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Lyric Theatre

R. A. Walker, Mgr

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Roy Rogers, Bob Nolan, Ruth Terry, "Trigger" and "the Sons of the Pioneers"

— In —

"The Man From Music Mountain"

Roy comes for a social visit and stays to take care of some serious business.

—ALSO—

"U. S. Marine Band"

&

"Sweet Souix"

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY

Preston Foster, LLoyd Nolan, Wm Bendix, Richard Conte, Anthony Quinn

— In —

"Gaudalcanal Diary"

Action and how. Thousands of thrills as you laugh with the boys in the face of danger.

—ALSO—

Paramount News &

"A Day in June"

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

Kay Kayser, Marilyn Maxwell Wm. Gargan

— In —

"Swing Fever"

A gay hypnotist with a wicked eye who will send your temperature sky high.

—ALSO—

"Innertube Antics"

&

"With the Marines at Tarawa"

Visit West Coast

Mrs. Tennis Smoot and son, Mervin left the first of this week for Los Angeles and other California points, where they will visit relatives until time for school to open.

Mr and Mrs. Ted Purcey and Ted, Jr., arrived Wednesday night and are guests of Ted's mother, Mrs. Helen M. Prior.

Summer school Closes

The chief indoor and outdoor sport of the local youngsters has been summer school which closed this week. Mrs. Eva Karlin conducted the school which was both pleasant and profitable. Twenty or more students were in regular attendance and received promotions.

School Opens August 21st

All high school pupils that have not attended here before should have a complete transcript sent to the superintendent of school before opening date to be able to get classified without delay.

Book cards and report cards are necessary for each pupil to present at the beginning of school. Birth certificates should be presented by all pupils that enter school this year for their first time.

L. Z. Manire
Supt. of Schools

McPherson Infant Undergoes Operation

Penelope, infant daughter of Apprentice Seaman and Mrs Jay McPherson, underwent an emergency operation in Albuquerque last Wednesday evening. The baby is recovering nicely.

Son Born to Harkeys

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fay Harkey a son Tuesday evening, August 1st in the Turner hospital

Enters Hospital

Mrs. Maggie Espy went to the hospital in El Paso yesterday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Elbert Brown, Mr. Lawrence Rowland, and Mr. John Rowland. Mrs. John Rowland went down this morning.

Mrs. Chris Wright of Capitan spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs Rhoda Kohler at her ranch home.

Mr. Dan Conley was in Ruidoso well on business Thursday.

BANKS AND THE WAR

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AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF

The Navy plane plunged into the Pacific a mile off Guadalcanal's shark-infested shores. T/Sgt. Julius Mayer was on shore patrol with a fellow-soldier. Launching a 2-man rubber raft, they reached the Navy fliers, placed them safely aboard and propelled them to shore. *Buy War Bonds for the safety of our men.*

U. S. Treasury Department

Barkley Believes Roosevelt Best Qualified To Meet Problems Facing Nation

Expressing the belief that President Roosevelt would prefer to retire and would not run again if the world were at peace, Senator Alben W. Barkley, Senate Majority Leader, said that he would support the President for a fourth term because he believed he was the man best qualified to finish the task in which the nation is now engaged.

In a late issue of Collier's Magazine, Mr. Barkley asserted there was nothing sinister in fourth terms to which dozens of Governors, Mayors, Senators and Congressmen have been elected. The foundations of none of the states or of the nation were undermined by these long tenures of office.

His (the President's) knowledge of geography and history of every country and every island which has taken on importance since this war began is almost phenomenal, he wrote. His personal acquaintance and his ability to work with the men in all the United Nations who must play a leading and commanding part in winning the war and not losing the peace is greater than that of any American statesman to this date.

Are we to lose all this accumulated knowledge and understanding merely for the sake of change? Can anybody assert that any other man can walk into the possession of this knowledge, this background, this intimate understanding at once; and, if he cannot, how long a hiatus must we undergo and what will be its effect upon our friends and our enemies?

The questions involved here are far-reaching and compelling. They hold too much of the future of America and the world to be decided through prejudice, spite, partisanship, selfishness and hate. They are too momentous to be decided by the mere desire to see new faces in Washington.

Senator Barkley wrote that in supporting President Roosevelt for a fourth term he did not do so on the theory that he was the only Democrat who could win or because he believed the Republican party had no competent or eligible material for the Presidency.

I support him for the simple and hard-headed reason that, under the conditions which face the world and the nation today and will face them in November and for a period thereafter, he is far and away the best qualified man to meet these conditions and help resolve them as President of the United States.

It is not a question of sentiment, he concluded. It is a question of common sense. It is a question of trained and skilled leadership in a world of treacherous cross-currents and treacherous waters. Tradition must now and then give way to reason and sound judgment in the prosecution of the war to the most speedy and successful conclusion and in consummation of a peace that will be just and enduring. I believe that Franklin Roosevelt is the best qualified of all men talked about or thought about for President.

Birthday Celebration

Little Miss Margaret Duncan, daughter of Mr and Mrs James Duncan and Master Vernon Brazel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Brazel, celebrated their sixth birthday last Monday, July 31st with a joint party at the Duncan home, which was a classic for fun frills, frolic and a general good time. Thirty guests played games and ran and capered until they were ready to look at the gifts, which were too numerous to mention; then the two mothers Mmes Duncan and Brazel served popsickles, lemonade, and cake and jello in generous proportions after which the children went home in high spirits wishing Margaret and Vernon many happy recurrences of the pleasant afternoon.

NOTICE

To complete the Carrizozo Servicemen's Plaque we need the names of Carrizozo men who enlisted before Pearl Harbor and up to the present time.

Parents, wives, and friends of Carrizozo men, send us your serviceman's name by August 10th so it may be placed with the others

Address is Stitch and Chatter Club, Box 152, Carrizozo.

Joe Romero

Mr. Joe Romero passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Krohne, Jr, in Palm Springs, California, July 29th. 1944 With him when death came were his wife and two of his daughters, Mesdames Ted Purcey and Walter Krohne. Miss Bea Romeo arrived after her father's death.

Mr. Romero was in business in Carrizozo continuously for many years until he became paralyzed, and had to retire. He was an invalid for twelve years; the last survivor of the five Romero brothers.

Mr. Romero was born in Lincoln, N. M, January 5, 1887; had spent his entire life in Lincoln county with the exception of the past year which was spent in California.

Funeral services were conducted at the Catholic church in Banning California, followed by interment there.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Barbara Romero, he is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Ted Purcey of El Monte, California; Mrs. Walter Krohne, Jr., Palm Springs, California, Miss Beatrice Romero of Albuquerque and three grand children.

Buy More War Bonds Today

Luttrell Promoted

Sgt. Orville Luttrell of the 49th Depot Rep. Sq. of the American Air Force in Australia has recently been promoted to Staff Sergeant His many friends, together with his parents, Mr. and Mrs Sam Dillard of White Oaks, are very much pleased at his promotion.

Ortiz at Camp Wolters

Pvt. Joaquin Ortiz who was at Tularosa for some time is now stationed at Camp Wolters, Texas and wants his Lincoln County News sent there.

S1c Greer to Come Home

Ralph Greer, who has been overseas the past two years is now in Califronia, and is expected home any day for thirty days' visit.

Sgt. Bud Cooper Wounded in Action

The Lincoln County News is in receipt of the following letter from Mrs. W. F. Haskins of Kansas:

My dear Mrs. Smith: A letter yesterday from my son, Bud Cooper, (1st Sgt. Joe R. Cooper,) informed me that he had been brought from England to Brons General Hospital in Santa Fe, New Mexico. The letter states he "lost a foot in Northern France; that seventeen hours were required to make the flight across the Atlantic Ocean; he said he felt well enough, but it would be a long time before he recovered; he also said he was three miles from Santa Fe, and it wasn't a bad place to be, but he would have preferred Albuquerque, although there isn't a general hospital there and it isn't as cool as it is at Santa Fe. He is glad to be in the homeland." Love, Bud

Mrs. Smith, we have failed to receive several issues of the News, and how we do miss it!

Pfc. Carlos Chavez Is Awarded Purple Heart

The Misses Clara and Clarita Chavez of Capitan, twin sisters of Pfc. Carlos Chavez, received the following article July 29, which they brought to us to publish in The Lincoln News this week:

Hospital, APO 322 Unit 1, July 9, 1944.

THE PATIENT OF THE WEEK. . . .

Pfc. Carlos Chavez, of Capitan, N. M., although seriously wounded was by chance saved from death.

Landing in the second wek of the Biak attack, Chavez and his company immediately began their push inland, their objective being the ridge which ran parallel to thee beach, 100 yards off shore. Meeting little resistance they pushed in further until they were about a mile from the air strip. There they engaged the enemy in a fierce battle that lasted for three days. Time and again the Japs counter-attacked with tanks and infantry, but each time they were drive off, leaving hundreds dead in addition to numerous wrecked tanks.

Finally the company withdrew, and began an encircling movement to attack the Jap rear. Pfc. Chavez with his platoon was sent ahead as the spearhead of this attack, proceeding through the series of ridges that led down to the air strip. As the platoon moved across the last ridge, the Japs opened up a concentrated fire with machine guns and artillery, pinning the boys down. For three hours this fire continued until Chavez, having expended all his ammunition began to crawl to the rear to replenish his supply. After crawling back a few yards he raised himself to dash across a clearing when a bullet fired by a Jap sniper richocheted from a rock and hit him in the left eye. One of his buddies came to his assistance, and while still under fire, they made their way to the medics, 100 yds. in the rear. After receiving first aid he had to hike 10 miles to the Evacuation hospital.

For receiving wounds in action, Pfc. Chavez received the Order of the Purple Heart.

Pvt. Marvin Jones and wife spent the past week in the mountains with Marvin's parents. He left for Army duty this week. He is stationed in Alabama.

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With The Men - In Service

Sgt. Joe McBrayer Head Air Corps Supply Dept.

AN EIGHTH AAF COMPOSITE STATION, England — Master Sergeant, Joe McBrayer, of Carrizozo, New Mexico, serves as section head in the receiving and issuing section of the Air Corps Supply Department at this fighter training base.

A multitude of supplies are continually needed, and the AAF depends on such men as the Sergeant to see that the essentials are on hand at all times.

Enlisting in the AAF, April 8, 1941, Sgt. McBrayer went to Las Vegas, Nevada, and Brooks Field, Texas, where he was also in Air Corps supply work.

The Sergeant was with Harry Millers Service Station in Carrizozo, and is a Carrizozo High School graduate. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McBrayer, live in Carrizozo.

Lawrence L. Hicks Is Made Staff Sergeant

TONOPAH ARMY AIR FIELD, Tonopah, Nevada, 23 July—(Special to the Lincoln County News)—Lawrence L. Hicks, 30, son of Mrs. Edna C. Littleton of Carrizozo, New Mexico, was recently promoted here to the grade of Staff Sergeant, it was announced by Colonel Stanton T. Smith, Commanding Officer.

Sgt. Hicks attended Carrizozo High School and was employed as a salesman and accountant in Fayetville, Arkansas before he entered the service in November 1942. He attended armament school at Denver, Colorada, and aerial gunnery school at Laredo, Texas. At present he is the chief gunnery instructor at the Tonopah Army Air Field, Nevada, base of the Fourth Air Force.

Samuel Dewey Stokes Jr. Now Second Lieutenant

FORT KNOX, KY., JULY 22—(Special to the Lincoln County News) Samuel Dewey Stokes, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dewey Stokes, Carrizozo, New Mexico, was commissioned a second lieutenant in ceremonies here today. He was a member of the 65th graduating class of the Armored Officer Candidate School.

One hundred and five new officers received their gold bars upon completion of a rigorous 17-week course covering every phase of the employment of armored equipment and organizations in modern warfare. Most of the officers will be assigned as platoon commanders in tank, armored infantry or mechanized cavalry units.

They received their commissions at an impressive ceremony in Fort Knox Theatre No. 1. Principal speaker was Maj. Gen. William M. Grimes, commanding general of the 8th Armored Division, whose son, William M., Jr., was a member of the class.

"With the battlefield only one short step away," General Grimes told the OCS graduates, "yours is the privilege of leading the most splendid and best equipped group of men ever gathered into an army. With few exceptions, you will be platoon leaders. It is the platoon leaders who do the most to win wars."

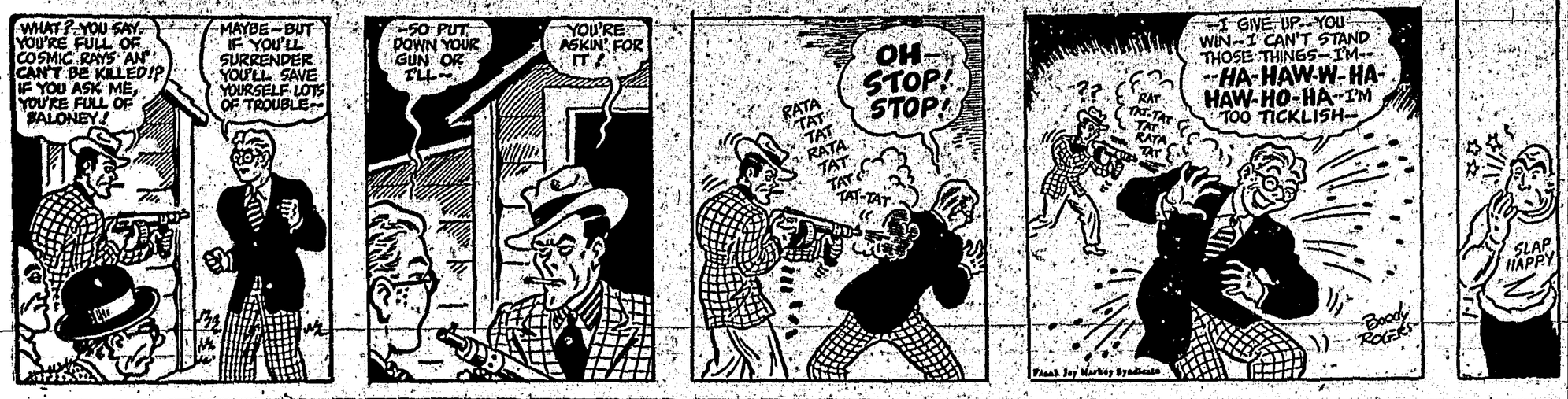
"Your strenuous course in Armored Officer Candidate School has stressed the formation and development of the characteristics of successful leadership. You have been trained to lead an armored unit in battle. You are a select group. You have measured up to exacting standards. You are in a young man's game. The future is yours. Work hard, think clearly and act fast."

General Grimes was introduced to the graduates and several hundred guests by Brig. Gen., F. M. Robinett, commandant of the Armored School.

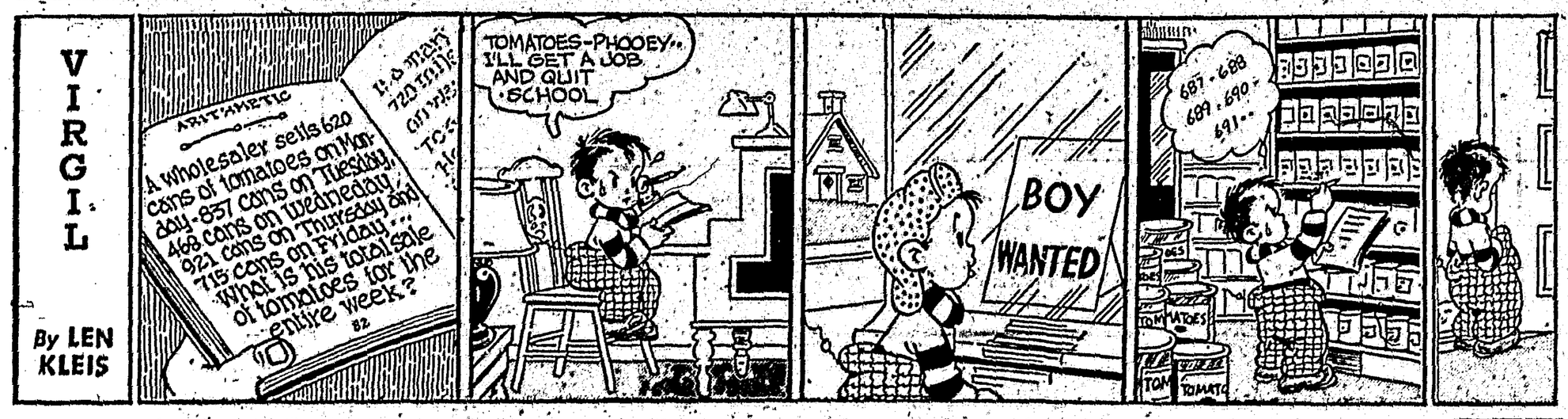
Honor man of the large class was 2nd Lt. Joel A. Crain, Jr., of Port Arthur, Tex. He was selected because of outstanding leadership and attainment of an academic average of 92 per cent.

Fun for the Whole Family

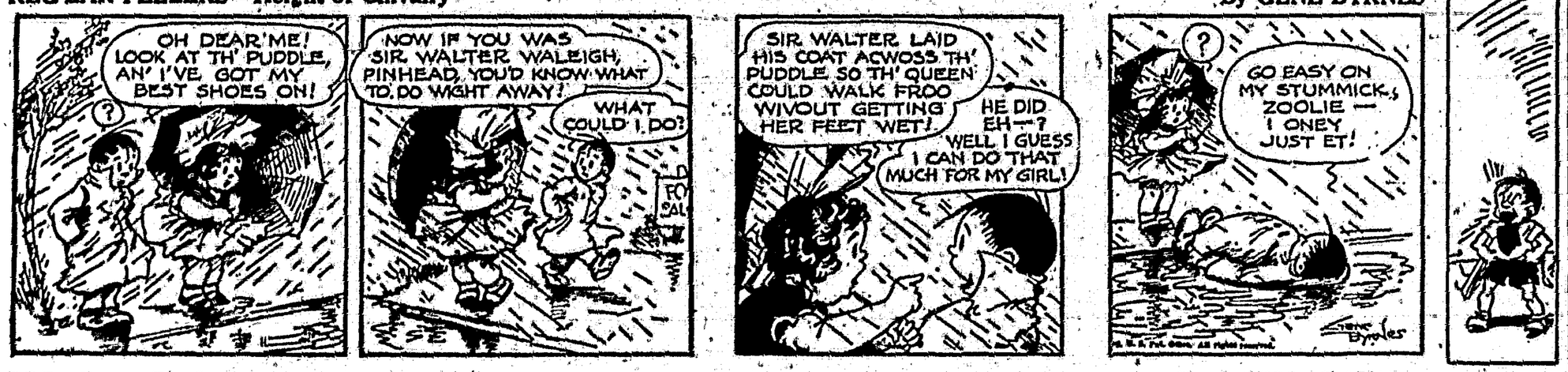
SPARKY WATTS — By BOODY ROGERS



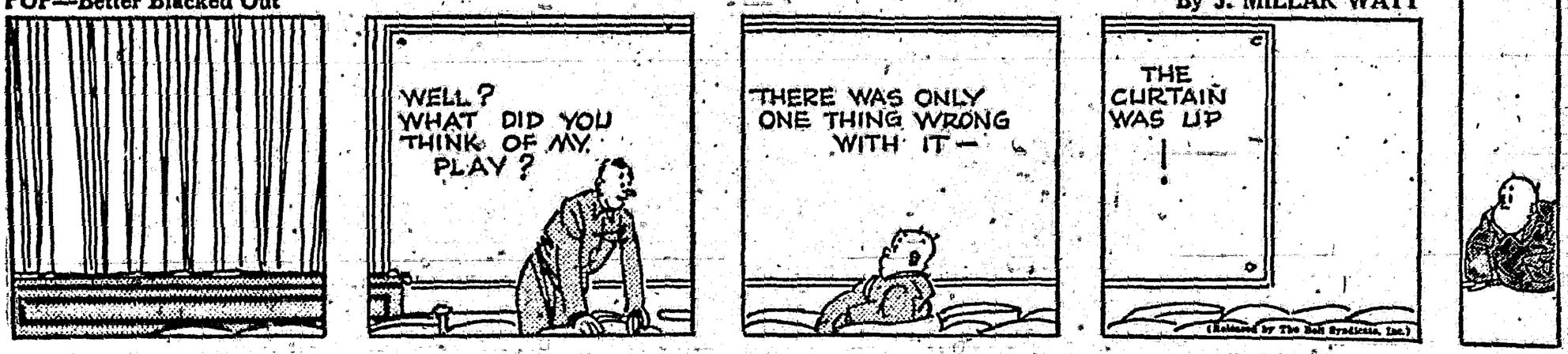
VIRGIL — By LEN KLEIS



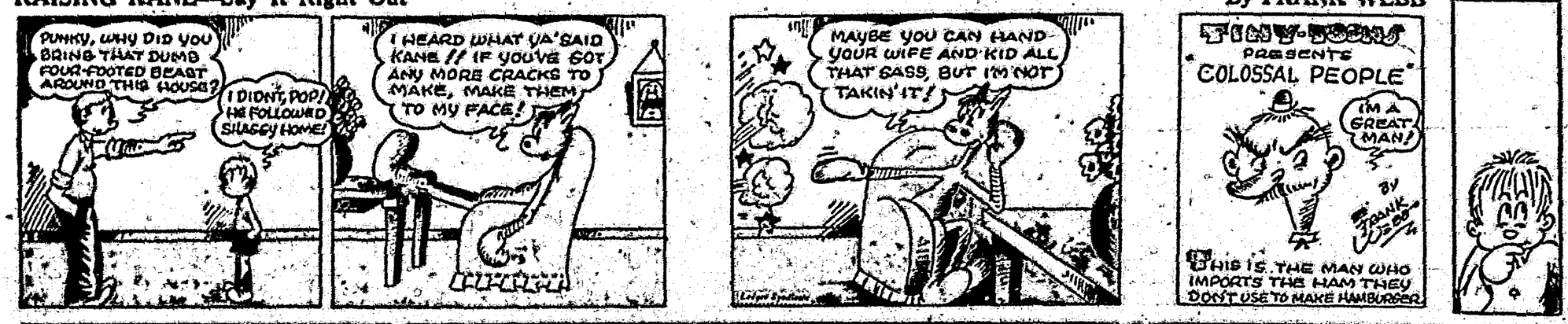
REG'LAR FELLERS—Height of Chivalry — By GENE BYRNES



POP—Better Blacked Out — By J. MILLAR WATT



RAISING KANE—Say It Right Out — By FRANK WEBB



PRIVATE BUCK — By Clyde Lewis

"Wild raspberries may be in season, Private Buck, but may I remind you there's a war going on?!"

CROSS TOWN — By Roland Coe

"No, they haven't been used—I missed every ball I swung at."

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MENTHOLATUM

Crab's Teeth

A crab has a stomach with two parts, one part fitted with three strong teeth which grind up hard food, including shells of its prey.

Kidneys Must Work Well-

For You To Feel Well

24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood.

If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluid, excess acids and other waste matter that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly.

Burning, scanty or too frequent urination sometimes warns that something is wrong. You may suffer nagging backache, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic pains, getting up at nights, swelling.

Why not try *Doan's Pills*? You will be using a medicine recommended the country over. *Doan's* stimulate the function of the kidneys and help them to flush out poisonous waste from the blood. They contain nothing harmful. Get *Doan's* today. Use with confidence. At all drug stores.

DOAN'S PILLS

Walter Winchell

(WNU Service)

The Private Papers Of a Cub Reporter

A visiting movie star was asked which man she would enjoy meeting most . . . To the amazement of the interviewers, she said: "Albert Einstein" . . . The noted scientist was lecturing in Manhattan and he agreed to see her . . . With the scribes scribing and the flashlight bulbs bulbing, the star in an awed voice said, "It's a thrill to think that I am talking to the one man who knows more about the stars than any other living person."

"Not quite," replied Einstein. "No one can predict what a star will do—to get her name in the papers."

They tell the one about the colonel, speaking at a dinner in his honor before embarking for Africa . . . "I thank you," he concluded, "for your kind wishes regarding my welfare, and I want you to know that when I am far away, surrounded by ugly, grinning savages, I shall always think of you."

Jackie Coogan, recently back from paratrooping in Burma and India, said that his Burma Glider group landed near a small tribal village 150 miles back of the Jap lines . . . Having the assignment to construct an airport in less than 12 hours, Coogan called over a Thugee (native chief) and asked that he parade the villagers that he wished to recruit as workers.

Hundreds of them were girls wearing very little. One, however, was better groomed than the others . . . Draped to her ankles was a huge towel with the words: "Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D. C."

At an airport the other day, a dejected sailor sat waiting for hours. He appeared so depressed a sympathetic bystander asked him what the trouble was . . . He said he had just come in from the South Pacific for a four-day furlough. His home was an hour and a half away by air . . . He had just been put off one plane in favor of a higher priority . . . He hadn't been home in two years. His father had died in the meantime, and every hour now seemed an eternity . . . But what really got him down, he added, was that two planes had left for his home burg but couldn't find room for him—despite the fact that the last person to board the plane was a civilian—carrying a golf bag!

When Norway was invaded civilian Germans fled Sweden because they expected that country to be invaded next . . . A German who had been buying up dollars at half the price took a train one night from Stockholm. His suitcase contained about one million dollars in small and large bills . . . He knew he could not get by Swedish customs with it, and that even if he did, the Gestapo would catch up with him in Germany . . . Not long after midnight the train stopped at a small station. The German hurried out with his valise, found a dark spot near a tree, buried his treasure, took careful note of the spot and boarded the train . . . Thru his window he made a note of a sign on a door (on the side of the depot) . . . It said KVINNOR . . . A few weeks ago he got permission to return to Sweden. At the station he showed the ticket seller the memo of the name he had copied down. The ticket seller's eyebrows jumped high and then he grinned . . . KVINNOR in Swedish means WOMEN . . . The frantic dope is now traveling all over central Sweden at night, hoping to find the right depot, not knowing that even if he is that lucky, the Swedish authorities are waiting for him.

This is how Russia whipped its Black Market . . . In Russia the soldiers get additional pay for each battle they are in, and not having anywhere to spend it, they send it home. The kinfolk are making more money than usual (in spite of what you hear), and all this is why Russia now has too much surplus coin, as well as a Black Market which gets 40 rubles for nylons and 50 for a bottle of Scotch . . . The Soviet gov't, being realistic about it, decided to go into the Black Market racket, so now they have gov't-owned stores in all communities . . . They are called "Government-Owned Black Market Stores" (or whatever the Russian is for that), and any citizen can shop in them . . . In this way, the gov't gets back all that surplus money . . . And keeps the citizens honest at the same time . . . Over here surplus money is being enjoyed only by the "mobs," who keep it all since they rarely pay taxes.

Marine 1st Lieut. Mitchell Paige (just returned after 26 months in the S. Pacific), one of two living enlisted Marines in this war to hold the Congressional Medal of Honor, has the unique distinction of being the only infantryman in this war to be grounded! . . . Wearied by the comparative "inactivity" of a forward training camp in New Guinea (following the Guadalcanal campaign), Paige "stole" a ride on a B-25 scheduled to bomb Rabaul . . . The hero was then "grounded" for the duration.

Speaking of Sports

By Bob McShane

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

ALTHOUGH night baseball has been the most important factor in keeping the game alive during wartime, there are still a few unbelievers in the major league circuits.

Ed Barrow, president of the New York Yankees, has little enthusiasm for the vesper version. According to columnist Dan Parker, he cooled off on the proposition almost a half century ago when his Paterson, N. J., club of the Atlantic league, starring one Honus Wagner, took part in the first professional ball game under arc lights at Wilmington, Del.

It was back in 1896, about the first of July. And, according to Parker, "In the flickering blue light of carbon-stick arc lamps, the first night game in organized baseball ran into trouble soon after it got under way when the rival pitcher, steamed up by Barrow to play a practical joke on Wagner, substituted a Fourth of July torpedo for the ball the first time bow-legged Honus came up to bat.

"Honus took a toehold for his cut and met the paper-covered bag of gunpowder flush on the detonator, causing such an explosion that the game broke up in a riot. Ed thought night baseball was a snare and a delusion then and he still sticks to his belief, although he wavered a bit this spring when the Yanks slumped both in attendance and in the league standing. He said:

Honus Wagner

Change of Heart

"'Under certain conditions, I wouldn't be too opposed to night baseball. But what good would it do me to change my mind this year when we couldn't install equipment for night games even if we wanted to?'"

It wasn't so long ago that Clark Griffith was a determined opponent of the night game. But the situation has changed. Mr. Griffith is one of the most radical advocates of the electrically-lighted sport.

There's a good reason for Griffith's change of heart. Washington is glutted with federal employes who couldn't take time off for an afternoon game. They did want baseball, but had to have it in the cool of the evening. Logic—and business acumen—dictated the answer to Griffith. Washington now is the night baseball center of the major leagues. Griffith has permission to play as many night games as he desires, except on Sundays or holidays.

Many changes have come to pass during the past 12 years. Of the 15 major league clubs, all but 5 have facilities for night baseball. Those 5 fields remaining in the dark are Fenway park and Braves field in Boston, Wrigley field in Chicago, Briggs stadium in Detroit and the Yankee stadium in New York. These parks couldn't install the powerful batteries of lights on their steel towers now if they wanted to, because, even though the ban on such construction was lifted not long ago, the material required isn't likely to be available until after the war.

The Evidence

Not that General Electric will go into rhapsodies, but we're in favor of night ball. Joe Doakes, the boy who helps turn out materials for war, deserves a break. He probably likes baseball. But he can't knock off the job Thursday afternoon to see the Yanks and White Sox battle. Night baseball provides the answer. Joe can see the game. He is happy. And Joe, multiplied a few hundred thousand times, makes the baseball club treasurer happy.

The case of the Southern association is proof of the value of the night game. This fine organization practically owes its existence to Mr. Edison's incandescent lamp. All games except those on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays are played at night in Billy Evans' circuit.

Evans wasn't wild about night baseball when he resigned from the Boston Red Sox and took over the presidency of the association. It didn't take him long to find out that the lights made the difference between black and red in the ledger. Association cities which formerly attracted 300 on week days now draw 3,000 in the hush of the evening.

The preponderance of evidence favors night ball. The situation is like to continue.

SPORTS SHORTS

¶ Gov. Dwight Griswold of Nebraska played football at Nebraska Wesleyan more than 30 years ago. He starred on the eleven.

¶ The Saratoga, N. Y., Spa golf course has no grade steeper than 8 per cent because of cardiac patients at the resort.

¶ Emil Verban, the Cardinals' new infielder, has a twin sister, Frances, who is a softball star.

¶ The St. Louis Cardinals won their first National league pennant in 1926. Since then they have won six more.

Fashions for Outdoor Play Are A Pet Theme With the Designers

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

NOW is the time of year when the call to come and play in the great outdoors is resounding through the air, and designers are working their imaginations overtime in conjuring fashions that look the part of carefree abandon to the joys of life in the open.

The grand thing about clothes as now styled for sports and other outdoor activities is that, with all their air of joy and frivolity, there's an undercurrent of genuine practicality and dependable many-purpose wear about them.

There are cunning swim suits, for instance, that are so obviously dressmaker styled and so cleverly designed that they do double duty as sun suits or for Victory gardening or even for wearing about the home during the round of household duties. Often they are that functional they have an extra skirt or an extra jacket or both that gives them a town-air equal to most any casual daytime occasion.

Fashion's followers are mightily pleased over this season's turnout of playclothes and swim suits and such that are so easy wearing and comfortable, so utilitarian, and so high-styled, with eye-appeal adding infinitely to the summer scene. They especially gloat over the interesting materials employed in fashioning this season's play outfits, expressing particular fancy for the various rayon weaves which are so blessedly cool and smooth in feeling. The list of rayon fabrics is full-up and bubbling over with varied and most interesting weaves, such as rayon with a butcher linen finish, also rayon poplin, broadcloth and even rayon seersucker. In the dressier rayons there are taffetas, bengalines and failles, also elegant-looking sleek satin, which is the "newest out" for play and swim suits.

It is gleaming black rayon taffeta that makes the body of the beautifully slenderizing princess-line suit shown to the left in the foreground of the illustration. The same taffeta also fashions the lattice-work top of this handsome suit, which is so striking its wearer might easily be voted the belle of the beach. This type suit is equally effective when styled of the now-so-voguish sleek black satin, which is the new rage on the beach this summer.

Brown and white cross-barred rayon seersucker is the crisp and cool fabric chosen for the attractive dressmaker suit in the foreground to the right. It has a cross-strap sun-inviting back. Pleated scalloped edging outlines the top of the nicely fitted bodice. Soft rayon jersey is a tremendous favorite on the beach this summer, and a gay flatterer it is with its grace and gorgeous coloring. A pretty bowknot print on soft-draping rayon jersey adds to the interest of the becoming dressmaker suit shown above to the right.

And now for a real thrill in the way of a new-type bathing suit that is making its bow this summer. See it illustrated above to the right. This exotic swim suit is the season's darling among the slim-hipped younger set, who can wear to advantage its brief wrapped skirt. These are liked both in the Javanese type which wraps to one side and the Hindu style which wraps to tie at the front. Linen textured spun rayon in a multi-color tropical flower print in shades of rose, fuchsia, blue and green against an aqua background makes this delightful little suit which invites you to go native. The print itself is deftly executed to give a hand-painted effect.

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Cool, Chic Golf Dress

Here is a sweet and cool golf dress that is just the thing to wear right now if you would add a smart fashion touch to the surrounding landscape on a bright summer day. Be assured this checked cotton playsuit from Chicago Fashion Industries is up to par on the golf course when a comely star player dons the matching skirt. Notice the low-cut neck, the broad stay-on-the-shoulder straps and the attractiveness of the material which makes it. It is a season when cottons for golf players are staging a big play all their own, for, as you know, swank cottons go everywhere these days.

Gala Over-Blouses An Important Trend

A dress formula that will be dramatized to the limit in the immediate future is that of the simple narrow skirt, topped with a gorgeous gala sleek long-torso blouse made of rich fabric, often with striking bead embroidery accent or perhaps artfully hand-painted. One de luxe blouse in promise is a model of white crepe with a tunic flare, beaded in a Chinese manner in red, gold, lime and green about the V-neckline and at each hip. Another type is of kelly and black jacquard satin, tied at the hipline with a voluminous bow of self-fabric.

Raincoats of Gabardine And Elkskin Are Smart

Raincoats are growing smarter and smarter. They are really making a great splurge in the fashion realm this year. Indicative of the increasing style importance of rainwear one sees bright coats of soft elkskin, a smooth silky fabric that gives a dressmaker look. Another coat of bright red gabardine is designed in Russian cossack style. There is a tendency to create raincoats so stunning they also serve as topcoats or wraps on a chilly day.

'Lip-Imprint' Silk Is Novel

Of all the exciting new and novel prints brought out this season, the most unique is the one which patterns a white background with lip imprints just as natural as life, or perhaps we should say, "drugstore coloring."

PATTERNS

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THE youthful capped sleeves with their romantic little ruffled trim—the slim, sleek lines of the front—the trim buttoned back and the big tie-bow all add up to as neat a bit of house dress charm as you've ever encountered!

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Pattern No. 8642 is in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20; 40 and 42. Size 14 requires 3¾ yards of 39-inch material; 3⅛ yards machine-made ruffling trim.

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Household Hints

The blunt end of a pencil may be used to turn a fabric belt right side out. And orangewood stick is excellent for working the corners out sharply.

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A coat of white shellac applied to the cover of your cook book keeps it looking like new.

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Hemming a new frock will be easier if you cut a piece of cardboard to the exact width you want the hem and use it as a marker. Start the hem, insert the card and slip it along as you work.

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When making aprons, sew on two pockets. Then, if you need a patch you can use one of the pockets.

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Take a large paper bag with you when cleaning or tidying up the living room. Into it empty contents of ash trays and wastebaskets.

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To fix window screens so you can see out and the neighbors cannot see in, paint the inside of the screens with a thin white enamel.

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To fasten the thread at the end of your work, take one or more backstitches, then bring the needle through to the wrong side. Make a knot by holding the thread down on the wrong side with the thumb and pass the needle under it.

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Beware of dusty shoulders. Cut paper protectors to slip over clothes hangers and onto your dresses before hanging them away.

S. African Natives Store Grain in Huge Baskets

Natives of South Africa may not put all of their eggs in one basket, but in huge hampers they store a good deal of their grain. The average one, for example, holds 18 large bags of grain.

Although the climate is quite dry, the baskets, called "isilulis," are so tightly woven that no rain can leak into them. They also keep out most rodents.

Kool-Aid
Makes 10 BIG, COOL Drinks!
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SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

A recent report of the War Department showed that Army requirements of crude or synthetic rubber for combat material included 810 pounds for a medium tank; 105 pounds for a fighter plane; 404 pounds for a 77 mm. gun carriage, down to 7½ pounds for a gas mask, and 19 pounds for a mile of field wire.

Government officials estimate that an average of one million gallons of alcohol a day will be used this year in the production of synthetic rubber. This is a big contributing factor in the shortage of certain types of beverages.

Jerry Shaw

In war or peace
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Put Every Spare Penny You Own Behind Victory And a Lasting Peace!
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FRIDAY Aug. 4, 1944

Mrs. Era B. Smith, Editor and Publisher

Always Out of Tune

National Democratic Chairman Bob Hannegan compares the Republican Party to a "pipe organ of stuck whistles" and asserts that the American people "will not be misled by a do-nothing program from a party of obstructionists." He might well have added that the only notes emanating from the GOP pipe organ even when it was in working order were discordant wails, weeping laments and funeral dirges. — The Southwestern (Dem.)

Big Difference

Roosevelt's leadership is recognized by a majority of the people of the United States as being superior along all lines, not only in international relations but in civilian war effort and social and economic problems of the nation. A majority of the people believe that he should be kept as Commander-in-Chief. — The Corydon Democrat.

NO WONDER!!

"You New Dealer," hissed Sewell Avery, president of Montgomery Ward & Co., when he walked by Attorney General Biddle in his Chicago office. My, oh my, how Montgomery Ward has suffered and moaned and groaned under New Deal rule.

Take back in 1931, for instance, this great mail order house was "Wallowing around in the Republican depression" and in that year suffered a loss of more than 9 million dollars. And in 1932 its loss was nearly as great. Then came the New Deal and in three years its 9 million dollar loss had been turned into a 9 million dollar profit. And last year—1943—it enjoyed a net income of $20,077,008 out of which President Avery received the nice little ca[illegible] of nearly $101,000.

No[illegible] Avery is mad at the N[illegible] treated him and his co[illegible]ally. Apparently, the [illegible] Montgomery, Ward makes [illegible] more Avery hates the friendly government which has made the record earnings of his company possible.—Missouri Democratic State Committee.

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LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS

Bean Support Price Extended To August 31

To be eligible for the support price, growers must market their 1943 crop of dry beans on or before August 31, WFA warned New Mexico farmers this week.

The original agreement made with d[illegible]afers by the Commodity [illegible]t Corporation provided for [illegible]ermination of the support p[illegible]m July 31 but the support on the '43 crop has been extended for thirty days.

NOTICE!

The State of New Mexico now under the 8th Service Command, Dallas, Texas, and the following Air Raid warning signals are now in force and will be used exclusively here:

Blue Signal: City Siren. One long for two minutes. Warning for public to be on alert.

Red Signal: Short warbling blasts on siren for two minutes. This is Blackout Signal.

Wh[illegible] All clear. Street lights will be turned on.

Carrizozo Civilian Defense Council.

June 12th — 5th War Loan — July 8th

Beginning July 17

The Carrizozo Beauty Shop

Will only be open in the afternoon until further notice.

The operator in charge will be Ida Greer Hill who is well known and has had years of experience.

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Sandwiches

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Doughnuts
And pastries
To take out

Everybody Invited to Attend

The Sixth Annual District Camp Meeting of the Church of the Nazarene in New Mexico will convene at Angus July 27th to August 6th.

Rev. Lon R. Woodrum will do the preaching; Rev. and Mrs. V. L. Wilcox will have charge of services for the young people.

C. C. Calhoun, pastor,
Capitan New Mexico

IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO WITHIN AND FOR LINCOLN COUNTY.

BERNARDO B. MANCHA) and JUSTINA M. MANCHA,) husband and wife, Plaintiffs

NO. 5121

VS.

Unknown Heirs of CHARLES) (CHAS.) S. HENNING, De-) ceased, Impleaded with the fol-) lowing named defendants,) against whom substituted ser) vice is hereby sought to be) obtained, to-wit: UNKNOWN) HEIRS OF CHARLES (CHAS.) S. HENNING, Deceased, and) All Unknown Claimants Of) Interests in The Premises Ad-) verse To The Plaintiffs,) Defendants.)

NOTICE

OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

To each of the above named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, GREETING:

You and each of you are hereby notified that the above named plaintiffs have filed their complaint against you in the above numbered and entitled case and court.

The general object of said suit is to quiet plaintiffs' title to the real estate described in the complaint, situate in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and being

Lots 3 and 4, Block 14 of the town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, as shown on the official plat of said town on file in the office of the Clerk of said County,

against the adverse claims of you and each of you, and anyone claiming by, under or through you, and to forever bar and estop you from having or claiming any lien upon, or right or title to said real estate.

Unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before September 25, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you and each of you by default.

Plaintiff's attorney is John E. Hall, Carrizozo, N. M.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico this 1st day of August, 1944.

Felix Ramey,
(SEAL) District Court Clerk.

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Miss Beatrice Romero of Albuquerque left last Saturday morning from that point to be at the bedside of her father, Mr. Joe Romero, who was at the point of death at Palm Springs, California. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Purcey and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Krohn, Jr. were there also.

Mr. Hugh Grafton of Lincoln was in town last week and while here he paid his subscription to the News. Mr. Grafton has been on our subscription list for several years. His father Mr. T. J. Grafton had been a constant subscriber for about 30 years before his death.

Miss Betty Lou Ward arrived home from Roswell today. She had been visiting friends there during her vacation. She is employed at Paden's

SANTA RITA CHURCH
Sunday Masses:
First Mass 7. A. M.
Second Mass 8. M.
Ruidoso Masses
Every Sunday at 11. A. M.
Rev. Salvatore Di Giovanni, Pastor

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No. 29
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Visiting Stars cordially invited
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John E. Wright.....Sec-Treas

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH
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IN
THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO WITHIN AND FOR LINCOLN COUNTY.

W. B. PAYNE ..... PLAINTIFF

VS

ANNE ESPE DIETZ, Impleaded with the following named defendants, against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: JAUNITA WILKINSON, T. HOBSON WILLIAMS, JACKSON, LOLA JACKSON, MAISIE K. MOORE NEBLETT (individually and as executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Leroy O. Moore, deceased), R. W. BILBO, the following named defendants by name if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs; MRS. F. M. COOK and R. L. STRINGER; unknown heirs of the following named deceased persons; SARAH J. LAWRANCE and THEODORE N. ESPE, and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE ESTATE OF THE PLAINTIFF.

DEFENDANTS

NO. 5112

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

To each of these defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, GREETING:

You and each of you are hereby notified that the above named plaintiff has filed his complaint against you in the above numbered and titled case and court.

The general object of this suit is to quiet plaintiff's title to the real estate described in the complaint, situate in Lincoln County New Mexico, and being in:

Sections 21, 27 and 34, T 5 S R 15 E, and in Sections 7, 19 8 9 and 30 T 4 S, R. 15 E, N. M. P. M.

Against the adverse claims of you and each of you and anyone claiming by, under or through you, and to forever bar and estop you from having or claiming any lien upon, or right or title to said real estate.

Unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before July 28, 1944, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you and each of you by default.

Plaintiff's attorney is John E. Hall, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Given under my hand and seal of the Third Judical District Court of the State of New Mexico this 12 th day of June 1944.

Felix Ramey,
D. C. ----------
Seal) District Court Clerk.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ARTHUR H. KUDNER, DECEASED.

No. 585

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

To all persons having claims against the estate of Arthur H. Kudner, deceased;

Notice is hereby given:

That Madelin T. Kudner, George Link, Jr., and John Oliver LaGorce whose business address is:
c o McKercher and Link
Attorneys at Law, 17 John Street New York 7, New York, have been appointed Ancillary Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Arthur H. Kudner, deceased by the Honorable Probate Court of Lincoln County, State of New Mexico, and have qualified as such; all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby notified to present the same in the manner prescribed by law on or before the 8th day of January, 1945, or the same will be barred.

The Attorney for the Ancillary Executors is A. H. Hudspeth, whose pos office address is Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Dated this 5th, of July 1944.

Madelin T. Kudner
George Link, Jr.
John Oliver LaGorce
Ancillary Executors

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So, help me and help yourself and your Uncle Sam, by endorsing the face of every coupon in your possession. Don't take any gasoline coupons from anyone as a gift! Don't accept gasoline at any price without giving up coupons! And use the legal gasoline you buy for essential driving only!

I have asked you to help me; in return, I'll be glad to help you. Bring your car in any time for the many *Tire-Saving* and *Car-Saving* services I offer. Some are free, and some carry a small charge for materials and labor. But they are a big aid in making your car and your tires last longer and go further.

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NOTICE OF HEARING OF FINAL REPORT AND ACCOUNT
In The District Court of Lincoln County State of New Mexico
In the Matter of the ESTATE OF PULIDORA C. ST. JOHN, Deceased.
No. 4904

To Elvira St. John Martinez, 1919 S. Broadway, Albuquerque, N. M.; Marcial C. St. John, Las Cruces, N.M.; Mrs. Tillie Padilla, Carrizozo, N. M.; Lell St. John, Wm. Beaumont Hospital, El Paso, Texas; Juanita St. John Marquez, Carrizozo, N. M.; Ramon B. St. John, 408 T SS, Sheppard Field, Texas; Mabel B. St. John, Oro Grande, N. M.; Lloyd H. St. John, Oro Grande, New Mexico and to all unknown heirs of the said decedent, and all unknown persons claiming 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 hereby notified, and notice is hereby given, that Andelacio Padilla, Administrator of Estate of Pulidora C. St. John, deceased, has filed in the above entitled Court his final report and account as such Administrator, and the Court has appointed Tuesday, the 5th day of September, 1944, 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 Andelacio Padilla as such Administrator, and at the hour on the day named, the the Probate Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of her said estate and the interest of each respective claimant thereto and therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

The name and post office address of the attorney for the Administrator is John E. Hall, Carrizozo, N. M.

Witness the honorable Numa C. Frenger, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, this 10 day of July, 1944.

FELIX RAMEY,
(Seal) Clerk
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New Mexico Gains $370,053 From It's National Forests

Receipts collected from the seven National Forests in New Mexico for the last fiscal year totaled $370,053.22, an increase of about 58 per cent over the previous year, according to a report combiled by Reed H. Jensen, regional fiscal agent of the National Forest Service.

Fees from the grazing of cattle and sheep on forest ranges amouted to $195,685 21 Receipts from the cut timber hit a record of $164,160 11, and $8,700 97 came from lanp rentals. Miscellaneous receipts accounted for the balance of $1,197.93.

The Santa Fe National Forest leb with total receipts of $61,306-87. The Gila second with $70,104.12.

Twenty five per cent will be returned to the state and be divided among the counties in which there are national forests. This money will go into the school fudds. An additional ten per cent is returned to the Forest Service for the construction and maintenance of forest roads and trails within the national forests.

Rationed Eased On Farm Machinery

When the 1945 farm machinery rationing went into effect last week, a dozen items went off the rationing list of farm equipment: corn and cotton planters, row-type sprayers, potato graders, stationary balers, field ensilage harvesters, portable elevators, windmills, listers, and listers with planting attachments.

Purhase certificates will be required on 19 rationed items; but there will be no county quotas on grain drills, potato planters, potato diggers, silo fillers irrigation pumps, power sprayers, garden tractors, well-water systems, power pumps, and farm milk coolers. County quotas will be established on combines, corn binders, corn pickers, manure spreaders, mowers, side-delivery rakes, hay loaders, pick-up balers, and tractors.

Buy More War Bonds Today

WE'RE SORRY FOLKS

But due to the war we haven't been able to buy any garment hangers for the past few months, our supply is now exhausted, so it becomes necessary to ask you to bring or send hangers with each cleaning order. All extras you can spare will be appreciated. Thanks.

NU-WAY CLEANERS
Phone 81

From where I sit ... *by* Joe Marsh

Human nature don't change much

"Keeping store," Sam Abernethy says, "can teach a person plenty about human nature.

"Now coffee rationing's lifted, folks ain't a-breakin' their necks tryin' to buy all they can. Knowin' they can have it if they want it, they ain't so all-fired anxious to get it."

Sam's right, as usual. I don't crave that second cup half as much as when I couldn't get it.

But that's human nature . . . Like allowing moderate beer in the Army's post exchanges. Instead of leading to more drinking, the OWI report says it works out just the opposite—often as not the men choose soda pop or milk, with beer right there and no restrictions on it.

But if it wasn't there, like in the last War, the story might be altogether different.

From where I sit, that's how it is with Americans. Tell 'em they can't have a thing and by golly, they'll find ways to get it. But admit their right to have it, and their own good sense will lead to moderation.

Joe Marsh

DISTRIBUTING INDUSTRY FOUNDATION Rooms 11-12 Farmers Bldg. ALBUQUERQUE

GRASSROOTS

by WRIGHT A. PATTERSON

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

COMPLICATED ARRANGEMENT OF FARM CREDIT

FOR A WEEK I have devoted a portion of each day to an effort to fathom the intricacies of government farm financing as operated by 10 different agencies of the government.

In a brochure of less than 30 pages the Citizens National committee, 1409 L street, Washington, has attempted to interpret how it is done and with what result, through only a small portion of these ten or more agencies. It is not the fault of that Committee that I do not understand; it is because the whole thing is so intricate and so complicated that it is beyond the scope of my thinking and analytical capacities.

It reminds me much of that inverted pyramid of industrial and finance corporations built by Insull, the crash of which tumbled many thousands, supposedly wealthy or well-to-do people from a pinnacle of imagined wealth to the depths of poverty. The only staple thing about that Insull inverted pyramid was its foundation of operating utility plants. They continued to operate. The only staple thing about the various financing administrations, corporations, bureaus, associations and what have you in this medley of farm financing, is the foundation, the credit of the government, backed by the pocketbook of the American taxpayer.

I think my week of studious effort succeeded in untangling one small snarl. As I interpret it, congress, in 1933, established Production Credit Corporations and Associations, the Production Credit Associations being the offspring of the Corporations. The Corporations were financed with government funds, and these, in turn, financed the Associations with government funds and without any interest charges. The investment of the government, through the Credit Corporations, was represented by non-voting stock in the Associations. As conditions improved, congress had expected the farmers to buy up this government-owned stock and make of these Associations privately owned farm cooperative financing organizations.

Ten years after the government started these Associations there were, on December 31, 1943, 523 of them in operation, with a total capitalization of $102,405,376. Of that amount the government still holds, through Production Credit Corporations, $75,770,400. The farmers had taken over $26,634,916. The farmers then owned 24 per cent, and theirs was the voting stock. The farmer members controlled while the government provided most of the funds.

That was as far as I could get without assistance so I tried a local banker. He could not help me; the complications involved in the government's farm loaning operations were beyond him. From the report of the Committee he understood, many of the Associations were losing propositions, despite the fact that they paid no interest on the government money they were loaning. That, possibly, was the reason the canny, hard-headed, conservative farmer did not buy up the government stock in Production Credit Associations.

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BEAUTIFUL FESTIVAL OF ORANGE, CALIFORNIA

WE AMERICANS, east and west, revere our past generations. In Boston the Pilgrims are never forgotten. In New York the early Dutch settlements are commemorated, in Virginia the memory of Capt. John Smith and his Jamestown associates is kept evergreen. So it goes from ocean to ocean. The West immortalizes those pioneers who were the founders of mighty states. Typical of the West is the annual fruit harvest festival at Orange, California. Each year it portrays the past and the present. In the colorful parade are representatives of the cowboys and the cowgirls of the not far distant past; the stage coaches that are still remembered as the means of public travel; the hidalgos of the Mexican days only 100 years ago; the burros of the miners from the nearby hills, and the horses, pintos and broncs, without which no celebration in the West is complete. With these reminders of the past were the evidences of the present—the bright-colored uniforms of the high school bands, led by high-stepping, bare-legged majorettes; beautifully decorated autos for which gas had been saved that the owners might participate in the three-mile line of march. It was a mingling of the past and the present that keeps ever green that past of romance and adventure that was the West.

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THE EFFORT WE MADE, at the instigation of our theoretical bureaucrats, to Russianize the American farm cost the taxpayers more than 200 million dollars. That was not much as compared with billions, but each little bit added to what we spend mounts into the billions. Government-managed, collectivist farms proved a complete flop. That expenditure helped no one other than the bureaucratic farm managers.

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THERE IS NO SILVER LINING in the cloud over Hitler's head.

Rest and Treatment Given to War Veterans

Columns of marines (left), weary from Saipan front line fighting, march to the rear for rest as replacements pass them on the way to the front. The X-ray is part of front line equipment. (Right) shows a Saipan veteran, still wearing his battle togs, being given a foot X-ray at a medical base in Saipan after he had been brought in wounded from the fighting line. Pharmacist's Mate FC Frank E. Newkirk, of Camp Bellburg, Ind., is operating the machine in order to determine the extent of injuries to the marine.

Wallace and Truman Led Early Convention Lists

Vice President Henry Wallace rushed to the convention to carry on his fight as well as serve as delegate from Iowa to the Democratic national convention. Letter from President Roosevelt preceded him to Chicago. He entered the convention with more pledged delegates than any other candidate. (Right) Sen. Harry S. Truman of Missouri, who did not "choose" to run, was early boomed for the vice presidential nomination as a compromise candidate.

German 'Withdrawal' in Europe

Germany's supreme war council, according to dispatch from Madrid, has decided to withdraw its forces from occupied countries. On three fronts, East, West, and South, Nazi manpower is spreading thin, after almost five years of war, because of mounting losses.

Calling All Shots

She refuses to star with Clare Luce or anyone else, but at the Democratic convention, Mrs. Helen Gahagan Douglas, wife of screen actor Capt. Melvyn Douglas, made known her position in political matters. She is running for congress from her district in California.

California Ship Explosion

Photo made at the Port Chicago pier, near Martinez, Calif., where two Liberty ships loaded with ammunition exploded causing loss estimated at 320 lives, only a few bodies of which have been recovered. Wreckage of the pier is shown here, as well as the remains of the vessels, in upper right.

Red Cross Sinkers

Lieut. Col. Frank S. Perego of Canandaigua, N. Y., and Capt. Richard E. Leary of Annapolis, Md., sample some of the doughnuts offered by Red Cross worker.

The Washington MERRY-GO-ROUND

DREW PEARSON

Washington, D. C.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE SQUABBLE

Those who have carefully dug into the history of the electoral college admit privately that Jim Farley's legal counsellors, who hatched the idea of electors disregarding the popular vote, did some smart thinking, not from the viewpoint of a fair election but in regard to historic precedent.

Most famous case in which the electors flouted the majority of voters was in the election of 1876 between Hayes and Tilden. But there have been other interesting and more recent cases, though they didn't upset a national election or attract much attention. For instance:

In the Teddy Roosevelt-Alton B. Parker election of 1904, Maryland cast seven electoral votes for Parker and only one for Roosevelt, though Roosevelt had the majority of the popular vote by the very slight margin of 109,497 to 109,446. . . . In the Taft-Bryan contest of 1908, Maryland electors again ignored the will of the people by voting 6 to 2 for Bryan, though Taft got a slight edge of the popular vote by 116,513 to 115,908. . . . California electors split their vote in the 1912 Wilson-Taft-Roosevelt fight by a 2 to 11 vote in the electoral college for no particular reason. Wilson ran second in the popular vote, with Roosevelt first, but two electors disregarded this and voted for Wilson anyway.

History is dotted with isolated cases where a few electors bolted the wishes of the people of their state and voted as they pleased. This, it must be admitted, was what the Constitution specified, though general custom has ruled otherwise.

In the McKinley-Bryan contest of 1896, one California elector plumped for Bryan, though the people of the state voted for McKinley. One Kentuckian did the same thing in the same election. . . . Michigan in 1892 saw only 9 of its electors vote for Benjamin Harrison and 5 for Grover Cleveland, though Harrison got the popular vote. . . . Ohio cast one electoral vote for Cleveland in the same election, though Harrison carried the state by a slender margin.

All of this background indicates why FDR's politicos, though not admitting it publicly, are scrutinizing credentials carefully and are not at all happy about the electoral college threat in the South.

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RED 'TIRE-TAPE'

Strange as it seems, American motorists soon will have a chance to buy German and Japanese tires. Behind this is a story of inexcusable government red tape and procrastination.

Inside fact is that, immediately after Pearl Harbor, U. S. officials began buying up all sorts of tires in South America, accumulating tires imported to Latin America from every part of the world, some of them five to twenty years old. Several hundred old Japanese and German tires were found among Brazilian stocks.

When these tires were originally imported into the United States, they were allocated largely for military use, some for lend-lease, some for government agencies.

Last November, however, synthetic tire manufacture was increasing and it was decided to sell a large number of these imported tires to civilians. Here came the first red-tape hitch. The tires had been purchased by the Rubber Development corporation, an FEA agency. But Rubber Development did not want to sell the tires to Defense Supplies corporation, a Jesse Jones agency, except at the price which it had originally paid in Brazil. This price, in order to get the tires away from Brazilians, had been high.

But Jesse Jones and his Defense Supplies corporation, being shrewd bargainers, didn't want to buy at that high price.

More Red Tape.

Finally, Rubber Director Col. Bradley Dewey stepped in to help cut the red tape. Rubber Development's high price was met. But then, more delays developed.

Finally, on February 28, 1944, Colonel Dewey signed a strongly worded directive demanding once again that the tires be turned over to civilian use. However, it was not until June, four months later, that the transfer to Defense Supplies corporation was finally completed.

Thus, seven whole months were wasted while the tires gathered dust.

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POLITICAL CHAFF

It wasn't what the governor of North Carolina said to the governor of South Carolina, but rather what several governors of North Carolina said to each other en route to Chicago. On the North Carolina Special were favorite son Governor Broughton, ex-Gov. O. Max Gardner, and ex-Gov. John Ehringhaus. . . . All came to the convention together, in addition to North Carolina's Lieut. Gov. R. L. Harris, ex-Speaker Will Smith, and ex-Congressman Frank Hancock.

JUST BETWEEN US

Old Tricks

Said the dresser to the actress—"There's a man at the door who insists on coming in."

"Did you ask for his card?" inquired the star.

"Yes, but he only laughed and tried to kiss me."

"Oh, let him in," said the actress. "That's my husband!"

Germs or no germs, kissing must be fully as dangerous as they make it out to be; it has put an end to a lot of bachelors.

Could Be

Teacher—Who were the three wise men?

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For a Match

"I think I'll get a pair of red shoes—those flatties with wedge heels," said the tall blonde.

"Why low heels?" asked her friend, in surprise.

"I want them to go with a short lieutenant."

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DUDE WOMAN

By PETER B. KYNE

WNU SERVICE

THE STORY THUS FAR: Mary Sutherland, an eastern girl, is lured to Arizona by the advertisements of the Wagon Wheel dude ranch operated by Ma and Pa Burdan. She is met at the station by Len Henley, rodeo rider, who tells her that the Wagon Wheel has gone out of business. Len takes her to Phoenix. Hearing that the Wagon Wheel is broke, Ham Henley, Len's father, purchases the Burdan notes from the bank. While at Phoenix Len enters the rodeo, drawing a bronc known as Mad Hatter, toughest horse in the West. Ham bets Len three to one he won't be able to stay on the horse. Mary learns that Len loves her. She wagers one thousand to three thousand that Len will ride Mad Hatter.

CHAPTER VIII

Ham Henley still did not know where to find the Burdans but he suspected they would visit his son as soon as the doctors would permit it; so he had a man sit in a car in front of the hospital with instructions that if an elderly couple should drive up in a station wagon he was to follow them when they emerged and secure their address.

When, at the end of four days the Burdans had not appeared he commenced to be anxious. In order to file foreclosure suits against them he would have to have them served personally with the summons, and complaint in action and undue delay in locating the defendants would make it incumbent upon him to petition the court for permission to enter upon the Wagon Wheel ranch to conserve its assets. And, if it could possibly be avoided, he did not wish to enter foreclosure suits; he did not want the Wagon Wheel ranch to be thus advertised as a property upon which a supposedly experienced cowman had failed.

While Hamilton Henley's thoughts were thus engaged, Pa Burdan had kept his promise to uncover the latter's sudden interest in the Wagon Wheel ranch—a task which, it must be confessed, was not remotely complicated. He telephoned the president of the State Bank at Prescott to inquire if payment of the delinquent interest on the loans, the delinquent taxes on the collateral and a payment of say five per cent on the principal of the loans might operate to forestall the filing of suits in foreclosure. He was not surprised when informed that the bank was no longer interested in that matter because Hamilton L. Henley had purchased both mortgages.

So that was how the cat was about to hop! Pa came in to Ma and said proudly: "Well, Ma, I told you I'd ferret out Ham Henley's interest in the Wagon Wheel an' I have. He's bought the mortgages!"

"You through ferretin'?" Ma demanded.

"Ain't nothin' more to ferret," Pa protested, virtuously.

"Very well, then, I'll start. Ham Henley wants an assignment of our state land lease to make sure nobody else slips in ahead o' him an' gets it after the state land commissioner cancels our lease for failure to pay the rent."

"I ain't a-goin' to deny that, Ma."

"An' he wants a bill-o'-sale to the cattle an' a quit-claim deed to the home ranch so's he won't have to enter suit in foreclosure an' can enter on the property an' take charge right off. He knows we can't protect ourselves nohow so he's gone big-hearted an' offered us as a gift just about what it'd cost him to enter suit."

Now that Len was out of danger and permitted a few visitors for a few minutes daily, Mary wondered if he still harbored his plan for acquiring the Wagon Wheel ranch. She suspected he was sufficiently tenacious to cling to the idea; that while unable to attend to the details himself he might engage a lawyer to attend to them for him, for she doubted if he would ask his father to serve him. In order to verify her suspicions, therefore, she asked him about it.

He replied, sadly, that he had abandoned the idea. The Burdans had fled from the Wagon Wheel in panic; when their panic subsided they would, of course, return to pack their few personal belongings, but they would not remain there until legally evicted. Pa had to do something quickly to earn a living for himself and Ma . . . Hence somebody had to take charge of the ranch at once and the bank would, of course, petition the court for permission to do so in order to avoid waste and spoilage of their collateral prior to securing judgment in foreclosure suits. Consequently, the moment such suits were instituted, competition to secure the Wagon Wheel at an obvious bargain, would be keen; and, of course, a man flat on his back in a hospital, doomed to remain there not less than two months and facing an additional convalescence period of a month or more, could not compete.

When she terminated her brief visit Mary went to the local bank where she had opened an account by depositing Ham Henley's check and asked a bank official to recommend a good local attorney. He suggested a Mr. Henry Buller in the Henley building and to Mr. Henry Buller's office Mary at once repaired. Upon returning to her hotel she visited Ma and Pa Burdan.

"I am thinking seriously of acquiring the Wagon Wheel ranch," she began. "What price will you accept for your equity?"

Ma's acquired sense of leadership bade her answer: "Ten thousand dollars!"

Young as she was Mary realized she was about to be played for a dude, that Ma and Pa were not above employing a modicum of rural cunning. So she decided there should be no temporizing. "For an assignment of your state land lease—for a deed to your home ranch, subject, of course, to the deed of trust held by the bank and for a bill-of-sale of all of your cattle, subject to the mortgage on them held by the bank, I will give you twenty-five hundred dollars and not a penny more."

"Take it," said Ma.

"Leave all your papers with me," Mary directed. "I must have a lawyer verify your lease and your right to assign it and approve the title to your real estate. As soon as he has done that I will issue you a check. In the interim let us go to the lawyer's office and sign an option."

The moment the Burdans were back at the home of the relative with whom they were staying Ma picked up the telephone and called Ham Henley's number. Pa put his hand over the mouthpiece. "Aimin' to gloat a mite on Ham Henley, eh?"

For a plaything she had taken the ranch.

he growled, "before the deal is closed final. Ma, you're askin' for it, so as soon as we git the money you take half an' I'll take half an' we'll go our separate ways."

Ma trembled and hung up.

That afternoon Buller verified the fact that the Burdans had a land lease, that it was still valid and that they had a legal right to assign it. The following morning the title to the real estate was found to be in order and at two o'clock that afternoon the deal was formally closed—whereupon Ma Burdan picked up Henry Buller's telephone and demanded speech with Hamilton L. Henley. Evidently her request was granted for Mary heard her toss over the line a bit of ancient childhood doggerel:

"Smarty gave a party
And nobody came but a big
fat darkey."

Then she put the receiver back in its cradle and smiled happily.

"If Ma hadn't had her gloat over Ham Henley I reckon she'd have busted wide open," Pa opined.

"Why is she gloating?" Mary asked.

"On account Ham Henley's bought our notes from the bank an' was hell-bent on buyin' from us what you've just bought."

"Why didn't you tell me Hamilton Henley had bought those notes?" Mary demanded.

"You never asked," Pa replied, in all innocence, "besides which, if I'd volunteered the information you might have figgered we was tryin' to whipsaw you. You offered a thousand more'n Ham Henley so we took it."

Mary sighed. It was one thing to high-pressure a bank but she had a very strong suspicion that to high-pressure Hamilton L. Henley was quite another pair of boots. However, the fat was in the fire now and all she could do was to go to the assault. "I think I'll handle Mr. Henley myself," she told Henry Buller, "while you go over to the state land office, pay that delinquent rental and file with the land commissioner that assignment of lease." She picked up the telephone, called Hamilton L. Henley's office, and asked for an interview.

That morning Ham Henley had dropped in for a minute to visit his son. "Len," he said, "you've wintered for several years on the Wagon Wheel. You sort o' like that property, don't you?"

"It's beautiful," Len sighed. "I've always wanted to own it—and I would have, too, if I'd gotten off Mad Hatter sooner."

"I been thinkin' maybe you'd be happier with a spread of your own, son," his father went on. "I'm in position to pick up the Wagon Wheel for a song, an' if I thought you'd accept it I'd buy it an' give it to you an' there wouldn't be no strings to the gift, son, except that I'd like you to put up at my house when you come to town an' keep a room for me at the Wagon Wheel so's I can visit you when I come up to Yavapai county."

Len looked up at his father and the latter saw his son's eyes grow moist, saw his one sound arm come up from under the sheets and grope toward him. "I'll be mighty happy to have the gift—now that I know your love goes with it," he said with some difficulty.

Ham Henley laid his big hard hand across his son's eyes to hide the emotion in his own, for he was not given to being soft and it disturbed him. "Why, son," he said gently, "there ain't nothin' I wouldn't do for you if I could. I know I was hard on you when you was in your teens . . . I—it hurt me—because you accepted your mother's leadership instead o' mine—I got the false notion you wasn't a Henley . . . When I seen you ride Mad Hatter to a gaspin' finish I knew you'd done somethin' no man o' your mother's clan would have done . . . I'm right sorry for a lot o' things . . ."

"You talk too much," his son said. "I don't need a blue-print."

"We'll gather them Burdan scrubs an' culls, an' sell 'em for what they'll bring; then I'll stock you up with high-grade cattle. You visit all my ranches an' help yourself to the best horses in the caballado an' as soon as you're up an' doin' again I'll buy you a car like mine."

"It isn't considered good—medical practice—pappy—to pull the nose—of a fellow with a fractured skull—but keep on—if it pleases you—"

"You keep your tail up," his father roared, and fled from the room. Back in his office he said to Jess Hubbell, "Jess, Mrs. Bill Burdan is out to swindle me on that Wagon Wheel deal. I don't know her scarcely, but Len's fond of her . . . so let her get away with her swindle. When she calls up again you handle her. She riles me."

"How much?"

"She's asking twenty-five hundred. It's a gift so give it to her. I want the Wagon Wheel for my son and I've got to get the Burdans out of my way so I can send a manager out to look after things."

"Where can I find the Burdans, Mr. Henley?"

"I don't know. But you needn't bother lookin'. She'll be callin' up this afternoon to accept my last offer . . . Poor devils, they got to have some getaway money."

He gazed upon his general-manager a moment, then laid a hand on the latter's shoulder. "Jess," he said, "I pay this crazy government too much income taxes, so I'm a goin' to reduce the inflammation by increasin' deductible expenses. Gimme the office payroll . . . I aim to whoop salaries, startin' with you."

"I'm glad," said Jess Hubbell, "that the boy's going to live. I'm glad you're happy and thanks for the raise."

"Happy? Jess, I'm happier'n a coyote in a watermelon patch. Jess, my boy's always been right fond of me—an' I didn't know it. Can you beat that?"

"It ain't up to me to tell you how dumb you've been," Jess Hubbell replied diplomatically. "You know somebody by the name o' Miss Mary Sutherland?"

"Yes. What about her?"

"She telephoned to ask for an interview with you at eleven tomorrow morning. I told her I'd call her back at her hotel."

"I'll see her, Jess."

All the remainder of the day he wondered what the object of the interview might be. He felt vaguely disturbed about it after Ma Burdan had telephoned him some cryptic nonsense about a party and a big fat darkey and his perturbation had not abated when Mary was ushered into his office.

"Good mornin', dude," he greeted her. "What's on your mind?"

"Good morning, Don Hamilton. On my mind this morning are two sour loans you purchased from the State Bank of Arizona."

"Hum-m-m!"

"Do it again. I own the Wagon Wheel state land lease and the Burdan equity in the Wagon Wheel home ranch and the cattle."

He blanched and flushed. His face went out of control and as a mask for concealing his emotions he was aware it was no longer of any use to him and this knowledge, combined with the blow below the belt this dude girl had so calmly and forcibly given him, filled him with anger. He thought rather incoherently: She's robbing my son. For a plaything she has taken the ranch he's yearned for years to possess and she's robbing me of the fun of making his dream come true. She dislikes me and now she has come to gloat over me . . . I must not speak too quickly. If I do I'll say too much . . . after all my son is in love with her and I've just gotten my son back . . . I mustn't risk losing him again.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Farm Topics

Adequate Water for Stock Is Essential

Improvement Seen As Production Aid

Full utilization of grazing areas, with an attendant production of more and better meat and dairy products requires adequate water for livestock on range and pasture. No matter how palatable and plentiful the forage, if sufficient water at regular intervals is not available, livestock will not reach a good marketable condition.

Development of enough wells and springs and ponds to supply the necessary water is not the only requirement, WFA points out. Proper distribution of the water in relation to available forage is essential to efficient grazing as full utilization cannot be realized if an adequate supply is not accessible to livestock on any part of the pasture or range acreage.

Stock-water developments are important on farm pastures in humid areas as well as on the ranges in semi-arid and arid states, according to government authorities. While the greatest need is in the latter areas, inadequate facilities prevent the fullest use of good pasture on many farms because the owner is not aware that a lack is possible in the more humid section where he is raising stock. Also, he may not realize how influential stock-water supplies can be in improving the quality and quantity of range and pasture feed.

In many states, farmers may receive assistance in carrying out stock-water developments under the conservation program administered by the agricultural adjustment agency.

Conservation of soil and water are aided indirectly by development of necessary pasture and range watering facilities. With proper development and distribution of water supplies, grazing can be restricted on overgrazed, eroded or depleted rangeland and the stock rotated over other areas in keeping with their grazing capacity. Adequate water supplies on farm pastures, while encouraging more uniform grazing, will also aid pasture improvement practices, and decrease damage from erosion.

Water facilities are, roughly, of two kinds—natural and constructed. Springs, streams and lakes are in the first group. The second requires drilling, excavation or other construction work to make water available, and includes wells, artificial reservoirs and ponds, ditches, and troughs and storage tanks attached to springs and reservoirs.

Fertilizer Increase Half Million Tons

American farmers this year will use well over 11,000,000 tons of commercial fertilizer—a new all-time high. That's half a million tons more than were used in 1943 and 3,000,000 tons more than in 1940.

Adjustments in analysis of complete fertilizers to be sold in different states have been made to insure the best possible use of the available materials supplying nitrogen, phosphoric acid, and potash. The nitrogen content of many of the available grades has been increased somewhat, indicated supplies of this important plant food being about 35 per cent greater than last year.

While some fertilizer ingredients are available in somewhat larger amounts this year than last, all of them, including such important nitrogen-carrying materials as ammonium sulfate, sodium nitrate, ammonium nitrate, and fertilizer compounds, are still on allocation by the War Production board.

Large Worm Loss

Experts say the average wormy pig, if it lives, requires one-fifth more feed to reach the same weight as an uninfested one. Since about half of the pigs in the United States are said to be infested, elimination of internal parasites would save great quantities of feed. It would save many hogs, veterinarians estimating that worms kill one pig in ten. By wide experiments and use, phenothiazine has proved to be the only drug that will control nodular worms. It also controls roundworms or Ascarids as effectively as other commonly used anthelmintics. Phenothiazine is usually given with dry feed mixtures to hogs confined in a pen, although individual doses of pellets, tabs or as a drench with a syringe are also used. The drug should be given according to printed directions or under the supervision of a veterinarian.

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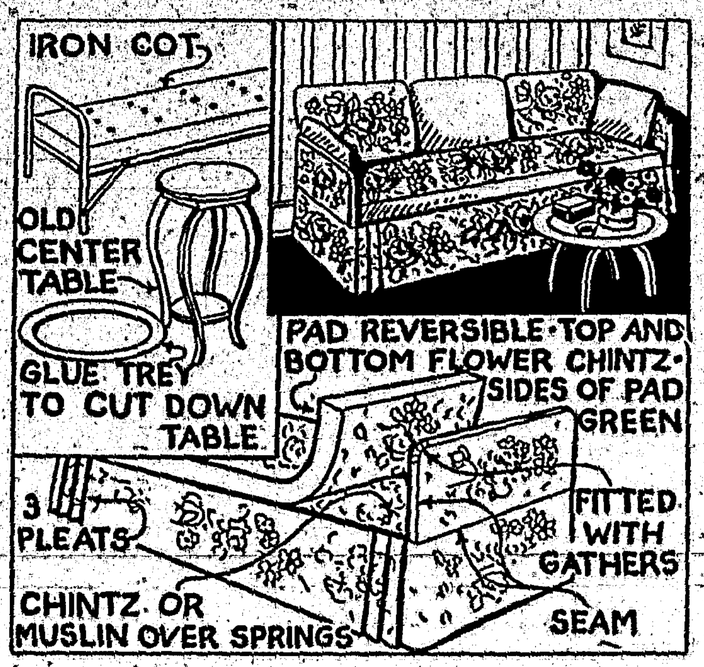

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The Questions

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3. What do the English mean when they say: "Ike's Snowballs"?
4. Is an armadillo classified as a marsupial or a mammal?
5. On the battlefield, what is meant by a "dragon wagon"?
6. What name is given to the small flag flying from the masthead of a ship?
7. What is an iguana?
8. The emperor of what country regained his lost throne after five years in 1941?

The Answers

1. Tungsten.
2. The short "and" sign (&).
3. The provost marshal's white-helmeted, white-gaitered MPs who roam London looking for AWOLs.
4. A mammal.
5. A tank transport used to haul disabled tanks to a repair depot.
6. Banderole.
7. A large American lizard.
8. Haile Selassie of Abyssinia.

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PERSONALS

A letter from Mrs. Ollie Albrough Burton, who moved to Arkansas last January states that she doesn't want to miss an issue of the News, so in case they do decide to move back to New Mexico they wont feel as if they are strangers in a strange land, but just returning home. Mrs. Burton says the name of their farm is "Fairview" and they are located on Highmay 66.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley McPherson, and Mrs. Jobie McPherson of Roswell have all gone to San Diego, California to visit Jobie McPherson, who joined the Navy last April. Jobie makes the fourth star for the Lincoln County News service flag.

Mrs. Edgar Phillips of Roswell was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Sam Walsh, the past week.

The Legion Auviliary Dance last Saturday night was quite a success.

Mrs. Albert Snow and children were Las Cruces visitors last week.

Mrs. L. W. Smith and Mrs. Marshall Atkinson were business visitors from White Oaks last Monday.

Stitch and Chatter Club Notes

The S-C met Tue. night at the home of Mrs. Johnson Stearns with Mrs. Felix Ramey assisting hostess. During the business meeting Margaret Stinnett reported that the Service plaque will be completed by August 15, and placed in the Post Office building.

The following officers were elected for a period of four months: Pres. Bessie Hodgin, V. Pres. Margaret Stinnett, Sec and Treas. Margaret Stearns Reporter, Catherine Hemphill.

After the business meeting bridge was played. Lovely refreshments were served by the hostesses. Bessie Hodgin, Reporter

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Agricultural Notes

by

Carl P. Radcliff, County Extension Agent

Plans have been completed for the Corona Extension Club to cooperate with school officials in sponsoring a Hot Lunch Project in the Corona schools this year. Two special meetings have been held with members of the club at which time Mrs. Ola C. Jones, Couty School Superintendent, discussed her experiences with the Hot Lunch Program in other parts of the county.

Finance, Purchasing, and Meal Planning Committees have been appointed, all of whom will work under the general sponsorship of the Extension Club, with Mrs. Willis Lovelace, Jr. as general sponsor.

Members of the Hondo Extension Club entertained their husbands Saturday, July 29, with a covered dish supper at the home of Mrs. J. G. Harris, of Hollywood.

Seven 4-H registered gilts will be awarded to winners of an essay contest within the next 60 days. Any boy or girl betweeen the ages of 12 and 21 years of age who is interested in entering this contest, should contact the county agent for further details.

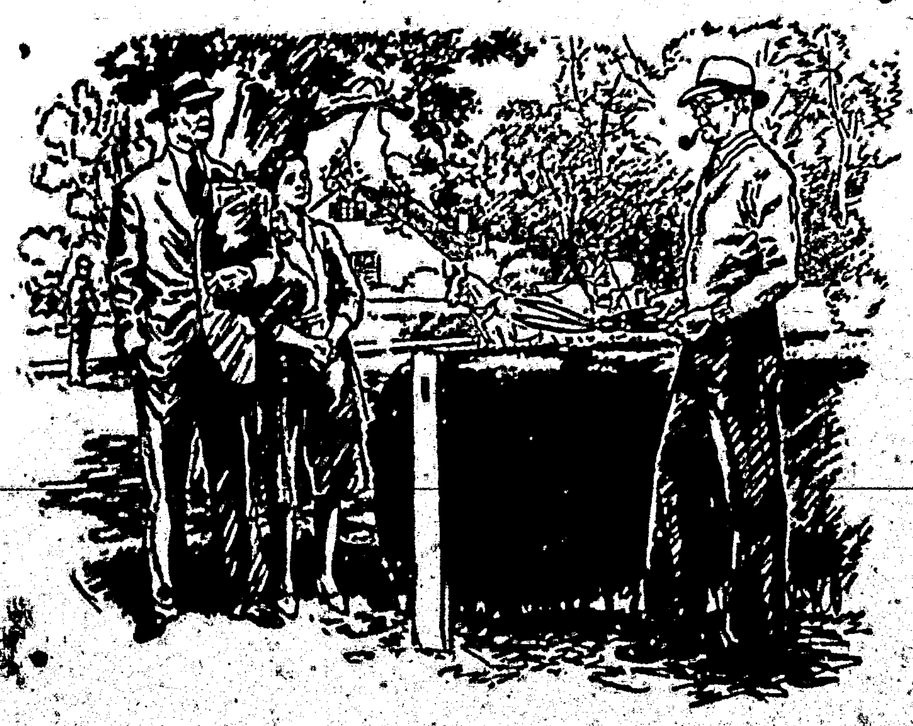
A recent Forest Service report classifies the Pinon crop in Lincoln County in 1944 as "poor to failure."

A hearing for the inclusion of 179,000 acres in the Macho Soil Conservation District was held on the 30th day of July at the ranch of Clint Sultemeir, near Corona.

A recent survey conducted by the County Marketing Committee in cooperation with the county agent reveals that Lincoln County will have approximately a 50 per cent of normal fruit crop this year.

With a shortage of grass and legume seed, farmers are urged to harvest all available seed. They will be paid $3.50 for the entire acreage of grass and legume seeds that are harvested under the AAA Program. Additional payments will be made for alfalfa seed provided the seed meet certain specifications.

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"Mary and I were just saying, Judge, how lucky we are here in America that we have so many natural resources to help win the war."

"That's right, Jim. When war broke out we had oil, we had steel, we had food, lumber, aluminum...practically everything we needed. There's one thing we didn't have...rubber. The enemy had that."

"But that didn't bother us for long. Soon American brains and industry had synthetic rubber by the tons rolling out of plants. That filled a critical need...you can't win a war without rubber."

"I was very much interested the other day in reading a statement made by a high government official on synthetic rubber. In it he said 'It is fair to regard the rubber manufactured to date as being almost solely the product of the beverage distilling industry.'"

"He also said that, in his estimation, the tremendous contribution of distillers' industrial alcohol to the synthetic rubber program had not received the recognition which it deserves."

"We certainly learned something today, didn't we Mary?"

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