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HOW TRUE

The following letter came as a request to pay a subscription which we enjoyed no little. Dear Friend Smith: In reply to your request to pay my subscription to present conditions of my account which makes it uncertain whether or no I can take the O'Donnell Headache. My shattered financial status is due to federal laws, state laws, city laws, corporation laws, mother-in-laws, sister-in-laws, other-in-laws and out-laws. Through these laws I am compelled to pay business tax, amusement tax, street tax, school tax, gas light tax, food tax, furniture tax, personal tax, use tax, poll property tax, road tax, and war

am required to get a business license, hunting license, fishing license, car license, marriage license, license, truck license and dog license. Moreover I am required to contribute to every society and organization which the genius of man is capable of bringing to life. For my personal safety I am required to carry life insurance, property insurance, liability insurance, fire insurance, old age insurance, business insurance, earthquake insurance, unemployment insurance, accident insurance and fire insurance.

My business is so governed that it is easy matter to find out who I am inspected, expected, expected, disrespected, rejected, denied, examined and re-examined, required, summoned, commanded and compelled to must provide an inexhaustible list of every known need of the human race. Because I am unable to donate to anything or other I am boycotted, shot, lied about, held up, down, beamed and robbed. I am about ruined. Therefore, I do not know how to afford to take your two bit unless in the end I am forced to the wolf at the door and sell my side to make up the difference. I would like to see you Sunday and have chicken. Your friend.

BRADLEY HONORED

Friday evening, Feb. 17, Mrs. C. Bradley of Hobbs, New Mexico was named guest of honor Mrs. J. L. Adams entertained a bridge party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wells. Valentine theme and the Red White color scheme was carried. Invitations, room decorations, and table covers. Margaret Garner was winner. Low score was won by Waldo McLaurin, Jr., bingo was won by Mrs. L. E. Robinson. A gift was presented to the winners.

SGT. ELTON CARROLL HONORED WITH DINNER
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Carroll, Sr., of O'Donnell, spent Sunday with their son, Sgt. Elton Carroll and Mrs. Carroll of Lubbock. At 6 o'clock, to the surprise of Sgt. Carroll and his wife, a number of relatives and friends gathered at their nice apartment and then, instead of all, a lovely dinner consisting of the dishes Elton likes best, were delivered from the Mexican Inn. With hot coffee, and a special dessert that Mrs. Carroll, Sr. prepared herself, a lovely dinner was enjoyed. Elton says it is very nice to be 24 and said he was delightfully surprised. Each guest wished for Elton many more happy birthdays. Elton was born and reared in O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White visited at Welch, Brownfield last week.

Local Boy Back In States



Newport, Ark., Feb. 20 — Marine Sergeant W. J. Taylor, 22, veteran of two years service in the South Pacific war theatre, where he served with a guard detachment at Pearl Harbor and at other points, has been assigned to the paymaster's department, headquarters squadron, at the large U. S. Marine Corps Air Facility near Newport.

The young Marine, son of William D. Taylor, Rt. 3, Tahoka, Texas, holds the Presidential Unit Citation for the Fourth Marine Air Wing. He served in the paymaster's office with this air wing for some time prior to returning to the United States for shore duty under the rotation plan for men who have served two years or more overseas. Taylor reports that he never saw combat, but that he had a mighty siege of overseas duty in one section. While in Hawaii he had the unique experience of feasting with a native family several times. One of the most popular foods of the natives is raw fish. Taylor tried his hand at the delicacy, but promptly shied off, the dish not appealing to his Anglo-Saxon tastes.

Taylor is a graduate of the O'Donnell high school and prior to enlisting Jan. 1, 1942 worked for a hotel.

SOCIAL IN THE BALLEW HOME

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Burl Ballew entertained the TEL Class with a Valentine Social. Mrs. E. A. Wright gave the Devotional and scripture reading from Romans. Mrs. Carroll led the members in prayer. A number of games were enjoyed. At the refreshment hour Mesdames Ballew and Ledbetter served delicious refreshments to fourteen guests.

METHODIST CHURCH TO HAVE REVIVAL STARTING MARCH 7th.
We are at approaching the time of our revival. We are making every preparation these days. We are expecting great things from the Lord during these days. We have coming one of the outstanding Evangelists of our whole country. They are constant engaged in evangelistic work, and the Lord is blessing them greatly wherever they go and the Churches and communities to which they go. So our expectations are great for a great good to be done in our town and community. All Christian people of the community are most cordially invited to these services. The time is March 7 thru the 15th. The Evangelists are Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Flowers.

Our services will give each and everyone the opportunity to worship God and enter into His fellowship. We realize the great need of all mankind; that is, a right relationship with God the Father, thru our Lord, Jesus Christ. We endeavor to School is at 10:30. Preaching service is at 11:30 a. m. Youth fellowship is at 7:15 p. m. and evening service is at 8:00 p. m. All not obligated elsewhere, are cordially invited. Edward H. Crandall.

Wells News

Mrs. Homer Simpson, reporter

Mrs. G. R. Lindley, nee Miss Alta, Maye Simpson, has returned to her home in La Mesa, California. We are sorry to hear that Mr. W. A. Simpson isn't improving very rapidly. His folks, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Simpson, Miss Vonic Lee Simpson and Mrs. Mary Simpson returned home Friday night for a rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Laloon Jordan spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Spot Greenwood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Simpson spent Sunday with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Campbell of Morton.

Bro. Pool and wife have moved into their new home, the parsonage at Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Norwood visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bradshaw visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Simpson Saturday.

Mrs. Fred McGuinty of Tahoka was out to see Mrs. Joe McLaurin this week.

D. C. Bradshaw was given a medical discharge from the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Durard Franklin and family visited her mother, Mrs. A. J. Barnes Sunday.

Frank Moore, who has been with his aunt for the past two weeks returned home last Friday.

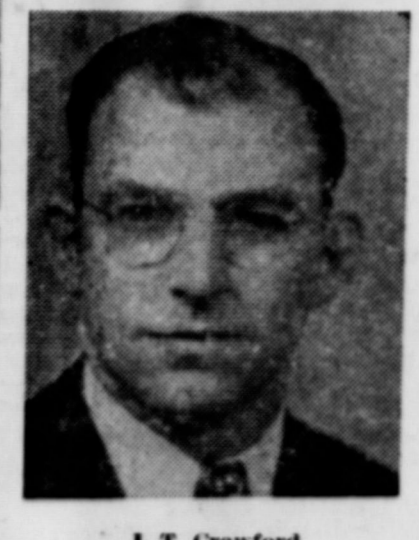
Miss Elizabeth Barrett has gone to Montana this week to visit a close friend.

ACE HI BRIDGE CLUB
Mrs. Waldo McLaurin, Jr. was hostess to the Ace Hi Bridge Club when she entertained last Thursday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibson. At the conclusion of games low score award was presented to Mrs. Charles Cathey, bingo and traveling prize to Mrs. James Howlin and high score to Mrs. J. L. Adams. Refreshments of pimento cheese sandwiches, olives, potato chips, cookies and lead punch were served to the following guests: Mesdames Mack C. Bradley and Charles Cathey and to the following members: Mesdames Milford McMurtrey, Bowlin, Adams, J. T. Middleton, Jr., Miss Margaret Garner and the hostess.

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NAZARENE CHURCH HOLDING REVIVAL THIS WEEK



J. T. Crawford

We wish to report that our revival is getting off to a fine start. Attendance is fair in spite of the rain and fog. The pastor has been filling the pulpit at the evening services bringing some pre-revival messages and the Lord has been blessing us in an unusual way. One young lady came and renewed her faith with the Lord Tuesday evening.

Bro. Crandall brought us a fine message Tuesday morning on a prayer. We are praying that the Lord will bless this good man in his work.

We are looking for our evangelist, Bro. Pace, in this evening (Wednesday) and we are taking this opportunity of inviting you to attend these services and receive encouragement which we feel that we all need in these uncertain days ahead.

J. T. Crawford, Pastor.

FORMER LOCAL BOY WRITES OF GOOD HUNTING IN GERMANY

(Ed. note: The following is a letter from Ist. Lt. Sam Newson to his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Middleton, Sr. Lt. Newson's wife is the former Miss Jesse Middleton and she lives at Las Cruces, N. M. where she is operating her husband's butane business.)
Dear Folks, Everything is o. k. here. Patton seems to be doing his part. We are raising all manner of Hell so perhaps 3 weeks from now we can all take a break. I'm getting along fine. My arm is entirely well, health is o. k. and spirits are as good as can be. Jesse wrote about the wagger Mr. Middleton made concerning him paying off on dead Hienies. He owes me for one for sure and one probable for which I'll take a rain check. I shot one out of a Church steeple and didn't bother to see if he was dead. I'll get two next time. We kill a lot that we don't see but I like to see them drop so I'll keep count of the ones I kill that get into my sights. It is beginning to thaw out some now. I guess we are in for some more mud. Jesse enjoyed her trip home very much. She speaks of it very often. Maybe we can both come very soon. I'm hoping so. Give my best regards to all. I wish you the best of luck with the coming crop season. Love to all. Sam.

Mrs. Willis Vaughn of San Francisco is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Etter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fielder of Anson visited the John Etter, Waldo and Joe McLaurin families over the week end.

C. H. Mansell and Ernest Goad were business visitors in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shack Blocker visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Davis in Levelland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Tredway have moved to Lubbock. They will make their home on 6th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones have purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Phipps and will move to town within the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koeninger went to Big Springs Saturday to meet their son T-3 Burt Koeninger and wife. Burt is stationed at Fort Mead, Maryland. He will visit here about 15 days.

Faris Nowell and daughter of Winters returned home, Tuesday after visiting the Frank Liddells.

Mrs. E. J. Wagner took her son, Billy to the doctor at Lamesa Wednesday.

LYONS-KOENINGER WEDDING

Miss Leta Merle became the bride of Mr. Lloyd Lyons at 8:00 p. m. Saturday in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Koeninger. The ceremony was read by the Rev. Edward H. Crandall, pastor of the Methodist Church.

The couple are taking a wedding trip to South Texas and will be at home at Lamesa where Mr. Lyons is the manager of the Bryant-Link store there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyons' numerous friends in O'Donnell join with the Index-Press in wishing them every happiness. A more complete account of the wedding will follow next week.

A GRANDSON

The Joe Hudsons received word this week that they were the proud grandparents of a 9 1-2 pound grand son. The mother is Mrs. Elva Jo Higgins of Montgomery, Alabama where her husband is an instructor at the air base. Congratulations.

TAHOKA ROTARY TO HAVE PROGRAMS

The O'Donnell Rotary Club and several other Rotary clubs of this area are jointly sponsoring a series of lectures on International Problems. The lectures are at the high school at Tahoka and the public is invited. There is no charge. The lectures are each Wednesday night at 8:30 p. m.

Mrs. Kitty Mae Wilkerson and son of Berger are visiting her parents, the Mack Garners.

Miss Doris Nell Gates has resigned her position at Phillips and will attend the Bolton School of Nursing of Western Reserve University at Cleveland, Ohio. She is spending a few days at home this week.

Cpl. and Mrs. Eldon Carroll of Lubbock visited parents and friends here last week end.

Mrs. Sam Singleton and children returned Tuesday from Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Luther Ellis underwent a major operation at Lamesa Friday. She is reported as doing nicely.

Wesley D. Menach notified his wife that he had been promoted from private to private first class. Wesley is fighting with the 1st Army in Germany.

Mrs. Dolan Van Kirk of Lubbock visited home folks last week. Her husband is serving in the Navy in the Pacific.

The Calvary Missionary Baptist Church enjoyed two great services Sunday. The subject at the evening service was "Prayer", an especially appropriate theme at this time. Our pastor, Elder T. M. Hopkins, formerly of Oton has moved to Mesquite. Let us all do our best to welcome him to our community by attending all services. If you are not now attending any church, we especially invite you to attend this old fashion Missionary Baptist Church.

Mrs. H. S. Anglin left Friday for Richman, California where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Gene Gardenhire.

Mrs. W. R. Gibson this week received from her son, Corp. Moody Gibson, a rather vicious looking knife which was fashioned by himself. The long blade is of heavy steel. The handle is of wood overlain with what is apparently strips of a large brass shell. Upon the handle Moody deftly inscribed the following: "To Mom — 'Thou shall not kill.' He is in the European theatre."

TAHOKA MAN DIES IN TRAIN-CAR CRASH AT TAHOKA

An automobile-train collision at Tahoka Saturday resulted in the death of one man and possible internal injuries to another.

W. O. Baker, 30 of Tahoka was killed and Leslie McNealy, also of Tahoka was injured. The car in which they were riding and a Santa Fe train were in collision at a crossing near the Tahoka station at about 10:30 a. m.

Pvt. J. L. Petty of Scott Field, Ill. is home visiting his mother and relatives. He will return to Reno, Nev.

STORMY WEATHER

Tuesday and Wednesday we had a Duke's Mixture of weather. Ben Moore stated the Govt. weather gauge recorded seven hundreds inch of rain thru Wednesday noon. High winds, fog, rain, sleet and snow was on the program.

POPULAR POST OFFICE CLERK MARRIES AT PAMPA

Mrs. Beverly M. Martin of O'Donnell and Sgt. Arthur C. Elliot of Sterling, Kansas were married Feb. 15th at the First Baptist Church at Pampa, Texas. The marriage vows were read by the Rev. E. Douglass Carver.

The Index joins with friends in wishing Sgt. and Mrs. Elliot a life time of happiness and a hearty wish that the couple will make this town their home. Much happiness to you both.

Mrs. R. T. Peek visited in Lamesa last week.

W. B. Phillips was a Lubbock visitor at Lubbock.

H. J. Castleberry was in Seagraves Monday on business.

Mrs. W. E. Parker and children of Brownfield visited the Face family Saturday.

Mrs. F. A. Buchanan and daughter visited with her sister at Denver City Sunday.

PARTY HONORS MRS. HUGHES

Mrs. C. H. Cahool and Mrs. C. L. Hafer were co-hostesses at a party given at the home of Mrs. Hafer honoring Mrs. Newell Hughes who is leaving Wednesday for her new home in Hoisington, Kansas. Games of bridge were played and refreshments of pumpkin pie and coffee were served to Mesdames Guy Bradley, Parry Clemage, E. T. Wells, J. Mack Noble, L. E. Robinson and the honoree, Mrs. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jordan and children are visiting in Ft. Worth and Houston this week.

Miss Lometa Robinson and Mrs. L. E. Robinson, Jr. are visiting relatives in Dallas this week.

Carol Ann Lambert spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Alberston of Lamesa.

Cpl. Glen B. Lightfoot of the Blackland Air Field at Waco is spending a 15 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lightfoot.

Misses Louisa and Corine Proctor of Ft. Worth spent the week end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mack Noble and children visited his parents at Brownfield Sunday.

G. C. Aten, Chairman of Precinct 2 Red Cross unit, stated that the quota for precinct 2 is \$1500. The drive starts March 1st. Give Freely.

Last Friday night cars of Howard L. Moore and J. C. Scroggins collided at the "Y" just north of town.

C. L. Davis has the flu this week.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE: ONE 4-Row Case TRACTOR to sell at ceiling price. Fair shape. W. L. Gardenzine 26p

HAND SAWS Sharpened and set for 75 cents. See Bill McMillan or leave saws at Lr. Campbell's office. 26p.

WANTED TO BUY: WASHING MACHINES, ANY MAKE. SEE THE O'DONNELL HELP US SELF LAUN DRY IMMEDIATELY.

PERSONAL: IF YOU want to get married write Box 358, Juliaetta, Idaho. Send Stamp. Mo.

PRESCRIPTIONS filled by W. M. Bishamov., graduate and registered pharmacist at O'Donnell Drug Store.

FOR SALE: M-M Twin City 4-row Z Tractor, 30 model, lights, new tires, good shape. See Frank Deatherage, 12 miles south Lamesa.

FARMERS: Would like to call and DELINT your planting seed. Lamesa Saw Milling Plant. Located Farmers Co-op Gin, Lamesa. Originally Cotton Center. 1tp.

LAST: Saturday in town, bill fold, pictures are valuable to you; keep the money and return bill fold. See Lola Faye Mensch. 1tp.

FOR SALE: TWO model A John Deer Tractors and equipment. Good Condition, fair tires. See L. M. Stephens, Rt. 1 O'Donnell. 1tp.

FOR SALE: Jewel Gas Range. See Frank Liddell. 1tp.

FOR SALE: Model A John Deer 2 Row Tractor, equiped, good condition. 8 miles south of town. See Durward Franklin. 1tp.

TWO large trucks, sale or trade for real estate. Ben Moore.

Here's . . . Good News

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We Have Pipes and all Plumbing Needs

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Notes of a Newspaperman:

Story of a Song: Once upon a time (March, 1943) songwriter Johnny Burke dined at the home of Harry Lillis Crosby...

Ambassador to Brazil A. A. Berle's wife is known for her frankness. Recently at a dinner in Washington Mrs. Berle cornered a Russian General...

We have just finished Noel Coward's "Middle East Diary," and the following paragraph in it belongs here, considering Coward's recent "jam" over his comment in the book about Brooklyn soldiers...

Frank Munn called the American Album of Familiar Music cast together and said: "I just wanted to tell you a little story. Frank Hummert once approached me and offered a spot on this program..."

The column's recent experience (because of an omitted comma in a telegram) recalls this one about a refugee college prof. dining in a restaurant near Columbia University...

Newspapermen will tell you that corrections sometimes are worse than the original story. This is a concrete example: "Our paper carried the notice last week that Mr. John Doe was a defective in the police force..."

Scrambled Eggs: Betty Hutton's stand-in is Marie Osborne, better known a decade ago as the famous child star, Baby Marie...

Ernie Pyle With the Navy

Only a Fool Would Want To Return to Front

Writer Is on His Way Back Despite All Arguments

By Ernie Pyle

Ernie Pyle is with the navy in the Pacific. Pending receipt of his dispatches from that war theater this newspaper is publishing a few articles he wrote before his takeoff from San Francisco, of which the following is one.

SAN FRANCISCO—Well, here we go again. It has been four months since I wrote my last column, from France. In four months of non-production a writer gets out of the habit. He forgets the rhythm of words; falls into the easy habit of not making himself think or feel in self-expression.

This first column is a man-killer. Your mind automatically resents the task of focusing itself again. Your thoughts are scattered and you can't get them together to put onto paper. Words come hard. You have to think again. You curse the day you ever took up writing to make a living.

So until I'm once more immersed in the routine of daily writing, and transported once more into the one-track world of war, I'm afraid you'll have to be tolerant with me.

There's nothing nice about the prospect of going back to war again. Anybody who has been in war and wants to go back is a plain damn fool in my book.

I'm certainly not going because I've got itchy feet again, or because I can't stand America, or because there's any mystic fascination about war that is drawing me back.

I'm going simply because there's a war on and I'm part of it and I've known all the time I was going back. I'm going simply because I've got to—and I hate it.

This time it will be the Pacific. When I left France last fall we thought the war in Europe was about over. I say "we" because I mean almost everybody over there thought so. I felt it was so near the end I could come home and before the time came to go again, that side of the war would be finished, and only the Pacific would be left.

But it didn't turn out that way. Now nobody knows how long the European war will last. Naturally all my friends and associations and sentiments are on that side. I suppose down in my heart I would rather go back to that side. For over in Europe I know the tempo of the battle; I feel at home with it in a way.

And yet I think it's best to stick with the original plan and go on to the Pacific. There are a lot of guys in that war, too. They are the same guys who are fighting on the other side, only with different names, that's all. It is not belittling my friends in Europe to desert them and go to the Pacific for a while.

I'm going with the navy this time, since the navy is so dominant in the Pacific, and since I've done very little in the past on that part of the service. I won't stay with the navy for the duration—probably two or three months, and then back ashore again with my noble souls, the doughboys.

Security forbids telling you just what the plans are. But I can say that I'll fly across the Pacific, and join ship on the other side. Aboard ship I'll be out of touch with the world on long cruises. It may be there will be lapses in the column, simply because it's impossible to transmit these pieces. But we'll do our best to keep them going steadily.

I haven't figured out yet what I'm going to do about seasickness. I'm one of those unfortunates with a terrific stomach on land, but one that turns to whey and jelly when I get aboard ship. I know of nothing that submerges the muse in a man as much as the constant compulsion to throw up. Perhaps I should take along my own oil to spread on the troubled waters.

Friends warn me about all kinds of horrible diseases in the Pacific. About dysentery, and malaria, and fungus that gets in your ears and your intestines, and that horrible swelling disease known as elephantiasis.

Well, all I can say is that I'm God's gift to germs. Those fungi will shout and leap for joy when I show up. Maybe I can play the Pied Piper role—maybe the germs will all follow me when I get there, and leave the rest of the boys free to fight.

So what with disease, Japs, seasickness, and shot and shell—a sea see I'm not too overwhelmed with relief at starting out again.

But there's one thing in my favor where I'm going; one thing that will

make life bearable when all else is darkness and gloom. And that one thing is that, out in the Pacific, I'll be damned good and stinking hot, Oh boy!

ON CALIFORNIA'S FRONT

These first half dozen columns or so are being written in San Francisco before taking off for the Pacific. They are a very sketchy report on the home front.

If you can bear a little reminiscing I'd like to go back over these last four months of furlough, and bring you up to date on the Prodigal Son's recent activities.

Well, since leaving France and returning to America, I have—Crossed the continent three times. Had eight teeth filled. Spent my first Christmas with "That Girl" since the war started. Mowed the lawn once.

I've been photographed 1,000 times, and was made president of the Rio Grande Steamship and Navigation Company. (Blubber division.) I've been kissed by Paulette Goddard, Olivia DeHavilland and Jinx Falkenberg all in one afternoon—Hallelujah!

Six people sent me oil paintings they'd done from photographs. I've sat up all night three nights on trains, and three nights on airplanes. I've said "no" to at least 500 requests to speak, and have managed to keep well supplied with cigars.

Kind people have flooded me with gifts. Mayor Clyde Tingley of Albuquerque opened it with a \$500 wrist watch, which so overwhelms me that I left it in a safety deposit box back home. Who would dare wear a \$500 wrist watch?

I've had luscious apples from Washington state, pecans from Mississippi, half a dozen homemade hunting knives, two college degrees, a Texas cowboy belt, two foxhole shovels, one baby jeep, sun glasses for the Pacific, and one noble friend came through with 10 pounds of bacon.

We've had so much company at our house in Albuquerque that one night I slept on a canvas cot in the woodshed, and one night on the living room floor in my new sleeping bag. (I didn't sleep very well either.)

Despite all the frenzy, I've felt almost pathetic in my happiness at being home. I've had a wonderful time.

People are always asking what I think of the "home front," expecting me of course to raise hell about it.

Well, I don't know. In the first place it's so wonderful to be home that I find myself reluctant to criticize or even admit any flaws in the home front.

It is true that a great many people don't know there's a war on, or don't seem to care. And yet I realize that I could very easily let myself sit down and take it easy and never think of war again, except in an academic way.

I've had no bad incidents during these few months at home. But I have learned from experience that it's almost impossible—sometimes infuriating in a helpless sort of way—to talk to most civilians feelingly about the war.

On trains and in public places I find myself drifting automatically to boys in uniform with overseas ribbons or service stripes, for we can talk the same language.

As an example of what I mean, one man said to me one day in complete good faith, "Tell me now, just exactly what is it you don't like about war?"

I think I must have turned a little white, and all I could do was look at him in shock, and say, "Good God, if you don't know, then I could never tell you." It's little things like that which make returning soldiers feel their misery has all been in vain.

I don't think America at home is either unwilling or incapable of getting fully into the war.

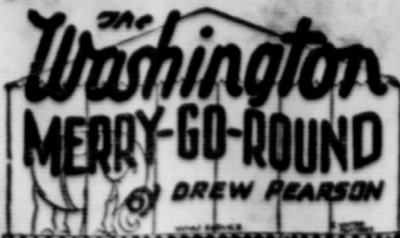
We need only to be told more what to do, and to have scarcities and grimness applied clear across the board.

Pyle Wrote His Final Article From Paris

(Ed. Note: Before beginning his new series above, Ernie Pyle wrote his farewell from Paris to the doughboys and sailors serving on European fronts.)

This is the last of these columns in Europe. By the time you read the old man will be on his way to America. After that will be a long, long rest. And after that you'll never hear from him again.

Undoubtedly this seems to you to be a funny time for a fellow to be quitting the war. It is a funny time. But I'm not leaving because of a whim, or even especially because I'm homesick. I'm leaving for one reason only—because I have just got to stop. "I've had it," as they say in the army. I have had all I can take for a while.



C. S. TREATMENT OF GERMAN PRISONERS

Parents of boys who are prisoners of Germany get increasingly burned up at reports showing how badly they are fed by the enemy, while German prisoners in the U. S. are eating better than American civilians.

German prisoners of war, many of them arrogant, insolent, and considered beyond political rehabilitation, get rationed foods denied civilians, and in some cases receive scarce foods requiring four times the food stamps now allowed American civilians.

The provost marshal, of course, is living up to the strict letter of the Geneva convention regarding prisoners, which provides that they be fed the same rations as U. S. soldiers.

Thus at one Florida camp, a one-week menu recently showed that the Nazi prisoners' ration for a single week would have required 45 meat points and 63 processed food points per man. Here is a sample of some of the meals German prisoners of war received at MacDill field, Florida.

Dinner: Turkey a la king, parsley potatoes, cauliflower, celery and pickles, bread, butter, chocolate cake, coffee.

At breakfast the next day they received grapefruit, dry cereal, fresh milk, boiled eggs, toast, butter, jam and coffee.

For luncheon they had veal steak, lyonnaise potatoes, stewed corn, fruit salad, bread, butter, peaches and coffee.

For supper the PW's had veal loaf, gravy, escalloped potatoes, green peas, cabbage and pineapple salad, bread, butter, cinnamon rolls and coffee.

The prisoners are served butter three times a day, seven days a week. During other days of the same week they had fried pork chops, bacon and eggs, beef stew, spareribs, roast veal, veal a la king, roast beef with gravy, baked ham and baked beans with salt pork. They were also given Boston cream pie for dinner, butterscotch pudding, pineapple fritters, marble cake, fruit cobbler, mince pie, peach shortcake, and other fancy dishes.

Meanwhile, American boys held by the Germans complain that were it not for Red Cross packages provided them by relatives they would be hungry constantly.

ARMY DISCHARGES With all the pressure the army has been bringing for a work-or-fight law, no one in congress has taken time for a real investigation of the army's own wasteful disposition of manpower. Among other things, there has been no probe of army policy regarding medical discharges.

Actually, army medics all over the country are discharging men for minor ailments which, although rendering them unfit for front-line action, don't effect their ability to do clerical, construction, or other types of work.

Last summer General Marshall also ordered discharges for men found to be developing nervous disorders as a result of their army service. But last October, so many men were successfully faking these difficulties that a six-week freeze was called, and a much stiffer discharge examination required.

But "goldbricks" and "gripes" are still the men who most frequently win their discharge papers. If a man dislikes the army, is uncooperative and is determined to get a medical discharge, the attitude of his officers is usually "good riddance." But a good man on other than combat duty, who has a legitimate illness which merits discharge, finds it extremely difficult to get his release because "he's a good man and we need men like him."

CAPITAL CHAFF

The office of War Information so far has banned Lester Cowan's new movie hit "Tomorrow the World" from distribution in European liberated countries. The story shows a Nazi youngster transferred to the U. S. A. and being beaten up when he still sticks to Hitler's idea. OWI officials say they may release the ban for France and Belgium, but will not let the film get to Germany.

An inside row is being waged over the reappointment of Al Weil, son of AFL labor leader Matthew Weil, as U. S. district attorney in Chicago. Matt Weil is 100 per cent against Roosevelt and White House advisers don't see why his son should be rewarded by FDR. However, Sen. Scott Lucas, friend of Jake Arvey, is pulling wires for Weil's reappointment.

Behind the United Automobile Workers' nationwide referendum to continue the "no-strike" pledge, was the feeling on the part of some workers that this pledge originally was forced on them by the union bosses. Union leaders therefore wanted to give them all a chance to vote. . . . The Walter Reuther faction of the auto workers previously favored a "no-strike" pledge until the war with Germany was over, but Reuther is now supporting the all-out "no-strike" pledge for the all-out effort against the Japs.

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STOCKTON, ILL.—The nation's leading sire of ton litters of all breeds in 1944 is this registered boar, Invincible, senior herd sire of Kehl Bros., purebred Duroc breeders near here. Invincible sired 8 official ton litters averaging 2,462.25 pounds at 180 days—an average of 243.18 pounds each for the 81 pigs included in the 8 litters. Extra dollars as well as extra pounds resulted from these sensational litters as average total receipts on the 8 litters was \$1,058.50, the majority of the pigs having been sold for breeding purposes. Lawrence, one of the Kehl Bros., is shown with the boar.

Larron Davis, age 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Davis near O'Donnell has a Duroc sow that he was awarded last fall in the 4-H club. Larron plans to make a start with his pig and to follow and study the raising of good quality stock. Larron is looking to farming as his future.

HE WEARS 'BOOTS AND WINGS'

Cpl. Ted T. Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Richards of Weatherford, has won the right to wear the "Boots and Wings" of the United States Army Paratroopers. He has completed four weeks of jump training during which time he made five jumps, the last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

The C. L. Richards are former residents of the O'Donnell area. Housing Held Major Prosperity Key
The Nation's housing goals, a decent home in a good neighborhood for every American family, should be achieved in the post war era by maximum reliance upon private enterprise and local communities, and a full housing program can make a large contribution to an expanded peacetime economy, are thoughts publicly expressed by John B. Blandford, Administrator of the National Housing Agency. He said that probably the biggest challenge to a broad housing market after the war is the fact that millions of self supporting families who want new homes cannot afford them at present or past prices or under existing financial arrangements. He declared that this called for the closest sort of cooperation between labor, private business and government.

21 Years Ago

News Items taken from the files of Index, Feb. 22, 1924

ANOTHER SCHOOL
The construction of the new school building situated about five miles northwest of Newman has been completed and as soon as the interior equipment arrives, another school for Lynn County will be opened.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Doak returned Wednesday from an extended trip thru the southern part of the state.

At a meeting of the business men last Friday it was decided to revive the Chamber of Commerce which has lain dormant since early last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McCullough came in from Roby last week and are now citizens of O'Donnell. Mr. McCullough has taken one of the chairs in the New White House Barber shop.

Lon Light was advertising for the whereabouts of some strayed cattle.

Frost and Bailey were advertising their land company.

Is your car balky? Go to Russell's Garage.

W. W. Williams, who lives south west of town is having a six room bungalow constructed on his farm. Turk and Caddell are the contractors.

J. B. Tunnell of the Pride Community was a business visitor Wednesday.

Yes, O'Donnell is the fastest stepping little town on the Plains. The index tells of the improvements going on in town until it uses up all the type in the shop and then goes to press and many items of progress are left out. Among the latest to cast their hats into the business ring of the town is Cicero Smith and his associates in the establishment of a lumber yard on the south side of the square. Fred Smith of Ironfield

MY RESOLVE FOR 1945:
To plan a well organized poultry management program for more poultry profit and stick to it every day. My Dr. Salisbury dealer helps me with my program and advises me when I have flock problems. Better see him about your poultry problems, too.

Dr. Salisbury's NATION WIDE POULTRY SERVICE

STOP IN AND TALK OVER A PROGRAM OF SOUND MANAGEMENT
CORNER DRUG

and M. A. Brown of Clovis, N. M. came in Wednesday and made this announcement.
When John Etter arose Tuesday morning and went out to his meat house to get some ham and eggs for breakfast, there was no ham, some night prowler had confiscated the entire winter's supply that John had

laid up. He says that if the thief will come back next Saturday night he will place the ham where it can be easily found as he is sure that the thief will need a little cooking grease for the ham and eggs that is supposed to make a good breakfast.
IS YOUR SUBSCRIPTION Paid up

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Royce of Sea graves were in town Wednesday and renewed for their home town paper.
Pvt. L. W. Mott of Camp Roberts and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Mott was here last week.

HANDLE WITH CARE!

YOU'RE DRIVING a real weapon of war, Mister, when you climb up on the seat of that Farmall tractor. Treat it as a soldier does his gun. Take good care of it and you will be repaid with smooth, powerful performance.

If anything important goes wrong, see us. It's our job to make expert repairs on your farm equipment. We're set up to do it right with good tools, good mechanics and a big stock of genuine IHC parts.

You're working hard to pull more food out of the ground this year to help shorten the war. We're with you to the limit of our ability and it looks like there will be more new equipment for you soon. If there's anything you need, think of McCormick-Deering and remember us!

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Father, Daughter Work Together as Laboratory Team

Are Waging Scientific War Against Two Different Air Borne Enemies.

BLOOMFIELD, N. J. — In research laboratories here, a father and daughter team is waging scientific war simultaneously against two air borne enemies, each vastly different, but equally menacing.

Ilia E. Mourontseff is continuing his short wave radio research which has helped to make the electron the "eye" of the armed forces, contributing to the downfall of axis aircraft. His daughter, Gail, is seeking new knowledge of the lethal effect of bactericidal ultraviolet radiation upon air borne bacteria, viruses and other micro-organisms.

Working in the same Westinghouse laboratory building with her father, blue eyed and attractive Gail has counted bacteria on everything from tooth brushes to pig's knuckles, determining the deadly effect on them of a dose of bactericidal ultraviolet rays. She frequently tours restaurants and astounds the proprietor by taking a census of germs on the drinking glasses.

Was Hospital Technician.
Miss Mourontseff — she dropped the "T" because "it suits father to a T" but makes me stutter" — went to Pittsburgh elementary schools and Pennsylvania College for Women. After serving as a volunteer X-ray and radio therapy technician at Pittsburgh's West Penn hospital, she joined Westinghouse as a bacteriologist in the lamp research laboratories.

Since then, in her quiet feminine way, she has conducted countless tests proving the power of the ultraviolet tube to kill bacteria and viruses by the bactericidal radiations it emits. This lamp, which sprays invisible bullets of light, is now on guard in many fields where destruction of bacteria, viruses, and mold is vital or desirable.

Installed in the ducts of air conditioning systems, or in a home, the lamp purifies the air. Its use in restaurants, hotels, and soda fountains makes possible the sanitizing of eating utensils and drinking glasses, in dairies, to help sanitize milk cans and bottles, in the canning industry, in drug stores. In countless other places where bacteria are a problem radiations from this ultraviolet lamp serve as a protection.

Radio News to Joffre.
This is not the first war to utilize Mr. Mourontseff's talent for radio. A colonel in the Russian army signal corps in 1914 when Germany attacked Russia, he spent the first night of hostilities trying to get word of the attack through to France. The radio equipment had been assembled in four days, and the Germans tried to jam the air waves, but Colonel Mourontseff succeeded in getting the news through to Marshal Joffre. Later he was awarded the officer's cross of the Legion of Honor for liaison work with the French army.

Born in what is now Leningrad in 1881, Colonel Mourontseff came to the United States in 1917 as a member of a Russian technical commission, and became Mr. Mourontseff a few months later when the czarist regime was overthrown.

"My early work was in the pioneering days of the electronic tube, the 'common denominator' of a myriad of scientific wonders," he recalls.

Thought at first to be useful only for communications, the electron is now working such miracles as "seeing" enemy planes many miles away, making X-ray photographs of bullets crashing through armor plate, directing operations of machine tools, and even helping to destroy bacteria in the air we breathe. After the war, he predicts, the electron will perform even more amazing feats.

Montana Soldier Picks Off Nazis Like Coyotes

WASHINGTON.—Coyote shooting in Montana helped Sgt. Henry Schauer win the medal of honor in the Italian campaign, the war department said.

Schauer, awarded the medal in France last month by Lieut. Gen. Patch, 7th army commander, killed 17 Germans in 17 hours last May 23. His targets were snipers and machine gunners. The infantry man did his shooting while enemy riflemen, machine gunners, and even tanks tried to pick him off.

The army said that Schauer's friends at home in Scobey, Mont., recalled that he worked on a farm near that town. In his spare time he tracked and shot coyotes and deer, specializing in knocking them over while they were on the run at varying distances.

Book Dealer Too Tired To Tell Loss by Theft

NEWARK, N. J.—Police arrested a man who was scattering money around Pennsylvania Railroad station like rose petals. He said he and a companion had held up a bookstore but he couldn't remember the name of it. An all-night search led police to Carl Weitershausen, who said he was the victim and explained he had chased the holdup men so long he got tired and went to bed without reporting his loss.

Then the Mayor Went On Hunt for Jokers

BESSEMER, MICH. — Mayor Bruno Grenna runs a barber shop and likes to hunt. He shot a 200-pound buck and hung it in his garage. The next day he fell asleep in one of his chairs and awoke to find the deer seated in the next chair, a towel around its neck, ready for a shave. Then he went on a hunt for the jokers.

Volunteer Driver Proves War Hero

Crashes Through to Rescue Wounded Yanks.

WASHINGTON. — All war heroes are not combat soldiers. Witness the case of an ambulance driver, announced by the war department. He is a volunteer in the American field service and he won the bronze star by crashing through to rescue a bunch of wounded Yanks, even after he had been shot himself.

He is Warren G. Fugitt of Kenmore, N. Y., and he distinguished himself, according to the department, by his "heroic achievement on the Anzio beachhead" during the night of February 6, 1944. The volunteer driver had brought his ambulance up to an advance dressing station, during the Anzio battle, when he found his further progress blocked by a German machine gun firing across the road that led to the regimental aidpost.

The situation looked too tough for the orderly accompanying him, but Fugitt knew there were wounded Americans waiting up in the gulley beyond. It was totally dark when the orderly went back, leaving the driver to face the enemy fire alone. But Fugitt gritted his teeth and drove down the shell torn road. It wasn't long before the machine bogged down in a shell hole.

Then began a nightmarish experience, as the machine gun blazed away at him every time he gunned his motor trying to get out of the hole. He persisted until he was wounded in the head. Then he went looking for help. Finally he flagged down a friendly tank, coming down the same road, and persuaded it to pull the ambulance out of the shell crater.

Passengers Are Picked Up by Plane in Flight

WASHINGTON. — Army airplanes in full flight can now pick human passengers off the ground with scarcely a jolt.

The method, announced by the army air forces, is based on a pickup idea first used by a rural air mail service in West Virginia.

As a result of experiments conducted by the air technical service command at Wright field, project engineers of the A.T.S.C. said the practice had been developed to a point where A.A.F. standardization can be seriously considered.

The first human pickup was Paratrooper First Lieut. Alexis Dister of Washington. On September 5, 1943, he demonstrated the practical use of the new equipment which may make possible a revolutionary means of rescue for stranded A.A.F. airmen forced down in inaccessible locations.

The pickup mechanism includes a reel inside the plane cabin with 185 feet of half-inch nylon rope. At the free end of the rope is a hook held by a release mechanism. A 10-foot wooden pole hanging below the plane guides the tow rope hook into the pickup loop. Automatic delayed action brakes and an electric reeling motor weighing a total of 200 pounds, complete the airborne mechanism.

Ground equipment includes a special harness fastened to a nylon loop hung above the ground between two poles.

Pickups are now made at 130 miles per hour air speed.

A Stranger in Town Loses the Last Word

KANSAS CITY, MO.—A man just off a cross-country bus plucked at the sleeve of a Kansascian, asked him:

"Can you tell me where I'll find Woodward avenue?"

The Kansascian was unable to recall such a street.

The visitor protested, "Why, it's the main street—cuts right across the city; anybody here ought to know where it is."

The Kansascian suggested the visitor might be confused as to his whereabouts.

"I know where I am," he retorted impatiently, "I'm in Detroit."

"Well," the Kansascian replied, "I'm in Kansas City."

Youth Admits to Using Child as Robbery Shield

TACOMA, WASH.—A 16-year-old youth has confessed, Police Chief Tom Ross says, that he held up the Puget Sound National bank and escaped with \$5,000, using a five-year-old child as a shield.

The youth, Gerald Wayne Barnes, was arrested at the home of his parents, Ross said.

The robber picked up little "Sunny" Fisher near the bank and held the youngster before him during the holdup.

The bandit released the child unharmed outside the bank as he fled.

Kathleen Norris Says:

Don Juan in War Time

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"He established himself on a comfortably informal footing in my home."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

SARAH HARRISON wants to know if she should tell her husband that while he has been away in the Aleutians she has been granting her favors to a man at home. This is a part of her letter:

"Collins will shortly be on his way home. He was an instructor in English before he got his commission as an army engineer, and I still live on the campus with my small daughter, Evelyn. My husband and I went through college together. I am carrying on his classes while he is away, we are in every way well mated, sympathetic, companionable, and deeply devoted.

"You will naturally think it incredible, under these circumstances, that I should be capable of the conduct I have just confessed. I find it completely unbelievable myself. The man to whom I surrendered my honor is a very old friend, ten years older than I, who once lived in this neighborhood. He is a masterful type, and when, as a girl of 18, I had an offer of marriage from him I declined it, saying that I was a little afraid of him, and didn't want to be despotically ruled.

"When he reappeared in our circle a few months ago he immediately took the old attitude, bossing me, laughing at me, having his own way. He established himself on a comfortably informal footing in my house, made plans that absorbed almost all my time, and generally took possession of the situation. The rest followed. I do not understand nor explain it, and God knows I do not forgive myself.

"To Distract Suspicion."

"Now Collins is coming home, and this man is still in the neighborhood. He is paying very marked attention to a charming girl, a professor's daughter, he says, to distract any possible suspicion away from our affair. He told me yesterday he might have to marry this girl to complete the deception. Her mother is a friend of mine, which adds to the wretchedness of the whole situation.

"Mrs. Norris, I adore my husband," the letter goes on. "If he should discover this affair and ask for a divorce and possession of Evelyn, my life would be ruined. My position here is an ideal one, friends, common interests, beautiful environment, satisfactory school for my four-year-old. To sacrifice all this, and because of my own folly, is more than I can bear.

"And yet the thought of secrecy is even more dreadful. Collins is simple and honest and he trusts me completely; how am I to conceal from him what would shatter that love and trust in one single minute. He will greet the other man like an old friend, that other man will dine with us, come and go familiarly, and I feel as if I simply couldn't face it. I have been lying awake night after night, worrying. I have gotten up and walked the floor. Do write me something that will help me to find the right way out, no matter how hard it is, I will follow it."

Unfortunately, Sarah, there's no right way out. It's all wrong, as it has been from the beginning. Right



He thinks he is a lady-killer . . .

AN UGLY SECRET

An old flame reentered Sarah's life while her husband, an army engineer, was absent on duty. Even though Sarah loves her husband, Collins, dearly, she was unfaithful. This other man is a masterful type. He made himself at home in Sarah's house.

This man has been paying court to a friend's daughter, a young and charming girl. He says he is merely doing this to divert attention, but that he may marry this innocent woman. Sarah does not know what to do. She would like to warn the girl, but she is afraid she will lose Collins' love. She is in a torment of indecision and self-reproach. Collins will soon return, and she must act soon, if at all.

things set a long train of other right things in motion. Wrong things have exactly the opposite effect, and from them stem countless other wrong things. That is why the responsibility of those who abide by the law is so terrible and so magnificent. It is not only for themselves, and their own lives. It is to affect the current of human affairs for all time to come.

Nothing will make this affair right. But it seems to me the best thing to do is ignore it from this moment on, completely. Never allude to it again, even in your own thoughts. Stop right here. Your only safety lies in denial of it; "It did not happen."

Keep It to Yourself.

Make no confession to your husband; make his homecoming as warmly happy as you can. If the other man hints anything by his manner or by any allusion to what has taken place, ignore that too. Take the attitude that Jack—or whatever his name may be—was always apt to think of himself as a lady-killer, and try to maintain a sort of amused contempt for him.

You may have to endure his presence in the neighborhood for awhile; you may have to endure the humiliation of seeing him marry your friend's daughter, but there is no help for that. If the girl loves him, she will marry him no matter what admissions you make, and even her mother will not thank you for destroying her romance, destroying your own happiness, your husband's happiness and your daughter's future at one fell swoop. You will have to keep your mouth shut and carry the burden alone.

Face this difficult thing bravely. You have made one bad mistake; don't make another. The debt you owe to your husband, your child, and society is not one that can be paid easily or quickly. Only years of fine and generous living, affectionate and eager service to all three will make you feel right again.

Don't try to hurry matters by tearing everything to pieces now, breaking more than one heart besides your own, and destroying a little girl's confidence in the goodness of her mother and her father.

"Shrine of Bill of Rights"

The oldest Protestant Episcopal parish in the United States is that of St. Paul's church in Eastchester, N. Y. It is known as the shrine of the Bill of Rights because here it was that the principle of the freedom of the press was challenged and established. This church likewise served as the court-house where Aaron Burr pleaded. The parish church was founded in 1665, the present building erected in 1765. It has recently been restored by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

No Medal

By GEORGE EKAHAU

McClure Syndicate—WNU Features.

ANDREWS was gone. We got the news from the C. O., Tex and I, standing in the sticky Italian heat while the colonel looked us over. "You two were his buddies," he said. "You should have some idea where to locate him. Get him. And remember, the general is to decorate him at 1500 hours. I don't pretend to know what made him skip like this, but try to keep him from making this outfit the laughingstock of the army." He handed over a requisition. "Take a jeep, and buzz it."

"He woulda thought this over," Tex said, his eyes on the road. "Jest naturally bein' careful, he wouldn't stow away in a truck, knowin' the M.P.s would get him quickest that way."

"So we gotta be mind readers and figure what he plans?"

"Yeah." He squinted into the dust ahead. "That village on the side of the mountain beyond Aretulia, I disremember its name, but I know how to get there. He has a pal there would hide him out for a few days."

"So maybe we ought to figure how come he wants to hide and have some nasty explaining to do when he's in line for a gonging, he being a machine-gun-nest-wiping-out public hero."

Tex grunted. "Reckon I know all about why he wants to stall this off, and so do you if you'll churn your sawdust a little. I wish he coulda done better than this, but now I reckon the thing to do is fetch him back before he gets into worse trouble."

A big black-browed technical sergeant in this little half-ruined town didn't like us as visitors at all. "If you are Andy's sidekicks you should know enough to let him alone," he told us. "All he wants is to lie doggy for a few days."

Tex scratched his left ear. "How long is it till his birthday?"

"Ten days. Can't ya just go look somewhere else?"

"We just wanna talk to him," Tex said. "I hate to see him in a fix when he don't need to be."

Andy was in the storeroom, behind supply boxes. "If you're pals you haven't seen me," he said.

Tex chuckled. "He can't take it," says he to me. "One of these guys who can get so hopped up in a battle he can shut his eyes and still go knockin' over enemies. But when it comes to standin' up and takin' credit for their wild ways in public, they can't take it. Got to run and hide."

"Oh, yeah?" Andy flared. "Don't hand me that. You know it's because I'm under age. Heck, I'd take a chance, now I'm this far, but the general happens to know me. Once he gets a load of my pan he'll savvy right away that something's fishy. Then he'll investigate. Aw, no medal's worth that. I'd rather duck this time, if it gives me the chance to stick around long enough so I can go in again with you bugs on the next push, instead of being sent home."

"That's jest it, Andy," Tex said. They already know about you. They aim to let it ride until you get your brass. Right now you're booked out. The only thing is, do you go all clear with an honorable discharge, or the other way? Kid, I hate to see you do this to yourself. Will you come back with us?"

Andy looked mighty low. "It that's the way it is, I might as well."

We made it with about two seconds to spare. Tex kept stealing looks at the general's face. "How come you knew so much about them finding out about Andy?" I asked. "You know we been guarding that secret for months, and there was not even a peep of a rumor."

"One of those critters they call a white lie. I knew well enough they'd be diggin' into his record, find him, bust him and send him back before the time is up. I'm gamblin' on the general's bein' a certain kind of feller."

They began to read Andy's citation. The general pinned on the medal and shook him by the hand. He was smiling. "Andrews, your face is darned familiar, your name too. Haven't I seen you prowling my yard on the end of a lawn mower?"

"Yes, sir."

"I've been looking up your record, Andrews. Always do before giving a decoration. Seems to me you must be a little young to be here until your next birthday. Am I right?"

Andy swallowed. "Yes, sir."

"When is this birthday?"

"In ten days, sir."

"You know," the general said, "I always like to make a complete investigation. Hardly see how I can get around to it for a couple of weeks. Will you mind, soldier?"

Andy's face split into a grin a yard wide. "No, SIR!"

"Hot doggy." Tex murmured in my ear. "Never saw the general before, but I was right about him all the time."

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THE STORY THUS FAR: Lark Shannon, whose horse, Madoc, was sold to clear a debt when her father died, sails from England for America. Lark's ship goes down, but she reaches land, and Galt Withe, a bound servant, rescues her. They manage to hobble Lancer, a fine horse that had escaped from the sinking ship. Lark finds herself a prisoner at the inn run by Cony and Mag, who plan to hold her for ransom from David North's firm. David North was her sweetheart. Lark tries to run away, but Cony catches her and she is locked in the attic. She escapes and is happy to find that her pursuer this time is David. She falls into his arms. Galt comes along and agrees to get Lark to Norfolk.

CHAPTER XI

He pulled up by the boat rail, threatening Galt. Lark screamed and tried to climb into the yawl, begging the sailors not to let Cony touch Galt. One of them gave Cony a push, sprawling him in the prow again. He lay there moaning.

"He's my bound boy," Cony said thickly. "I got a right to punish a bound boy that tried to murder me!"

"Suppose he is a bound boy! He's worked for Cony and stood all sorts of mistreatment for six years! Isn't that enough? He's a better man than Cony. Now are you going to let Cony kill him? Galt could have killed Cony, a while ago. I wish he had!"

Unconsciously Lark was appealing to Matson. It was not a deliberate thing, and not because she had any hope of finding sympathy in his face. It was simply that his face was quicker than the others, there was a certain amused comprehension there that the other faces lacked. He was a rapier among bludgeons, cruel perhaps—cruel certainly, but there was flickering light in his wide-set pale green eyes, a look of the gentleman about his graceful hands, his manner of standing there, wrapped in the folds of his black cape, a quality of assurance and judgment and thought.

"You make a very moving plea," Matson's voice was gentle. "Are you—fond of this bound lad?"

"Of course I am. He's the only person on this coast who has treated me with decency, much less kindness. I was wrecked on the Tempora and I've been held here ever since."

"Mag has told me about you," Matson looked at her thoughtfully. "I'm not surprised you tried to run away."

"I've heard a lot about you, too, Dr. Matson," Lark said. "It certainly can't hurt a man like you to set Galt free of these Vurneys. Surely you'll do that much!"

Matson smiled a very little. "Suppose we step inside the inn," he said, "and talk about it—Miss Lark Shannon!"

"Then give Galt your protection first!" Lark was weary past any weariness she had ever known, but she felt a surge of new life, new hope, when Matson nodded and crisply ordered Cony not to touch Galt.

"As a matter of fact," Lark found she could think better now that the immediate danger of punishment of Galt was over. "Galt can buy himself off his last four years of service. He and I, together, caught the red stallion, Lancer, and hobbled him on a certain island. Cony will undoubtedly try to get the horse and claim the hundred pound reward, himself. But I want everybody here to know that Galt Withe, and I, Lark Shannon, caught that horse. The reward is due us, and not Cony. Do you understand?"

"Perfectly," Matson said with faint impatience. "Now are you quite ready to talk with me for a while?"

Lark nodded, feeling deflated, rebuked. She followed him past the sailors and the staring curious gipsies, up to the inn.

He chatted pleasantly with Lark about the weather, his voyage over, the tragedy of the Tempora's sinking. If she had not seen him murder that sailor last night, Lark could have been at ease with him now. Certainly he tried to put her at ease. It was a little harder, now, for her to credit David's tales of his villainy and Galt's thorough distrust and fear of the man. But, criminal or not, surely his interference in her affairs and Galt's was a very practical stroke of luck. His sympathy for her was evident.

"Haven't you something better to wear than that filthy calico?" he asked petulantly. "And your hair—your hair!"

"I have the dress I was shipwrecked in," Lark felt the angry red rising in her face. "I hadn't exactly arrayed myself for your approval, Dr. Matson. I'm sorry if my appearance annoys you."

"A woman should always be dainty," he said as she stood up, "whatever the circumstances. There is no excuse for a beautiful woman to forget her appearance. . . . Wait a moment!"

Mag was coming with a tray of tiny tomatoes that rolled about like red marbles. Matson looked at her with loathing. "Take them out and wash them in spring water! Don't bring them in hot and dusty. Bed them in leaves with the drops of cold water on them."

Mag sighed and turned, and Matson said, "Go to the store house and get this girl something to wear, while you're about it. Something lemon yellow, or thick rich cream. Not,

in heaven's name, the muslin you fouled with your own wearing last night! Get her a cape, brown or blue and quite soft so that it can blow in the wind. . . . And a ribbon for her hair, copper velvet if you can find it. I shall arrange the ribbon in her hair. . . . And Morocco slippers. I shall wait."

"Well," Mag bellowed, "come here, queenie! Think un self a smart one, don't un? Got a great friend in Matson, haven't un?"

Lark said, "I don't know. I wish I did." She went into the store room.

"Un wish un did!" Mag shook out a blue satin cape till its folds snapped and crackled. "Well, I know! I know he'll sicken o' un's mean ways an' slit un, so!" She took scissors from an open trunk, ripping Lark's dirty calico from neck to knee.

Roughly she stripped Lark of the dress, slipping a creamy India silk over her head, jerking its high tight waist in place, yanking the embroidered bottom flounce smooth over Lark's torn petticoat, tying the light ribbon sash angrily, wishingly.

"I knowed un was bad luck when first I seed un!" Mag kicked a pair of laced slipper-sandals toward her.

"Now un be in for bad luck un's own self! I've lost better wenches than un to that Spanish Cat in there,



"I knowed un was bad luck when I first seed un!"

more wenches than I've got bugs in my bed bunk. Un'll come beggin' back to me, likely, an' will I an' Cony help? We will not!"

Lark quietly put on the sandals and laced them. Mag was rummaging in the sea cask, pulling out a bolt of gold-sewn brown ribbon, measuring a quivering length, snipping it clean. She threw the cape and ribbon over Lark's arm and pushed her ahead, into the scullery, locking the store room behind them. The back scullery door opened, and Lark saw Galt standing there, just standing staring at her.

"Oh Lark, un be so beautiful! Oh Lark!" He had cleaned himself up and put on fresh clothes, but aside from that, there was a new authority about him, a look of maturity and dignity, which Lark was struck by at once. "You musn't bargain with Matson, Lark. Not for anything, least of all, me."

Lark said, "Galt, please! I think he'll help us, really I do!"

"Oh, he'll help un, all right! He'll help un both a great wonder!" Mag snatched up her broom and went at Galt. "Un get out!"

Galt took the broom away from her and broke it in two pieces across his bent knee. He stood there staring down at Mag.

"I vow un look a killer proper!" She barked away.

"I'm not going to kill you," He glanced toward the curtained doorway to the big room and took two steps across the scullery to Lark. "I never saw a woman so pretty and sweet as you be, Lark. I've gone and done you a great hurt, getting us caught the way I did. I wish you hadn't ever spoke to Matson."

"He'll hear you!" Lark whispered. "Galt, I had to!"

"The barber fellow cut my hair," Galt put a self-conscious hand on his short, sailor-fashion, brown locks. "I vow it looks a sight."

"It looks fine," Lark said nervously. "You look fine. But, Galt, I must go and talk with Dr. Matson. He's going to help us—I know he is. But maybe you'd better wait—"

"I'll wait for un—for you, I mean," Galt said quickly. "I can't put much faith in Matson. I'm uneasy in my bones. But if he was to want to help anybody living, it would have to be you, Lark. . . . I'll bide right here waiting, Lark."

Galt turned his blue eyes, deep-set and thoughtful, on Mag.

"You nor Cony will lay hand to me again," he said quietly. "I'm not fearing Cony. I'm going away. In time I'll send you money if there be

a money debt for the rest of my term. I aim to go and take Lark, too."

"Well now! Hear the fool! How far un think to get?" Mag spat the words at him. "To the end of a rope like un's old man!"

"He didn't kill himself, did he?" Galt asked quietly. "I never should have thought he did."

"I ain't sayin' nothin'." Mag backed a little deeper into the corner. "Me an' Cony hadn't ought to do with Parson Withe. But un can keep in mind, with un's fancy talk an' foppish ways, fine words never kept un's old man from chokin'."

"I'll keep it in mind, I won't forget—anything." There was a terrible sternness in his voice, a flat aching helplessness. "I mind the day I come here. I got my first beating from you and Cony. I mind folks said my father hanged himself. . . ."

"You've got to think about now," Lark said urgently, "now, Galt. You can't undo what's done with Galt, please! You're exhausted and done out with—with the fight and with worry. You're going to leave here. I'm going, too. . . ."

She stepped quickly through the curtain then, edging past the littered tables, walking quickly toward Dr. Matson. He looked up, laid down his book and got to his feet.

"Nice," he said. "The old buzzardness has some very good things in her store room. I'll have it checked. You look quite charming, Lark, really very pretty indeed."

"You have no idea," Dr. Matson said pleasantly, "how much I appreciate your changed appearance. A weakness, perhaps, a conceit on my part—yet—except for a lack of color, you are very nearly beautiful, Lark. Have you thought of a touch of rouge—or perhaps pinching your cheeks?"

Lark stared blankly at him. She set her milk mug down hard. She said, "Dr. Matson, maybe you don't realize that I am ready to drop with weariness. I'm glad to—to do the thing that's pleasing to you, to put on these pretty clothes, but—I don't think I can stand it unless I know what you're going to do about Galt and me. If you really expect to help us—" Her voice broke.

"No tears, please!" His voice sharpened. "I've been selfish. I apologize. Certainly you must rest. Go at once, by all means, and rest."

"But until I know—I'm not sure I could rest. . . . You see I've been held here for more than a week. I've tried to get away. I've heard Galt—whipped. . . . I so hoped that you—"

She broke off. Mag was coming from the scullery with the tray of tomatoes, bedded now in dripping green leaves. Matson looked at it critically when she set it down, picked up a tomato, popped it daintily into his mouth.

Mag said, "You owe a bill for her clothes."

"Tote it up," Matson ate with enjoyment, wiping his lips with his silk handkerchief. "And get the customary clothes for a man finishing indentured service for young Withe. I'll advance you the ten pounds a year you paid for his service. No doubt he'll pay me back with his reward money from the horse."

Lark said breathlessly, "Yes, of course he will! Oh, you are so kind, Dr. Matson! I can't begin to tell you how grateful—"

"Not at all," Matson sipped his milk. "It's a mere nothing. Frankly, I have no special interest in young Withe. But you have. He cried once to—acquire you, shall we say, to your friends in Norfolk. This time I shall make it possible for him to succeed."

Lark said, "Dr. Matson, Galt's waiting for me in the scullery. Couldn't—would it be all right for us to take a boat and go out for Red Raskall and leave here before evening?"

Matson walked to the door and glanced at the sun. He said, "You need rest, and it's still the best of the morning. Why not rest a few hours? I'll have to work for some time over Cony and then I should enjoy taking you and young Withe out to get the horse—unless, of course, you don't want my company."

Lark said, "Oh no—yes, I mean—we do want your company. You—you're the one hope we've got, Galt and I. I can't tell you—"

Again he cut short her thanks. "Mag has told me a little about you. You see, your friend, Mr. David North, is known to me, that is, by correspondence. His Company, the Cargoe Riske, is famous on these shores. In fact they are business associates of mine. I deal with them for all my insurance. I would be a very poor client, not to look after your safety."

"But David isn't at all important in the Cargoe Riske," Lark said hastily. "He owns only the tiniest interest, and really, Dr. Matson, I don't think the Cargoe Riske would give any—well—I mean—"

Matson laughed until the tears came. "You poor child! You fancy I expect repayment from your young Mr. North for helping you?" His laugh changed to a look of annoyance.

Very red and embarrassed, Lark said, "Mag and Cony did. They said as much straight out. I didn't mean to insult you, sir."

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COUNTY POLL TAX PAYMENTS LIGHT

With no elections scheduled for
this year except school trustee and
city elections, the people of Lynn Co.
paid only 2,395 poll taxes prior to
February 1, according to the records
of the county tax assessor and col-
lector.

Poll taxes paid by voting precincts
are as follows:

N. Tahoka	484
S. Tahoka	287
O'Donnell	287
Wilson	204
New Home	200
Draw	153
Grassland	107
Morgan	96
Lakeview	94
Dixie	84
Gordon	71
Magnolia	46
New Moore	38
West Point	35
Three Lakes	22

Exemptions will probably boost
their voting strength of the county to
3,000 or more.

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Farmer's Friend

Two southerners sat near me in
a crowded day coach recently and
carried on a heated and revealing
conversation. Both men were farm-
ers, but their similarity ended there.
They were not at all alike. One
seemed to be about 70 years old.
He spoke with a soft "Deep South"
inflection. He had attended college,
was well dressed and had lived in
several big cities.

The other man was nearer 30,
spoke with the accent of the delta
country and was obviously a prac-
tical dirt farmer with very limited
schooling. The conversation was
about rice. The older man insisted
that rice was not grown in Arkansas.
"It would be so foolish," he said
scornfully. "So long as Asiatic la-
bor is cheap there will be no in-
crease in raising rice in this country."

Young Man Was Right.

The old gentleman almost per-
suaded the young man that he had
been calling something rice that was
not rice at all. I didn't intrude to
say that I drive through miles of rice
fields every time I make a trip from
Searcy to Memphis, although I hated
to see a man in possession of the
truth so crushed under courteous
language and ideas that have been
out of date for 25 years.

Workers in the Arkansas rice
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It sounded quite familiar when the
cultured gentleman - farmer ex-
plained. "The biggest part of the
cost of anything is labor." The
statement used to be made often and
used to be almost true, but Amer-
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younger man could remember. Rice
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pense, he can earn 30 times as much
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same source (investment), which is
not a popular idea.

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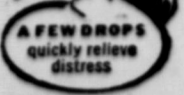
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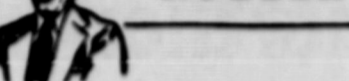
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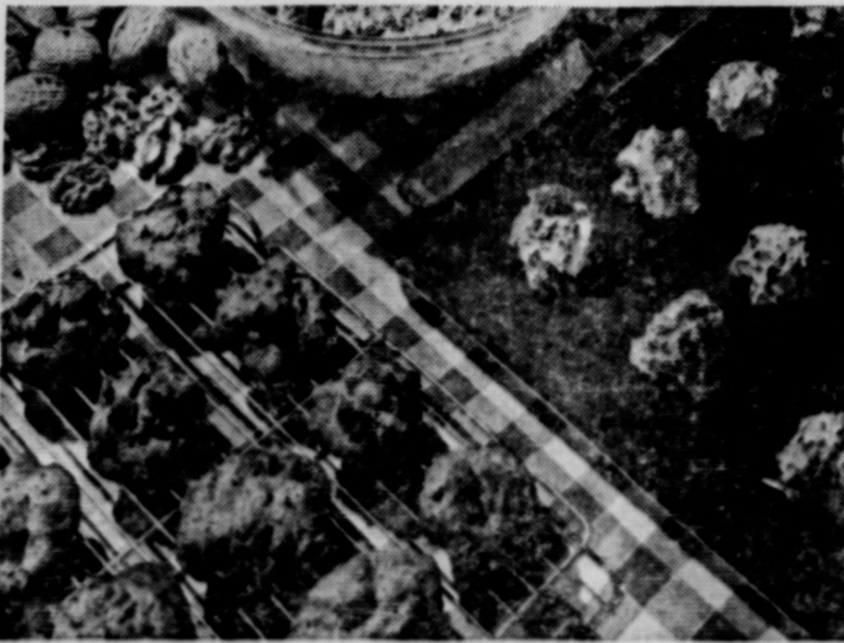
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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Less Than a Cup of Sugar Solves Dessert Problem
(See Recipes Below)

Dessert Fancies

When your tables aren't set with just exactly the meat you'd like to serve, or when meals tend to become monotonous then give your family a dessert that's really elegant. It'll make up for a lot of omissions in the easiest way.

No, I'm not going to give you a lot of recipes calling for sugar or high-point canned fruits. I'm going to tell you of simple but fanciful desserts that will make it seem like you're splurging.

A bit of the right tang in a pudding, a colorful cake with an unusual icing or a sweet tidbit like marmalade scones are some of the sweets I'm recommending. They'll keep the sugar budget in trim condition and still satisfy sweet-tooths.

*Pudding Princess. (Serves 5-6)

3 egg yolks
1 teaspoon grated lemon peel
1/2 cup sugar
1 tablespoon unflavored gelatin
2 tablespoons cold water
1/4 cup lemon juice
3 stiffly beaten egg whites
Beat egg yolks until thick and lemon-colored. Add lemon peel; gradually beat in sugar. Soften gelatin in cold water. Add lemon juice and gelatin to egg yolk mixture. Fold in whites. Pour into an oiled mold. Chill. Unmold, and serve with stewed dried fruits or stirred custard sauce.
Sponge cake with two eggs? Baked in 30 minutes? Yes, it's possible if you'll follow this recipe. It doesn't have to be iced but you'll like it with the simple baked-on icing:

Lightning Sponge Cake.

2 eggs
1/4 cup sugar
1 cup sifted flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 tablespoon butter
1/2 cup hot milk

Beat eggs until thick and light. Slowly add sugar and beat with a spoon for five minutes. Fold sifted dry ingredients into egg and sugar mixture all at once. Melt butter in hot milk and add all at once. The folding of the milk and dry ingredients should take only about 1 minute. Bake in a waxed-paper-lined 8-inch square pan in a moderate (350-degree) oven for 30 minutes.

Baked-On Frosting.

1 egg white, beaten stiff
1/4 teaspoon baking powder
1/4 cup brown sugar or honey
1/4 cup chopped nuts
Add baking powder to the egg white which has been beaten. Add the sugar or syrup gradually, blending in gradually, then spread over cake while it is still hot. Sprinkle with 1/2 cup nuts. Bake in a moderate oven until lightly browned. Minimum is the description of ingredients for these delectable scones made into a whirl. A coffee cake dressed up like this one will go nicely for dessert:

Lynn Says:

Colorful Combinations: Salmon steaks with egg sauce, home-canned string beans, hashed brown potatoes, jellied tomato aspic, apricot strip pie, beverage.
Spaghetti in tomato sauce, salad of mixed greens, tray of radishes, pickles and dark olives, dark rye bread or bread sticks, and stewed plums.
Kidneys in rice-parsley ring, brown sauce, green peas and celery, cabbage, apple and orange salad, pudding princess with sieved, sweetened apricots.

Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu

Baked Stuffed Heart
Mashed Potatoes
Creamed Spinach
Jellied Apple Salad
Parker House Rolls Jelly
*Pudding Princess
*Recipe Given

Marmalade Scone Whirl. (Makes 1 10-inch coffee cake)

2 cups sifted flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon sugar
1/4 cup shortening
1 egg
1/2 cup milk
1 1/2 cups citrus marmalade

Sift together all dry ingredients. Cut or rub in shortening. Beat egg and add milk. Add to flour mixture. Stir only enough to moisten. Spread dough into greased 10-inch pan. With fingertips press dough down in grooves an inch wide, making a circular pattern. Make first groove one inch from edge of pan and second 1 1/2 inches from first. Fill grooves with citrus marmalade. Bake in a moderately hot (400-degree) oven 20 minutes.

In a recent survey among homemakers, it was discovered that the biggest leftover problem was that of stale bread. Combined with healthful eggs and milk, this leftover bread can make a delectable pudding:

Bread Pudding. (Serves 5)

2 cups dry bread cubes
4 cups milk scalded
1 tablespoon butter
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 cup sugar
4 slightly beaten eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Soak bread in milk for 5 minutes. Add butter, salt and sugar. Pour slowly over eggs; add vanilla extract and mix well. Pour into a greased baking dish. Bake in a pan of hot water in a moderate (350-degree) oven until firm, about 50 minutes.

Variations of Bread Pudding.

Raisin Pudding: Add 1/2 cup seeded raisins before baking. Serve with lemon sauce.
Butterscotch Bread Pudding: Substitute brown sugar for white.
Chocolate Bread Pudding: Melt 1 ounce unsweetened chocolate in hot milk before adding bread. Serve with butter or foamy sauce.

Lemon Sauce.

1/2 cup sugar
1 tablespoon cornstarch
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
1 cup boiling water
2 tablespoons butter or substitute
1 1/2 teaspoons lemon juice
Mix dry ingredients in order given. Gradually add water and cook over low heat until thick and clear. Add butter and lemon juice and blend thoroughly.

Victory Cookies.

1 1/2 cups sifted flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon cloves
2 cups broken walnuts
1 1/2 cups each, pitted dates and raisins
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup brown sugar firmly packed
2 eggs
Mix and sift dry ingredients. Toss together with fruits and nuts. Cream shortening; beat in sugar, then eggs and flour mixture. Drop by spoonfuls on greased sheet and bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven for 12 minutes. These cookies become soft after several days.

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Our fishing days are days of eternal expectation and perpetual disappointment.

We couldn't understand how he kept so fat when everyone said he ate like a bird until we discovered he ate a peck at a time.

This 'N That

What is this we hear about Mary Pearson and Hack Gilliam? Could it be serious?

And why does Mrs. Winn think 16 inches is a foot? Could someone be on her nerves?

What is Wanda Belle going to do? Sonny's in the hospital.

Why is Joy Kirby so happy? Could it be because of Leon Russon? Jimmie Don didn't know how to answer Mrs. Winn. She told him to say yes and he did.

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Wonder why Wanda Ruth didn't come to school Monday? It wouldn't be because she wanted to see Johnny Smith?!

Wasn't that Monnie Ledbetter and Polly Henderson we saw with some Tahoka boys. They couldn't have been Lowell Bubby and Paul Sherrell. Were Patsy and Pace seen together Saturday night?!

Peggy Sue sure flirts with James Farmer. It seems every period.

EAGLES TO GO TO BI DISTRICT IN BASKET BALL

Feb. 22 and 23 the Eagles will play Bi-District tournament at Level land. The winners of the North half of district was Loveland and Sudan. Winners of the south half was O'Donnell and Slaton. The two top teams will go to Regional.

GIRLS TENNIS

The girls have been playing their high school tennis tournament the past few days but they haven't finished yet. This will determine who will go to the district meet.

MRS. HEATH TO FLORIDA

Mrs. Rhea Heath, English and Spanish teacher in the local high school, left last Saturday for Florida where she will visit her husband while he is stationed there preparatory to further assignments. She left by bus Saturday morning and arrived there Monday night at 8.

In her absence her teaching position is being filled by Mrs. Mack Noble. According to present plans, Mrs. Heath will be gone about three weeks. Wanda Rhea will stay with her grandparents here. Mrs. Vermillion, and continue in school. Linda will spend these weeks with her father's parents at Midland.

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Meet A Senior

Verdis Kilburn was born November 3, 1927 at Percilia, Texas. His parents are Mr and Mrs. E. P. Kilburn. Verdis will have 16 credits and after graduating he plans to be a minister. Verdis favorites are: teach minister; Johnson; Subject: Typing; Flower: Rose; Song: O'Donnell school song; hobby: going to schools and colleges. Verdis has one brother in grade school. He has two sisters: one in high school and another at home. His nickname is "Son" or "Red".

Bobby Jane Teeter was born September 2, 1925 at Memphis. Her parents are Mr and Mrs. W. E. Teeter. Bobby Jane will have 18 credits and after graduation she plans for a vacation for a year.

Bobby Jane's favorites are: teacher: Mrs. Billingsley; subject: Book keeping; flower: red rose; girl friend: "The Pevitones"; boy friend: Steve Stephens, Jr.; Color: White; Song: "Sweet Dreams Sweetheart"; Movie Actress: Greer Garson; Slang: "I George"; hobby: Going Places and Seeing Things; nickname: B. J.

She has one sister at Tyler, Texas. Two brothers are working at O'Donnell.

SENIOR PLAY

The Seniors of O'Donnell had a meeting lately for the purpose of selecting our play. After very little discussion the group by a unanimous vote decided in favor of "Hobgoblin House."

The order has been sent off for the books and we will receive them soon and get assigned parts. We all think this will be one of the best that has ever come to O'Donnell, and with our spirit it will be. This play is scheduled to come off sometime in April.

Mrs. Johnnie Billingsley was absent from school this week. Mrs. A. W. Gibbs filled her position in the Commercial Department.

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Berry, Jr. in

Hi Beautiful

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Bud Abbott - Lou Costello

In Society

News - Comedy

Fri. Nite - Sat. Mat.

March 2 - 3rd

Rod Cameron - Ray Whitley

Riders of the

Santa Fe

Also Black Arrow no. 13

GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

FIRST GRADE
The following first grade pupils made the Honor Roll in reading the past week: Betty Lee Burkett, Chas. Holcomb, Norma Prossley, Ralph Mires, Donna Joan Hobdy, Sylvia Gatlin, Henry Gantt, Delilah Gilliam, Bobby Sumrow, Juana Rhea Heath, Roddy Jean Pelts, Wendell McClendon, Ginger Cowger, Kay Platt, Dickie Phillips, Homer Dan Vaughn and Sherry Singleton.

FOURTH GRADE Honor roll
Those making the 100 all week in arithmetic, spelling and reading are: Carol Lambert and Francie Hotzclaw.

SIXTH GRADE
The sixth grade is proud of their new pupil, Jean Suits of Clairette, Texas.

Who's dreaming of Sis Schooler? Could it be James Farmer?

Who was flirting with Peggy Beach? Could it be Richard Card.

Thalia May Harris goes were at church not long ago. Couldn't be getting religious? What's this we hear about Patricia Fralin and Ramon Hancock. Mrs. Gooch, our principal was ill last week. We miss her very much and hope she will be back with us next week.

Harmony News

MRS. JESSE LANE

I. M. Davis and E. W. McMurtrey returned Saturday from a few days visit at Comanche.

Ewell Kirby has returned home from a Lamesa Hospital where he had been for several days.

The small son of Mr and Mrs. A. B. Furlow has been sick this week. Mr and Mrs. Dick Harris were in Lubbock several days this week with Mr. Harris' sister, Mrs. Idelle Austin who underwent an operation last Tuesday.

Philip Hardberger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hardberger, is doing fine since receiving a serious arm fracture at school.

Joe-Joe Browning has been sick with flu.

Mr and Mrs. I. M. Davis and family were Sunday visitors of Mr and Mrs. R. O. Lane.

Mr and Mrs. Jesse Lane and child ren, and R. O. Lane went to Big Springs Thursday night to visit a while with a nephew, Pic. R. L. Tubbs, who is being shipped overseas.

TO BUILD RESIDENCE

Melvin Eaker has purchased lots north of the Nazarene Church and is erecting a residence which will be occupied by Mr. Eaker's mother and the Excel Sherrills.

Blanton Street was in from the farm early this week.

Mrs. Ralph Beach has returned from California, her husband having gone to sea several days ago. He is in the Navy.

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