-County

HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION

A Non-profit Organization Owned and Operated By Its Members
 O'DONNELL, TEXAS

"You need this protection for --
 YOURSELF AND YOUR FAMILY

Prepaid Health Care

Encourages Prevention

of Serious Illness

Life Membership \$100.00 per Family

INFORMATION

The TRI-COUNTY HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION is a non-profit organization owned and operated by its members. Our staff of Doctors is supported on a salary basis by the annual dues paid in by our members. It is much cheaper for each member to pay a small annual dues than is to pay a doctor every time you have an examination or operation. One case of serious illness in 10 years will save enough money to pay the annual dues for a period of 10 years to say nothing of the needed treatments, examinations, etc.

Members are urged to avail themselves of the FREE examination service at least twice each year. Visits to the Doctor at regular intervals is often the means of avoiding serious illness. Preventive medicine is by far more effective. The Tri-County Hospital Association serves not only to treat you when you are sick but also to keep you from getting sick. A person not provided with free service comes to the Doctor only when he must. He will delay such visit because of the cost. Our members on FREE Service comes to the Doctor as often as is needed without waiting until it is too late. Our member will also have a lot of work done that other persons will neglect.

A Doctor hired on an annual salary and not by the visit is more disposed to deal fairly with each case. He is also not concerned with the expenses connected with the operation of such an organization, therefore is free to devote all his time to the practice of medicine.

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Local News

Mr and Mrs. Levi Gray and family spent Sunday in Slaton with his sister, Mrs. M. L. Taylor, Jr. accompanying their mother, Mrs. E. D. Taylor with a dinner.

J. C. Swinney, G. W. Jones and Mutt Gilliam spent a few days last week at Lake Brownwood fishing without much luck.

Mr and Mrs. Ken Morrisson spent Mother's day in Hamlin.

Mr and Mrs. J. T. Forbes visited relatives in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. John McGregor and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clark were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Lorene Beckman.

The Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cathey were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cathey and family of Lubbock.

Mr and Mrs. D. L. Harris and family Mr and Mrs. E. C. Harris and Mrs. Cathey's mother Mrs. D. Harris.

Mr and Mrs. Chas. Cabool and Mr and Mrs. E. J. Jackson were Lubbock visitors Sunday.

Jack Sloan, student at Texas Tech spent Mother's Day at home with Mr and Mrs. C. C. Ellis.

Mrs. H. J. Castleberry left Monday for Rotan to nurse a patient who underwent surgery recently.

Mr and Mrs. W. E. Vermillion had as their guests for Mother's Day dinner: Mr and Mrs. John Vermillion and little daughter, Mrs. Dick Goughly and family, Mr and Mrs. Rhea Heath and family.

Mr and Mrs. James Simpson and daughters visited in Tulsa over the week end.

Mr and Mrs. J. A. Havens of Odessa and Mr and Mrs. Fred Yaddell of Abilene were the Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. Yaddell.

Mr and Mrs. J. L. Shoemaker had their children from Lubbock here Sunday for Mother's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Waldrip and family, Mr. and Mrs. William.

Mr and Mrs. G. P. Abernethy and baby of Ft. Worth spent the week end with their aunt and family, Mr and Mrs. N. Saleh.

Mr and Mrs. Elzy Davis and family visited Jess Comer of Odessa, N. M. over the week end.

Mrs. Annie Foster's sister, Mrs. C. T. Newton of Lubbock has been quite ill and Mrs. Foster's mother is there to nurse her.

Dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. E. Huffines Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boydston of Morton and Mr and Mrs. Dick Lumpkin.

W. H. Putman was taken to Lamessa hospital quite ill. His wife, W. C. Putman and family of Pecos are here during the illness.