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By J. W. King, Sr.

This week is the thirty-fourth anniversary of Boy Scouts in America. During the 34 years the Scout movement has grown until today millions of boys and men in the nation have benefited from the training received as Scouts. This training has made better citizens of the men and will make better citizens of the boys when they become men.

Thousands of officers and enlisted men in the armed forces today have had training as Boy Scouts. Such training has helped these young men to be better soldiers, sailors and marines. Not because Boy Scout training is in any sense military, but because it builds character and provides knowledge that is useful in the armed forces.

Here in Loraine in the past we perhaps have not given as much attention to the Boy Scouts as we should have. This was more or less due to the lack of leadership of men willing to take the responsibility of training the boys as Scouts. That no longer is a problem as Rev. Polnac and Rev. Price have both taken hold and are building a Scout Troop here of which we may all be justly proud. It is our duty as citizens of the community to assist these men and boys in every way we can. The Scout program here has never been financed as it should. It is up to our citizens to see that ample finances to carry on the work is provided. Let's do it now.

MR. AND MRS. P. P. HAYS ENTERTAIN

Entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hays Sunday and Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays and daughters Ruby Jo, Vera and Percy and son Junior. Ruby Lois and Emmet Eldred, Elmer Lee Hayes, Leroy Dunnahoo, Eloise Hayes, Alene Angel, Doris Hayes, V. J. Hayes, Katherine Honca, Edd Lucille, Lawanda and Alton Moore, and Mildred Fay Carpenter.

After a very enjoyable afternoon everyone attended church and after church returned to enjoy a singing.

Everyone reported a wonderful time.

W. S. C. S.

The W. S. C. S. met in the home of Mrs. Frank Johnson Monday afternoon for quilting as well as for a most interesting missionary program.

Mrs. Bruce Johnson led the program using the 137th Psalm as the scripture when she gave the devotional. Alaska was discussed by Mrs. Bennett Blair; Japan by Mrs. J. D. McDonald; Mexico by Mrs. John Marshall; Brazil by Mrs. J. W. Price; and England by Mrs. Lily Bennett.

Those present were Mmes. Arlie Martin, J. W. Price, J. M. Bruce, John Marshall, G. A. Hutchins, Lee Walker, Bennett Blair, Lily Bennett, T. C. Wilson, Bruce Johnson, and J. D. McDonald.

MRS. WHITTACRE CLASS HOSTESS

The Ready S. S. class had their meeting in the home of Mrs. Hugh Whittacre Wednesday afternoon.

The program was on the "Inspiration of the Bible." Those who had parts on the program were Mrs. Woodrow Pratt, and Mrs. Whittacre.

Refreshments of jello and whipped cream, cocoa and cookies were served to Mmes. Woodrow Pratt, Ed Brown, F. Stephens, and D. W. Haralson.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ed Brown. We are planning to continue the study of the Bible and its inspiration by our Lord.

Mrs. Emily Miles left Friday to visit her son and family in Eden.

J. H. Neill is a business visitor in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mahon and family left Tuesday for McAllen where they will visit their son, Lt. and Mrs. Eldon Mahon.

Mrs. Henry Howell spent from Thursday until Monday visiting her daughter in Albany, and her son and wife in Abilene.

Gloria Martin, Reta Beights, Eleanor Green, Betty June Trotter, and Wanda Smith, all of McMurry College, spent the week end here with their parents.

Former Resident Buried Here

Funeral rites were held for Mrs. F. C. Chekal, 67, at the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

Rev. John W. Price, pastor of the Methodist Church, was assisted in the service by Bro. A. R. Lawrence. Mrs. K. L. Taylor was the pianist. Mr. Hiden directed the choir, and Mrs. N. H. White, Jr. of Colorado City sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

Mrs. Chekal was born Minnie Lee Myers in Montezuma, Ga., October 8, 1876, and was married to Wm. Thomas Mullin in Abilene on May 23, 1901. To this union was born Doris Lee, now Mrs. W. R. Martin, the only child. Mr. Mullin preceded her in death in 1913.

In March 1918 she was married to F. C. Chekal at Loraine.

Her parents were early settlers of Abilene, having one of the first mercantile businesses there. She was educated in the Abilene schools, and later taught in Abilene, Colorado City, Loraine, Bauman, Aspermont, and Roscoe schools. At one time she edited a newspaper in Loraine.

Mrs. Chekal died in Vivian, Louisiana, on February 4, 1944, from a heart attack brought on by a stroke of paralysis which followed flu and pneumonia complications.

She is survived by her husband, F. C. Chekal, daughter Mrs. W. R. Martin, and two grandchildren Gloria and Reagan Martin. At an early age Mrs. Chekal joined the Methodist Church and was a consistent member since that time.

Palbearers were K. L. Taylor, Harold Martin, Alphonzo Dunnahoo, J. L. Pratt, W. W. Martin, and Wiley Walker.

Flower bearers were Mmes. John Marshall, Arlie Martin, Roy Baird, John Mahon, William Martin, Lily Bennett, J. L. Pratt and Miss Gladys Spikes.

Burial was in the Loraine cemetery with Kiker in charge.

YOUNG PEOPLES DIRECTOR COMING TO LORAIN

Miss Mattie Sue Howell of Lubbock, Conference Director of Young People's work in the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church, will be in Loraine Saturday and Sunday to bring information and inspiration for a Youth Rally Saturday evening at 7 o'clock at the Lions Den.

The young people of the Methodist Church will gather for a program of supper, study, and recreation under Miss Howell's leadership. She will speak to all the young people of the church at the Sunday School hour, 10:30, on Sunday morning. A final session of the Rally will be at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Miss Howell will be a guest in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Price.

MRS. JOHNSON CLUB HOST

Mrs. Bruce Johnson was hostess for the game club Wednesday afternoon. Forty-two were played during the afternoon.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, cake and coffee were served to Mmes. Frank Johnson, G. A. Hutchins, Lily Bennett, A. Phillips, Tom Ray, John Marshall, W. L. Hester, O. L. Griffin, Tom Finley, Glen Coon, E. P. Kuck, K. L. Taylor, S. E. Brown, J. D. McDonald, Ulman Parker and Harold Jones a guest.

Elizabeth McDonald of Washington, D. C., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McDonald.

Gypsy Ted McCollum of ACC visited her mother, Mrs. Fae McCollum, over the week end.

Miss Eula Carter of Colorado City visited Mrs. Lily Bennett Sunday.

Mrs. Buddie Compton and children of Houston visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lee, over the week end.

Beth Arnett of Amarillo, a student in McMurry college, spent the week end here with Ruby Jo Marshall.

Lucien Currington visited his cousin, Mrs. Owen Leggett and Mr. Leggett over the week end. He is a member of the Merchant Marine and has been visiting his father in Trent.

BY MERCY CROSBY

Pictures the Movies Never Got



Boy Scout Service Sunday

A church service Sunday night on observance of the 34th anniversary of Boy Scouts will be held at the Baptist Church. This is a union service for the community to honor its boys. Rev. J. W. Price will be in charge of the service with Rev. H. A. Polnac bringing the Anniversary message. Scouts, Scout parents, and all of the community are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Richardson and son of Big Spring visited her father L. P. Henderson Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Crownover and daughter Zane of Crane visited her mother Mrs. Finley and sister Mrs. Lily Bennett Saturday.

Lions Entertain Scouts Tuesday

This being the 34th anniversary of Boy Scouts in America the Lions Club Tuesday at noon had as their guests more than 20 Boy Scouts for lunch. The club is sponsoring the Boy Scout Troop in Loraine and the president is Scoutmaster.

Jim Pope, area Scout Executive of Snyder, spoke to the group and Rev. John W. Price, Assistant Scoutmaster, and four Scouts pulled a stunt to entertain the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Polnac and children of DeLeon, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Polnac of Waco visited in the home of their brother, Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Polnac, over the week end.

Cemetery Lots Now On Sale

Burial plots in the new cemetery addition are now on sale. Each plot is 20 by 24 feet, room for six graves, and will sell for \$15 instead of \$10 as announced earlier. The change in price was made necessary to provide funds with which to purchase the land and make necessary improvements. The Lions Club is sponsoring the sale of the lots and will make arrangements for the improvements to be made.

If you are interested in providing a burial plot for your family don't delay in making your selection of lots at an early date.

Mrs. Johnnie Frazier of Galveston arrived Wednesday to visit her father and family and her brother, Cpl. William Jarratt who is here on furlough.

J. E. Price has been very ill this week suffering from heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Redden were here over the week end from North Texas, and visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith and Mrs. C. H. Thomas.

So You Can't Buy Another Bond



Take a good look at this American soldier as he lies in the mud of Rendova Island in the Southwest Pacific, victim of a Jap air raid. It is not a pleasant scene, is it? When you are asked to buy an extra War Bond to Back the Attack think of this picture of your fellow American blasted by a concussion of a Jap bomb thousands of miles from home. Then brother, you think you will want to dig a little deeper to back up his comrades? *—Sam H. A. Tamm*

Scouts Helping To Win The War

Although Boy Scouts are helping to win the war, no part of the normal program of activities has been suspended for the duration, according to Chas. Paxton, president of Buffalo Trail Council.

"The basic fundamentals of Scouting are health—physical, mental and moral—and good citizenship," Mr. Paxton said.

"Nothing in the Boy Scout Oath and Law is any less valuable during peace than it is during war. Patriotism, faith in God, clean living, doing a good turn daily—all of these will be needed more than ever when peace comes.

"Hundreds of the soldiers and sailors who have been decorated for heroism in this war were former Scouts. It is estimated that one-third of the officers and enlisted men in Uncle Sam's armed forces were once Scouts or Scoutmasters. Their training helped to fit them for their jobs, by teaching them teamwork and ability to get along under difficult conditions.

Scouting doesn't have to 'convert' after the war in the usual sense of the word. All is had to do is proceed with normal Boy Scout activities. The result can be predicted from the records. For in peacetime as well as during war, Scout training builds leadership and character. The more boys who become Scouts today, the more progress we will make toward world friendship in the postwar period."

P. T. A. ANNOUNCEMENT

The P. T. A. will meet Thursday afternoon at the Gym immediately after school. All patrons are urged to be present.

GLEANERS CLASS MEETING

Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mrs. Lee Walker were hostesses for the Gleaners S. S. class Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Johnson.

The house was called to order by the president, Mrs. G. A. Hutchins. Prayer was led by Mrs. J. G. Bruce. In the business meeting dues of \$5.95 were paid and a bond was bought. The class voted to serve the Lions Club zone meeting banquet.

The study for the afternoon was conducted by Mrs. J. G. Bruce and Mrs. T. C. Wilson. They brought a true and false test on the first sixteen chapters of Proverbs.

The next meeting is to be with Mrs. T. C. Wilson and Mrs. E. P. Kuck and the lesson is to be brought from the 21st to the 26th chapters of Proverbs.

Refreshments of chicken salad on lettuce leaf, fritoes, pickles, coffee and cookies were served to Mmes. Charlie Duke, W. S. Thomas, Arlie Martin, G. A. Hutchins, John Marshall, T. C. Wilson, J. G. Bruce, Joe Bennett, Lily Faulkenberry, Chester Beights, J. D. McDonald, Frank Beights, J. W. Price, Marvin Martin, E. P. Kuck, W. L. Hester, and Miss Annie Jarratt and the two hostesses.

Bond Sales Soar At Rally Here

The Bond Rally at the gym Tuesday night at which the 14-piece Army dance band from Big Spring and other entertainers furnished entertainment for a fair sized audience raised \$20,000 of Loraine's quota in the Fourth War Loan Drive, now under way. This brought the total subscribed for E Bonds to approximately \$45,000 which is only a few thousand short of the quota for that type of Bond. Sales had been lagging to corporations though they were expected to buy their amount before the drive closes on February 15.

Sgt. Dale Francis, a former newspaper columnist, made the address of the evening and sold the Bonds.

After the program the P. T. A. served sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, pie and hot chocolate to members of the entertaining group.

A display of machine guns, sub-machine guns and rifles was viewed with interest by many in the audience.

WASTE PAPER CAMPAIGN

The young people of the Methodist Church have sold 4,100 pounds of paper gathered in Loraine and vicinity. Paper was not gathered last Saturday but will be gathered this Saturday afternoon. Those having paper are requested to leave it on their front porch. Those in the country are asked to bring it to the Wilson building between Spikes' Feed Store and Tart's Auto Supply.

SCOUTS TO SEE BOMBER'S MOON AS GUEST OF SHOW

To all Scouts who have registered for the new year by Tuesday at noon Mr. Bond is giving a free ticket to the Tuesday night show to see "Bomber's Moon," a war picture. Scouts may register at the regular meeting Monday night or see Bro. Polnac or Bro. Price.

LANDERS H. D. CLUB

The Landers Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, February 7, in the home of Mrs. J. L. Jones for an all-day meeting with seven members present.

At the noon hour a covered dish luncheon was enjoyed.

After lunch a demonstration on home nursing was led by Mrs. Odum, who gave a very interesting and profitable talk which was enjoyed by everyone.

The club adjourned at 4:30 and will meet in the home of Mrs. David McKinzie on Feb. 22. All members are urged to come as well as new members.

Reporter

LOCAL REA CO-OP. TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING MAR. 1

The fourth annual meeting of the Lone Wolf Electric Cooperative, Inc. will be held on March 1, 1944, at 1:30 p. m. in the Palace Theatre in Colorado City, Texas. Superintendent O. I. Griffin announced this week.

Mr. Griffin said that the annual meeting will be the most important event of the year for the Cooperative's 510 members. The program will include the election of a board of directors for the coming year and the reports of officers on the progress made by the Cooperative during the past year.

Cecil Caswell of Big Spring spent the week end here with relatives.

Mrs. G. W. Hendrick arrived Tuesday after spending several weeks in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cleddie Hall, in Alice, and with Lillian Hendrick in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swafford, Sr. attended the funeral of his father, W. A. Swafford, 93, at Cross Plains Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dupree Barnett of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. C. G. Alfred, over the week end.

Mrs. Carl Price and Mrs. Edwin Hallmark attended a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoskins at Inadale Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Hoskins recently lost their home by fire.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Allied Nations Are Stunned by Stories Of Jap Atrocities to War Prisoners; Reds Surge Forward Below Leningrad; Fifth Army Continues March to Rome

(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.)
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Beauty Parlor—Just like that, T-4 Joseph Dreischer of Leavittsburg, Ohio, dropped into this chic little salon on Bougainville in the Solomons for a haircut, shine and manicure.

JAP ATROCITIES: 'Death March'

"Death March on Bataan."

In these four ghastly words, the late Lieut. Col. William Dyess, who led a party of officers and men in escaping from Jap imprisonment, told a still more ghastly story of horror and atrocity committed against the heroic U. S. and Philippine defenders of Bataan by the enemy.

On 85 miles of road leading from Bataan to San Fernando, Colonel Dyess related in a war and navy department release, U. S. and Filipino troops plodded along from dawn to dusk for six days, thirsting under a piercing sun. Sick and delirious were dragged from the straggling columns and cruelly put to death. In one instance, prisoners were forced to bury three Americans and Filipinos alive at bayonet point.

Conditions in prison camps were equally atrocious, the army and navy report revealed. At one camp, the death rate was 20 Americans and 150 Filipinos a day in the first week. In the second week the rate jumped to 50 Americans and 500 Filipinos through starving and overwork.

Strike at Supplies

To make sure that there will not be another Tarawa when doughboys land in the Marshalls astride our supply lines in the mid-Pacific, U. S. bombers continued pounding defense installations in the islands.

On New Britain, Allied bombers struck hard at shipping in the port of Rabaul, which feeds barges supplying Jap troops through coastal depots.

With their bombers striking at enemy supply lines, U. S. troops drove farther inland, both on New Guinea and on Bougainville.

RUSSIA:

Form Trap

Fighting raged on two widely separated sectors of the 600-mile Russian front, with the Reds fanning out below Leningrad in the north, and the Nazis counterattacking to strengthen their position 80 miles from the Rumanian border in the south.

As the Reds surged forward below Leningrad, they chewed two big holes in the Germans' positions on the northern and southern ends of this front, threatening to swing toward each other and throw a loop around the enemy's rear.

Far to the south, the Germans pushed slowly into Russian lines above the Rumanian border, keeping massed Red armies off balance, more than attempting any real breakthrough. In Poland, Nazi resistance stiffened.

Reject Mediation

The U. S. offer to mediate Russia's claim to one-third of prewar Poland was rejected by the Reds, and the situation became even more complicated with Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden's declaration that Great Britain could not recognize any territorial changes made during the war without consent of the parties concerned.

Russia's rejection of the U. S. mediation bid emphasized Stalin's disposition not to deal with the present Polish government—in exile, which he has accused of strengthening Germany by its requests that an impartial commission investigate Nazi charges that the Reds slew 10,000 Polish officers near Smolensk.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

FOXHUNT: Since sporting Englishmen have been too busy with war to conduct the usual foxhunts, with horse and hound, the little animals have increased in boldness and have become a menace to poultry, lambs and game. A party of 500 soldiers and citizens, setting aside sportsmanship for the duration, killed 50 of the little red beasts in a great drive in Kent.

FEATHERS: The war has opened a new market for a domestic product—chicken feathers. They are now used for stuffing pillows and cushions. Before the war, 80 per cent of down feathers came from Europe and China. These were mostly from ducks and geese. New methods of preparing chicken feathers make them more sanitary, and softer than formerly.

The Washington MERRY GO ROUND

Washington, D. C.

SIGNIFICANCE OF RUSSIAN BLAST

Members of the diplomatic corps who have lived beside Russia and dealt with her diplomats for years point to some significant things about the Pravda report which set the world on its ear about the British negotiating a separate peace with Nazi Foreign Minister Ribbentrop.

In the first place, diplomats point out that, had the report been published in Izvestia, it would have been much more serious. Izvestia is the organ of the Soviet government, and anything appearing therein can be considered the gospel views of the Kremlin itself.

However, Pravda, organ of the Communist party, is one step removed, and anything published in it can be interpreted as close to but not necessarily representing the views of Stalin.

Thus, it was Pravda which dropped a ton of editorial bricks on the unsuspecting, well-intentioned head of Wendell Willkie, hitherto considered Russia's best friend. That editorial rebuke came after Willkie had discussed the Polish boundary question—in a manner quite sympathetic to Russia.

However, the Russians chose to rebuke their best friend as a warning to President Roosevelt and Secretary Hull that they did not want the Polish question discussed at all—not even by their friends. They could not very well come out and rebuke Hull and Roosevelt, so they chose a prominent American, one step removed, figuring Hull and Roosevelt would take the hint.

Therefore, remembering that Russian diplomatic moves are usually aimed obliquely at something on the other side of the billiard table, here is the diplomatic corps' explanation of the latest Pravda thrust against the British.

For about two years, it has been no secret that the British have hung back regarding a second front in western Europe. It is also no secret that, right down to the Teheran conference, Churchill pulled for a Balkan front or almost any other front except a western front.

PUTTING BRITISH ON SPOT

Stalin is a man who never forgets, and even if no friction had occurred at Teheran, he would have continued to be suspicious about British intentions of a second front, in view of the two years of second front debate. And on top of Teheran, plus Churchill's long stay in Africa, Stalin's suspicions may be boiling again.

Therefore, point out the diplomats, what could be more adroit than to put the British squarely on the spot by subtly accusing them of talking to the Nazis about a separate peace? In other words, after the Pravda article, the British now have to prove they want no separate peace by pushing ahead with the second front. If they delay it, then the Russian can point to the suspicion—no matter how untrue—that perhaps the British were talking to Ribbentrop after all—which, of course, they weren't.

The Pravda publication fits in, especially at this time, when there actually have been some hints in official circles that the Russians are doing so well that the Nazis will surrender soon, then we wouldn't need a second front.

It's complicated, but the Russian mind is complicated, and Russian diplomacy even more so.

SOFTENING CASUALTY MESSAGES

The war department has received many letters recently from ministers and private families, suggesting that, instead of sending casualty messages by telegram to bereaved families, they be sent to a committee of pastors in each community, one of whom would then deliver the message and seek to soften the blow of the tragic news.

So far, however, the war department has taken the position that it should continue delivery of the casualty messages by Western Union messenger boy. Army officials argue that delivery by a clergyman would cause confusion and delay, and that a clergyman might not be available at the time, or he might lack proper and immediate transportation.

Also, the army argues that a casualty message has a high priority, which means that its transmission is expedited, and this might be offset by delay at the receiving end if the message had to pass through the hands of a clergyman.

CA' TIAL CHAFF

When diplomats run out of liquor, that's a story. Carlos Campbell of the Chilean embassy burst into the office of Chilean Ambassador Michale, saying, "Don Rodolfo, please lend me a case of wine for tonight. I'm having a party!" "I can't do it," replied the ambassador. "I have no wine myself!"

In the Library of Congress, back numbers of Esquire are kept in the Delta Collection, a special collection of sex books and other erotica available to adults, not to adolescents.

Cutting Path Through Wilderness to Japs



Just as American pioneers pushed through wilderness to create a vast network of railroads covering the United States, Allied soldiers are hacking through the wilds of Burma to bring supplies into China and to get at the Japanese. A broken down lead truck of a convoy group is pictured being pulled by a tractor.

Hannegan Receives Gavel From Democrats



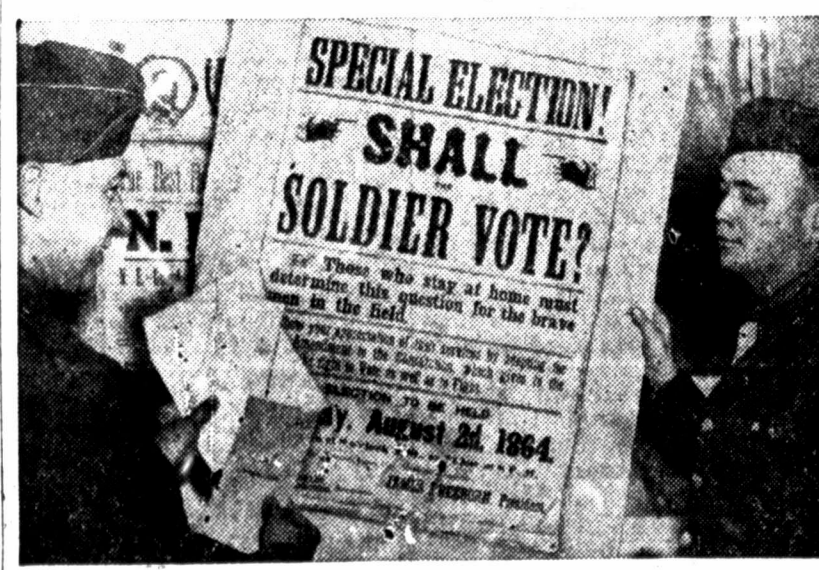
Following closely on the heels of the Republican National committee meeting which set in motion political wheels for the 1944 campaign, was the Democratic National committee meeting which selected Robert E. Hannegan of St. Louis, Mo., as its chairman. He is shown receiving the gavel from the retiring chairman, Frank C. Walker. Both major parties will hold their nominating conventions in Chicago.

Daylight Raiders Fete Their Pilot



Their mission over, the crew of the "Blue Dreams" celebrate their return to a London base after taking part in a huge daylight raid of the Eighth air force over Oeschersleben, Germany. They are pictured raising their pilot aloft. Left to right are Sergt. Mexico J. Barrera, Lieut. William L. Wood, Sergt. Melvin Shisser (kneeling), Lieut. Manuel Fisher, Sergt. John Koroly, Lieut. Kenneth T. McFarland Jr. (pilot), Sergt. Merle E. Carey, Sergt. William M. Donmoyer, Lieut. Cecil E. Williams, and Sergt. Lawrence C. Morel.

We Did It Before



History repeats itself as state and national legislatures debate question of whether or not soldiers shall exercise their voting privileges in the 1944 campaign. Two soldiers examine an election notice poster of August 2, 1934, from the archives of the Americana gallery in Chicago. They also inspect a sample ballot of that day.

Taken in Rome Drive



A British Tommy stands guard over the first German prisoners taken after the initial landing made on the west coast of Italy behind German lines. German forces attempted to prepare for an Allied attack on Rome by removing military equipment from that city.

Harmon Talks to Press



Lieut. Tommy Harmon, former football star, who twice returned to his base after being lost, is pictured at a press conference in Washington, D. C. Harmon was lost once in French Guiana and once in China.

Goums Go 'G. I.'



African Goums of the French army are provided with U. S. uniforms but, since they refuse to give up their native gowns, one uniform is worn over the other. Besides their modern fighting equipment, Goums still carry knives which they use for both wood and throat cutting.

Swimming Does It



Esther Williams of the motion pictures who was selected as the "Swim for Health Week Gal." Miss Williams has held swimming championships.

Walter Winchell

Sallies in Our Alley: Benny Goodman and a chap who just signed a Hollywood contract were discussing Movie Town . . . "How's the weather out there now?" asked the Broadwayite. "I'll be leaving for Hollywood shortly. What clothing should I take along?" . . . "You might take a knife-proof vest!" . . . Congressmaid Clare Luce, at a party, was seated between playwright Frederick Lonsdale and producer Gilbert Miller . . . Lonsdale asked her: "If you had a choice, kissing me or Miller, whom would you choose?" . . . Clare hesitated . . . "I'll never," said Lonsdale, "forgive you for that pause!"

Somerset Maugham's first book was "Liza of Lambeth" . . . England's great book critic, Edmund Gosse, whose opinions made or broke a writer, wrote an ecstatic notice about it . . . The next day Maugham was on the road to fame . . . Once he had six plays running in London at the same time—all wallowing hits . . . He followed through with "Of Human Bondage" and many other best-sellers . . . And critic Gosse constantly met Maugham at dinners and parties for twenty years and always said: "Mr. Maugham, that wonderful book of yours. How wise you are never to write another line!"

A legend in Cuba (the home of the famed Bacardi rum) is this. The rum was originally owned by ten brothers. Only two survive. Every time one of the Bacardi brothers passed on he was buried with a case of the rum—"knowing the brothers in Heaven were waiting for him!"

Pod'n the Round Shoulders: Margie Holliday tells of the chap who took out a lovely looker, who was unbelievably dumb. When he delivered her home after an endless eve he sighed: "You're very beautiful, but so stupid!"

"If you think I'm stupid," she gaped, "you should see my mother. She's all bent over!"

Yes, Indeed! In the newsreels from the war fronts our brave commanders are usually photo'd leading their men to the attack. We saw a closeup like that last night. The General facing the camera. A woman in front audibly remarked: "He's certainly brave—but how about the unknown photographer who has his back to the enemy?"

The Magic Lanterns: "The Lodger," a classic among blood-curdlers (based on the sinful Jack, the Ripper), loses none of its shudders in its transfer to the screen . . . "Higher and Higher" is a pleasant song-and-dance film. It brings Prof. Sinatra into focus. He'll never get as many girlish squeals for acting as he gets for paper-dolling, but he gets by okay. J. Haley, Michele Morgan and the Hartmans help considerably . . . "The Miracle of Morgan's Creek" is wild waggery, a direct slap at Pop Dionne. Eduardo Bracken is a pranky parent, and Betty Hutton jumps out of her skin from time to time . . . "Where Are Your Children?" deals with juvenile delinquency. It skips the preacher angles and assumes its audience is more than eleven.

Willie Collier is dead. There was a comic. He had wit and showmanship and a style of offhand clowning that you hardly ever find in the days of stun-the-peasants technique. You remember him best from one of the first Music Box Reviews, teamed up with the late Sam Bernard. That was where Willie popularized the word "nifty." A couple of seasons later he produced a show for himself and Bernard, called "Nifties." It died, but nothing of Collier's deserved to.

Another time Collier was a last minute replacement—for Lew Fields it seems. On his first entrance he turned to the audience and exhibited his shaking hands—and won the house. Later, making an exit, he was asked by the heavy where he was going.

"Back to the dressing room," retorted Willie, "and study my lines."

Sallies in Our Alley: Over at The Gamecock a movie actor said that Hollywood "is wonderful to everyone except people with smallpox" . . . To which a cynic queried: "You mean to tell me that a guy with a flat wallet would be welcome there?" . . . "No," was the retort, "in Hollywood a flat wallet is the first sign of smallpox!" . . . D. Lowe's nifty: "When the Yanks take Cassino, they'll have to play with 51 cards as the Duce is missing."

Quotation Marksman: Barbara Nix: The minutes crawled by like wounded men . . . Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen: Peace without justice is like painting rouge on the international cheek . . . J. M. Barrie: In love-making, as in the other arts, those do it best who cannot tell how it is done . . . Paschal Boland: Pride is a one-man parade . . . Somerset Maugham: They simply lived in one another's pockets . . . Joan Eden: She swallowed her tears . . . Anon: It's not the creed; it's the deed.

LEW BURNETT

TOM ARNOLD, of southern Texas, to act as trail to 1875. Tom with STEVE and JOY ming. Tom must lose a profitable case to believe that he is trying to delay heads west, and herd through the storms and drouth Red River. Lew store, and finds heads have crossed he has another ru

CHAP

The Indian Open A might be held up on the high water of they may have rains. He was way without his known. Unless leak, his Cross pletely as far as riverbank and shore rode at side ravines be wall in half a came to Doan's up because of seen no one, in that would bring store and hid lows.

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Letter To Service Men

Hello Soldiers:

On Tuesday night a large crowd gathered at the high school gymnasium when the band and other talent came from the Bombardier School at Big Spring to assist Loraine in her effort to attain the required quota of \$70,000 for the fourth War Bond drive.

The speaker for the evening gave us good reasons why we must do what we can and go beyond what we feel that we can afford to do in the buying of bonds. You boys may feel that you can't afford to give your life either, but that's what some of you have done. You must surely feel that you can't afford to be taken prisoner of war, but some of you, our own home town boys are prisoners. You can't afford to leave home and loved ones for months and even years without a chance of even a furlough home, but many of you are away and some parents have never even seen their boys in uniform. William Jarrett is here this week, the first furlough he has had since entering service 26 months ago.

After the release last week of the unheard of cruel treatment of our boys who are prisoners of the Japs, which was written by Col. Dyess, telling of the murder of innocent boys who are thousands of miles away from home and loved ones and going through much, makes us at home know more than ever that we can't afford NOT to buy bonds, even more than we can afford.

At the meeting Tuesday night \$20,000 worth of bonds was purchased which brought our bond sales up to \$45,000.

William Jarrett staged a real surprise for his family when he arrived Saturday night. They didn't know that he was nearer than the Aleutian Islands. William is Corporal and left for service over two years ago, and this is his first furlough back home. For the past twenty months he has been in the Aleutian Islands. He landed at Dutch Harbor in June, the night before the attack there. So he saw plenty of action at that time. William said he hadn't seen any-

one he knew during the 26 months away, so it was a happy occasion to get back home and see home folks again. After a 20-day furlough William will go to his camp in Oregon.

Pfc. William Bowlin left today after spending a week here with his parents. William is in the Air Force training as gunner.

Pfc. J. T. Hock came in Monday from Wright Field, Ohio, and is spending a 15-day furlough here with his parents.

Jack Walker arrived Friday from Camp Peary, Va. This was a very unexpected visit for Jack as he had recently been home.

Jack Albright spent the week end here from Camp Wolters.

T. A. Hart and wife of Big Spring visited here Sunday.

Leroy Lucas arrived last Wednesday and visited here with his parents until Monday night. Leroy is a Sergeant and is ground mechanic in the Air Force. He has been in service three years the 17th of March. He is being transferred from Laurel, Miss., to Lakeland, Florida. Travis and Carl Lucas are both overseas now. Carl in England and parents are not sure just where Travis is.

Pfc. Audvée Claxton arrived Friday from Rice Field, Calif., and is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Claxton, this week.

Pfc. Cecil Mearse and wife are here this week from Salt Lake City, Utah, visiting their parents. Kenneth Heston has arrived overseas. They are not certain just where, but think he is in India. Kenneth is a First Sgt. and William, who has recently been promoted to 1st Lt., is now in Alaska.

So sorry Windell that when you hear the report that you and Junior Sadler got an added seven days to your furlough the day after you left. It will be too late to do anything about it.

And Windell already wondering if the Navy life has aged him so much as his mother was mistaken for his girl friend while he was here. But then the explanation for that was that the mother looked so young, and not Windell so old.



OUR BOYS IN SERVICE



Dear Mr. King:

"Drop in on you at this time of evening to let you know how much I enjoy receiving the name town paper. And I find the news very interesting for a guy so far away from home. I am always looking forward to the arrival of the next issue. Even though they're a month old I'm always glad to receive them, cause its about all the news I get besides the letters."

Nothing pleases me more than to come in from a day's work and have an issue, or paper, in the mail room waiting for me. I go to my tent, try and relax on my bunk and read the home county news.

The first thing I read when I open the paper is "The Letter to Service Men", and "Our Boys in Service," and find them very interesting to me. More so than any other part of the paper. The thing I can't understand is the boys in the good old U. S. A. complaining about staying in the States so long before going overseas. Instead of complaining they should be patting themselves on the back for being one of the lucky guys still in the States where they can get their mail and papers before they are a month old. They are where they can go to town or a USO dance

every night if they wish. Some of them have girl friends near camp they can see often. All of them can have entertainment other than among themselves. While us guys in Alaska sit in our tent and talk to each other, listen to the wind blowing, and our tent flopping, wondering if it is going to blow away, or remain over our heads. We don't have any USO dance to go to, or a girl friend to spend our lonely evenings with, as there isn't any town or girls here.

We can't even get a furlough while we are in this place to go home and see our loved ones and friends. We keep looking forward to mail call, hoping there is mail from some of them. Sometimes it takes mail longer than usual to reach us but I'm always glad to receive it.

Your friend,
Carson O. Rogers
P. S. I have changed address.

Edward Hile and Dick Adams
On Destroyer Transport Dent

The following item will be of interest to Loraine people since Edward Hile and Dick Adams, brother to Sheron, are on the Destroyer Transport Dent:

160 survivors of Helena saved on Jap held island. Destroyer Transport takes Yanks off Vella Lavella then in enemy hands, in midnight rendezvous.

Washington, Oct. 23 (UP) About 160 survivors of the valiant Cruiser Helena, which helped to sink or damage 16 Jap warships before it finally was sent to the bottom, now are ready to fight again as a result of a daring rescue from enemy held territory in the South Pacific, the Navy revealed tonight.

The rest of the nearly 1000 survivors were rescued from the oil covered waters of Kula Gulf after the Helena was sunk last July 7, when Jap shells finally sent her to the bottom at the close of a brilliant American victory which saw nine enemy warships turned into flame swept wrecks and five others badly battered.

The 160-odd men, however, made their way to Vella Lavella island then in Jap hands, where they split up into two groups, when American Commanders learned that they were on the island, a bold rescue operation was ordered.

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Then the Dent and Waters proceeded to another point where the second group was rescued. A Jap plane flew over, but the ships withheld fire and were not detected. Enroute back to Guadalcanal, the convoy was attacked by enemy reconnaissance planes which failed to cause any damage.

Big Spring, Texas—According to an announcement by Colonel Robert W. Warren, commandant of the Big Spring Bombardier School, Pvt. Thomas A. Hart of Loraine, has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal, symbolical of "outstanding and meritorious" conduct throughout the past year.

Pvt. Hart is a mechanic and is attached to the 365th Base Headquarters Squadron.

Maxwell Field, Alabama — Among those now beginning a nine weeks pilot training course on four-engine Liberator bombers here is 2nd Lt. Raymond E. Price, of Loraine, Texas.

Lieutenant Price was hand-picked by Army Air Forces experts as having those qualities needed to become a commander of four-engine battle-craft, and his training will be as complete and thorough as the AAF can make it. On completion of the course here, he will receive further training within the AAF Training Command.

15th Army Air Force—Sgt. Truman C. Walker, son of Mrs. Louidy Walker, of Loraine, Texas, was recently awarded the Good Conduct medal at this advanced AAF Fighter base in the Mediterranean theater.

Sgt. Walker entered the service in December, 1941, and now serves as an administrative clerk with a veteran P-38 fighter group which recently completed its first year of overseas combat.

Eldridge Trott and Lewis (Bo) Brians, both of the Navy, came in Thursday morning for a visit with their parents.

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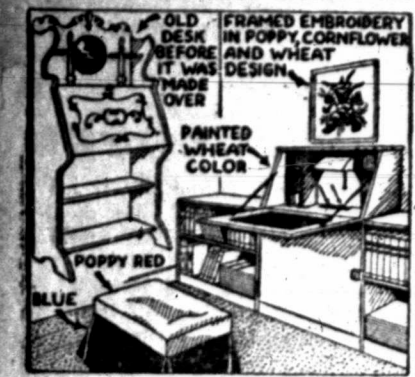
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the charming applique design you see here over the desk. Stretched over a piece of cardboard to fit an unused picture frame this piece of applique work became the keynote for the interesting furniture group you see here. The top of the old desk was cut away and it was boxed in between book shelves. The padded stool was made of a box. The sketch shows how the applique colors were repeated in paint and fabric. The desk accessories also repeat these colors.

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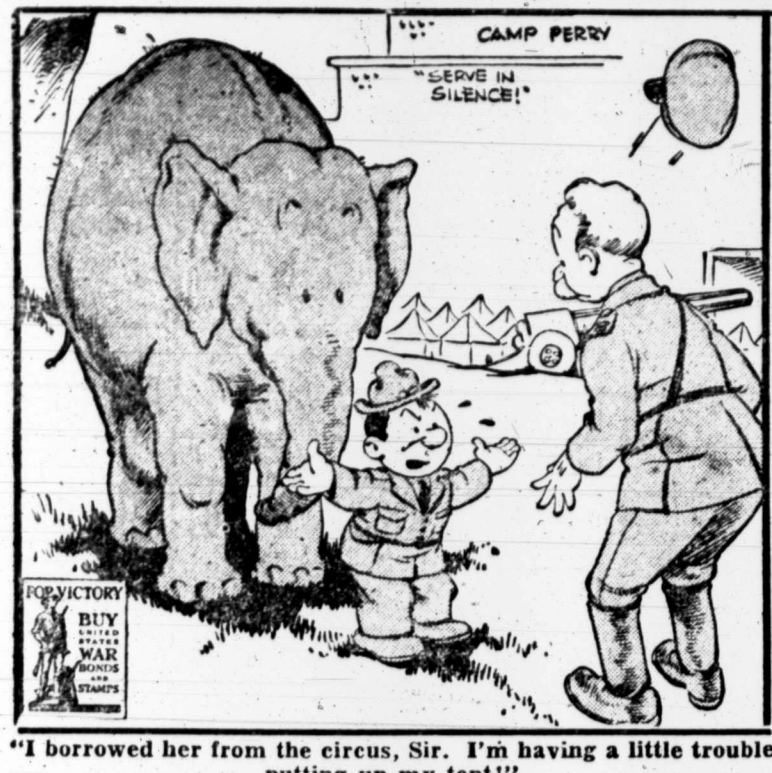
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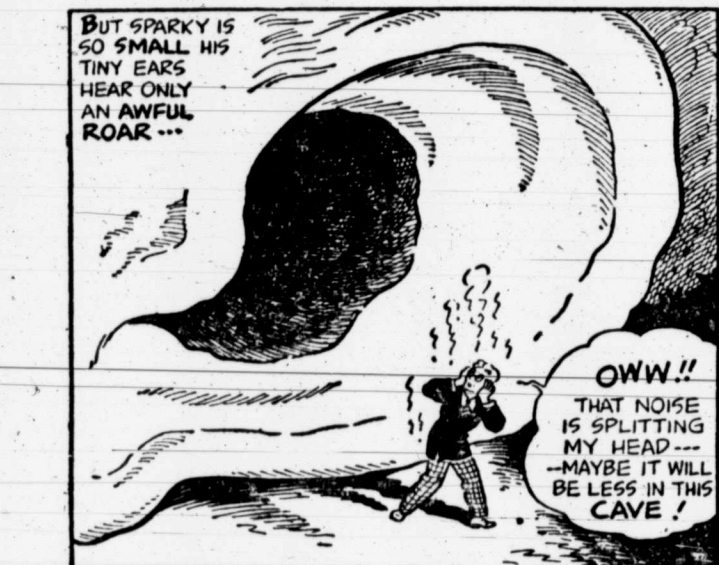
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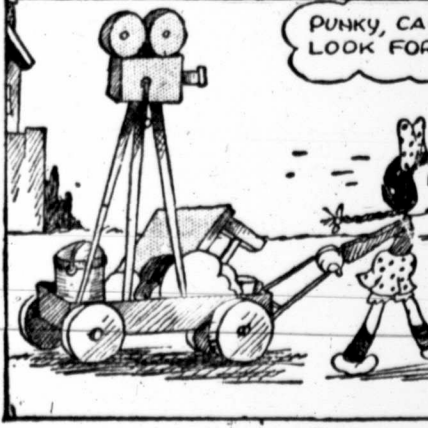
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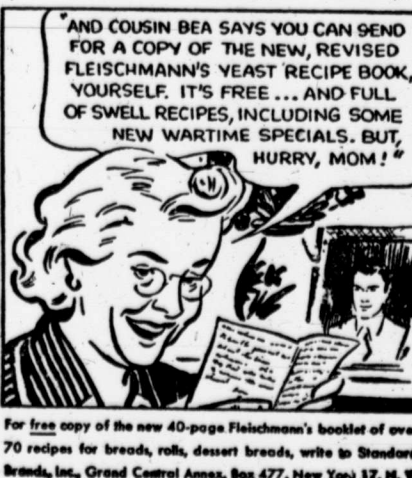
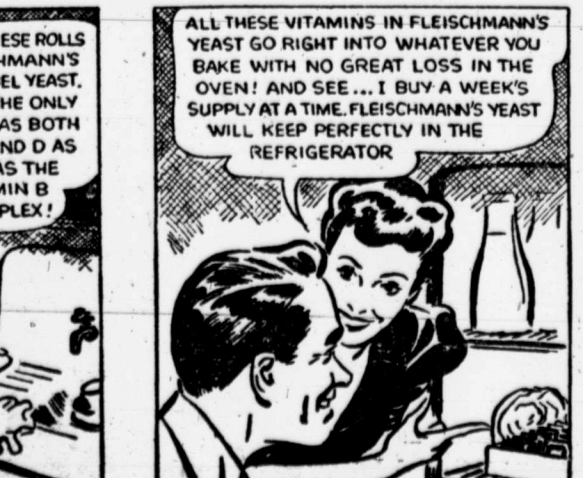
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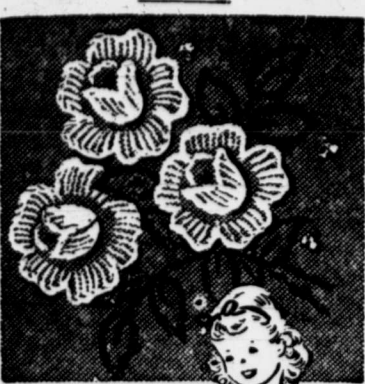
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Lesson for February 13

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JESUS ON THE MOUNTAIN AND IN THE VALLEY

LESSON TEXT—Mark 9:2-8, 17-27.
GOLDEN TEXT—I believe; help thou mine unbelief.—Mark 9:24.

The vision of the mountain top prepares the believer for service down in the valley. "Where there is no vision the people perish," said the wise man of old (Prov. 29:18). For want of a true vision of God, a knowledge of His truth, and the God-given constraint which makes men give themselves in sacrificial service, the people will perish in their sins.

But let men come to know the truth as it is in Christ, learn to know Him as the Son of God glorious and powerful, and then let them translate their knowledge of Christian truth and their personal spiritual experiences into the daily ministry to the needs of their fellow men, and there will be songs of salvation and joy.

I. Knowing (vv. 2-7).
The transfiguration of Christ doubtless meant much to Him in preparation for His coming death and resurrection. It was a foregleam of His kingdom glory.

In this lesson we are concerned with the experience of the disciples rather than the feelings of our Lord. Fundamental in both Christian life and service is a clear understanding of the person and work of Christ. One may come to Christ knowing little more than that He is the divine Saviour, and one may enter into Christian living with a meager knowledge of the doctrines of the Bible. But the Christian who fails to grow in knowledge will not grow in grace as he should.

God sets no premium on ignorance, in fact it is quite evident that the great blight on the Christian church today is the appalling lack of understanding of God's Word.

The disciples came to a fuller conviction that He was the Son of God as they saw Him transfigured and heard the Father say, "This is my beloved Son." They learned more plainly the truth of His coming death for the sins of all mankind. They saw in the indescribable beauty of that moment the foregleam of His coming glory. What important truths these are—His deity—His redemption—His coming kingdom. Do we have a clear grasp of these truths? If not, let us search the Scriptures.

II. Growing (v. 8).
"Jesus only." He filled their vision and their hearts. They had made spiritual progress as they had seen His glory and heard the commanding voice of the Father.

Great experiences of spiritual renewing and power are necessary to effective life and testimony. They may not be in outward manifestation, in fact they are more often in the inner recesses of the soul; but they transform men and send them forth to magnificent living for God. One wonders if much of the dearth of power in the Christian church is not to be attributed directly to the lack of such experiences with God.

The disciples had an unforgettable mountaintop experience. Even so have many others found the secret of power.

Let us remember that such privileges are not reserved for a few, they are the birthright of every Christian. Power without knowledge is a dangerous and destructive thing, but knowledge without power is a dead thing.

Let us study God's Word, but let the truth be baptized in the overflowing spiritual power of a personal experience with God.

In regeneration all that Christ is, and has for us is made available. If we have not taken out our inheritance let us do it at once.

III. Serving (vv. 17-27).
One of the lessons that seems hard to learn and to keep constantly effective in the life of a Christian is that mountaintop experiences of spiritual uplift are not an end in themselves, but a preparation for service. All too often we come to regard such times of peculiar blessing, whether in the privacy of our own room or in the great conference of Christian workers, as something which should glow warmly in our own hearts, making us glad in the Lord, and not as a preparation for ministry to others.

Jesus and the disciples went up to the place of prayer, into the place of glory, and down to the place of service. How fitting is that sequence.

Much confusion exists in the church because those who have foolishly abandoned God's Word and substituted the energy of the flesh for spiritual power have been most diligent in service to humanity; while those who know and accept the truth about Christ, and who profess to believe in the power of the Spirit-filled life, have failed to serve their needy neighbors.

"But Jesus took him by the hand and lifted him up" (v. 27). Verses 28 and 29 indicate that the disciples might have done the same by believing prayer.

Kathleen Norris Says:

The Same Old Lottery

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"Judd is home for lunch every day and I have no help."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

WHETHER said "marriage is a lottery" said it a long time ago, for I can't remember the time when I wasn't familiar with the phrase. Naturally it doesn't mean anything to children, nor even to youth, for young lovers feel perfectly confident of each other—no lottery about it, they know.

But later on, after a few years of matrimony, wise women recognize the truth of the old saying. For every wife gets good and gets bad out of her bargain, but the good isn't the good she expected, and the faults she presently discovers even in the most perfect husband, aren't in the least the faults about which she so lovingly and jokingly teased him when they were only engaged.

A woman named Tania Quinn writes me about it. Like a million other American girls Tania married a serviceman last year; she had known him only seven weeks when she became his wife, and at that time didn't think that he had any faults at all. He's a flier, and while all servicemen possess a romantic attraction for women, fliers have a special glamour. Tania admits that she has been unusually popular, that a great many of the boys wanted to marry her, and she says she made special stipulations before she would consent to say "yes" to Judd. She must have her own separate room. He was never to be home for lunch. They weren't to have a baby for five years. At the end of the first year they were to have a frank talk, each telling the other the 10 qualities or habits he or she most disliked in his mate, and if they were not able to come to a fair agreement then they were to separate.

Flier Agreed to Terms.

Judd, rather weakly it seems to me, but perhaps he was too meekly infatuated to be reasonable, agreed to these absurd terms; he and Tania were married, and he flew away.

Now he is home again, to stay. Because of a foot injury he can't fly any more, but has been placed as an instructor at an important post.

"Of course I was perfectly delighted to have him safe at home," says Tania's letter. "But everything came out differently from what I expected, and I want to know if I haven't the right to claim the old promises from Judd. Space is terribly short here; we have one room and a bath and tiny kitchen. Promise one. Judd is home for lunch every day and I have no help. Promise two. I am expecting a baby, which makes me simply furious although I have no doubt I will love it when it comes. Promise three. And when in June I proposed that we have that long talk and see how we really felt about things Judd only laughed. He hasn't the slightest notion that he is failing me so terribly and has broken every promise that he ever made to me. I think that if he was sympathetic I would not care so much, but I am away from home, lonely, not a very good housekeeper and feeling miserably sick all the time, and I just go about resenting things and crying. Not my idea of marriage at all!"

Well, this letter, with its unconscious revelation of prolonged adolescence, would be funny if it were not so pathetic. Life has taken hold of Tania and made her a woman in spite of herself, and she doesn't like so abrupt a treatment. But one can't quite blame Judd, after his scalding experiences in the war, his

HUMANS CONSTANTLY CHANGE

Human beings are constantly changing either for better or worse. Rules of behavior cannot be laid down by one human for another to follow. That is the mistake made by the young wife in the situation discussed today by Kathleen Norris. This young lady laid down certain regulations that her suitor was to follow when they were married. He hasn't followed them and she is discouraged. Marriage is not a cold blooded proposition to be planned and worked out according to a formula. This young lady is finding this out. No husband or wife can be expected to remain the same year in and out. They change. Hidden qualities are developed, some good and some bad.

Months of hourly danger, his heroism and his injury, for not taking too seriously Tania's high-schoolgirl conception of what true mating between a man and a woman is.

Men Changed by Marriage.

Take it as a law, you girls who are jumping so gaily and confidently into marriage: his faults and his virtues, his tastes and his dislikes, will all be a complete surprise to you, whether you've known him a month or ten years. The frequenter of night clubs and dance halls wants to settle down with the newspaper and the radio. The waster of money, who bought orchids and candy and champagne for you before you were married, turns out to be a miser at heart. The flatterer turns silent and unresponsive; the big burly out-doors hero is afraid of getting his feet wet.

But on the other hand, unexpected generosity, helpfulness, wisdom, knowledge, patience have a way of appearing, too. The man who seemed blunt and unappreciative during courtship days, amazes you with roses on an anniversary. The man who slighted your family develops, when he has joined it, a feeling of real affection for it. The man who didn't want or like children becomes the most infatuated father of them all. Good comes as surprisingly as bad.

And, anyway, it's living—it's life. So when fate offers it to you, take your lottery ticket like the rest of us.

Kerosene Will Remove Grime From Work Clothes

Grime can best be removed from dirty work clothes by soaking them in a solution of kerosene and water. (Don't use this system for your general laundry though—it's not necessary for most things.) The general proportion to follow is 2 cups of kerosene to 10 gallons of lukewarm water. Again, don't use hot water because it will set the stains and dirt rather than dissolve them.

Soak clothes in the kerosene water for about half an hour, or until you can see that dirt and grime are, pretty well loosened up. When you're ready to do the actual washing, squeeze out as much of the kerosene water as possible and go on to the next step.

Rinse clothes well—two or three rinses at least—to remove every bit of kerosene and soap. A starched appearance is desirable in most work clothes. For heavy ones, such as overalls, add two cups of cooked starch to last rinse water. For lighter-weight work clothes a thinner starch will add a smooth finish that keeps clothes clean longer.



How Boris Died

By Frank Cervasi

(WNU Feature—Through special arrangement with Collier's Weekly.)

Here is the inside story of how King Boris of Bulgaria died last August, as told to me by Vassili Dimitroff, a young secretary of the Bulgarian legation in Istanbul.

The death of Boris was mysterious. Some said he died suddenly after too many bullets, and others insisted that his death was from natural causes. The truth seems to lie somewhere in between, according to our informant.

Bulgaria, the first to abandon Germany in the last war, apparently was about to repeat the performance just before Italy surrendered. Hitler knows that there is a strong pro-Russian element within Bulgaria, which had gained power and prestige with Soviet successes.

One day, two Bulgarian "doctors" arrived in Istanbul. These men, surprisingly, had diplomatic passports. They visited the Russian ambassador, with whom they lunched and had a long talk, and returned to Sofia the same evening. The next day, Von Papen talked to Nazi Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop on the telephone, and a day later Boris was summoned to Berchtesgaden.

Hitler saluted lean, nervous Boris coldly. It had been Hitler's custom to greet Boris with kisses on previous meetings. Now there were none. In the room with Boris and Hitler were Von Ribbentrop and translator Schmidt, whose services weren't required, for Boris spoke German. Hitler began talking calmly about the German grand strategy, and the benefits which would accrue to Bulgaria in the ultimate victory of the Reich, but Boris looked timidly unimpressed.

Hitler Gets Eloquent.

Hitler talked for two hours. By the time he was halfway through his oration, he had worked himself up into a fury. He pounded his desk with his clenched white fists, shouting that Germany would not tolerate any treachery, that Germany was not only fighting for its own salvation but also for that of all Europe. Sofia, he yelled, would be smashed like Belgrade if Bulgaria's flirtation with Russia continued.

In the finale, Hitler shoved a paper under Boris' nose with the command, "Sign that!" It was an alliance binding Bulgaria to Germany for the duration and specifying that all pro-Russian and anti-Nazi elements within the country should be "purged."

Boris asked for permission to consult his ministers. He was told that this wasn't necessary. Boris said he hadn't the power to sign. Hitler said, "Sign!" and pushed a pen in his hand. Boris collapsed. Hitler's physician, Sauerbach, was summoned. Boris had had a heart attack. He rested for a while and seemed able to talk when Hitler again shouted to him to sign. Boris had a second attack.

Fearful that Boris might die in Berchtesgaden—which would have been the worst possible kind of anti-Nazi propaganda within Bulgaria—Boris was loaded onto a special train in the company of Hitler's own doctor and rushed to Sofia. The king had a stroke on his arrival and died that night, leaving Bulgaria in the hands of the Naziphile Prime Minister Filov.

Turkey Quitting Nazis.

Hitler has been trying to put the squeeze on another state in the Balkan area—Turkey. By an agreement obtained by Von Papen under threat of invasion in 1941, Turkey is obliged to sell all its chrome to Germany as of October, 1943, when the Anglo-Turkish treaty affecting this valuable mineral expired. The first two shipments, bound for Constanta on the Black sea, however, were torpedoed by Russian submarines, and it is doubtful whether Germany's commercial treaty with Turkey will greatly benefit the Reich.

That is apparently all right with the Turks, who have been almost completely in the Anglo-American camp.

Money flows freely in Turkey. Everyone seems to have plenty of Turkish liras in Ankara and Istanbul, although the country itself is saddled with the high cost of maintaining a large army and is actually extremely poor.

German Peace Planner.

Von Papen at 70 looks like what he is—the old and blunted tool of German Balkan policy. He walks with his foxy head thrust forward. Lately, Von Papen has been talking freely to Turkish friends about the possibility of the Fuehrer's downfall. He even speaks of himself as Hitler's possible successor. Canny diplomat that he is, Von Papen has also circulated what he calls his "Peace Plan," which is really a blueprint for a negotiated peace such as the Junker militarists of Germany would like to obtain.

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Visiting home over the week end from Texas Tech in Lubbock were Louise Halmaker and Mary Love Walker.

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F. M. Sweatt, John Bomer, Ben Bowlin and Horace Miles made a business trip to Bonham Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Ford returned with them and will visit in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Miles.

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Mrs. D. W. Haralson
"Folks want a lot of loving every minute—the sympathy of others and their smile; Till life's end, from the moment they begin it. Folks need a lot of loving all the while."

The Chinese Relief for this month reached \$15.00.

We wish to express our sympathy to those who are bereaved in our community.

Welcome to all visitors. Our hearts were made happy because our pastor was back with us Sunday. God had been good to us in allowing him to be back with us. Let us do our part in every way to build up our Sunday School. Let us back our pastor up in every undertaking for the Lord.

Give something to others each day of the year. If only a hand-clasp, a look or a tear, whatever is given, if given in love, the Master recordeth in heaven above. In our Sundays' Lesson Jesus' heart went out in compassion to the people. They impressed him as sheep without a shepherd. So Christ forgot his own weariness and began to heal and teach. The feeding of the 5,000 was a great miracle. The lad gave five loaves and two fishes, the Master blessed them and fed the multitudes. The lad gave all he had to the Master. Christ asks us to give whatever we have to him. Though it may be little, when he blesses our talent it may be of great service to our Master.

Thoughts from Sunday night's sermon: The forsaken Jesus pover forsakes. Somehow the disciples had lost the desire to win souls. Their leader said: I'm going fishing. The others said I am going too. Jesus had given these disciples the great commission a short time before. Because of discouragement they had gone fishing.

Too many who have confessed Christ have turned away from Jesus and have gone back to sin. God has allowed this to continue until Christian people start praying. The disciples made the wrong step and exerted the

Methodist Church

John W. Price, Pastor

Church School at 10:30 a. m. Morning worship at 11:30. The pastor preaches on the subject of Race Relations Sunday. A sextet from the negro school will bring several musical numbers.

We will have no evening activities but go to the Baptist Church for the Scout Anniversary service.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 8:30.

A. K. Turner of Coahoma was a visitor in the home of Rev. J. W. Price last Friday.

Rev. J. W. Price on Friday received a wire of the death of his aunt in Austin. Her funeral was held Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Shafer of Del Rio is here visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. P. T. Martin.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Lucas over the week end was Mrs. Lucas' sister Mrs. Inez Dearen of Colorado City. Another sister, Mrs. Orleans Cook, and children of Colorado City visited in the Lucas home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Richey visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Laura Clark, in Sweetwater over the week end. Mr. Richey visited in the John Clark home in San Angelo Sunday.

Mrs. Dee Fagan-Brians and daughter of Breckenridge are here visiting her mother, Mrs. Lucy Britton.

CARD OF THANKS

We deeply appreciate the comforting words spoken, the beautiful flowers and the many acts of kindness extended us during our days of sorrow with the passing of our beloved wife and mother. May God bless you.

F. C. Chekal
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Martin
Gloria and Reagan Martin

Mrs. Bertha Barber of Abilene spent from Sunday until Tuesday in the home of her daughter Mrs. D. W. Haralson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Looney of Crane are visiting her mother, Mrs. Ellen Kidd, this week.

F. C. Chekal returned to his home in Vivian, Louisiana, Monday night.

Mrs. R. E. Bennett and Earl Jackson of Lubbock are visitors in Loraine this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson carried Raymond Johnson to his home in Aspermont Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Lucas and son Sgt. Leroy Lucas visited Mr. and Mrs. Esten Hardin in Snyder Monday.

Mrs. Gray Taylor visited her daughter Rena Louise in Abilene Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Marshall of Big Spring visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall here Sunday.

BAUMAN H. D. CLUB

The Bauman Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Henry Doss Tuesday, February 1, in an all day meeting. At the noon hour a covered dish luncheon was served.

Mrs. Odom was present and gave a very interesting demonstration on Foundation Patterns. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jim Lee on March 7. Everyone is urged to be present.

wrong influence. If a Christian takes the wrong step he too will exert the wrong influence. Man turns away, but Jesus always comes back to help him. Our Saviour is always ready to help even though we leave him.

Put your nets on the other side. Because Jesus was there the nets were not torn. He gives in abundance to those who obey Him. If you'll obey Him He'll make you rich in grace.

"Bring of your fish also and we'll have supper." Bring your talents and lay them on the altar and you may have fellowship with Him. "There's only one way to have fellowship with Him and that is to put your faith and trust in Him. "Selfishness is the ugliest and the most out of date thing in the world today. He is utterly miserable who is concentrated in self.

Dennis Cranfill arrived Monday from San Diego, California, for a visit here with Mrs. Cranfill and daughter Loree.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith of Sweetwater visited relatives here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Muns of Sweetwater visited Mrs. J. S. Muns Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin, Mrs. Dora Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris visited in the C. C. Hamilton home Sunday afternoon.

J. L. Bird left Tuesday for Bowie where he expects to visit his son and family for a few weeks.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. H. B. Wilson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Elliott and daughter Shirley of Colorado City and Mrs. Frances Godwin of California. Mr. and Mrs. Edison Wilson and daughter of Colorado City, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wilson of Sweetwater.

Visitors in the W. L. Mearse home Sunday were Pfc. and Mrs. Cecil Mearse of Camp Kearns, Utah, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Caswell and daughter of Big Spring, Mrs. J. N. Black and sons of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richburg and son, Mr. and Mrs. Cline Taylor and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allbright of Andrews, Mrs. Wayne Pickett and daughters, and Miss Minnie Monday of Louisiana.

Mrs. Dessie Fulkerson, Archie Bruce of Sweetwater, and Lt. Newman Casey of Augusta, Ga., visited in the Floyd, Alfred and Jack Richey homes Tuesday night.

Miss Mereta Holloway of Gold- is here visiting her cousins, Mrs. W. E. Dickenson and Miss Lillie Nelson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie House of Artesia, New Mexico, visited relatives and friends here last week. They have sold their place in Artesia and are now traveling for Mrs. House' health.

Mrs. J. J. Land was brought home from the Young Hospital last Wednesday after having been a patient there for 18 days.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Morgan visited over the week end in Cisco with Mrs. Morgan's mother.

Monette Miles of Big Spring spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Miles.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Banks and son Windell spent from Thursday until Saturday in Big Spring visiting his parents.

Mrs. Harold Jones and baby have moved to the L. G. Baker apartment.

Mrs. Harold Jones and baby are visiting this week with relatives in Abilene.

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