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## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fulmer have purchased the Hines residence.

Mrs. John Dale and son Elmo of Ancho were here on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fitzpatrick were here from their ranch near Nogal Saturday.

E. Bello, welder of the Claunch, was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Albert Snow and sister Mrs. Mae Jordan were Roswell business visitors this Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Drake of the Drake ranch near Ancho were shoppers in town Saturday.

Phil Reynolds, Steplard Service Station proprietor of Capitán, was a visitor in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Eskom and small son Cowboy Bobby of Capitán were visitors here Saturday.

Ray Fulmer is acting as Night Clerk at the S. P. Hotel, being on duty from 4 p. m. until midnight.

Forest Ranger David Stouffer of the Gallinas district was here on business the latter part of the week.

J. L. Graves, W. L. Miller and George Wandell were business visitors from Nogal the early part of the week.

Adolph Sultemeler, Carl Hyberg and Leonard McKibben were business visitors from Coronas, Saturday.

Mrs. S. H. Nickels and granddaughter Sharon Willis of the Nickels ranch at Jake Springs were shoppers in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ed Harris of the Harris ranch in the Claunch country visited relatives and friends here for a few days this week.

Sgt. Dale Hill of Carlsbad spent the week-end here with Mrs. Hill and the Jim Greer family, returning to Carlsbad Tuesday.

Buster Anderson of the See Bess, stationed at Los Angeles spent the week here visiting his mother Mrs. Edith Crawford and many local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ferguson, Billy and Wally, were here Wednesday night from Capitán and attended the Lyric Theatre to see Red Skelton in "Whistling in Dixie."

Stockman H. O. Smith of the Capitán country was here on business the latter part of the week. Mr. Smith visited his mother in El Paso this week, who is seriously ill.

R. E. Alsop, daughter Beth and son Rod, were here this week from Albuquerque visiting Mr. Alsop's other daughter, Ernestine, teacher of the Home Economics class at High School.

Lost—Forty coupon # 1 a ration book, T-1, No. 457276 with 5 coupons used. — Return to D. O. Jones of Capitán, N. M. 1tp

## John William Bricker

The American public is going to hear much about a man named John William Bricker within the next year—and maybe for many years to come, for he may be our next president, says:

"There is a saying," the author states, "that any man who can carry Ohio, Michigan and Indiana can be elected President of the United States. If this is true, then John William Bricker could be elected, for there seems little doubt that he could carry these states against Roosevelt. The President has faded badly in this section since his close call in 1940, while Bricker, as the governor of Ohio, has proved a natural mid-western vote getter."

"He is being presented as the cabin-born cornhusker who can save the party from Willkie, who can save the country from Roosevelt, and who can save the world from Wallace."

"On one point I am convinced," says the magazine writer, "the day John Bricker became President of the United States would be the greatest moving day on record. Those whose first requirement is a man who will 'turn the rascals out' need go on further. The first day Bricker was governor of Ohio he fired four thousand office holders. Today, in spite of much increased public services, he has fewer state employes than when he went in five years ago."

"Ordinarily, Bricker is a quiet, good-humored fellow, but when he discusses 'New Deal Bureau-crats' his voice begins to rasp, he jerks himself up to his full six feet three, and his arms flail the atmosphere."

"We've got 22,000 state employes in Ohio," he roars, but we've got 90,000 Federal employes in Ohio. What do they do? I ask you what do they do? We haven't asked deferment for a single state employe, yet thousands of these Federal jobholders are being kept out of the Army!"

## Here Is Another Chance For Dance Fans

On the night of Saturday, May 8, the Capitán Volunteer Fire Department will give another of their popular dances at the High School Gymnasium. When the Capitán Firemen announce a date for one of their dances, fans paste such announcement in their hats so as to be sure to be on hand. The Chavez orchestra, which furnishes good music, will again please the patrons. So, get on your spring bonnets and prepare for another good time with the Capitán Firemen who have justly earned the reputation for being "Royal Entertainers."

## Visitors Here

Mrs. Mary Forsyth, daughter Mary Alice of San Diego are here for a few days to see Mrs. Forsyth's son Joe, who is about to be inducted into the army from State College. Mrs. Forsyth's son-in-law Frank Vigil, will enter the army soon from San Diego; we understand. While here, they are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Norman, Mr. Norman being a brother to Mrs. Forsyth.

## For Sale

1 Ladies' Bicycle;  
1 Gent's Bicycle.  
The Titaworth Co., Inc.,  
Capitán, N. M.

## Government Bar to Newspapers

The announced intention of the Government to bar newspapers from the United Nations food conference scheduled to be held next week is not calculated to inspire confidence in the fulfillment of the Roosevelt-Churchill Atlantic charter of the four freedoms, a keystone of which is freedom of the press.

Since the subject for consideration is entirely post-war aims as to food production and distribution, there can be no claim that it holds any military significance. The whole episode looks like a cheap slap at the press which has failed to go along with the New Dealers in trying to socialize and revolutionize the American way of life without the people having anything to say about it at all. However, it will be no surprise if the American press, using its own initiative, publishes the real news of the conference, if any, regardless of official muzzle, just as it does of so-called secret executive sessions of congress.—Gallup Independent.

## Carrizozo - Roswell Truck Line

The Carrizozo-Roswell Truck Line has opened its office in one of the Reil buildings across the street from Jimmy's barber shop and Sid Goldston, owner of the line will build a warehouse in the rear of the building, shortly. Sid will occupy the living rooms above the office, in which Miss Juanita Autry is the bookkeeper.

## Recital

Last Tuesday evening, Mrs. T. E. Kelley gave an interesting musical recital in her home. The entertainers were Mrs. Kelley's pupils.

Those participating were—Adeline Stokes, Janet Shafer, Adele Burton, Alma Eaker, Patricia Morrison, Veda Branum, Lois Curry, Louise Curry, Betty Ward, Geraldine Dixon, Gene Dixon and C. A. Branum.

## Gets Heavy Fine

Las Cruces, N. M., May 3.—A new charge, amputation by teeth, appeared on the docket of District Court in Las Cruces Monday.

Judge Numa Frenger levied a \$200 fine against Harlan Gleason of Ft. Stanton, for biting off the ear of John Thaler, of Carrizozo, 10 days ago.

Gleason pleaded guilty when arranged before Judge Frenger.

## American Red Cross

Messages for Members of U. S. Armed Forces.

The War Department has requested for Reasons of National Security, that we discontinue immediately the acceptance of messages for members of the United States armed forces missing in action.

Therefore, in accordance with this latest ruling, messages may not be sent to men in the "armed forces missing in action" unless Official Notification has been received that they are prisoners of war.

However, this change in Red Cross procedure will not interfere with communications between officially listed as prisoners of war or as civilian internees and their relatives.

## Business Men's Club Meeting

The club met at Community Center Building at 8:30 p. m., May 5, 1943, with 20 members present and five visitors. Miss Mary Simpson presented an excellent musical program which was greatly enjoyed by the Club. Following the meal the Club gave Miss Simpson and the other entertainers a rising vote of thanks. Mr. Burke moved the Club to extend a vote of thanks to Mayor Finley for the new shades in the dining room. Mr. R. E. Lemon reported that the County was able to report a sale price of bonds for the 2nd War Loan drive in the amount of \$71,063.25 which put the County over the top of the \$69,000.00 quota. Mayor M. U. Finley advised the Club that City Council deemed it advisable to deny an application of one of the local teachers for permission to have a picnic on the Park grounds for a group of school children.

Following a discussion of the proposition by the entire club, John E. Hall made a motion that this club go on record as recommending to the City Council that such groups be given permission to picnic on the park grounds when they were properly supervised and due diligence be observed in taking care of the park. Motion seconded by F. A. English and unanimously carried.

Mayor Finley thanks the club for its views and announces that the Council will rescind its action and grant permission for a properly-supervised use of the park for a playground.

Felix Ramsey, Secretary.

## What About Our Allies

In this country of free speech, we are apt to seize upon an idea and work it to death of our conversation. During recent years some of the nations who are now our Allies came in for some severe criticism. It is hard for many of us to get over that critical attitude, and remember that we are fighting side by side with the men of many countries.

Recently we were somewhat startled to see the title of an article: "Can Britain Trust America?" We have become too accustomed to looking at the situation from our own viewpoint of our Allies has considerable merit.

For example let us ask ourselves, after looking over our own past history, if China, if Russia, if the countries of South America, can trust us. Unfortunately we cannot honestly answer that question always in the affirmative.

Americans have a lot of their own fences to mend in the days that are ahead. That doesn't mean we should refrain from criticizing our Allies. When criticism is justified, we as a free people, should lead the way in pointing out what should be done to correct the situation. But at the same time there should be an end to this business of constant, repetitious criticism that started long before the war. Our Allies are the only friends we have in this world struggle. By their actions they have justified our confidence. Let's give them that confidence, and in return let us justify their having confidence in us.—Roswell Dispatch.

## Ivy-Hutton

Mr. Frank Ivy and Miss Winifred Hutton were united in marriage the 29th day of April, 1943, before Antonio B. Chavez, Justice of the Peace; Mrs. Refugio P. Chavez, wife of the Justice witnessed the ceremony. Mr. Ivy is from El Paso and Miss Hutton is from Hot Springs.

## First Baptist Church

Special Mother's Day Service 11 A. M.

Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Worship Hour 11 a. m.  
Baptist Training Service 7 p. m.  
Evening Services 8 p. m.

"My son, forsake not the law of thy Mother."—Prov. 1:8.

"Then saith He to the disciple, Behold thy Mother!—John 19:27.

The pastor will bring a special message in honor to our "Mothers" at the morning hour and we cordially invite and urge every mother to be present with her family in this service. Also to every one who will come and in the spirit of this service join us as we honor those whom God has given us. It is a beautiful custom that sets aside one day each year in memory of mother, and bids each one wear a white carnation in remembrance of her whose life never, lost whiteness. The white carnation stands for purity:

Its form, beauty; its fragrance, love;

Its wide field of growth, charity;

Its lasting qualities, faithfulness—

all true virtues of true motherhood.

If away from home on this day, write mother a love letter, send her a telegram or special letter, or a long distance call. Honor your mother by attending a church service, in her memory. Soldier, we welcome you.

N. T. James, Pastor.

## Carrizozo High School News

Outstanding events on the school calendar for the close of school are, of course, the baccalaureate sermon, the Eighth Grade Commencement, and the High School Graduation.

The Baccalaureate service will be held in the school auditorium on Sunday, May 9, at 8 p. m. The sermon, honoring both the High School graduates, will be delivered by the Rev. N. T. James. Reverend N. T. James will give the invocation and the benediction. A vocal solo will be given by Geraldine Dixon, and a piano solo by C. A. Branum. Mrs. Kelley will play the processional and the recessional. All the churches of the city are invited to participate.

Eighth Grade Commencement takes place in the School Auditorium Tuesday evening, May 11, 1943, at 8 p. m. Mr. John E. Hall will give the Commencement address, Bill Gallacher, Jr., the valedictory, and George Sharp the Salutatory.

High School Commencement will be held in the school auditorium on Wednesday, May 12, at 8 p. m. Dorothy Jones will give the salutatory address, and Jane Gallacher the valedictory. The special address of the evening will be given by an out-of-town speaker. Mrs. Burns will play the processional and the recessional. Music by the class consists of a class song and of special numbers by D. C. Slaughter and Margaret Manier. Miss Mary Simpson and her music students will also give a number. Special seats will be reserved for parents at the Baccalaureate Service and at both Commencements. The public is invited and urged to attend.

## LYRIC THEATRE

R. A. Walker, Owner  
Sunday matinee, 2 p. m.  
Night shows at 7:30 p. m.

Friday & Saturday  
Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette,  
Virginia Grey in—

## "Bells of Capistrano"

A rodeo and fiesta picture with Gene in his last film for the duration.

Plus "Lure of the Surf" and "Slap the Jap."

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday

Betty Grable, John Payne, Carmen Miranda, Cesar Romero; also Charlotte Greenwood and Harry James and his Music-Makers in—

## "Springtime in the Rockies"

It's springtime and a mile high and will send tingles up and down your spine. All in Technicolor.

Plus Paramount News and This Is America.

Wednesday & Thursday

Diana Barrymore and Brian Donlevy in—

## "Nightmare"

A sensation of suspense. — You'll like it.

Plus "Dover" and "Lutes, Boys."

BARGAIN NITES, 10c and 20c

Beginning April 30th the night shows will start at 8 o'clock sharp



# FIREMEN'S Dance

## Capitan Gym

# May 8, '43

## Chavez Orchestra

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

**U. S. Pledges Bombs to Japan's Heart; Allies Break Axis Mountain Defenses As Drive for Tunis and Bizerte Speeds; Russ-Nazis Locked in Caucasus Battle**

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)  
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American arms, ammunition and equipment were a potent factor in stepping up the fighting strength of French armies aiding the Allied cause in the Tunisian campaign. Above, Gen. Henri Giraud (center), French high commissioner of North Africa, is seen inspecting U. S. war equipment sent for French army use.

**VENGEANCE:**

**For Jap Executions**

Stern punishment for the Jap military leaders responsible for the execution of American fliers captured after last year's raid on Tokyo was promised by President Roosevelt, who said the United States would "hold personally and officially responsible" all those who participated in these crimes and bring them to justice.

That the Japs' barbarity was a confession of their vulnerability to air attack was clear. This was underscored by Tokyo broadcasts threatening to execute American fliers captured on future raids over Japan.

The reply to such threats was given by Maj. Gen. Henry H. Arnold, commander of the air forces, who told his fliers:

"Let your answer to their treatment of your comrades be the destruction of the Japanese air force, their lines of communication, and the production centers which offer them the opportunity to continue such atrocities."

To this Maj. Gen. James H. Doolittle, who led the Tokyo raid a year ago added: "Soon our bombers will be there again, striking at the heart of Japan until the empire crumbles and they beg for mercy."

**RUBBER:**

**Showdown on Oil Use**

Rubber continued to be a controversial subject as William M. Jeffers, rubber director, came to grips with Robert P. Patterson, under-secretary of war, and Harold L. Ickes, petroleum administrator, in a dispute over the use of gasoline in the synthetic production program.

Patterson, supported by Ickes, charged in a statement that Jeffers was weakening American air strength against the Axis by reducing combat supplies of high octane gas for the benefit of the civilian synthetic rubber manufacturing schedule.

Still at odds with Elmer Davis, OWI director, over publicity releases on the rubber program, Jeffers briskly took on his two new opponents declaring that their charges called for investigation to bring out the true facts to the public.

**PACIFIC:**

**U. S. Fliers Busy**

From the Aleutians to New Guinea, American airmen continued their assaults on Jap airfields, shipping and ground installations.

Liberators, Mitchells, Lightnings and Warhawks made 15 raids on the enemy at Kiska, carrying the total of forays on this menacing Jap installation to more than 100 in the course of a single month.

In the Solomons, Yankee fliers battered Jap positions in four air raids, attacking Tondi harbor and Kieta and smashing at Kahili and Munda.

From Australia, Allied aircraft made 10 forays in a single day, destroying enemy planes and strafing Jap base installations and occupied villages. Rabaul and Ubihi, New Britain, the Sador area of New Guinea and Laga on Timor Island were the principal targets.

**U-BOAT DAMAGE:**

**More Ships the Remedy**

Calling submarine losses of United Nations' shipping "heavy but not disastrous," the Truman senate committee revealed that approximately 1,000,000 tons a month were sunk last year—or more than the total tonnage built by the United States and Britain combined in 1942. Adding that losses were reduced in the latter months of the year, the report declared: "The submarine menace can and will be effectively met."

Most effective answer to the U-boat threat will be increases in new construction of merchant ships and escort vessels this year, the committee said. The report estimated that between 18 and 19 million deadweight tons will be built in 1943, compared with 8,000,000 tons last year.

Increased speed for newly constructed ships was promised through the building of new Victory models and the redesigning of Liberty ships to permit speeds of 15 to 17 knots compared with 11 knots for the present design.

**VACATIONS:**

**Public Must Co-operate**

Summer vacations by train for Americans remained a probability in spite of a ruling by the Office of Defense Transportation that no additional summer train service requiring the use of Pullman sleeping car equipment would be authorized. Rail officials expressed the belief that regular services would be sufficient to accommodate vacationists if the public is willing to accept inconveniences and co-operate by spreading travel throughout the week.

Only exception to the curtailment policy, the ODT stated, will be "coach trains operated in the period between Saturday noon and Sunday midnight utilizing primarily commuter equipment otherwise idle in that period and additional trains of semi-commuter type operated on other days of the week within a radius of approximately 50 miles of a terminus."

All other requests for extra coach or parlor-car train service for daily, tri-weekly or week-end summer operations will be denied, the ODT indicated.

**DRAFT:**

**Payrollers on Call**

Probability that many of the 840,000 draft-eligible men on government payrolls would be inducted into the armed forces was seen in the selective service's ruling that federal workers could not be deferred for occupational reasons except through examination of individual cases by a special presidential committee.

Up to the present, thousands of government workers had been given deferred classification as essential.

Selective service announced that effective May 15, the 6,500 local boards must submit monthly to Major General Hershey, for transmission to congress, the names and numbers of federal employees classified as 2-A or 2-B, the classes of deferment for occupational reasons.

**POISON GAS:**

**British Ready**

Prime Minister Churchill had warned the Nazis several times previously that the use of poison gas on any front would result in immediate retaliation by the British. Now he cautioned the enemy again, adding that he had received reports that "Hitler is making preparations for using poison gas against the Russian front."



WINSTON CHURCHILL

Munitions centers, seaports and other military objectives throughout the whole expanse of Germany, he said, would be the target of British gas attacks should the Nazis use this weapon against the Russians.

Increasing Allied mastery of the air plus the fact that Britain had stepped up its chemical warfare preparations in the last year lent an ominous note to the British statesman's warning.

**WAR BUILDING**

With the completion of the major part of the building construction necessary for full-scale armament production, a shift of men and materials from construction to other fields is now under way, the department of commerce reported. The department estimated a decline of 32 per cent in new construction in the first quarter of 1943 compared with the last quarter of 1942. New construction amounted to \$2,300,000 in the first three months of this year.

**Washington Digest**

**Nation's Railroads Move 50,000 Troops Each Day**



Special Surveys Decrease Cross Hauling; Developments Abroad May Force Unexpected Shifting of Troops.

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, Union Trust Building Washington, D. C.

Recently I had to make seven consecutive week-end trips between Washington and New York—I left Washington after a late Friday broadcast and had to return Monday for one at noon. Not once was I able to get reservations for the return trip until at the last minute when some unused space was turned in.

If I groused a little too loudly over this, it may have been because I didn't know then what I learned officially the other day; namely, that "if the war department insisted in having all the Pullman equipment it could use, all the Pullman cars of the country would be carrying troops."

In other words, if Johnny Doughboy didn't step aside occasionally, we'd all use coaches or walk.

**Compromise**

The present arrangement is said to be a compromise in recognition of essential civilian needs. At present, a million and three-quarter soldiers are being moved a month—that is 50,000 a day—in America's trains in official troop movements. This does not include the many men on leave.

There are, of course, movements of whole divisions with full equipment but these are the exceptions. As you have probably noticed if you travel very much, there are usually a few cars containing troops attached to your passenger train. This is the way most of the troops are transported—in small groups of 250 or less. However, that is a considerable addition to the regular passenger traffic.

It's said a soldier eats twice as much as he did in civilian life and that is one reason why food has to be rationed to civilians. But he travels a lot more in proportion to his normal civilian peregrinations. Many a man saw his first big city when he reached London or Cairo or New Delhi. I know a pilot who dropped in at the airport here recently and had several hours wait-over. When he was asked why he didn't cross the bridge and look the capital over, he said he'd never been in a big city and didn't want to get lost. The next thing heard from this particular was that he was in Calcutta.

**Average Number**

In the last war, the average number of moves made by a soldier were three. Here is a list of typical moves he makes in this war, drawn up by the Office of War Information:

1. To the induction center
2. To reception center
3. To replacement training center
4. To his particular branch of service
5. To big maneuvers
6. Return
7. To special training areas
8. To port of embarkation

Special studies are made to cut down unnecessary cross-hauling but sudden developments abroad may force soldiers who are located near one port to be shifted to another far away. Or a special need for particularized training may arise and that may force men to be doubled back to desert or mountain for the specialized practice in snow or under a hot sun that new requirements make necessary.

Maneuvers in the southeast and southwest, including the desert training areas of California, have sometimes required the moving in of as many as 300,000 men within a few weeks, equipment and all. Naturally, that disrupted a large part of passenger traffic for several weeks at a time.

**Unessential Travel**

Efforts are being made to cut down extra passenger travel by discouraging conventions, trade shows, big sports contests and other gatherings. One exception has been made, and that is the lecturer. Even the President saw fit to come out with a statement encouraging the continuation of the work of lecture bureaus. He expressed himself to Lowell Thomas, who traveled to Washington, on that subject—the plea for a good word for the speaker.

er. Thomas represented many people who do considerable public speaking. I know how difficult it is. I, myself, have been unable to accept lecture dates because it is so difficult to be certain of connections and a broadcaster has to move with the regularity of a train schedule—a train schedule in peace time—the microphone waits for no man.

There have been rumors of late that transportation was snagged; that because of the U-boats, supplies were piling up on the docks and loaded freight cars were jamming the yards and causing congestion. But the Office of War Information says that latest advices indicate that congestion is being lessened. In fact, the official word is: "The battle of transportation... at a crisis at Pearl Harbor time... is now being won."

**Nearing Limit**

I hope that this statement isn't over-optimistic. As a matter of fact, the reservation is noted that "the victories are not necessarily permanent. Our transportation equipment, with few exceptions, is being used close to its limits"—and there remain two situations which are not satisfactory, one is movement of oil and the other is the problem of getting the war workers to and from work.

The latter difficulty is responsible, according to some investigators, for much of the recently decried absenteeism.

To get an idea of what the traffic has to bear in a city where war industries are concentrated, there has been an increase of use of the Detroit street railway systems of 76.9 per cent. The Baltimore transit line is up 90 per cent and the Washington, 131 per cent. I know what these figures mean as does anyone who has to make his way to and from work in the capital. I have also seen that fabulous city of San Diego, once a pleasant, sleepy town which seemed to move lazily with the pelicans that flew over the bay or the whispering palms. The pelicans have been replaced by planes and it's a 24-hour town, with a 336 per cent increase in the use of its busses and trolley cars.

**Diary of a Broadcaster**

Today I made it from bedside to desk in one hour and 18 minutes, including the time to make my own breakfast of coffee, poached eggs, grapefruit and zwieback (my wife is away) also to traverse on foot some 13 Washington blocks. I think that this record is not bad considering the variety of activities included. I managed to hear the early five-minute news cast and scanned the headlines which told me whether the news wind was blowing in the same direction this morning that it was last night when the newspapers went to bed—in other words, was I to plow fresh fields or harvest what I could from the old ones.

I also removed the blanket that shields our three parakeets from northern drafts and waited for the welcoming chirrup that one, the least snobbish of the three, condescends to give me before I leave the room. As soon as I do, they all burst into song.

Walking to work in Washington these days is like reviewing the armies of the United Nations for one can spot almost any uniform between Dupont Circle and Pennsylvania avenue. But it seems that the WAVES are in the preponderance. The WAACs are smart but the navy has a uniform that is a little bit less drab than the olive. It is surprising how an elderly matron turns out in that navy blue-and-gold as smart as a midshipman.

Washington's springtime, one of its two beautiful seasons, is here in April—gone in May. First, the forsythia burns with its yellow flame; then the magnolias blush and fade, and the dogwoods raise their sweet ghostliness among their darker sisters; then the cherry blossoms come—and there are many of them scattered over the city as well as the better advertised ones along the lagoon. Soon they are followed by leaves on the oaks and the elms and the maples. Then backyarders are brilliant with the rambler roses and you know that spring is done.

**BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage**

Four Series E War Savings bonds, coating a total of \$300, will supply the navy with a balsam wood life boat, capable of sustaining 60 persons.

Twenty tons of food are carried on every Liberty ship—enough to last the crew of 63 for a six-month voyage.

Nazi girls are being mobilized by the German ministry of propaganda to serve as "front line" saleswomen of Nazi books and pamphlets in occupied territories.

"Honor thy father and thy mother, but above all, the Fuehrer." This is the Nazi version of the Fourth Commandment, as the children in Norway's Nazi-supervised schools hear it.

**CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT**

**FEATHERS WANTED**

Useful Sam Needs your new goose and duck feathers for Army sleeping bags. Write: Richard Market Prices Paid. Immediate remittance. Ship to American Feather Products, 2221-2227 S. Shields Ave., Chicago, Ill.

**Automobiles Wanted**

**WE NEED CARS**  
TOP PRICES FOR GOOD ONES.  
MOST MODELS AND TYPES.  
**SWAYNE-WIMBUSH**  
520 Bannock St. - Denver, Colo.

**ALMANAC**

MacDonald's Farmers' Almanac for 1943 tells when to plant your "Victory Garden," when the moon is in the proper sign. Price 20 cents a copy with postage. ALMANAC PRINTING CO., Birmingham, N. Y.

**HELP WANTED**

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HIGH GRADE GUERNSEY HEIFERS, under one year and yearlings past. Also springer heifers. Special price on four. **FRED CHANDLER, CHARITON, IOWA**

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**WOULD BE INTERESTED** in the purchase of a **GOOD GOLD PROSPECT OR DEVELOPED MINE** that merits additional development or prospecting. In reply be sure to give all details. **C-1, WNU - Denver, Colo.**

**FOR SALE**

**FOR SALE—COUNTRY STORE**, grocery, fruit, oil, postoffice and living quarters under one roof. Doing good business. Will sell stock at invoice, rent bldg., **RAGO, COLO.** Call St. Louis, Mo., or write 2919 14th St., St. Louis, Mo.

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TO HELP CAN  
**VICTORY**  
ON METAL, RAGS,  
RUBBER and PAPER

**WHY PUT UP WITH CONSTIPATION?**  
If you suffer from that common form of constipation due to lack of "bulk" in your diet, dosing yourself with harsh cathartics and laxatives will correct it only temporary relief.  
However, adding KELLLOG'S ALL-BRAN to your regular diet and drinking plenty of water will not only get at the cause of such constipation, but will correct it.  
KELLLOG'S ALL-BRAN is a delicious breakfast cereal that, unlike medicinal purges, doesn't work chiefly on you—but works principally on the contents of your colon.  
Try KELLLOG'S ALL-BRAN, eat as directed, see if it doesn't help you, too!

**Huge Arctic Wolf**  
The arctic wolf weighs five times as much as the Texas wolf.

**MINOR BURNS** Quick application of comforting Resinol gives prompt relief from fiery throbbing. Its oily base soothes parched skin.  
**RESINOL**

**That Nagging Backache**

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**HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news**

**RUBBER:** In addition to vast amounts of regular crops, Siberia will produce huge quantities of material for synthetic rubber this year, a Moscow report disclosed.

**REFUGEES:** Spokesmen for the British-American conference in Hamilton, Bermuda, on the European refugee problem said that any large-scale rescue of Nazi-oppressed people seemed out of the question.

**SAILORS:** More than 6,000 German naval personnel, mostly officers, arrived in Italian ports for assignments aboard Italian warships, according to reports received in London.

**FEDERATION:** Ezequiel Padilla, Mexican foreign secretary in a book published in New York wrote that a federation of American nations "is a pressing and imperative duty."

# ACE IN THE HOLE

by JACKSON GREGORY

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THE STORY SO FAR: Ann Lee and Cole Cody, beneficiaries under two identical wills of Old Bill Cole, sought to discover who had fired the fatal bullet at Old Bill. Suspicion centered around Rance Waldron, who posed as Old Bill's nephew, and was living at the ranch when Ann and Cody arrived. Doc Joe and the Judge were returning to town from the ranch (each with a will in his pocket for safekeeping) when they were waylaid and shot by a masked bandit whom they recognized as Rance Waldron. To divert suspicion, Rance killed his accomplice, Tom Gough. Meanwhile, Cal Roundtree had discovered Old Doc Joe still lived.

Now continue with the story.

## CHAPTER XVII

Those were the days when Ann Lee remained in the big, still old house. She moved softly through the dim rooms, the shades drawn against the glowing outside heat. She trailed her fingertips along table tops, along the backs of chairs; she smoothed the time-darkened walls with a palm of her hand. "I love you, Old House," she sometimes whispered when quite alone. "You've got your secrets, haven't you, Old House? All sorts of memories; heaps of 'em. Good ones, and bad ones, too. I bet! Dear old Early Bill was young once—here, wasn't he? What was he like then, Old House? Why can't you tell me? And who was Sylvia? Did something happen to her, did she die, long and long ago? When she was just a young girl like me? And did young Billy Cole, before he got to be old Early Bill, love her terribly? Did she love him, too, and was she, oh, so faithful and true to him?"

Dear, dead, faded rose leaves of romance, these were what she was finding everywhere. Folks thought that they knew old Early Bill from the crown of his ragged old Stetson to his spurred boot heels—but they didn't know him the way she did—the way "Sylvia" had known him when both were young.

"I love you, Early Bill! You're an old darling, that's what you are!" And sometimes, alone in an early morning hour or in a hushed twilight, she would stand or sit very still, and would whisper,

"I know you are what folks call 'dead,' Early Bill—but I don't believe you've really gone away, not for one minute! I can feel you right here somewhere. Why, you're even near enough for me to reach out and touch—if only I could see you! And is Sylvia with you, too? You're laughing, Early Bill, you old scamp! I know you are!—Oh, why couldn't I have come sooner? Why couldn't I have known you?"

And it was in the patio of early mornings and in the summer magic of the long, lingering twilights that Ann Lee and Bill Cole Cody grew into the pleasant habit of meeting, to speak little, to dwell in a warm awareness of each other that was a glow like that lying about them over the hills and valleys; sometimes they looked at each other, each seeking what lay deep down in the other's eyes, a little searching their own hearts. Aunt Jennifer spied on them at times from a safe, secret distance, then went her quiet way smiling.

Thus they had been sitting on a particular evening, with even fewer words and with longer glances between them than ever before, when three occurrences burst upon them with the effect of sudden, unrelated and unexpected explosions. They had heard no sound of footsteps, so wrapped were they in the concerns of their world which at the moment was far away from their immediate surroundings as was the star from which the girl's eyes came now so swiftly to try to read through the shadowy half-light what was written on his face, when of a sudden Porfirio stood before them.

"Don Codito!" he burst out in some tremendous excitement. "Come quick! For the love of God, Senor, come as fast as lightning! No, no, not Not the senorita! You are to come alone. You won't believe it—I cannot tell you—it is a miracle, Don Codito!"

"Are you drunk, Porfirio?" snapped Cody.

Porfirio caught him by the sleeve and fairly heaved him up from his place at the girl's side and willfully, short of a fight, Cody had to accompany him some few steps. Then Porfirio began whispering in his ear; and then Cody understood and went willingly enough, hurrying long-stridely, eager and glad that one sequence of a tragedy-comedy, a farcical one at that, was at an end.

At the darkest corner of the house where a great live oak almost swept the ground with its lower branches, Porfirio brought him to Doc Joe.

When almost immediately Cole Cody came rushing back to Ann Lee, all but breathless, he found her standing in the patio, her slight body rigidly held, her hands at her sides, her chin lifted, her eyes on the stars. She hadn't known that he was really coming back at all; Porfirio's abrupt appearance had startled her, she was vaguely frightened—and for some reason her heart was pounding.

"Ann! Something wonderful! Listen, Ann—don't let it bow you over. Come into the house; quick. And get Aunt Jennifer. There's something I want to tell both of you; it's just about the most wonderful news—you won't be able to believe it."

Aunt Jennifer's appearance must have smacked of magic; there she was as they came, hand in hand, into the lamp-lighted living room.

He released one of Ann's hands then and took one of Aunt Jennifer's. She saw how earnest and eager he was; she said quietly, "All right, Cole. It's something to surprise us, but we won't be silly about it, especially since it's good news. We can take heaps of that, Ann and I."

When he told them, Aunt Jennifer sat down right in the middle of the floor; Ann reached out and clung tight to him and didn't seem to note that he had an arm/about her.

Then Doc Joe came in. Jennifer scrambled to her feet and kissed him. Ann Lee deserted Cole Cody and put both arms about Doc Joe and gave him a mighty hug.

"Oh, Doc Joe! Doc Joe!" she kept saying over and over.

Doc Joe beamed all over. He made them each a bow; he kissed first Jennifer's hand, then Ann Lee's.

"Ladies!" he exclaimed throatily, his face red. "I never thought anything could make a man so happy! It would have been worth it to be dead for sure, just to know that you cared like you do! I'm powerful happy and proud. Proud, ladies—shucks, that's no name for it."

"Aunt Jenny!" cried Ann Lee.

"Listen!" cut in Cody. "Doc Joe wants us to hide him a little longer; for only a few minutes or a few hours, I don't know. He knows a lot about Rance Waldron; he'll tell you what it is. And while we didn't

Waldron chose to laugh, and never was there a man who could put a nastier sneer into laughter which should be a pleasant thing and which can be detestable beyond most sounds.

"It's hard to swallow, huh, Cody?" he jeered. "Thought you had an edge on the situation, didn't you? Thought I'd take it the way you dish it out! Thought that if you couldn't take it any other way," he said, and jeered, "you'd gobble it along with that nifty piece of girl-meat, that little cuddly, pink-and-white female thing Ann Lee, that a man can buy a dozen of in town for—"

Cody struck the way lightning strikes. Leaping yards across the floor, Bill Cole Cody swung with his left hand and struck a blow for any hard-striking man to be proud of. Only—Rance Waldron wasn't there, wasn't at the end of that perfect short arc. He was three or four quick leaps behind it, jerking out his guns. And he was in high heaven, with full provocation to burn his man down. Attacked without warning, he had every right to go for his guns, to kill his man. And it would be so easy! If there were only a witness to his predicament, that of a man defending himself against a murderous attack.

That witness he had, but he knew that only later. It was Ann Lee who had stolen a tip-toe from the room in which Doc Joe and Aunt Jennifer, two sentimental old fools, were explaining and talking two-at-a-time, and blinking against fat tears; a tremulous Ann Lee who was wondering where a certain William Cole Cody—"William," she thought; "that must be his real name; the name his mama and papa gave him"—had betaken himself. She heard and she saw, and she nearly dropped dead, hearing and seeing.

Now as Bill Cole Cody had leaped forward and the watchful Rance Waldron had leaped back to be out of his reach, Waldron fired and Cody struck again—and little Ann tried to scream and tried to shut her eyes, and could do neither. In a sort of trance she saw how it was that Bill Cody struck: Not with his fist this time, since that would have been too late; but as a bullet clipped through a loose fold of his sleeve, he struck with his whole body, launching himself like a long lean catapult with bullets ripping the air where he had been a split second before. And as his feet left the floor and he became a sort of giant's arrow in horizontal flight, and his head struck Rance Waldron in the middle, his long arms with those tremendously gripping hands of his grappled with the man he sent toppling and crashing to the floor.

Now, Bill Cole Cody didn't miss all the bullets which swarmed about him like angry bees. Two of them scraped him, barely laid the skin back, and their effect was to cause him to lose all temper which he hadn't had time to lose already. There was a scratch along the top of his head, and blood ran down into his left eye; there was a twin scratch six or eight inches long down the back of his left shoulder. Ann Lee saw the blood and thought he was surely dead, and came running; she'd grab Rance Waldron's guns and shoot him all to pieces!

But no intercession was needed. As Waldron spilled back on the floor one of his guns flew out of his hands; Bill Cody, though with one eye dimmed, could see that. The other gun swung in its brief arc to blow his brains out, but Cody's hand swung quicker. He caught Waldron's wrist; he all but broke it in the power of his grip; slowly he twisted it so that the muzzle of Waldron's gun was against Waldron's temple. And then Bill Cody spoke his little speech:

"Pull the trigger now, Waldron, if you like. Or drop the gun—and drop it quick!"

The sight of a reptile, of a tarantula, say, of a rattlesnake, of any spider or snake—with some men

it's a naked knife—can move a man tremendously, shooting into his blood a turbulence which may be compounded of abhorrence, of fear, of hate, of sheer animalism, of a tangle of complex instincts. Right now, looking at Rance Waldron's not unhandsome face, Bill Cole Cody's bloodstream was ruffled all but beyond endurance; it ran cold and it ran hot, and queer, blazing streaks of fire, like miniature stabs of lightning, shot through him.

"So you're still here, Cody, are you?" he said curtly. "You know, you're a fool, Cody, for sticking around in any hope of catching any few drops that might spill out over the top of the bucket. Because, if you listen to me, there won't be any drops spilled over. It might be a good time if you tucked your tail between your legs and got out of here. You haven't any claim here. It's common knowledge, told in every saloon, that you had some sort of a trumped up 'will,' a faked thing—and that you haven't even got that now. So you can get out in a hurry, Mr. Cody. Am I right?"

Cody swallowed. He answered very quietly, very slowly.

"Waldron, if I'm taking a big dose of you now, you'll know why later on. Suppose until time comes that you keep your mouth shut? I'm not asking a lot; the breath of the thoughts you think—stinks! Shut up!"

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Franklin—That's a novelty! I'm sorry we have to give you odds and ends. Meat is scarce, but if you get hungry you can always bite a congressman.  
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Franklin—I'm mighty fond of you, Falla.  
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## IMAGINARY INTERVIEWS

(Occasioned by a recent photo of the President and his Scotch terrier alone in the White House.)

Falla—Boss, you lead a dog's life.  
Franklin—In a job like mine in a world like this it's inevitable.

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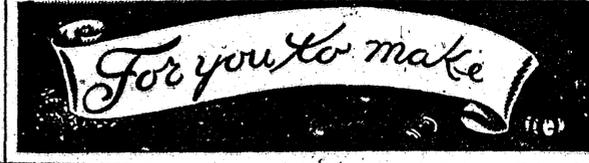
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Is everybody happy?  
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When you see a shoe with toes cut out on a lady you say "how stylish." See the same thing on a man and he is a tramp.

Signed,  
- Melluva Hess.

Sign on a neighboring store— "Kindly don't insult our clerks. It is easier to get customers than clerks."  
- Contributed by G. Howitt Hertz.

Will Robinson's Sidelights on the News in the Roswell Record: Editor Eats Chicken  
Motorists passing through Carrizozo report a calumny odor proceeding from the mansion of A. L. Burke, editor of the Carrizozo Outlook.

Unable to vision an editor paying 60 cents per pound for frying chickens, the smell didn't make sense until various complimentary notices about the hatchings of J. L. Graves of Nogal were located in The Outlook. Then it was plain as day.

Senor Como C. Emma, the Spanish prophet, says: The new motto for the Japs should be "Keep 'em falling."

A Book of Verses underneath the Bough,  
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enow!  
—From the Rubaiyat of Qmar Khayyam.

Wun Bumb Lung, the Chinese philosopher, declares:  
The fellow who talks about taking it easy on a ranch or farm is the one who has never been on one.

The Japs promises to execute any of our flyers iffen they land on Japanese soil has us so scared that the next visit will be so destructive that there won't be no Japs left to do no executing even iffen some of the boys do make a personal appearance.

We understand from the papers that the Republicans want to donate half a year's taxes but as far as we are concerned we'd be glad to avoid a whole year's.



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We don't blame the government from bawling reporters from this here Food Conference. Any time a reporter hears the word Food why he swoops down and iffen they let them buzzards in, the food would be et up and then there wouldn't be nothing to have a conference about.—Cuckoo Comments.

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**FBI Police Will Hold Meetings**

As a continuation of the regular Quarterly Conferences sponsored by the Federal Bureau of Investigation under the direction of J. Edgar Hoover for the purpose of coordinating efforts of all law enforcement agencies in the United States in internal security and other matters of mutual interest, D. A. Bryce, Special Agent in Charge of the FBI at El Paso, Texas, announced that the Second Quarterly Conferences for law enforcement officers in West Texas and New Mexico for 1948 will be held in the evening, commencing at 8 p. m., in Court Houses in the cities and on the dates as follows: Gallup, May 10; Albuquerque, May 11; Santa Fe, May 12; Clayton, May 13; Roswell, May 14; Carlsbad, May 17; Kermit, Texas, May 18; Midland, Texas, May 19; El Paso, Texas, May 20; Silver City, May 26; Hot Springs, May 27.

The program will consist of an opening address on a subject of interest to law enforcement by a prominent citizen of each community where the conferences will be held. Following the opening addresses, slides and sound motion pictures of interest to law enforcement officers will be exhibited. The program will also include discussions of internal security cases, recent trends in juvenile delinquencies due to war-time conditions, and problems of mutual interest in law enforcement.

In addition to these discussions instruction in the methods of reproducing tire tread and footprint impressions by use of a chemical formula will be given and officers in attendance will have the opportunity to participate in the application of this method, which will be extremely valuable to them in conducting investigations.

All State, County, City and Local officers, including honorary deputies, auxiliary police, members of the sheriffs' posse, mounted patrol, heads of municipalities, and railroad officers are invited to attend one of the above-mentioned conferences.  
Enthusiasm and intense interest by law enforcement officers in the El Paso District, which includes New Mexico and West Texas, was illustrated by the fact that during the First Quarterly Conferences for 1948 held in February and March, there were in attendance 1871 law enforcement officers, representing 97 per cent of all law enforcement agencies in the District. Mr. Bryce highly commended the law enforcement officers of this District for their interest in these vital matters and their splendid cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation in interational security and all other law enforcement matters.

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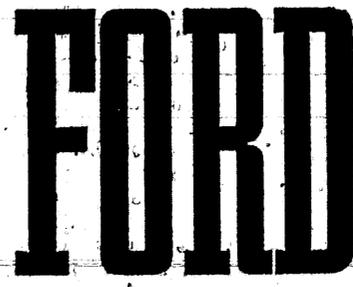
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In the Matter of the  
Estate of Stephen Ramond,  
Deceased.  
No. 249

To Mrs. Oney Ramond, John  
Paul Ramond, Tinnie Ramond  
Clayton, Janie Rose Ramond  
Taylor, and Virginia Elizabeth  
Ramond Guest, and to all un-  
known heirs of the said decedent,  
and all unknown persons claim-  
ing any lien upon, or right, title,  
or interest, in or to, the estate  
of the said decedent, and to whom  
it may concern:

You, and each of you are here-  
by notified, and notice is hereby  
given, that Oney Ramond, Ad-  
ministratrix of the Estate of  
Stephen Ramond, deceased, has  
filed in the above entitled Court  
her final report and account as  
such Administratrix, and the  
Court has appointed Monday, the  
21st day of June, 1948, at the  
hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., as  
the hour and day for hearing of  
objections, if any there be, to  
the approval and settlement of  
said final report and account, and  
the discharge of the said Oney  
Ramond as such Administratrix  
and at the hour on the day nam-  
ed, the Probate Court will pro-  
ceed to determine the heirship of  
said decedent, the ownership of  
his said estate and the interest  
of each respective claimant  
thereto and therein and the per-  
sons entitled to the distribution  
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The name and postoffice address  
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Witness the honorable Paulino  
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**THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...**



"Had any news from George and his family since they moved away, Judge?"  
"Yes, I had a letter from him day before yesterday. He's in Kentucky... the family's fine and they all like it there. George says he has a fine job in a beverage distillery. He brought out an interesting point in his letter I hadn't thought of before. He said that while the beverage distillers are working 24 hours a day, 7 days a week turning

out war alcohol for the government for ammunition, tires, medical supplies and chemicals, they still are able to account for nearly a billion and a half dollars in taxes each year. That's on account of the fact the beverage distillers, though working 100% for the government, are still able to supply the public with beverages from the reserve stocks made during peacetime.  
"Quite an unusual case, isn't it, Jim?"

Continued from Alcoholic Beverage Industries, 1.

**A FAMILY AFFAIR**  
(In Health City Sun)

Father's in the army,  
Spooling for a scrap;  
Brother's in the Coast Guard  
Laying for a Jap;  
Uncle's in the Navy  
Off the beaten track;  
Mother's up in I-o-way  
Training for a WAAC!

Father lugs a rifle,  
Dangerous and mean;  
Brother drops a depth bomb  
On a submarine;  
Uncle lands his cargo  
Across a spittin' bar;  
Sister wears a uniform  
To designate a SPARI!

Father's in the army,  
Brother's on a ship,  
Uncle's cooking up a charge  
To drown a lousy Nip;  
One big scrappy family,  
That's how we behave;  
Even Grandma's on the prod  
She wants to be a WAVE!

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# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers



## Put Health Into Menus With Vitamins Plus



Crisp greens give you plenty of vitamin A, B and C. Assemble them in your salads and get plenty of health insurance—you don't need points to shop for these.

What's the pep appeal of your meals these days? It should be better than ever before with spring vegetables dotting the markets colorfully in greens, yellow and reds. Many vitamin and mineral laden fruits are just coming into season so you homemakers should have no trouble getting your quota of two fruits, two vegetables and a citrus fruit into your family's diets.

In winter it is sometimes extremely difficult to meet that nutrition requirement because of the scarcity of vegetables and fruits and their consequent high prices. Now, though prices are higher than last year at this time, they are abundant, and most of us can afford to spend the extra money required to buy them.

Perhaps, you have a garden this year. You're probably planning to put up most of the produce, but you always have some crops available for immediate consumption such as lettuce, tender green shoots of onions, etc. In some parts of the country it's a bit early for some of these to make their appearance, but when they do, up and at them!

Homemakers are fortunately becoming more and more conscious of the importance of fruits and vegetables in the diet, and the more so they become, the more healthy will become each generation of Americans. Even those of you who have been deficient in these foods during the growing years will get much benefit from including these foods in your diet. A heavy meal calls for the light, crisp, "just-right" feeling which fruits and vegetables supply.

Remember vitamins and minerals work hand in hand to give your body health and to keep it in good workable order. Most vegetables have many of both minerals and vitamins. It is interesting to know that greens (lettuce, parsley, watercress, turnip greens, etc.) are rich not only in iron that makes for good, rich blood, but also in vitamin A which promotes good health of skin, eyes, and keeps you buoyant and full of energy. The greens get a nice big star for being rich in Vitamin C, necessary for health of teeth and bones, and for quick healing of wounds.

Don't be surprised when the greens come in a nice share of honors for vitamin B, also. That's the vitamin necessary for normal nutrition.

Easiest way to keep most of the vitamins intact is to serve the vegetables raw—as you would in a salad. The same goes for fruits. Don't let either of them soak in water or stand uncovered in the refrigerator—the vitamins seem to evaporate quickly, especially in the case of vitamin C, so easily lost by cooking or leaving exposed to air.

**Lynn Says:**  
Fresh as a Day in May: So will be your foods if you keep them properly refrigerated. Desserts to cool you off and keep your appetites unjaded, if they're to be frozen, belong right in the freezer. Meats and fish are safest kept right under the freezer in a meat-keeper if you have one.

Milk, cream and beverages are stored alongside the freezer unit. Custards, puddings, butter and staples fill the middle section nicely, are easy to get at.

Leftovers, foods prepared ahead, salads, some fruits and berries are well refrigerated when kept on one of the lower shelves. The humidor or crisper means just that for it keeps those fresh fruits and vegetables crisp and well refrigerated.

The storage bin at the bottom of the refrigerator is usually non-refrigerated, and gives splendid storage to cereals, crackers and extra beverages.

- Lynn Chambers' Point-Saying Menu**
- Braised Liver and Onions
  - Whipped Potatoes
  - Parsleyed Carrots
  - Green Salad
  - Enriched Bread
  - Butter
  - \*Orangeade Refrigerator Pudding
  - \*Recipe Given

Keeping vegetables well refrigerated insures at least a good degree of vitamin preservation. Keep them covered, too!

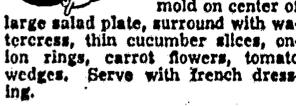
Arrange your crisp raw fruits and vegetables attractively. If you'd like to have some fun, really, then take out the old geometry text, and follow some patterns you find therein—they're fine inspiration for attractive appearing vegetable and fruit dishes.

### Cottage Cheese-Vegetable Salad. (Serves 6 to 8)

- 2 cups cottage cheese
- 1 garlic clove (optional)
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons chopped chives or green onion
- 2 tablespoons chopped pimientos
- 1/4 cup chopped celery
- Paprika
- 2 cucumbers
- 1 medium sized onion
- 2 large tomatoes
- 2 carrots
- French dressing
- Salad greens

Put mixing bowl with clove of garlic. Add cottage cheese, salt, and paprika. Fold in chopped chives, pimientos, celery.

Turn into a bowl that has been rinsed with cold water. Chill in refrigerator. Unmold on center of large salad plate, surround with watercress, thin cucumber slices, onion rings, carrot flowers, tomato wedges. Serve with French dressing.



A salad bowl that's popping full of health with its tomato slices (vitamin C) lettuce (vitamins A and C), bananas (A, E, C), green peppers (A and very much C).

Here's a vegetable that makes a main dish when combined with macaroni:

### Green Pepper Stuffed With Macaroni. (Serves 6)

- 6 green peppers
- 1 cup cooked, elbow macaroni
- 1/2 pound grated American cheese
- 1 cup soft bread crumbs
- 1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1/4 teaspoon salt

Cut a slice from top of green pepper, scoop out, and cook in boiling salted water for 5 minutes. Drain. Mix remaining ingredients, saving 1/2 of cheese for top. Fill peppers with mixture, stand upright in pan and sprinkle remaining cheese over top. Bake in a moderate oven 25 minutes.

### Jaded appetites will respond quickly if you serve this delectable cold pudding:

### \*Orangeade Refrigerator Pudding. (Serves 3)

- 1 tablespoon gelatin
- 1/4 cup cold water
- 1 1/2 cups orange juice
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon lemon juice
- 2 egg whites
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 4 cups oven popped rice cereal
- 1/2 cup melted butter
- 1/2 cup sugar

Soften gelatin in cold water. Heat orange juice, sugar and salt to boiling point. Add softened gelatin and stir until dissolved. Add lemon juice and cool. When mixture begins to thicken, fold in stiffly beaten egg whites to which sugar has been added.

Crush cereal crumbs fine and mix with melted butter and sugar. Distribute evenly in bottom of a square pan and press down firmly. Pour in orange mixture. Chill in refrigerator. Cut in squares when firm, and serve with whole orange slices and whipped cream, if desired.

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# South American Jungles Throb With New Rubber Boom; Scientific Methods Are Used to Protect Native Harvesters

Old Industry Revived in Neighboring Tropics; Transportation Biggest Problem as Countries Lack Rails and Roads; U. S. Grows Rubber in Miami.

In this crucial year of 1943, Latin America will have contributed more than 50,000 tons of natural rubber to the United States war industry stockpile, according to estimates compiled from official sources. In 1944, natural rubber production south of the Rio Grande will have doubled, or perhaps exceed 100,000 tons. At the same time U. S. horticulturists announced success in growing the Hevea rubber tree in the experimental station at Miami, Fla.

Fourteen American republics, besides British Guiana and Trinidad, have signed agreements with the United States, calling for a substantial increase in the cultivation and collection of natural rubber. These nations are Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru and Venezuela. In Brazil alone, about 50,000 workers have been recruited for the purpose of extracting the milky sap from wild rubber trees.

In order to get natural rubber out of trackless jungles and remote places, new transportation systems making use of donkeys, canoes, steamboats, airplanes, human carriers, etc., have been organized. Medical stations along the routes have lessened, but not eliminated, the hazards which threaten every man who works in the jungles.

The natural rubber needed by United States tanks, airplanes, jeeps, artillery, etc., must be extracted from wild and cultivated trees scattered over an area encompassing hundreds of thousands of square miles.

In order to protect rubber harvesters against fevers, animals, and insects, the Latin American countries, aided by United States government health officials, have created modern sanitary centers, where preventive medicine is taught and treatment given to rubber collectors and their families.

Once Rubber Center. Brazil forests, of course, yield most of this hemisphere's present supply of natural rubber. There, in the Amazon valley, natives first found the gummy substance that plays such an important part in modern war. Before seedlings of "Hevea Brasiliensis" had been exported from Brazil and exploited commercially in the Dutch East Indies and the British Malay Straits Settlements, the Brazilian industry enjoyed a heyday. In order to market their natural rubber, Brazilian promoters had built the costliest railroad in the world. When rubber was a Brazilian monopoly, it fetched as high as three dollars per pound.

However, not even in its balmy days did Brazil produce as much rubber (42,400 tons) as it is contributing in 1943 to a United Nations victory. According to the coordinator of Brazilian economy, Joao Alberto Lins de Barros, Brazil in 1943 will produce 45,000 tons of natural rubber; and 1944's estimates call for 75,000 tons.

The future holds even greater promise for rubber from South America's largest country. That is because commercial plantations, similar to those in the Orient, are well on their way to production, and it is anticipated that by 1945 these plantations will yield more rubber than the millions of wild rubber trees in the Amazon valley produce at present.

Some Brazilian rubber is transported by airplane from jungle depots to the Atlantic port of Belem, whence it is shipped northward. With the exception of eight or ten thousand tons which Brazil requires for domestic industry, the entire production is exported to the United States.

Among South American rubber-producing nations, Ecuador ranks second. The figures of 1942 production have not been announced, but in 1941, when Brazil produced 17,500 tons, Ecuador yielded 1,500 tons.

**Indians Want Beads.**  
The Yumbo Indians, a source of rubber workers in the Ecuadorian forest, are not attracted by money in any form. On the other hand, they covet colored beads and machetes. The Ecuadorian Development corporation understands native tastes and is now supplying the Yumbos with trinkets and useful articles, like scissors, razors, salt, mirrors, and even rifles.

Colombian forests are already yielding two tons of rubber daily, all trans-shipped by the same airplanes which supply the workers with their needs.

In Colombia, rubber exploitation is supervised by a committee made up of representatives of the Colombian government, the United States embassy, and the Rubber Reserve corporation.

A service of floating hospitals and dispensaries has been organized to look after the rubber workers in the

Proof that progress has been made was demonstrated recently by the Bureau of Standards in Washington, D. C., which produced a pair of rubber heels from the latex of "Hevea Brasiliensis" trees growing in Florida. The experiment cost the department of agriculture 17 years of research and thousands of dollars but government chemists reported the quality of the latex compared favorably with East Indian.

In this promising test-tube rubber plantation are growing more than 2,000 Hevea from Haiti, Puerto Rico, Mexico and the East Indies. It is the only rubber project on plantation scale ever attempted outside the tropics. Some of the trees are 35 feet high and ten inches in diameter.

**Tree Survives Florida Climate.**  
For a tree whose natural habitat is in the region of the equator, the Hevea's endurance and adaptability to temperate climate has amazed scientists. Periodic measurements have shown that its early growth has been as rapid in Miami as in Haiti and Mexico. Its resistance to cold weather has been incredible, surviving temperatures as low as 28 degrees. Like many northern trees it has been found to shed its leaves in winter, reducing frost danger and making it particularly well-suited to Florida cultivation.

The entire rubber reserve has sprung from seeds, many of which were sown nearly two decades ago. After sprouting from seedbeds the young trees were transplanted into deep depressions near the water-table so the tap roots could find permanent moisture. The creamy,

Colombian jungles. This is in cooperation with the Institute of Inter-American Affairs in Washington which aids local authorities in the work of hygiene and sanitation. The same procedure has been followed in other countries.

Last February an agreement between the United States and Peru provided that South American republic with an airway system for transporting rubber from the forests to river and seaports.

By the end of 1944 it is expected that Haiti will be producing 10,000 tons of natural rubber per annum, which will be marketed by SHADA (Societe Haitiano-Americaine de Developpement Agricole), an organization set up by the governments of the United States and Haiti. One hundred thousand acres have been sown with "cryptostegia," a rubber-producing plant that grows very rapidly. Thousands of Haitians have



Workers tap the Hevea rubber tree at the U. S. agricultural experimental station at Miami, Fla. The U. S. has experimented with 2,000 species, and satisfactory results have been obtained.

been engaged to attend the plantations.

"Cryptostegia" originated in Madagascar and reached Haiti in 1912 as a decorative plant. Since then it has spread without assistance over many parts of the island.

### Combat Leaf Blight.

Dr. E. W. Brandes of the U. S. department of agriculture is enthusiastic about the progress made by the Americas in combating rubber plant diseases. The South American leaf blight, he said, is being conquered by development of disease-resistant trees. These hardy trees in turn are being crossed by hand pollination with high-yielding Oriental rubber trees further to improve yields.

Victory over the leaf disease is a great forward step in the hemisphere's rubber expansion program, said Dr. Brandes.

On one of the Ford plantations in Brazil, a million trees fell victim to its ravages, but it was observed that a few full, leafy canopies of healthy trees stood out sharply against a background of pest-ridden neighbors. This meant that the blight, carried from tree to tree by wind-blown spores, had not infected them. They were immune.

Scientists then bud-grafted the immune tops to other trunks and produced a high-yielding, disease-resistant plant. The work of developing the resistant tree by the system of cross pollination is an arduous task, but it is ultimately the best solution to the problem. It is being done on a large scale in Brazil, where lies the hemisphere's greatest potential supply of latex.

Meanwhile horticulturists at the Federal Plant Introduction Garden, Miami, Fla., have been experimenting with "home-grown" rubber trees.

white latex tapped recently was a welcome sight to the botanists who had cared for them so long.

Experts have found that trees grown from selected East Indian seeds in the Florida garden has produced a higher yield of latex in general than miscellaneous Hevea from other tropical lands. Experiments in hand pollination have been tried with marked success to determine its possibilities.

Two methods of tapping have been tried—the half spiral every other day, and the full spiral, every three or four days. The half spiral has proved most desirable, enabling workers to retap over the old scars every seventh year. As in most rubber trees a purer and slightly increased flow of latex is found toward the lower trunk.

Technicians do the tapping here. Two grooves are cut into the tree with a regulation tapping knife—an oblique cut to start the flow of latex and a vertical channel cut to guide it to the spout which empties into a glass receptacle held to the tree by a wire holder. In the well-equipped laboratory of the Introduction Garden the chemist coagulates the latex with acetic acid. It is then rolled, washed and dried, and the samples sent to Washington for study.

Operation of the station at Miami has been generally overshadowed by other steps taken to relieve the rubber shortage in the United States.

Much publicity has been given to the effort to bring the guayule shrub into cultivation in the Southwest. A variety of chemical compositions have been exploited for their rubbery characteristics. And, of course, there is the government's vast synthetic-rubber program, utilizing oil and grain.



## FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger B. Whitman

Roger B. Whitman—WNU Features.

You may not be able to replace worn or broken household equipment. That is why Government priorities come first. We take care of what you have... as well as you possibly can. This column by the houseowner's friend tells you how.

### Cracks in Varnish

**Question:** Why should tiny cracks have developed on my furniture? My piano and dining-room furniture have these all over. These cannot be from low temperatures, for in cold weather I keep my heat at about 76 degrees. Also, I have pails of water on all the radiators. How can the furniture be refinished?

**Answer:** Cracks of that kind are very fine and usually only on the surface of the varnish. The cause is in sudden changes of temperature. Seventy-six degrees is rather high for ordinary living conditions, and when everything is heated to that temperature, the cracking appears when the temperature drops, as would be the case at night, or on the opening of a window. The damage can be overcome by light rubbing with fine sandpaper, to be followed by wiping with turpentine to remove the dust, and then applying a thin coat of varnish.

### Loose Windows

**Question:** Our windows are very loose in their frames. How can they be tightened?

**Answer:** The room side of the groove in which the sash slides is formed by a strip of molding that is nailed to the window frame. This strip can be taken off and replaced to press more tightly against the sash. When windows are loose, by far the best cure is to put on metal weatherstrips of the kind that fits into grooves cut in the edges of the sash. This not only stops all rattling, but keeps out drafts and dust. For good results these strips should be put on by specialists, who have the necessary tools.

### Killing Tree Roots

**Question:** Having cut down a large tree, how can the roots be killed so that we can plant another?

**Answer:** Roots can be killed with salt and by other means, but nothing could be planted until enough time had gone by for the chemical to be carried deep into the ground by the rain. Your best move will be to dig out the roots to a depth of two feet or so. The roots that remain will rot out and not interfere with the new growth. As an alternative, you may find someone in your neighborhood who has a mechanical stump-puller and can do the job for you.

### Galvanized Gutters

**Question:** Will you advise me regarding paint for galvanized gutters and spouts? They have been up for two years, unpainted. We want to put on the proper priming coat before having this metal work painted along with the house.

**Answer:** After cleaning and removing traces of rust, if any, coat the gutters and spouts with a good quality red lead paint. Allow a week to ten days for this paint to dry. Follow with house paint.

### Insulating a Cottage

**Question:** In building a one-story and attic wood cottage with four rooms and bath on the first floor, what kind of insulation (rock wool) would you advise? Could I do the job myself?

**Answer:** Use any one of the standard brands of rock wool, and since the house is in the course of construction, batts should be used. All the work can be done by yourself. Use batts with a vaporproof paper covering.

### Dry Rot

**Question:** What is the cause of dry rot? What should be done to check and prevent it?

**Answer:** Wood exposed to continuous dampness stimulates a fungus growth in the wood, which turns it into powder. A thorough circulation of air or coating the lumber with a coal tar creosote or other chemical wood preservative will check the condition. All rotted wood must be scraped off before applying the preservative.

### Rust Remover

**Question:** How can I remove rust from my smoothing iron? How can I take a rust stain from a silk slip?

**Answer:** For your iron, soak the rust with kerosene, and rub with fine emery paper. At an automobile accessory shop you can get rust removing liquids that are very satisfactory. For the slip, you can use iron-rust soap, to be had at a drug store.

## Gardener Should Only Cultivate to Kill Weeds

Some of the grief in gardening can be escaped if the gardener realizes that cultivation is needed only to kill weeds, break soil crusts, and permit water to enter the soil. If the garden is cultivated or hoed often enough to kill the weeds, the other two factors will be automatically accomplished.

The weeding job can be done with less labor if cultivation begins when the weeds are small. The ground should be disturbed little near the

plant rows, but the cultivation may go deeper—between rows where tramping is likely to pack the soil. Pulling a garden rake lightly across plant rows will help eliminate weeds, but some hand work will be required to get all of them.

The frequency of cultivation required is determined by the rate of weed growth. In periods of frequent rains and in warm weather, more cultivation is needed. No result other than exercise is obtained from

### Cleaning Brickwork

**Question:** Carpenters burned tar paper in a new fireplace, and the bricks are black with soot. How can it be removed?

**Answer:** Scrub with a thin paste of a scouring powder with water and ammonia. Rinse well.



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**Everyone, Federal Employees**

The phrase, "social security for everyone," is the new political bait being prepared to lure the voter. It is a fine-sounding catch-phrase.

There is something even greater than full-stomach social security, however. There is an individual freedom—the right to do things for oneself.

Political social security that makes one a virtual ward of the state in return for a full stomach and a place to sleep destroys freedom.

Government can only "give" to the people what it first takes away from them. It can tax or confiscate savings and redistribute them under the guise of equalization of wealth.

But a nation will starve if a majority of the people do not have the individual ambition and incentive to work and save, and produce new wealth continuously to take care of themselves and that small percentage of unfortunate individuals who will always be wards of the state and

who should be cared for much better than they are now.

Political planning of the lives of all the people in a nation can be carried too far, just as can parental planning of the lives of children—we face that danger in our country. The planners and spenders are beginning to outnumber the workers and the savers. —"The Black Fox," Dubuque, Iowa, (Masonic).

**Texan in London Gets \$2,000**

A Texas private, stationed in London, Eng., who has been saving \$40 a month out of his pay to buy a farm when the war is over received a windfall recently. He found and turned in a brooch valued at \$25,000, and his honesty netted him \$2,000 from the owner of the jewelry. The soldier, Lee Clary, of Luling, Texas, sent the money back to his parents in Texas.

Private Clary said that he saw too many soldiers come out of the last war broke, and he is determined not to be that way at the end of this war. He does

not drink, smoke or gamble, and saves every cent of his pay that is not needed for absolute necessities. —Scottish-Rite-News-Bulletin.

**Car Collides With Horse**

C. B. Griffin of 2203 North Broadway, Albuquerque, is in the Community hospital suffering from injuries received when the car which he was driving struck a horse on highway 26 five miles north of Springer about 9:30 on Thursday night.

Griffin's injuries are a slight concussion of the brain, cuts and lacerations about the head and face and a possible fracture of a vertebra in the neck. Mrs. Griffin, who, with their son, Bobbie, was accompanying him suffered a few cuts and scratches about the forehead and nose, while the lad escaped uninjured.

The equine was struck with such force that it was hurled atop the vehicle to mash in the turret.

The group was enroute to Trinidad to visit Mr. Griffin's father who is confined to a hospital at that place. —Ray Record.

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