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LOCAL BOY BECOMES AUTHOR

The Saravan House, Publishers located at Fifth Avenue, New York, have placed on the market a book, "Thunder Island" by Lewis Eric Jones, formerly of Carrizozo. Mr. Jones is a brother to Miss Grace Jones and Mrs. Ray Sale of Carrizozo.

He was a resident of Carrizozo from boyhood until the World War and has a great many friends here who are pleased to know that he is gaining fame as an author. This story filled with adventure, excitement, horror, tragedy and romance is on sale at Paden's Drug Store, and numerous friends will no doubt buy a copy to read.

Mr. Jones, now resides at Yaukegan, Illinois, with his wife and two young daughters.

Local and Personal

Messrs. Murel Burnett and Aubrey Hines were El Paso business visitors yesterday.

Walter Fulmer is at home for the holidays from Socorro School of Mines.

Theodore Hobbie, who is in the A. C. Training detachment of the U. S. Army Air Corps stationed at Glendale is expected home Sunday.

Mr. W. J. Ayers, Miss Ayers and Jack Adams will leave tomorrow for Benson, Arizona, where they will spend the holidays.

Isidro (Tillie) Munos has gone to Tucumari to spend the holidays with his parents.

The Clyde Collier home in White Oaks caught fire last Saturday morning and was considerably damaged. A short in the wiring system caused the fire.

Bill Sloan is here to spend the holidays with his father Mr. Owen Sloan.

Mrs. Bryan Cazier of Tucumari will be here Saturday for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greer will leave today for Tucumari.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cooper and children arrived Saturday to visit the Richard's family.

Ancho Notes

A large crowd gathered at the Ancho School house Saturday night to attend the Big Carnival which was put on by the teachers Mrs. Ola C. Jones, Mrs. Elva Wilson, Mr. Payne and the children. It was a grand success from start to finish. A beauty shop, picture gallery, fish pond, lunch room and many other things of interest were at hand. People from Capitan, Carrizozo, Corona, Jicarilla, Jacks Peake and Fair View were present. The net sum of \$59.10 was realized for the school, the teachers deserve a lot of credit for their efforts in making a pleasant evening for all and thanks to all who attended.

Mrs. R. M. Clayton, Jr. returned last Saturday from a four weeks visit to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Sr. and friends in El Paso.

Mrs. Roland Bingham, wife of the Straley family has been quite ill for some time. Her sister Mrs. Lucy Silvers accompanied her to Roswell where she is under the care of a specialist. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dale and son, Gleason spent last week with the Dale and Drake families. Fred and family live at Socorro now.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bell and Mr. Ramey were down from their Jicarilla home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. (Doc) Kennedy were in from their ranch this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelt visited Mrs. Kelt's parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hunt were also at the Morris home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Dale were Carrizozo visitors the first of the week.

The Rev. Cochran of Carrizozo preached a good sermon to a nice crowd last Sunday afternoon, he is always a welcome "preacher".

Mr. and Mrs. Lavene Snodgrass and daughter visited their mother Mrs. Izora Sparkman Tuesday at her Jicarilla home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Straley were in from their ranch last Saturday. Also George and family were here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Porter were Roswell business visitors last week.

Mr. Dude La May from Nogal was in Ancho last Saturday with fine fresh pork delivering orders.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goodson visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lucky and little Martha Sue Tuesday at Nogal.

Mr. J. C. Brickley visited his brother and wife at Carrizozo last Saturday evening.

Mr. Don English was a business visitor Friday afternoon.

Woman's Club

The Carrizozo Woman's Club met at the Community Center for Women's Activities Friday, December 15, 1939 with Mrs. Degitz presiding. Meeting opened in usual form. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Treasurer's report read and approved. Boy Scouts raised the flag on the flag pole Dec. 8th. Mrs. Will Norman, Chairman Open House Committee, reported \$5.60 from the openhouse silver collection and moved this sum be applied on water connections in the building. 48 new folding chairs were furnished by members of the club.

Mrs. John E. Hall, Membership Chairman, reported three new members; Vena Louise Snow, Opal Forse and Moy Sikes who were given a hearty welcome by the club members. \$100. was given to the Building Committee to apply on the indebtedness on building. The president reported the gift of enameled top kitchen table by Mrs. Sale and Grace Jones. The club appreciates all the gifts which help to make our building comfortable. The club voted to accept the invitation of Supt. Carpenter that the club sponsor Mother and Daughter Banquet February 20th. Mrs. John Hall was appointed Chairman. Mrs. C. A. McCammon, Past President, gave a short talk on the success of the club and praised the women for their courage in the great undertaking of securing a meeting place.

Mrs. A. V. Swearingen, program chairman presented the following program which was instructive and enjoyable: Duet, "Hawaiian Night", Charlene Page and Jackie Dixon, accompanied by Jane Gallacher. Mrs. Jane Turner gave a travelogue on Hawaii. We learned of its size, population, races, languages, occupations, education, products, foods and their preparation, their methods of ascertaining what crops are best suited to its soil and climate; their woods and uses made of them. Many interesting articles were displayed and described. Those who were not present missed a rare treat. The concluding number was a trio "Farewell To Thee" by Elbert Bates, Nina Norris, Isidro Muniz, which reminded us of the Hawaiian music heard in the movies and the concert halls. Mrs. Turner explained that the above song has many meanings; Hello, good by, friendship etc.

Very good refreshments consisting of a great variety of sandwiches and coffee were served by the Committee.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the Community Center. Mrs. Paul Mayer will take us to "China". Come, Merry Christmas to All.

Mrs. R. E. Blaney Reporter.

Turkey Dinner

On December 25th, at six thirty P.M., a turkey dinner will be served in the dining room of the Masonic Temple to all members of the Eastern Star and their husbands, all members of the Masonic Lodge and their wives, also visiting Stars and Masons will be welcome.

Committee:

Uncovered in Herculaneum
Ruins of Herculaneum, buried during the eruption of Vesuvius in 79 A. D., were discovered in 1719 when the ruler of Naples began digging a water reservoir at the site of the city.

Luncheon Bridge Party

Mesdames Nettie Lemon, C. F. Huppertz and R. E. Blaney attended a luncheon and bridge party at the Titsworth home in Capitan last Tuesday afternoon at which Mrs. Titsworth and Mrs. Eddie Long were hostesses.

After the Luncheon there were eight tables of bridge and one table of Chinese Checkers. Four prizes were given, and between 45 and 50 guests took part.

Card Party

Miss Wilma Snow was hostess at a card party last Tuesday evening. Two tables played. Those taking part in the game Misses Della Ward, Rhoda Freeman, Bobby Church, Vena Louise Snow, Mrs. Lena Devine, Mrs. Ada Gray, Mrs. Burke Stiles, and the hostess, Miss Wilma Snow.

Mrs. Lena Devine won high score, and Miss Vena Louise Snow won low. Refreshments were served.

Notice for Publication

United States Department of The Interior
General Land Office at Santa Fe, N. M., December 19, 1939

NOTICE is hereby given that Vesta C. Stafford, of Lon, New Mex., who, on March 29, 1932, made Original Stockraising Entry, No. 065476, for W1/2SW1/4 Section 21; N1/2W1/4, SE1/4NW1/4, E1/2SW1/4 Section 27; N1/2E, SE1/4NW1/4, E1/2SW1/4 Section 28; E1/2NW1/4, Section 33; Township 38S., Range 17E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Proof, to establish claim, to the land above described, before Lewis Johnston, Notary Public, at Ramon, N. M. on the 29th day of January, 1940

Claimant names as witnesses: Claude Kuykendall, Maryon Conn, Leland Kuykendall, all of Lon, N. M.

John Philpot, of Roswell, N. M.
Leo F. Sanchez,
D22-J 19 Register.

We Wish to Customers and Friends

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Baker's Cafe

GEO. MURRAY

George Murray, age 70, died Friday morning, December 15, at the Turner hospital. Mr. Murray had lived in Lincoln County for many years, and had engaged mostly in the ranching business.

His survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Sam Waring and Mrs. Charles Malloy, both of Eden, Texas, and one brother, I. I. Murray of Richland Springs, Texas.

Undertaker T. E. Kelley was in charge, and the remains were shipped to Texas for interment.

Lyric Theatre

R. A. Walker, Mgr.

Friday and Saturday

Roy Rogers and Mary Hart in

"ROUGH RIDERS ROUND-UP"
Located on the Mexican border just after the Spanish American War, the story concerns the returning Rough Riders as members of the border patrol and an outlaw band led by 'Arizona Jack' and gold hidden in a mine across the border.

— ALSO —
"Return of the Buffaloes" & "Land of the Maple Leaf"

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday

Gary Cooper, Ray Millard, Robt. Preston, Brian Donlevy, Susan Hayward

in "BEAU GESTE"
The greatest adventure romance ever filmed. The gallant, glorious story of three brothers who valued their honor above life itself.

— ALSO —
Popular Science and "Hero's Hal"

Wednesday and Thursday

Anna May Wong, J. Carrol Nash, Eric Blore, Ernest Trues

in "ISLAND OF LOST MEN"
A savage jungle world in the South Seas, where men are snarling beasts and ruled by a madman. A fast moving, thrill-and-chill-filled melodrama. See who steals the dead man's head.

— ALSO —
"Republic of Panama" and "Taushauser"

Save your coupons for the Christmas basket Wednesday, December 27.

Just a Thought

for you
May this Holiday bring you the utmost of joy and may the New Year bring with it success in your every endeavor. You have been thoughtful of this firm and have made possible our continued growth. For your support we express our appreciation and pledge ourselves to an even greater service in the future.

T. E. Kelley Hardware & Sport Shop

WE ARE NOW SHOWING
A FINE LINE OF Navajo Rugs and Blankets
At Reasonable Prices
These Make Great Christmas Gifts
THE TITSWORTH CO., INC.
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It's on the Record
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Citizens State Bank of Vaughn,
Carrizozo, N. M.
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

DANCE!
... AT ...
White Oaks
Cleghorn Hall
CHRISTMAS NIGHT
MONDAY, DEC. 25, 1939
AND NEW YEAR'S NIGHT
MONDAY, JAN. 1ST, 1940
Good Music at Both Dances

Cordial Greetings
We've Been Wishing You A Merry Christmas for a Great Many Years
And we haven't seen the time yet that it didn't give us a pleasant experience. Each year we are more appreciative of the friendships and patronage that has been ours. Each Yuletide season has found us more determined to serve you better during the coming year. This year is no exception. We are truly grateful and fully aware of your part in our progress. We value your continued good-will and trust that we may merit it for many more years to come.
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WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK—Britain has an unusual and difficult task in carrying out its decision to bar German exports from the seas. It puts this undertaking in the hands of a man who gained fame by making a diligent study of enemy exports when convicts burned Dartmouth prison and exported 300 from their ranks in 1932.

He is Sir Hubert du Parcq, judge of the High Court of Justice, and now chairman of the enemy exports committee, which, in view of neutral protest and somewhat confused precedent for such action, may be steering a difficult course. For reasons which did not appear in inadequate press accounts here, Sir Hubert's inquiry into the Dartmouth prison break brought him great national acclaim, and, soon thereafter, he was both knighted and raised to the high bench.

The savage outbreak made England a bit jittery, as such occurrences are rare there. Sir Hubert, a penologist as well as a lawyer and judge, is a stern symbol of authority, a strict interpreter of the law, and he found and disconcerted evidences of "coddling" the convicts as a possible cause of the mutiny. He recommended a stouter jail and more watchful keepers. In his report, he stressed the fact that, just before the outbreak, the governor of the prison had said to the prisoners, "I am sorry that the porridge of yesterday's breakfast was not up to the usual standard." That, thought Sir Hubert, was surely taken as a sign of timidity and might well have caused the break. After that Sir Hubert became a bulwark of the empire.

Taking his master's degree at Oxford, he won honors in the classics. He was president of the Oxford Union in 1902. He became a highly successful lawyer and politician, and, as a judge, the strict legal constructionist which the British traditionally like. Lawyers could find no holes in his decisions.

SCARCELY a day passes without new evidence that Stephen T. Early, White House secretary, has become a new and authoritative voice of the government. His direct and emphatic discourse, on matters too delicate perhaps, under present conditions, for the usual frank presidential press conference, has moved Mr. Early into the right-hand post of the late Louis Howe and the Washington scribes are writing him down as the most important person in the executive offices, next to the President.

Born into an old Confederate family of Creswell, Va., Mr. Early became a Washington correspondent. He received the "silver star" citation for bravery in the World war, returned to newspaper work in Washington, and, immediately after the war, established the long friendship with Franklin D. Roosevelt, and the allegiance of years which has carried him up each plateau of the Rooseveltian rise.

When President Harding was dying in San Francisco, he slipped down a hotel fire escape and had the news of the President's death on the wire seven minutes before the physician's bulletin appeared. He is thus given to acting on impulse, and, as a poker player, he never played close to his vest. Now he does, say the Washington correspondents, tight-lipped and cagey, and speaking "not as the scribes and Pharisees, but as one having authority."

CAUGHT in the ruck of the Russian revolution was a 17-year-old girl, playing the piano with swollen and half-frozen fingers, taking her turn in the bread-lines, sometimes from four in the afternoon until 10 o'clock the next morning. Today, she is Madame Ania Dorfmann, Arturo Toscanini's guest soloist at a recent New York concert, as another savage upheaval shakes the world.

The years between have made her a world-famous pianist. In 1926, she escaped to Constantinople. Thereafter she was never ragged or hungry. She is small, merry, blue-eyed and dark-haired and was Dorothy Thompson's choice as the "perfect party guest."

Her home is in Madison avenue New York city. "Music," she says, "is a holding force." Here has been through epic stress and strain. (Continued Next Week—WNU Service.)

Rebel 'Angels' Seek Redress From Father Divine



"Angels" Divine, head in court, stands before New York Supreme court after his initial appearance as defendant in a suit brought against him by two of his disappointed "angels." The suit was brought by Mrs. Verinda Brown, right, and her husband, Thomas, for the return of \$4,475 she says they turned over to him. Even with this down payment they failed to find the "peace that is wonderful."

Obliging Thief Leaves Own Picture as Evidence



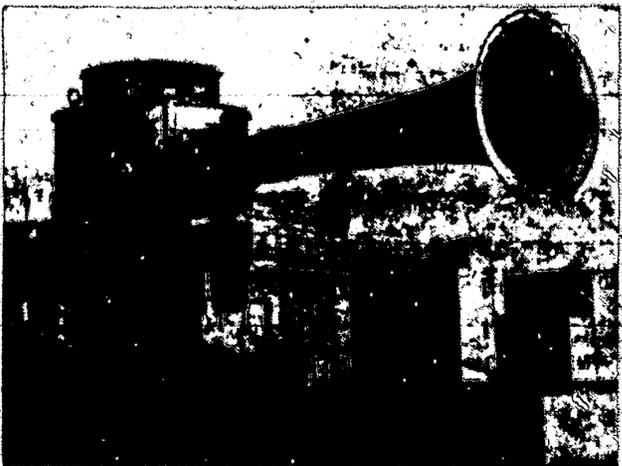
When Dr. E. L. Brunswick's gasoline station was burglarized a second time in Chicago he decided to take steps. A radio and photography fan, Dr. Brunswick arranged for a camera and photo electric cell in the station. Then a third attempt at robbery was made. But when the burglar crossed the photo-electric beam a flash bulb and the camera were fired simultaneously. The camera had taken the picture at the right, which resulted in the arrest of Harold Lewis, 19-year-old Woodstock, Ill., farm hand.

Crown Nation's Finest Girl Cooks



The nation's four best girl cooks were honored for their culinary skill recently at the International Live Stock show in Chicago. Winners of the countrywide Four-H club food preparation contest, left to right: Maxine Koons, 18, Fairmont, Minn.; Orr-Lyda J. Brown, 18, Eugene, Ore.; Catherine Barnes, 17, Moultrie, Fla., and Betty Freeman, 10, Pheasantville, Tenn.

Worse Than Bombs? Yes, Says Doctor



Noxious, brass-voiced air raid sirens, like this one in Sydney, Australia, are blamed by Dr. Edward Toulson, president of the French League of mental hygiene, for a rise in mental disorders. Dr. Toulson, adviser to the French ministry of public health, advocates softer-voiced alarms lest France become a nation of nervous wreckers. Effects of the wailing, sirens, he says, are worse than bombing.

Smoke Eater

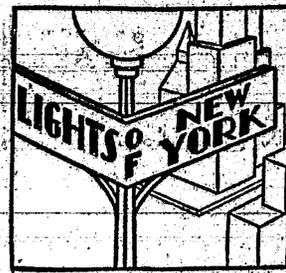


Smoke-filled interiors hold no fear for fire laddies equipped with this combination gas mask and telephone. The mask protects the fireman as he phones directions for fighting a stubborn blaze.

125 Carat Beauty



A million dollars will buy this spectacular diamond worn by Brenda Franzer, number one glamour girl, at a New York style show. The gem is the famous Foster diamond, weighing a mere 125 carats.



By L. L. STEVENSON

What kind of noise annoys not an oyster but a hotel guest has been ferreted out and put on record—written, not the kind that goes into a phonograph—by the New York Hotel association. According to James A. McCarthy, executive secretary, 20 different city sounds displeasing to the ears of visitors have been listed in accordance with their nuisance rating. To that, seven more, which could not be graded precisely, have been added for good measure or something. The sounding of automobile horns heads the catalogue and right next come fire engines. Then follow noises from signal devices on automobiles, buses and street cars; the creation of loud and excessive noises in connection with the loading or unloading of any vehicle, and the opening or destruction of bales, boxes, crates and the like.

The fifth aggravation cited is the sudden application of brakes and the sixth, the use of overloaded vehicles causing unnecessary grating, grinding and rattling. Proceeding in the order as given: Police radio cars, radios in waiting taxicabs, the operation of radios, phonographs and amusement instruments between 11 p. m. and 7 a. m., alterations of taxicab drivers jockeying for position in feeder lines, loose manhole covers, the shouting and crying of peddlers, hawkers and vendors, the discharge of exhaust from steam engines, stationary engines or motor vehicles without mufflers, and the racing of motors while garage employees are tuning them up.

The sixteenth item, if you have followed this far, is the keeping of animals or birds that disturb the repose of persons in hotels. Then follow the erection, excavation, demolition or repair of buildings between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., the use of any loud speaker or other instrument for attracting attention to any performance, show or sale or display of merchandise, the use of mechanical loud speakers on trucks or other vehicles for advertising purposes, and lastly, the blowing of steam whistles attached to any stationary boiler.

Now for the seven other city sounds unpleasant to the ears of hotel guests: Soap-box orators, organ grinders, whistles of apartment house doorman signalling taxi drivers, roller skating on sidewalks, stray cats, pushing of hand trucks over the sidewalks and noises made by public utility company employees engaged in night repair work.

Taking it all in all, the foregoing is quite a complete list. There have been some omissions, however. For instance, those jolly city employees who bang ash cans on the sidewalks while the city sleeps and exchange merry quips while seeing if they can bounce steel off concrete. Maybe they don't engage in this diversion in the vicinity of hotels. But they do within hearing of apartment house dwellers.

Then there are the subways. Hotel guests may not take them into account but what with the pounding of trains, the banging of turnstiles and other ear disturbances, the subways account for no little noise. As a matter of fact, I often wonder how the gentlemen—or the ladies if the B. M. T. is taken into consideration—escape deafness with turnstiles banging in their ears all day.

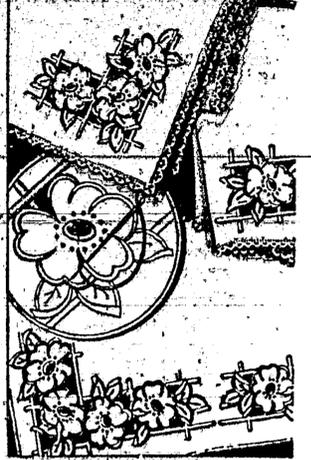
Another subway bit before closing. On the walls of our living room are four sets of two lights each. Never when the switch is thrown do all eight come on. We are not conscious of vibrations from the subway, which runs not under but in front of the house, but these tremors jar the bulbs loose in their sockets. And I guess most New Yorkers are unconscious of noise also unless it is an extremely noisy noise. (Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)

U. S. Now Is Producing 1,250 Planes Every Month NEW YORK.—The airplane manufacturing industry in the United States has so increased plant facilities in recent months that it can now produce 1,250 planes a month, according to John H. Jouett, president of the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce of America, at Rockefeller Center, New York. He adds that, according to a recent survey of plant expansion, projects now under way for vastly increased factory space will result in a still greater increase in production capacity. Of the 43 airplane plants included in the survey, 23 are now working on orders for military equipment.

Unique Picture Carved MANSFIELD, OHIO.—Mack J. Easo, a paint sprayer, after three years of work, has completed an inlaid picture of 34,000 pieces of wood, gathered from all parts of the world. It is of the Rheims cathedral.

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To obtain this pattern, send 15 cents in coins to The Sewing Circle, Household Arts Dept., 259 West 14th St., New York, N. Y.

HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

Read the labels on canned foods. Many tell the number of slices contained in the can. Others give additional useful information about the contents.

About Grapefruit.—A soft, discolored area at the stem end of a grapefruit indicates decay and decay, even in one small spot, will affect the flavor of the whole fruit.

Use for Pickle Liquid.—Liquid left over from mustard pickles is excellent to mix with chopped meat or fish and use in sandwich fillings.

Making Muffins.—Muffins should be mixed just enough, to moisten all ingredients, but should not be stirred. Stirring develops gluten in the flour and makes the muffins elastic and tough.

Advertisement for FAST-ACTION Relief for Pains of COLDS. Pictured Here. 3 simple steps begin amazing relief in a jiffy.

Illustrations showing steps for using Bayer Aspirin: 1. To relieve headache, body aches, fever and colds, take 2 Bayer Aspirin Tablets and drink a glass of water. Repeat in 2 hours. 2. For sore throat from colds, take 2 Bayer Aspirin Tablets in a glass of water and gargle. 3. Check temperature. If fever is still present, call your doctor.

Just be sure you get genuine fast-acting BAYER Aspirin. At the first sign of a cold, follow the directions in the pictures above—the simplest and among the most effective methods of relief known to modern science.

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IN THIS PAPER

THE CROWDED INN

By HELEN CLARK WENTWORTH

ALL day long they had been going by the inn, camels and donkeys stirring up dust, weary men and women resting by the stream outside the inn yard. The little country maid had never seen so much travel.

Just outside the city of Jerusalem, near by the village of Bethlehem, there were plenty of people who stopped for refreshment. And Jeremiah kept a good inn. He was a good man—too. But he was hard, sparing neither man nor beast. And his niece Rebecca was hard put to do the tasks that were set before her.

"Why are there so many travelers today?" she asked the little slave girl who helped her prepare the evening meal.

"The tribesmen," replied Fatima, "are going to Jerusalem to be numbered, so that they may pay their taxes. And this will continue for days. These are not times of rejoicing and feasting for us!"

Rebecca looked up at a bearded man, leading an ass on which a young woman rode, entered the courtyard. "Is the inn keeper here?" he asked gently. "My wife and I seek shelter."

"There are no rooms left," Fatima told him, going on with her work. But Rebecca looked up at the woman; whose face was weary and touched with pain.

"I will see what provision can be made," the little maid exclaimed. Her eyes never left the young woman's sweet face. The woman smiled at Rebecca, and her husband smiled too. Rebecca's face lightened eagerly and even Fatima found herself softening.

Rebecca had some difficulty finding her uncle, busy as he was with many things. Then it was hard to make him listen.

"There must be some place, uncle. That new stable, with the clean straw, would be warm and comfortable. She cannot go farther, I know."

"So be it," he answered. Then, as they neared the group, he too was impressed by the young woman's beauty and the lovely warmth of her smile. "There is naught but the stable," he told them, "but Re-

becca will seek to make you comfortable there."

Even after she had done everything she could, and had crept into her own dark corner for the night, Rebecca found she could not forget the couple in the stable. Mary, the man had called his wife. There was such a radiance about her. "I wonder what makes her so different," Rebecca thought. And she opened her eyes.

In amazement she saw light in the courtyard, so much that it seemed the dawn must have come. But the light came from a star that shone just about the stable. Out into the yard the girl crept, and suddenly she heard a child's cry, a cooing, happy sound.

Rebecca looked about. No one was stirring. Far off, on the hillside she saw what looked like a group of men, shadowy, indistinct, seemingly moving toward Bethlehem. It must be her imagination. Possibly it was Ephraim's vineyard she saw. Soon she stood in the stable doorway.

There, lighted by a lantern, was Joseph, bending over the young woman and holding in his arms a tiny baby—her firstborn. At Rebecca's exclamation he turned, and into her outstretched arms he handed the little figure and showed her the snowy lengths of swaddling cloth. Tenderly the maid clothed the infant and laid it beside the mother.

"Thank you," Mary whispered. "For the child's sake and in His name, I thank you for what you have done. We thank her, don't we, Jesus?"

The baby opened his eyes and smiled.

"He smiled at me," Rebecca exclaimed. "I shall never forget, a new born babe smiled in my face to say thank you."

Mary drew the child into the shelter of her arms. Her eyes closed, Joseph walked to the doorway and watched Rebecca as she returned to her room. He, too, saw the clump of trees or vines, or was it a group of men on the hillside? Then he returned to the manger and settled down beside Mary and the sleeping Jesus.

Bolero and Princess Types Compete for Style Prestige

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



blouses and change the entire appearance of your costume from day to day. The suit may be simply tailored or the bolero can be handsomely all-over braided.

At the smartest places you see bolero costumes similar to the model pictured to the left in the group. Sheer wool or silk crepe in a chosen pastel tone, a skirt rippling to a wide swirling hemline, a blouse that looks like a froth of laced lace, a bolero that bespeaks youth in its every line thus the story of this charming costume is told. The lace blouse worn with this bolero twosome reminds us that the forward coming from fashion headquarters is that the dainty lace-trimmed or all-of-lace blouse is scheduled to reach a new high in fashion next spring.

Princess coats and dresses are all the style this winter. In coats the classic double-breasted form-fitting princess type of wool coating or richly colorful tweed is an acknowledged favorite. As to the princess dress, style alert debutantes and girls of high school age have fallen in love with the simple classic such as is centered in the illustration. Describing this model, it is a black bengaline coat dress, suitable to wear from morn to night. The form-fitting princess lines are cut with purpose to achieve the chic skirt fullness that develops a wide flaring hemline. The dress is further styled with sailor collar and a row of gold buttons at the front closing.

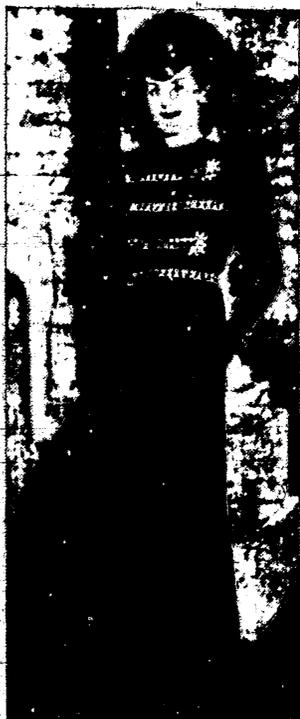
If you are young, slim, svelte and alertly fashion-conscious, tie a ribbon in your hair and wear a form-fitting princess dress like the one pictured to the right in the group. Buttons down the front make this model do the most for the typical junior figure. The gored, hemmed skirt flares gaily. And the four little embroidered and edged in val-type cotton lace pockets!

NO MATTER the elegance of fabric, no matter the color glory of the material, no matter the perfection of detail, no matter whether it cost a plenty or less if your dress or your coat or your suit be not figure flattering then all is lost insofar as allure or smart appearance is concerned. Yes, indeed, we are hearing a lot these days about "lines" and "hips," wasp waists and the new corseted silhouettes. From the figure-flattering standpoint there are two types that stand out definitely in the mode this season, namely the bolero costume and the form-fitting dresses and coats that are cut a la princess. The difference between the two is that the dress or suit with a bolero possesses the magic to make figures that are not a hundred per cent perfect look up to par, while to wear a princess successfully one really must have a good figure.

If in doubt, there is no safer, saner choice than a bolero ensemble. To define the bolero theme is a big order, for it expresses itself in infinite moods ranging from tailored types made of utilitarian wools to afternoon types starred with sequins or more or less embroidered even unto whimsical affairs that are all aglitter with jeweled embroidery, ostrich trim, filmy lace that tones to formal evening wear.

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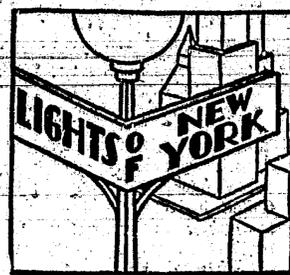
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
LINCOLN COUNTY, STATE
OF NEW MEXICO

In The Matter of The Estate
of WALTER COUNTS, } No. 487
Deceased.

Notice of Hearing

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO Loren Counts, as administrator of the estate of Ida Counts, deceased; Loren Counts, individually and as an heir of said estate; all unknown heirs of Walter Counts deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent:

You are hereby advised that Loren Counts, as administrator de bonis non of the estate of Walter Counts, deceased, has filed in the above Court his final report and account and that the Honorable Probate Judge has appointed the 5th day of February, 1940, at the hour of 10:00 A. M., as the day on which said report will be considered and when the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, Walter Counts, the ownership of his estate and the interest of each respective claimant thereof.

That the name and post office address of the attorney of said administrator is W. A. Dunn, Roswell, New Mexico, and the name and post office address of said administrator de bonis non is Loren Counts, Tinnie, New Mexico.

WITNESS the Honorable John Mackey, Probate Judge of Lincoln County, and the hand and seal of the Clerk of such Court, on this 7th day of December, 1939.

Edward Penfield,
Probate Clerk, Lincoln County, N. M.
By Bryan Hendricks,
Deputy.

D8-Dec. 29.

Notice

A joint installation of Stars and Masons will take place on Wednesday evening, the 27th of December. All Stars and Masons are invited to attend. Particulars will be published next week.

At The Local Churches

Santa Rita Church

Rev. Fr. Salvatore announces
Sunday Masses at 8:00 a. m. and
10 a. m. at Carrizozo.

First Methodist Church

Henry L. Wheeler, Minister
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Church Service at
11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.

Church of Christ

Rev. Allen, Minister.
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11:00
A. M.
Everyone cordially invited to
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Order of Service of

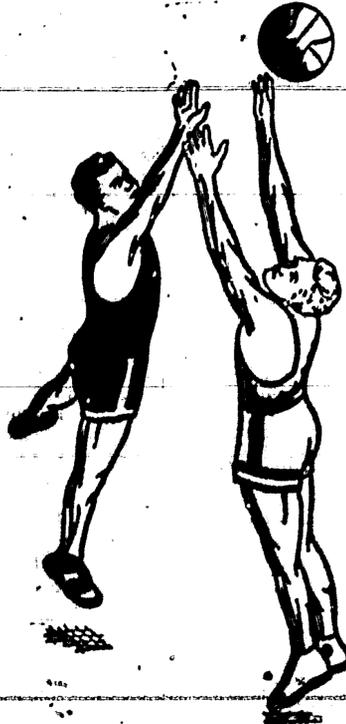
First Baptist Church

Sunday School 10 A. M.
Preaching service 11 A. M.
Evening service 7:00 P. M.
Choir practice Wednesday evening
6:30 P. M.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening
7:00 P. M.
L. D. Cochran, Pastor.

Baptist W M U

The Woman's Missionary
Union of the Baptist church will
meet in the church the first and
third Wednesdays of each month.

Carrizozo Hi. Basketball Schedule



Score: Them Us

Dec. 15.....	Tularosa,	There.....
" 16.....	Willard'	There.....
Jan. 5.....	Hondo,	Here.....
" 6.....	Open	
" 12.....	Socorro,	There.....
" 13.....	Hagerman,	Here.....
" 17.....	Open	
" 18.....	House,	There.....
" 19.....	McAllister,	There.....
" 20.....	Forest,	There.....
" 26.....	Capitan,	There.....
" 26.....	Willard,	There.....
" 27.....	Hondo,	There.....
Feb. 2.....	Tularosa,	Here.....
" 3.....	Clouderoft,	There.....
" 9.....	Socorro,	Here.....
" 10.....	Alamogordo,	There.....
" 16.....	Hagerman,	There.....
" 17.....	Open	
" 23.....	Capitan,	Here.....
" 24.....	Alamogordo,	Here.....

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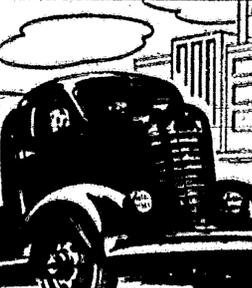
"Merry Christmas" by telephone will bring joy and happiness to someone far away who can't be with you. Reduced long distance rates will be effective starting Saturday, December 23, at 7 p.m., until 4:30 a.m. Tuesday, December 26. That means you can call any time of the day on Sunday or on Monday at the reduced rates.

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Local and Personal Radio Broadcast

A subscription to the News will make an ideal Christmas gift.

Renewals since our last issue are: Mr. Will G. Thornborrow, Canton, Ill; Mrs. Manuel Romero Hondo; Mrs. Meda C. Haley Albuquerque.

Mrs. Albert Snow and two younger children, Glen and Hope went to Las Cruces last Friday to bring Charles home from State College.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Wheeler went to Roswell Thursday to meet their son, J. H. Wheeler, who is a student in McMurray College at Abilene, Texas.

Mrs. Henry Hoffman and children went to El Paso last Saturday on business.

FOR RENT— My Cottage on Elm street. Mrs. Era B. Smith.

Mr. Ozanne, one of the leading mine owners of the Jicarilla country was in town on business last Friday. Mr. Ozanne has a cozy cottage constructed high on a hillside in that scenic area, on the front door of which is painted "Ozanne's Roost".

Mr. and Mrs. George Goodson were in Carrizozo on business last Friday. They have purchased the rock house at Ancho, formerly the J. E. Frame home and have taken possession.

Dr. and Mrs. Carl E. Freeman and family went to El Paso last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Romero of Hondo spent last Monday in town.

Caroling On 'Xmas Eve

The young people of the Methodist church are preparing to go caroling on Christmas Eve. The group will meet at Wilma Snow's on Sunday, December 24th at 6:20 p. m. The Caroling group are in charge of Mary Lou Phillips and Wilma Snow.

Names of any "shut-ins" should be given to one of the above people, so the carolers will visit their homes.

Notice for Publication

United States
Department of the Interior
General Land Office at Santa Fe, N. M., December 11, 1939.

Notice is hereby given that Fritz E. Pflingsten, of Lincoln, N. M., who, on May 14, 1935, made Original Stockraising Entry, No. 069252, for SW1/4, SW1/4, NE1/4, W1/2SW1/4, SE1/4SW1/4, Section 12; NE1/4, E1/2NW1/4, NW1/4SE1/4, Section 13; T. 5 S.; R. 16 E. and Lot #2, Section 18, Township 5 S. Range 17 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before The Clerk of the Probate Court, at Carrizozo, N. M., on the 29th day of January, 1940.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Creighton H. Richards,
Ernest B. Richards, both of Roswell, N. M.
Guy Nix,
Arthur Clark, both of Capitan, N. Mex.
Leo F. Sanchez,
Register.

DI5-Jan. 12.

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Governor John E. Miles will deliver a fifteen minute speech over the entire radio network of the state from the executive mansion at 8:30 on the evening of December 28.

Governor Miles stated that he planned to discuss the progress of state government during the first year of his administration and to touch briefly on plans for 1940.

"I believe," Governor Miles said, in making the announcement, "that the people of the state, should know what their government is doing for their general welfare, how funds are being raised and how state money is being spent."

The governor's talk will be broadcast over KOB and KGGM in Albuquerque, KVFS in Santa Fe, KLAH in Carlsbad, KWEW in Hobbs, KICA in Clovis, KGFL in Roswell and KAWM in Gallup.

More Coal, Less Money
BETTER HEAT
SEE
JIMMIE DUNCAN
Wood and Coal Dispenser

Ruidoso News

The newly organized Lions' Club at Ruidoso is making rapid progress. They have had two meetings, which were held at the Ye Olde Pyne Tavern.

Ruidoso is expecting her Charter from Lions International the first part of Jan. at which time Lions from all over the State are expected.

Officers of the Club are: Bill Smith, President; Jack Hull, Vice President; Lou Roll, Sec. & Treas.; Bill Blakley, Lion Tamer; Paul Sheppard, Tail Twister. Board of Directors are: the above and Ike Wingfield, C. C. Chace, Joe Nelson, and Dr. Tucker.

Sunday School Class Party

The Young Peoples' Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church held a party at the home of Jane Gassler on December 12th. Many interesting games were played. Refreshments were served.

The next class meeting and party will be held on December 20th at the home of Herman Kelt.

Big November Sales

The greatest volume of new passenger car and truck sales for any one month since August 1937, was reported by William E. Holler general sales manager, Chevrolet Motor Division, with the release of the company's sales figures for November.

During the month Chevrolet dealers sold at retail a total of 89,377 new cars and trucks, a figure which tops any previous month in 1939, any single month in 1938, and seven of the 12 months in 1937.

Notice

Wednesday, December 27th will be the regular meeting of the Daughters of Rebekah. A full attendance is hoped for as this will be the election of officers for the ensuing year.

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Birth Recording Campaign

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A birth registration campaign is being held in New Mexico during the months of November and December of this year by the State Department of Health in cooperation with the United States Bureau of the Census.

Its objectives are to inform parents to demand birth certificates for their children at birth, to make them aware of how birth registration takes place, and how they can make certain whether their children are properly registered.

Following are the names of persons acting as subregistrars in the communities of Lincoln County who can assist in birth and death registrations.

Mrs. Lucia G. Avila, Pecosho and Sunset.
Miss Magdalena Burdett, Ruidoso and Hollywood.
Mr. G. L. Richardson, Arabela, Bluewater, Escondida and Tinnie.

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- Mr. Wade King, Glencoe.
- Mrs. Mary DuBois, Corona, Ramon and Lon.
- Mr. R. S. Fagan, Fort Stanton.
- Mrs. Margaret Rountree, Capitan.
- Miss Lucy Silvers, Ancho, Jicarilla and Jack's Peak.
- Mr. E. H. Miranda, Lincoln.
- Mrs. F. P. Cleghorn, White Oaks and Rabenton.
- Mrs. Consuelo Richardson, Carrizozo, Nogal and Oscura.

TRUTH about ADVERTISING
By CHARLES B. ROTH

KEEP YOUR SALT CELLARS CLEAN

THE other day I read of an eccentric old woman, rich and socially prominent, who went from house to house judging the occupants by the condition of the salt cellars on their tables.

If these were clean and well kept she put her stamp of approval on the household, but if they were not, regardless of the graciousness and charm of her hostess, she put them down as dowdy folks.

Not all of us, fortunately, are quite so critical, but in one sense we are. And it is good that we are. We are critical of the merchandise we buy and of the merchants from whom we buy it. It is our criticism which keeps the standards of goods and stores high.

One of the many advantages of advertising is that it invites us to be critical of the goods being advertised.

The advertiser assures us that his goods are good. He invites us to compare them with others. We do. If he relaxes for a minute and lets his standards drop, we discern it. We tell others. We cease buying his product.

He knows that even the finest of commercial reputations will suffer if a mere handful of people get wind

of the fact that the goods are substandard. They will tell their friends. Soon a whispering campaign is under way. He suffers.

It is only by being careful at every minute of the day that his goods and service are up to high standard that the man who advertises can succeed.

You expect more of him than you do of the man who does not advertise. The non-advertising manufacturer or merchant can fall down in delivering quality and service. You may expect him to. But the man who advertises has to live up to his high obligation.

So you see that advertising is a great vigilance committee, established and maintained in your interest, to see that the man who aspires to sell you will always be worthy of your trade.

The merchant who advertises must treat you better than the merchant who does not. He must treat you as though you were the most influential person in town.

As a matter of cold fact you are. You hold the destiny of his business in your hands. He knows it. He shows it. And you benefit by good service, by courteous treatment, by good value—and by lower prices.

Be critical of advertised goods and stores which advertise. They want you to be critical. Advertising invites you to compare before you buy. It stands or falls on value alone.

© Charles B. Roth.



Charles Roth

Household News

By Eleanor Howe



FESTIVE TRIUMPH FOR CHILDREN'S PARTY
(See Recipes Below)

Children Need Parties Too

With all the holiday festivities for grown folks and for older sisters and brothers, it's not strange that the youngest members of the family beg for a party, too.

Children's parties must be colorful, the entertainment simple, and the refreshments very light. If the party is to be a success (and why give one if it isn't?) the activities of the youngsters must be wisely directed from the moment they arrive, until they leave.

Choose, to direct the entertainment, the wisest, jolliest, child-loving adult you know. Plan games that are simple, and make sure that all the children are included. Remember, too, that children weary quickly of any one activity, so plan a variety of games and get the new one under way before interest in the old one vanishes.

Party refreshments, of course, must be geared to the age of the guests. If they are very young, it's a good idea to serve the feast at the end of the party, so that it takes the place of the regular evening meal.

Decorate the table with snapping crackers, colored balloons, and peppermint canes to give a really festive setting for the occasion. When Five and Six-Year Olds Get Together

Special Peanut Butter Sandwiches
Raw Carrot Strips
Peppermint Stick Tapoca Cream
Cocoa
Peppermint Stick Tapoca Cream.
(Serves 8)

2 egg yolks
4 cups milk
1/2 cup quick-cooking tapoca
1/2 red cinnamon candles,
crushed peppermint sticks, or
crushed clear fruit-flavored
candles
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 egg whites

Mix egg yolk with small amount of milk in top of double boiler.

Add quick-cooking tapoca, candles, salt and remaining milk. Place over rapidly boiling water and cook 10 to 12 minutes after water boils again, stirring frequently. Remove from fire. (Tapoca will be well distributed throughout, but mixture will be thin. Do not overcook.) Beat egg whites until just stiff enough to hold shape. Fold hot tapoca mixture gradually into egg whites. Cool mixture thickens as it cools. Chill. Serve in sherbet glasses. Garnish with whipped cream and colored candles.

Special Peanut Butter Sandwiches.
(Makes 1 cup filling)

1 ripe banana
1 cup peanut butter
1/2 cup dates (cut fine)
1 teaspoon lemon juice
Mash banana with a fork and thoroughly blend in remaining ingredients. Use between slices of whole wheat bread.

Orange Lemonade
1 cup granulated sugar
2 cups water
1 teaspoon gelatin
1 tablespoon cold water
2 cups orange juice
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon lemon extract
1 teaspoon orange extract

Make a syrup of the sugar and water and boil for five minutes. Remove from fire and add gelatin, which has been softened in cold water. Stir until the gelatin is entirely dissolved and then add fruit juices and flavoring extracts, and pour into freezing tray of mechanical refrigerator. Turn cold control to lowest temperature and rapid freezing. Stir three times at half-hour intervals after the ice has begun to freeze. When almost frozen,

place the mixture in a chilled bowl and beat with a rotary egg beater; then return to tray and complete the freezing.

Little Silver Cakes.
1/2 cup shortening
1 1/2 cups granulated sugar
2 3/4 cups cake flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
4 egg whites

Cream the shortening, add the sugar, and beat well. Sift the flour, baking powder, and salt; add alternately with the milk and vanilla. Beat the egg whites until stiff and fold into the cake. Bake in greased muffin tins in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for approximately 15 to 20 minutes.

Grilled Bacon Sandwiches.
Remove crusts from slices of bread and toast bread on one side only. Spread untoasted side with peanut butter and top with slices of bacon. Preheat broiler to 350 degrees. Place sandwiches on broiler rack, 3 1/2 inches from flame. Broil until bacon is crisp and brown, approximately 7 minutes. Serve very hot.

Sugared Doughnuts.
4 eggs
1 cup sugar
4 tablespoons shortening (melted)
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
2 1/2 to 3 cups cake flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon cinnamon

Beat the eggs until light. Add sugar slowly and continue beating until foamy. Add melted shortening and vanilla extract. Mix and sift two cups of flour and all the other dry ingredients and fold into the egg mixture. Add just enough more flour to make a soft dough which can be handled. Place on lightly floured board and roll dough out to 1/4-inch thickness. Cut, and fry in deep fat (370 degrees) and drain on unglazed paper.

Hot Spiced Cider.
2 quarts cider
1 cup brown sugar
1 six-inch stick cinnamon
6 whole cloves
1 teaspoon allspice

Add spices and sugar to cider, place in kettle and let simmer over heat (not boil) for 15 minutes. Strain and serve hot in small glasses. Add a little grated nutmeg. **V. Stands for Vegetables.**

To be sure, we all know that vegetables in one form or another are an important part of the diet. But when you're confronted with the problem of getting Junior to eat his carrots, just how will you get around that? Next week I'll give you my suggestions for solving that particular problem. Be sure and watch for them in this column next week.

Have you sent for your leaflet of "Holiday Recipes," by Eleanor Howe? Plum puddings, cakes rich with fruit and nuts, cookies for all kinds of parties, and confections, too—you'll find recipes for all of these, in this specially compiled leaflet. Send 10 cents in coin to "Holiday Recipes," care of Eleanor Howe, 818 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, and get your copy, now.

Electric Outlets Needed For Kitchen Efficiency

When electric outlets are being planned in a new house for lamps, clocks, and radios, the kitchen is often neglected. In reality, it has more uses for plugs than any other room.

Within reasonable limits, there cannot be too many appliance outlets in the kitchen. In this room electricity is used both for lighting and for motivating power. Consumption of current varies widely with kitchen appliances, and special attention should be given to the location of the outlet is expected to carry.

CHRISTMAS RUSH Holiday Mail Problem Easier to Handle Since Public Started Helping Postmen

By HUGH THOMASON
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

WASHINGTON—By this time your Christmas card to the folks who used to live next door has been delivered in a distant community, and Aunt Matilda's gift package for the youngsters has arrived as usual—right on schedule.

Forty thousand postmasters are beginning to see daylight over a mound of letters, parcels, greeting cards and what-not that showers down on the post office department each Holiday season. Pretty soon it will be over for another year, and the weary mailmen will start preparing for 1940.

This is a job that requires 3,770,000 postage stamps, an eye on the weather, machine-like coordination of railroad and postal facilities, oodles of patience with the well-meaning but lax public, and around \$10,000,000 for extra clerk hire.

Beware of Fads!
It means watching out for population trends, economic conditions and those unpredictable mailing fads that grip the public fancy each Holiday season. One year they'll pour oceans of Christmas cards on a little village of 150 called Bethlehem, Md., the next year on Santa Claus, Ind., next on Christmas, Fla., and probably the following year at Noel, Va.

Why? Just to have their cards cancelled with a Christmas-y postmark which most of the recipients won't even notice. But it's fine old American tradition and the post office department must co-operate.

Holiday postal rushes aren't what they used to be, but that doesn't mean the volume of mail is decreasing. On the contrary, it's on the upgrade. But the public has memorized those oft-repeated "ship early, mail early" slogans and they're taking more pity on the hapless mailman.

There's still a disheartening deluge of mail each season to that graveyard of good intentions, the dead letter office, where go all letters and parcels suffering from illegible, incorrect addresses and hopelessly poor wrappings from which the address has become lost altogether.

An old hand in the postal service



DELUGE!—A flood of Christmas mail descends on one of America's metropolitan post offices, bound for cities and hamlets hundreds of miles away.

can decipher handwriting as illegible as an Egyptian cryptograph, but Christmas is just when the mail clerks don't have time to do it. Such detective jobs must then fall partly on the shoulders of inexperienced substitute postmen, which only emphasizes the need for legible addresses.

To outfox the dead letter office, many post offices have a "hospital" to doctor decrepit packages. In larger cities a half dozen men are assigned to this job during the Holidays, armed with patches, glue and cord. But sometimes the job is beyond them, spelling grief for both giver and intended recipient.

Mail Volume Anticipated.

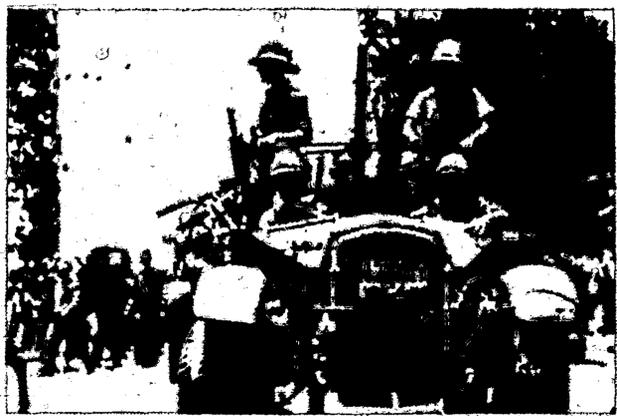
Christmas preparations in the post office department begin in mid-summer, when individual postmasters send in their requisitions for stamps.

They don't guess at it; instead they turn to reliable local sources like the chamber of commerce, board of trade and other commercial groups which can make a pretty good guess about local business conditions five or six months hence.

About the same time the bureau of engraving and printing begins turning out extra stocks of stamps for Christmas. This office doesn't wait for the postmasters to make their check; stamps must be printed immediately to avoid a log-jam later in the season.

Transportation equipment is the next problem. When the post office department knows how much business is expected, railroads are notified to have the proper number of mail service cars in readiness when the rush starts. At local post offices special vehicles must be requisitioned for parcel delivery.

Christ's Village Fears Uprising As World Celebrates Nativity



NO PEACE HERE—British motorized troops patrol the streets of Bethlehem to prevent disorders.

"O little town of Bethlehem,
How still we see thee lie..."

WHILE America sings of Christ's birthplace this Yuletide, the little Palestine city of Bethlehem is smouldering under such a deep factional discontent that the event for which it is famous is being observed with cautious restraint this year.

Bethlehem's 1939 Christmas will be happier than last year's, however. At that time a shooting melee occurred in a cafe just across the square from the Church of the Nativity. British troops invaded the place, which was said to be a hideout for Arab rebels.

Long associated with the religion of brotherly love and the gentle art of the shepherd, Bethlehem has frequently, in its 30 centuries, been the scene of strife and bloodshed.

Rachel Died There.

Its first mention in the Bible is associated with death—that of Rachel, nearly 2,000 years before Christ. Tending his sheep around Bethlehem was the boy named David, who later slew his ten thousands to the mere thousands of Saul. In Bethlehem, says the Bible, occurred Herod's massacre of the infants in the time of Christ.

During the World war new battle lines were drawn around Bethlehem when, in November, 1917, British and Turkish-German forces fought for Jerusalem, 5 1/2 miles to the north.

Modern Colonists Plan New Home on Island in Bahamas

PASADENA.—Final farewells to sunny California will be offered next month by 25 "pioneers" leaving to start a colony on uninhabited East Caicos island at the eastern end of the Bahamas group, 750 miles from Miami.

Led by R. C. Irvine, Pasadena salesman, the party will live on the island belonging to Mrs. Grace Lake, who inherited it from her "salt king" grandfather, John Ney Reynolds. Part of the island is owned under a deed from the British crown, and the rest is leased for 99 years.

East Caicos' colonists will retain their American citizenship, returning to the mainland each two years to have their passports renewed. Resources of the island, says Irvine, are sufficient to keep the group busy. It is surrounded by shark-infested waters, the fish being valuable for the skin and liver oil. Thousands of wild jackasses, propagated by those left behind by a sisal development company many years ago, must be killed.

Part of 3,000 acres of sisal now growing wild will be cleared for papayas, valuable for medicinal purposes. The rest of the sisal land will be cultivated, the product being sold for manufacture of rope, twine, mattresses and upholstery.

Except for foundations left by former colonists and three huge tanks for catching rain water, the island now has no facilities for accommodating the group. But Irvine's pioneers expect to build homes, generate electricity from windmills and construct boats for communication with Turks island, 35 miles away.

It is also hoped to attract tourists to the five-mile strand of white coral beach, said to be excellent for duck hunting.

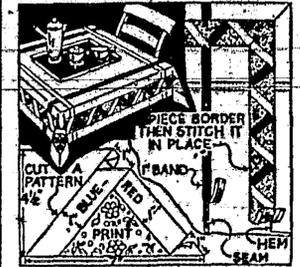
10-Year-Old Seattle Girl Hailed as Violin Prodigy

SEATTLE.—The 10-year-old daughter of a cobbler may be America's next violin "prodigy." She is Anita Lippi, who first gained recognition this year when Mischa Elman, internationally famous violinist, heard her play and urged that she be given an opportunity to extend her education. Small for her age, Anita uses a three-quarters-size violin and has remarkable stage presence. Conductors marveled when she played through difficult concertos for four hours without faltering.

Patchwork Border For Luncheon Cloth

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

THE new uses for crazypatch stitches in Sewing Book 3 have aroused so much interest that it set us to thinking of smart new ways to use pieced quilt block designs. This border pieced of small patterned cotton prints of all kinds and colors put together with red and blue strips is the result. It is very striking and decorative for lunch cloth shown here which, by the way, is made of unbleached muslin bags. The seams where the bags are joined



to make the cloth the desired size are covered with straight 1-inch bands of the red and blue material as shown at the right.

The diagram at the lower left shows you how to make a pattern for the blue, red and print pieces. Cut a triangle of stiff paper 4 1/2 inches high and 7 inches wide at the base. Mark the blue strip 1 inch wide along the left edge as shown and then the red strip joining it on the right edge. Now cut away the top and lower right corners as shown. Cut the red, blue and print sections apart and use them for patterns in cutting the fabric pieces adding 1/4-inch seam at all edges.

NOTE: Readers who are now using Sewing Books No. 1, 2 and 3 will be happy to learn that No. 4 is ready for mailing; as well as the 10-cent editions of No. 1, 2 and 3. Mrs. Spears has just made quilt block patterns for three designs selected from her favorite Early American quilts. You may have these patterns FREE with your order for four books. Price of books—10 cents each postpaid. Set of three quilt block patterns without books—10 cents. Send orders to Mrs. Spears, Drawer 10, Bedford Hills, New York.

Strange Facts

8-Year Salvage Job
Nurses Out of Sky
Pontiffs Train Shy

The greatest salvage job in history, to which the British navy devoted eight years, making more than 5,000 dives, was the recovery of \$24,000,000 worth of gold from the wreck of the White Star liner *Laurentic*, which struck a mine and sank in 120 feet of water off the north Irish coast in 1917.

France now has a volunteer corps of approximately 200 "flying nurses" women skilled in parachute jumping as well as nursing who are ready at a moment's notice to be flown and dropped, with their medical kits, at points where their services are urgently needed.

The only Pontiff of the Roman Catholic church who ever rode on a railroad train while Pope was Pius IX, who reigned from 1846 to 1878.—Collier's.

CONSTIPATED?

There is Amazing Relief of Constipation in 20 Minutes with **Nature's Remedy**. If you think an intestine act will not do, just try this all vegetable laxative. So mild, thorough, refreshing, invigorating. Dependable relief from sick headaches, biliousness, food-poisoning when associated with constipation. Without Risk. Get a 25c box of **N.R.** from your druggist. Make the test—when it acts delightfully, return the box to us. We will refund the purchase price. That's fair. **N.R. TO-NIGHT**. Get **N.R.** Today.

Worthy Action
Count that day lost, whose low descending sun views from thy hand no worthy action done.—Stanford.

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reserves
mystery of
Colors
Best

BEACONS of SAFETY

Like a beacon light on the height—the advertisements in newspapers direct you to newer, better and safer ways of providing the things needed or desired. In shines, this beacon of newspaper advertising—and it will be to your advantage to follow it whenever you make a purchase.

THE GIFT WIFE...

By RUPERT HUGHES

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SYNOPSIS

Dr. David Jebb is a passenger on the crack train, the Nord-Express, with Ostend as his immediate destination. He is bound for America. With him is five-year-old Cynthia, the charming young temporary ward. On the train they meet Big Bill Gaines, former classmate and fraternity brother of David's. He tells Gaines of his mission, and of his one unconquerable vice—an overwhelming desire for liquor. Jebb feels the urge coming to him again, and wants to safeguard the child, whose father is dead, and whose mother waits her coming in America. During a stop, Gaines leaves the train to buy a present for Cynthia. The train pulls out without him. Then Jebb is slightly, but painfully, injured in a minor accident. A fellow-passenger gives him a drink, which makes his desire for liquor all the stronger.

CHAPTER II—Continued

After Cynthia had wasted a long and weary while of tenderness upon the wretch whose torment was so much beyond her comprehension, she grew fretful of her own account and began to ask for a story. "Tell me a story, Nunkie Dave."

"I don't know any new ones, honey."

"Tell Thimthy about madic carpet."

From his chaotic remembrance of that tangled chaos of countless-colored skins, the "Arabian Nights," Jebb brought out a twisted yarn:

"Once upon a time there was a poor old sailor named Sindbad, and he was sailing across Sahara in a ship of the desert, that is—the back of a camel—you've seen 'em at circuses."

"What wath the cameth name, Nunkie Dave?"

"The camel's name was Clarence, I think. And he was thinking of his beautiful little daughter."

"Oh, did the camel have a daughter?"

"No, it's Sindbad I'm speaking of."

"What wath her name, Nunkie Dave?"

"The daughter's name was Bridget, I believe—or Patricia, I forget which."

"Where did little Bridget live?"

"See here, young lady, am I telling a story or passing an examination? If you're not careful, I'll make you tell the story. She lived in Constantinople, I believe. Can you spell it?" The curls shook violently. "It's a C and an I and a constant, and a steeple and a stople and a constant-ople."

This old lyric entranced the child and she had to learn it. But, once mastered, she was hot on the trail of Sindbad the sailor. And she forced the frantic mind of Jebb back into the harness. He went on:

"Well, as Sindbad was sailing across the sand and sailing across the sand and sailing across the sand what should he see ahead of him but a—a bottle."

"The word was out and it was like a knife in Jebb's heart. But he churned on:

"So Sindbad said to the camel, 'Whoa, Dobbini!'"

With the fanatic accuracy of a child in matters of narrative, she insisted:

"Hiit same was Clarenth."

"That's right. He said, 'Whoa, Clarence, and Clarence who'd, and Sindbad threw out the rope fire-escape and climbed down and tied Clarence to a hitching post that happened to be standing there, and he picked up the bottle and pulled out the cork with a corkscrew he always carried, and as soon as the cork was out, what do you suppose popped out of the bottle?"

"Milk?"

"Not milk but a—ught a genie!"

"Whath a genie?"

"A genie is—well, it's—a—er—see that big cloud out there that looks like a giant on a draught-horse? Well, a genie is a terrible being as big as that—a kind of a horrible fairy goblin demon. And he had been corked up in that bottle by an old magician, and he was just aching for some poor fool—er fellow to come along and pull the cork so that he could chew him up."

"Wooh!" gasped Cynthia, cuddling closer.

"That's what the genie said: 'Wooh! You see he had been corked up there about three million hundred years and he was hungry, and he was just going to gobble Sindbad up when—"

"Umml! Did Mr. Thimpat get scared?"

"Scared! His teeth went clickety-click like this train. But, just as the genie was sprinkling some salt on him to make him taste better, Sindbad happened to remember the right charm. He waved his wand and yelled, 'Abracadabra, presto-change-o, snicker-sneel!"

"And you should have seen that genie wilt. He got down on the ground and said, 'Please, Massa Sindbad, don't put me in the bottle any more. Let me work for you. You see, Cynthia, some people have the magic charm, and they can make the bottle-genie work for them and cheer them up and be their slave, but other poor fellows don't know the word, and they become the genie's slaves."

Cynthia, like most of her sex, was not for moralizing, but for plot. So Jebb went on:

"Sindbad said, 'Look here, you black rascal, I want to get home and see my little daughter Susie—'"

"Her name ith Bridgeth."

"My daughter Bridget, and I want to get home quick—D you understand? And the genie said, 'Yes, Massa Sindbad, you're agoling to be da in a jiffy."

"Whath a jiffy, Nunkie?"

"That's something I never could find out, honey. But the genie knew and he brought out a magic carpet."

"Did he have it in his pocket?"

"He must have had."

"How could he get a carpet in a bottle?"

"You'll have to ask him. Genies are very peculiar. But he brought it out and spread it on the ground, and said, 'All aboard!'—and Sindbad stepped on it, and the genie said, 'Hold fast!' and rang the bell twice, and the next moment Sindbad found himself at home in Constantinople, and his little girl—what do you suppose was the first thing she said?"

"She said, 'What did you bring me for a prethent?"

"That's just what she said. And her father said to the genie, 'Here, you black rascal, what did we bring the little girl?' And the genie took out of his suitcase the most beautiful—"

Cynthia had never heard of Casablanca, but she shared his grin. She and the waiter, who spoke a little dining-room English, and had five or six little Klindcher of his own, became great friends. It was a pleasanter place to wait than on a burning deck, but Cynthia's appetite was soon sated, the waiter speedily emptied his English vocabulary, and his bag of tricks for amusing a child jaded with loneliness. And still Jebb did not return. Loneliness for her playmate, and terror for his loss, agitated the child, and she was fretting:

"I want Nunkie Dave! I want Nunkie Dave!" And then, that cry falling, she began to whimper:

"I want my mammal!"

At last Jebb arrived at the door of the dining-room. Cynthia precipitated herself across the floor with a shriek of joy that disturbed the solemn room. The waiter followed to explain with much joviality and some policy, how long and well he had entertained his charge.

Jebb, with a remarkable magnificence of manner, called for the reckoning and paid it with a gold piece of ten marks, and bade him keep the change.

The rain of gold had begun. Mr. Croesus was himself again.

Leaving the volunuous waiter panting with admiration, Jebb took Cynthia's hand and they went back to the station. In his other hand he still grasped the Gladstone.

His manner to the child was one of lofty tenderness, of the courtesy an ancient knight would have shown a lady of high degree, mingled with the absentmindedness of a poet whose thoughts were busied with some great theme.

"Seems to me, honey, that the train was headed other way when we left. Probly—probly I'm mistaken. Get turned round easily in foreign countries."

In his eagerness to board the train he tried to walk over and through a gorgeous officer who looked to be at least a taker of cities instead of tickets. On demand Jebb brought out his pocketbook and produced the remainder of a ticket and a half to Ostend.

He was informed that his train was, "Vor langer Zeit gegangen."

With an air of angelic patience Jebb informed the man, whom he called "Mein lieber General," that

ful—but here we are at Cologne, honey. Let's get out and take a breath of air and see the Cathedral."

Cynthia, like many another, cared more for the architecture of event than of stone. She insisted:

"But what did the genie bring the little girl?"

"We'll open the suitcase when the train starts again. It will do us good, honey, to stretch our legs a bit."

Jebb was impatient to be moving. He could not imagine what was in the suitcase, and he felt that if he sat in the train another moment he would leap through the window and carry the glass flying.

Taking Cynthia by the hand he descended from the car, leaving all their hand-luggage except the small Gladstone containing the precious drawings. This he carried in gingerly manner, his turbaned thumb yelping with pain at the slightest jar.

Learning that the train would rest at Cologne some minutes, he struck out across the platform. Cynthia was hungry; the loss of the oranges had whittened her appetite. There was a refreshment room in the station, but Jebb thought they would better step outside and take a look at the Cathedral towering above them like a storm cloud.

Of all the eyes that have stared at that carved mountain in the many centuries since it began to upheave its mass above the town, not many eyes could have regarded it with less observation. The child's thoughts were turned inward upon the fascinating mysteries of the gift the genie brought to Miss Bridget Sindbad. Jebb's eyes ran here and there like foxes in a cage, with the restlessness of a man in torment.

His shifty gaze was caught by the sign of the Dom Hotel, with the coffee-house adjoining. People were seated at tables. Some of them were reading the papers one finds there. All of them had some liquor before them. Jebb shivered with desire, his knees wavered. The genie of alcohol was fuming from the bottle and he knew no subduing charm.

It usurped his will. He could not wish to subdue it. Everything on earth became a mirage, the two things real were the thirst consuming him, and the relief at hand.

Throwing off irresolution as something contemptible he stalked mag-

estically across the street, the little girl toddling alongside, hand passibus aequalis.

She never questioned the propriety of her guide. If she felt a little fear that they were going too far it was lost in her trust of Nunkie Dave. She made one comment as her feet pattered across the rough cobblestones of the city:

"It don't thmell like cologne, Nunkie Dave."

A voice came from his high-held head:

"So Coleridge said, honey."

She panted as she ran:

"Who wath he, Nunkie Dave?"

"He was the man who wrote the 'Ancient Mariner.'"

"Who wath he, Nunkie Dave?"

"He was the man who slew the albatross."

"Whath a albatross, Nunkie Dave?"

"It was a beautiful bird, honey, and the man that killed it suffered horribly of thirst. You must never, never slay the albatross, honey—never slay the albatross. It's the unpardonable crime."

Strolling along the Domhof, Jebb and Cynthia soon reached the Dom Hotel. Jebb took the child to the dining-room, told an elderly waiter to bring her what she wanted, cautioned her not to stir till he came back, and kissing her good-by, made straight for the wine-room.

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he desired and intended to take the train standing before him. The guard, greatly touched by the title (he had been a soldier, of course), informed the distinguished air that the train was no longer the Nord-Express, but the Ostend-Vienna Express and that other tickets would be required.

Jebb replied that that made nothing to him out, and went to the ticket office where, in German of surprising correctness, he called for one and one-half tickets. The man in the cage naturally inquired, though in less aristocratic German:

"Please, for what station, my sir?"

Jebb smiled airily and quoted a remembered line.

"What stations have you?"

The beard within waved like wheat and the ticket-seller answered with a laugh.

"Frankfort-am-Main, Homburg, Wurzburg."

"Wurzburg, eh? That tastes good to me. (Das schmeckt mir gut.)"

CHAPTER III

Hovering a little this side of sleep, his drowsy eyes saw, or seemed to see, through a window of quaint and alien design, a distant tower of soaring stature, just visible in the dim light of daybreak. At its topmost tip the rising sun had coaxed a rose to bloom. The rest of the slim shaft was still enveloped in violet shadow.

In a balcony circling the tower he rather imagined—than desecrated a mote of a figure, and rather dreamed than heard a voice far, far away, and crying:

"Allahu Akbar! Allahu Akbar! Allahu Akbar! Allahu Akbar!"

It was only on its fourth intonation that he made out the words, and then they meant nothing to him. There followed a chant in the same strange language, so mellowed by remoteness that it interwove with the dream-rug on the loom of Jebb's drowsiness. The words were strange and there was no meaning, only a foreign music, in that concluding phrase, "Prayers are better than sleep," which the drowsy and dubious muzzler, weary of the steep spiral stairway, adds to the sunrise Azan.

When his eyes actually perceived the minaret through the latticed window, and made out mode-manner of room he was in, he sat up with a start. He fell back immediately. His nerves jangled like a harp thrown to the floor.

To move his head ever so slightly was to put himself on the rack, but curiosity forced him to endure the turning of his face so that he could study his whereabouts. Wonder filled him till he thought he was back in a dream.

The last thing he remembered was a sense of drowsiness on a train in Germany. But this was neither a train, nor Germany.

"This is Japan," thought Jebb, who had never been there.

He lay on a sort of wall-platform covered with a heap of cotton mattresses. Over him were spread quilts of delicate fabric. On the floor were many rugs tinted like haunts of autumnal leaves.

"This is Persia," he concluded, thinking of the rugs. He had never been to Persia.

At some vaguely later period he thought he heard the creak of an opened door, and his own leaden eyelids seemed to creak as he heaved them ajar. The door was indeed slightly opened, and peering into the room was a face. It was the black and glistening skull of a Negro—something more than a Negro and less than a man.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

DOLLAR MAKERS

Cold Details Seldom Make Great Appeal

By GEORGE T. EAGER

FROM time to time government officials seek to impose restrictions on advertising and make advertisements cold, logical presentations of technical buying information. They believe that logical reasons for buying would be more productive than emotional appeals.

In appealing to the emotions of readers advertising men are merely taking advantage of facts that famous writers and philosophers have known for centuries. Roamez said, "Reasons come afterward, but at first a thing pleases or shocks me without my knowing the reason."

Wilkie Collins, the famous English novelist, when asked for his rules for writing successful novels, said "Make them laugh, make them cry, make them wait." The great French writer, De Maupassant, said, "The public in general is composed of numerous groups who cry, 'console me, amuse me, add me, fill me with tenderness, make me laugh, make me tremble, make me weep, make me think.'"

Some time ago two radio manufacturers published full page advertisements in farm papers. The first manufacturer devoted his entire advertisement to telling of the technical excellences of his product. The second manufacturer headed his advertisement, "Why Do Your Children Leave the Farm?" said a few words about keeping children at home through entertainment and finally told about the excellence of his product. The emotional appeal produced many times more sales than the logical reason-why appeal.

ADS COMBAT FIXED HABITS

THE American standard of living is the highest in the world. One of the most interesting things about it is the fact that the public seldom takes the initiative in demanding new and improved products. It has always been a man with a new idea—something to sell—who has made the improvements and offered them to the public through advertising. Gradually the public has accepted the new idea and a new standard has been established from which to start still further improvements.

Our mothers and fathers gladly accepted crackers scooped out of a barrel into a paper bag. Then someone conceived the idea of crackers boxed in moisture proof packages. Over him were spread quilts of delicate fabric. On the floor were many rugs tinted like haunts of autumnal leaves.

Twenty years ago a large insurance company spent a large sum of money offering a new type of policy. Results were not satisfactory and the officers of the company said, "Advertising of insurance is a failure and we will never spend another penny in advertising." It was later learned that the policy offered in the advertising was not popular and five years later had completely disappeared from the insurance business.

Filtered Air Is Best For Operating Room

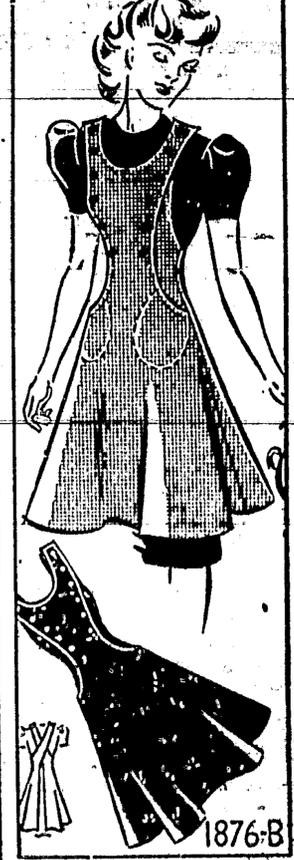
PULLMAN, WASH.—Because bacteria do not breathe but absorb materials only in solutions, effective disinfection for fumigation is difficult and rarely succeeds, according to Dr. Ernest C. McCulloch, research veterinarian of Washington State college.

For many years early bacteriologists did not know that disinfection must be carried out by means of solutions. They attempted to kill bacteria by fumigation, Dr. McCulloch said. Formaldehyde vapors or the fumes of burning sulphur were used.

Practical Pinfore That Will Stay Put

THIS pinfore apron (1876) will be a great favorite with everybody in the sewing circle—it's the most useful kind you can have! It goes on in a jiffy—not even a sash to tie! It covers both the top and the skirt of your dress thoroughly. It won't slip off the shoulders. It has two capacious patch pockets that you will find mighty handy.

Buttons and bright piping give it a gay touch; it's prettily small at the waist and flared at the



skirt. Best of all, it's so easy to make that you can turn it out in a few hours. Send for the pattern today, and make half a dozen aprons like this, so that you'll always have one ready to put on, fresh and clean. It's nice for gifts and club or church sales, too. Make it of gingham, percale, chintz or linen, in cheerful prints or plain colors.

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Pamela's Enthusiasm Was Wasted on John

John felt that he could never ask Pamela to be his wife.

True, he loved her as he had never loved anyone else before, but then she was an angel, while he had many little weaknesses of which no angel would ever be likely to approve.

Pamela, on the other hand, spent her time thinking that it was high time John popped the question!

One night he came to the point. "Pamela, Pamela," he urged, "will you marry me?"

"You bet," she replied briskly. "I know, darling," he answered, ashamed. "But if you'll only say 'Yes,' I'll promise never to back another horse!"

FOR XMAS STOCKINGS

JOLY TIME

POP CORN

Unforgiveable Hypocrisy

The only vice that cannot be forgiven is hypocrisy. The repentance of a hypocrite is itself hypocrisy.—Hazlitt.

Watch Your Kidneys!

Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste

Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not get so Nature is looking for better means to purify the system and spot the whole body accordingly.

Symptoms may be aching backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up at night, swelling, painless urination, loss of appetite, nervousness, and loss of sex and strength.

Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are occasional burning, stinging or itching of the urinary tract.

There should be no doubt that prompt treatment is wise. Don't neglect. You don't know how soon you may be unable to urinate for more than forty years. They have a million-fold reputation. Are recommended by medical people the country over. Ask your doctor!

DOANS PILLS

Local and Personal

Kenneth Willingham is spending the holidays here with his mother.

Misses Zane Harkey and Betty Shafer are spending the holidays at home. They have been attending the Denver Woman's College.

Mr. Louis Nalda has a new Chevrolet purchased at the City Garage.

Born--To Mr. and Mrs. Glen King, Sunday, December 17, 1939 a baby daughter, named Glenda Ann.

Bill Kelt arrived home from Santa Fe last Tuesday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kelt.

Mr. A. Ziegler was a business visitor in El Paso this week.

Mr. Andy Padilla of Albuquerque arrived Wednesday night, he will spend the holidays with relatives and friends, here and at Tularosa.

Mrs. Agnes St. John of the Sacramento, arrived Wednesday to spend Christmas with her children who are attending school here.

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Entire stock of Misses' and Children's Coats

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We Will Hold Our ANNUAL DRAWING CONTEST

ON Fri. Dec. 22. At 2:30 O'Clock P. M.

COME, and Bring Your Tickets With You. These are the Prizes we ARE GIVING AWAY:

- 1st. Prize choice between bicycle and Cedar Chest.
- 2nd. Prize, Easy Chair.
- 3rd. Prize, Choice between Parker fountain pen and 22 pc. Set Dishes.
- 4th. Prize, \$5.00 in cash.

A FEW MORE DAYS

YOU still have a few more days in which to shop at our store and get tickets. We are showing a large assortment of Christmas gifts suitable for every member of the family and at prices you can afford. We invite you to come in and look over our stock.



Hondo Valley Cafe

SERVES DELICIOUS Good Home Cooked Food Plate Lunches, home made pies, home made chili, GOOD COFFEE. ALSO Chicken Dinner Every Sunday

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Cottage Cafe

WE have home cooking, Home made pies and cakes. Sunday we will serve CHICKEN dinner, with hot biscuits and corn bread. Christmas Day we will serve TURKEY with all the trimmings. Also plate lunches and sandwiches

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Garner, Leader of Peace Bloc, Crystallized Anti-War Sentiment Throughout the United States

Washington, D. C. -- Vice President John Nance Garner more than any other man changed the American attitude toward the European war.

When Mr. Garner returned to Washington for the special session of Congress on September 21, there was a sort of fatalistic feeling that somehow or another the United States, sooner or later, would get into war.

Travelers returning from Europe were quoted in Eastern newspapers as reporting that the most frequent question asked of Americans in England and France was "How soon will the United States join us?"

Garner never issues statements to the press, therefore his part in creating the new psychology may not be fully known to the country. But more than forty senators visited the Vice President on the day that he was in Washington.

Here is what he said to them:

"The United States is not going into this war. The people are determined that we shall not get into it. We in executive office have got to quit saying that we hope this country can stay out. We have got to start saying 'We are going to stay out.'"

He expressed that same feeling at the White House later in the day when Democratic and Republican leaders met with President Roosevelt. He expressed it again and again as Senators and Representatives called on him later. And in a few days the Garner sentiment was being echoed throughout Washington and spread to the country.

Garner voted for war in 1917. He believed there was no way to stay out and he still believes there was no way to stay out. He insisted that his only son go to war then.

Marquis James, Pulitzer prize-winning author, in his new book, "Mr. Garner of Texas," tells how it happened:

His son, Tully, had gone to the father's office a few days after the war resolution passed in 1917.

"Son," said Mr. Garner, "how do you feel about going to war?"

"I aim to go, Dad," said the boy.

"I'm glad to hear it--for you've got to go. I couldn't have cast that vote to send other fathers' boys to war if I hadn't known I was sending my own. And just one more thing: your mother and I will want to hear from you every time you get a chance to write, but promise you'll never ask me a favor. I might be in a position to get it, and I don't want to be exposed to temptation."

No member of Congress got a better understanding of war than Garner. Not only was he a member of the Ways and Means Committee active in the framing of laws for the four Liberty Loans aggregating \$18,000,000,000 and the \$3,500,000,000 Victory Loan and the emergency tax bills, but he was also President Wilson's liaison man between the White House and the House of Representatives.

Twice a week he went to the White House for long private conferences with President Wilson. The President sent him to confer with the British, French and Belgian relations which came to the United States to discuss methods of waging the war. Garner had for many years been a member of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives and a student of foreign relations.

In the writing of the new neutrality law it was he who insisted on every safeguard to prevent involvement of the United States in war.

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