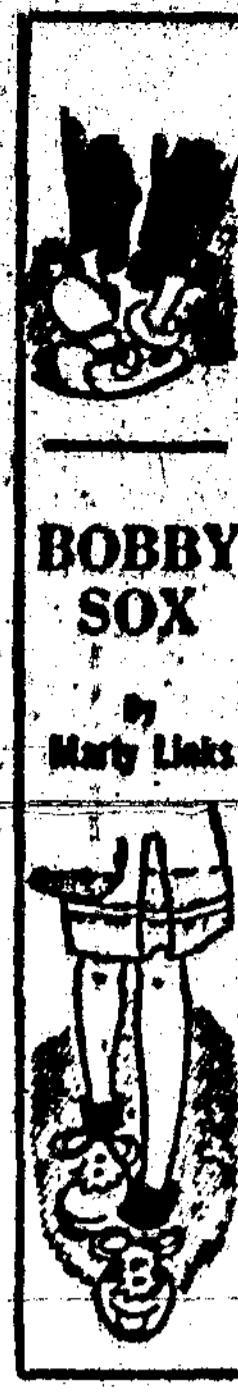




CROSS TOWN
By Roland Coe



"There's more room to carry stuff in a golf bag than there is in a handbag—and believe me, these dames are usin' every square inch of it!"



BOBBY SOX
By Mary Links



"It must be another letter from Alvin. . . There's four cents due on it!"



SCRIPTURE: Revelation 17; Acts 16:16-40; I Peter 4:12-13; 5:1
DEVOTIONAL READING: Revelation 2:7-13

Courageous Loyalty

Lesson for December 14, 1947

OPEN your Bible to Revelation, and read the first seven chapters. Then you will be ready for Acts 16:16-40, and I Peter 4:12-10, and 5:6, 7. These Scriptures form the basis of a study for Sunday on Loyalty Under Persecution. Christians are not promised an easy time, but they are assured sufficient grace for every time of need. This lesson, if carefully pondered, will fortify one's faith and send us forth renewed in courage and Christian poise for these days of discipleship.

How a Song Helped

"HUMBLE yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time; casting all your care upon him, for he careth for you," I Peter 5:6, 7. That is a splendid watchword for every boy and girl. Now, turn to Acts 16:16-30, and see how Paul and Silas, locked in the inner dungeon at midnight, could pray and sing. That is what happens to the Christian who sincerely trusts in God—who acts on the promise that God really cares for his trusting children.

A memory verse suggested for Sunday is found in Proverbs 17:22, and it goes like this: "A cheerful heart is a good medicine." Have you watched some Christian in affliction—how he or she could bless every passerby? It was because that person possessed the "cheerful heart." And each of us may have that precious possession, if we remember Mark 11:22, "Have faith in God."

Happy Behind Prison Bars

PAUL and Silas are pictured as happy in that dark dungeon. There is a statement to challenge every cynic, every doubting Thomas. Only the grace of God can make men happy under persecution. Paul declares in Romans 1:16, "I am not ashamed of the Gospel." Aye, he was not ashamed to preach the Gospel to the little damsel on the streets of Jerusalem, nor was he ashamed to go to the prison for the sake of the Gospel.

Best of all, Paul and Silas were sustained in their sorrowful plight by the consciousness that God was with them—that he always keeps his word.

I venture the prediction that the fortitude of Paul and Silas in that night of persecution did more to impress the Christian religion upon Jerusalem than any sermon even the eloquent Paul ever uttered. We, too, can witness for Christ as we face difficult situations.

Courageous Loyalty

LOOK now at Revelation 2:8-11, and 3:14-22, for the example of the church at Smyrna, burdened by tribulation and poverty, but "rich" in the promise that a crown of life awaited them.

It was far more difficult to be a Christian in the first century than it is in the twentieth century. By which I mean that the early Christians were few in number and without any backing of public opinion. They were despised as the lowly followers of the crucified carpenter of Nazareth. Today, Christians are acknowledged as the best citizens in every community.

Even so, there are tests for us—tests that will be too much for human courage and loyalty. If we are true to the teachings of Jesus as they relate to everyday life, we shall need that same endowment which the Christians at Smyrna possessed, else our discipleship will shame the name of our Lord.

The Blood of the Lamb

THE lesson concludes with that dramatic passage in Revelation 7:8-17, in which we behold the great white-robed throng about the throne of God, singing, "Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be unto our God forever and ever. Amen."

Who were they? "These are they which came out of great tribulation, and have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb."

Loyalty under persecution is dependent absolutely upon the life-giving power of the blood of the Lamb.

"For now, I am with thee, O be not dismayed. For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid."

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HOUSEHOLD TIPS

When painting or varnishing glue a paper plate to the bottom of the can. This arrangement is much more convenient than using a newspaper to prevent marring floors and other surfaces.

Try waxing painted surfaces where finger marks usually appear. The waxed surfaces can be cleaned quickly and easily without damage to paint.

To protect blankets from soil bind the tops with light weight washable material about 16 inches wide.

When curtains are removed from stretchers, iron the edges. This gives a more finished appearance.

A hammer and screw-driver will find many uses in the kitchen. Keep these tools in a drawer along with the usual kitchen implements.

Bolled rice, sprinkled with brown sugar and served with cream is a delicious, simply prepared dessert.

Be careful of sauerkraut juice. It's one of the strongest natural food acids, and will stain many surfaces. Very difficult are these stains to remove too.

There are three points to check for perfect fit in long sleeves. Check the shoulder, the elbow, and the wrist. The armhole should be perfectly round and well-fitted, the elbow should give freedom of movement without binding, and the wrist should be snug.

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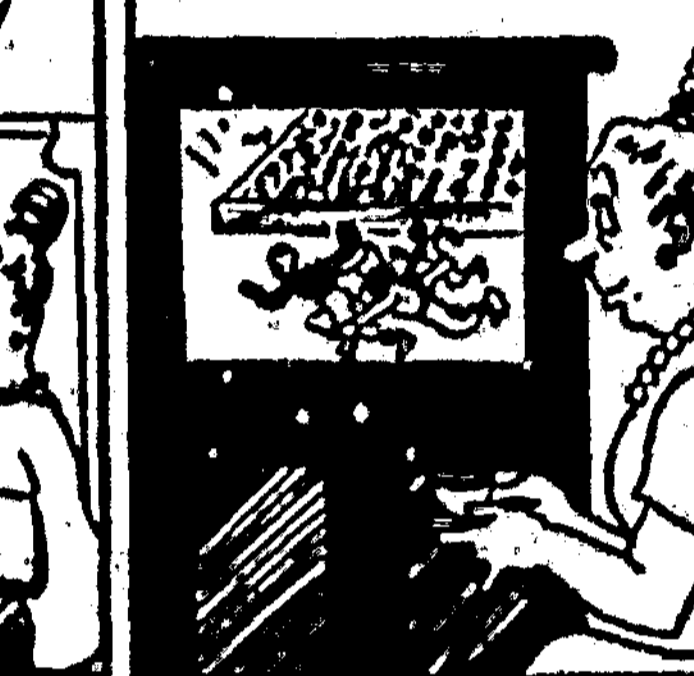
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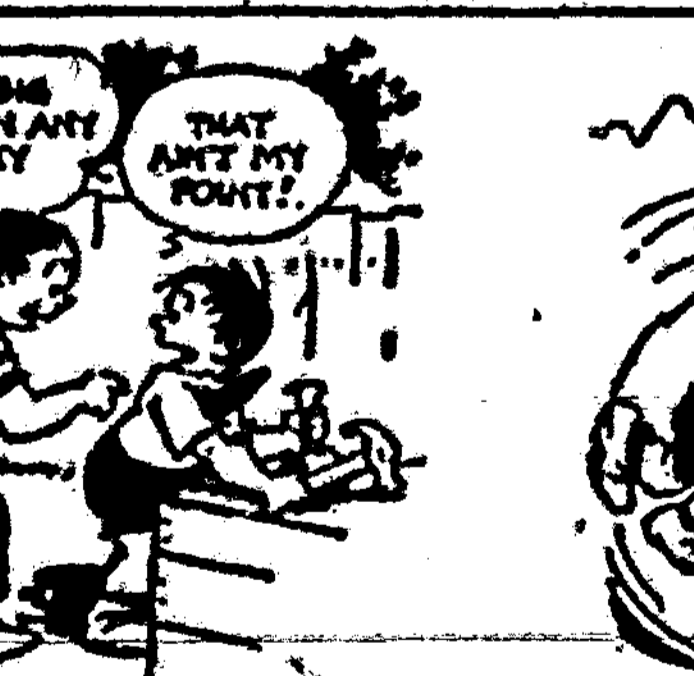
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One of the most vexing questions facing women shoppers every Christmas is: What shall I get for him? The perfect solution for every male is quite a problem—but so far this seems like a perfect choice.

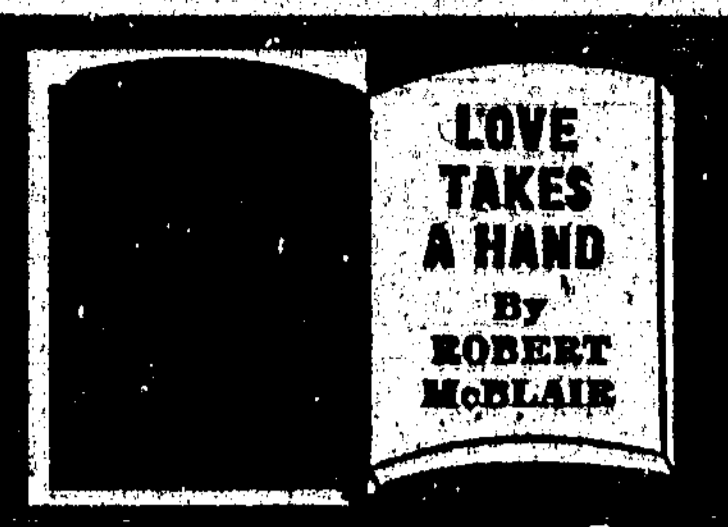
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SAVAGELY, old Adam Courtney twisted his cigar-yellowed moustache. From the parlor sofa, the muffled sobs of Diana, his hapely and lovelly young daughter, expressed an unshakable defiance.

"I AM going to marry Jim Bailey," she chanted monotonously. "I don't care if he HASN'T got the money he ought to have to start in business.

"Grimly, Adam Courtney went for his hat and his heavy cane. Grimly he left the house. He knew where to find Jim Bailey. Banned from calling on Diana, he would be waiting at the club—the big social and athletic club—for her to join him for the dance tonight.

Surely this called for desperate measures. As he stalked into the club, he spied the ruddy, muscular young object of his quest. In the black and white of dinner clothes, Jim Bailey sat watching a game in the busy card room.

Next evening, each bearing his stake of three thousand dollars, they took their seats in the card room. "Draw poker," announced Adam Courtney, tearing open the pack. "Table stakes. And," he leaned across the table and looked Jim Bailey in the eye, "a gentleman's agreement!"

Then the old man lost three large bets. The stacks of money stood about even again—each three thousand dollars.

She touched Jim's arm—and hesitated. Of course she had been told what was up. The money in Jim's hand told her the rest; she ran to her father.

Old Adam Courtney sat staring at his bony left hand flat on the table. For a moment his shoulders seemed to sag. Then he straightened, and tilted a quizzical, twinkling look up at the circle of staring faces.

and Diana, on the one hand, and Diana's father on the other. Under ordinary circumstances, no one would expect him to agree to risk losing his money and his hope of future happiness on the turn of a card.

Only two weeks before, the old man had caned a newspaper editor who had intimated that Adam Courtney, in the old days on the Coast, had been a professional gambler.



The money in Jim's hand told her the rest. She ran to her father. The grim old man ignored her.

"Cash!" said Adam Courtney grimly.

Next evening, each bearing his stake of three thousand dollars, they took their seats in the card room. "Draw poker," announced Adam Courtney, tearing open the pack.

Open gambling was not permitted in the club. But what employee would dare stop that? Like wildfire the news spread. Members hurried in just in time to see the old man lose five hundred dollars on a full house, against Jim Bailey's four tens.

At first, luck seemed to favor Jim Bailey. But presently the calm, grim old man began to win.

Then the old man lost three large bets. The stacks of money stood about even again—each three thousand dollars.

Jim Bailey dealt. Adam Courtney looked at his cards. He counted out five hundred dollars. Jim Bailey

looked at his cards. Without hesitation, he pushed an equal amount forward.

Then each drew cards. Jim Bailey held up three cards and drew two. Adam Courtney asked for but one. The old man looked at the card. Quickly he pushed forward his whole remaining pile.

THE spectators glanced at one another. Some thought they had glimpsed the two hands. To start with, as they afterward explained, Jim Bailey had held three aces, Adam Courtney three kings. On the draw it seemed that Jim, with three aces pat, had caught two queens.

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Then occurred one of those disturbing interruptions which explain the new screens at the card room door. There was a cry and a commotion, and Diana, Adam Courtney's daughter, appeared in the doorway, staring in at the players.

She was dressed to go to the dance. Her hair was arranged in the style of twenty years ago. In a white-satin dress which had belonged to her mother, she looked (as an elderly member said) the spitting image of Adam Courtney's dead wife.

Old Adam Courtney glanced up, stared, as at a ghost. Heaven only knows what memory—perhaps of his and his wife's glowing early happiness—passed through his mind.

This distraction lasted but a moment. Then Adam Courtney sat up and faced Jim Bailey. Leaning awkwardly forward, his left hand heavy on the table, the old man turned his own cards up, one by one.

THE KING OF DIAMONDS. "One!" the crowd breathed. THE KING OF HEARTS. "Two!" the crowd whispered. THE KING OF CLUBS. "Three!" the crowd murmured. Then he turned—THE QUEEN OF DIAMONDS.

Not only had he failed to catch the king of spades on the draw, apparently he had drawn but one card, when he should have drawn two. He held only four cards, a worthless hand.

The grim old man had lost! Jim Bailey had won, not only the old man's three thousand, but his daughter.

Hand in hand, the two young people left the club. Their motor roared away, seemingly with a triumphant note that spoke of money enough for "business," and for marriage, and independence.

Old Adam Courtney sat staring at his bony left hand flat on the table. For a moment his shoulders seemed to sag. Then he straightened, and tilted a quizzical, twinkling look up at the circle of staring faces.

"I knew what she was wishing," he said. "I'm an old fool, I expect." He lifted his left hand. There beneath it, face up on the table, lay the missing king of spades.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Horizontal: 1 Skill, 4 Burning, 8 Dance step, 12 French coin, 13 Great flow of water, 14 Illumined, 15 To confer with an enemy, 17 Composed of two elements, 18 To prohibit, 20 Giant, 21 Excited, 22 Transgression, 24 To remove, 27 To allow, 28 To bring forth, 29 Bishop's headgear, 30 Proposition, 31 Part of a circle, 32 Gold term, 33 To depart, 34 Scent, 36 To suit, 37 Crazy, 38 Withered, 39 Light brown, 40 Wax, 41 Genus of geese, 42 Pass between mountains, 44 American boat, 45 Joyful, 46 Ovary, 48 Girl's name, 52 Organ of hearing, 53 Miserly, 54 Subtle kind of sarcasm, 55 Cereal plant.

Vertical: 1 Venomous snake, 2 Kiwi, 3 Flatfish, 4 The southwest wind, 5 Winged insect, 6 Maiden loved by Zeus, 7 Redbreast, 8 To prepare for publication, 9 Celestial body, 10 Tune for pipe, 11 To fall behind, 12 Lowest point, 13 Malleable metal, 14 Also called, 15 Kind, 16 Epoch, 17 Lawful, 18 To eat away, 19 Period of time, 20 To entangle, 21 To alter, 22 To fasten, 23 Color, 24 Distant, 25 To hesitate, 26 Whistle, 27 Mistletoe, 28 Prudent, 29 Bold, 43 Earthy material, 44 Cage for hawks, 45 The salt, 46 Storage place, 47 Fodder, 48 Before, 49 Altruistic language.

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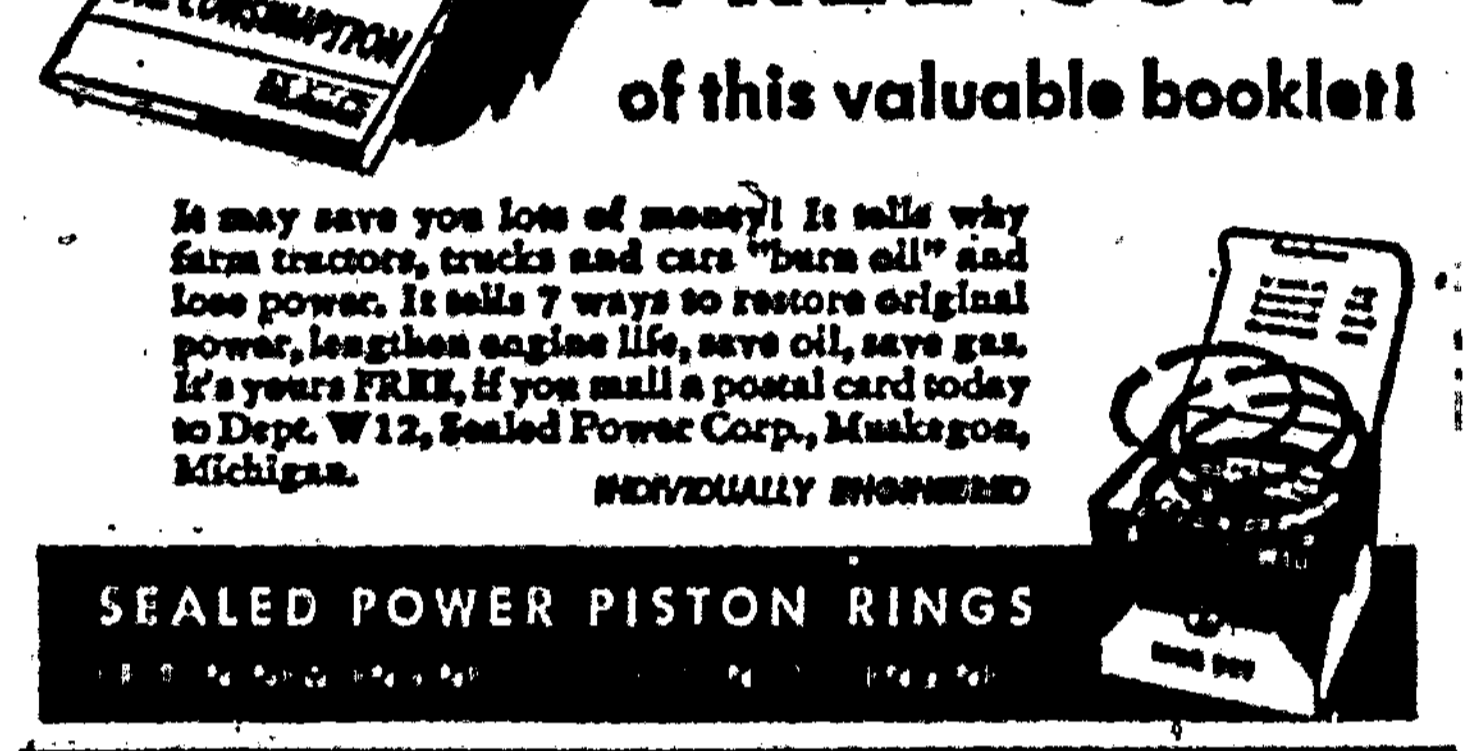
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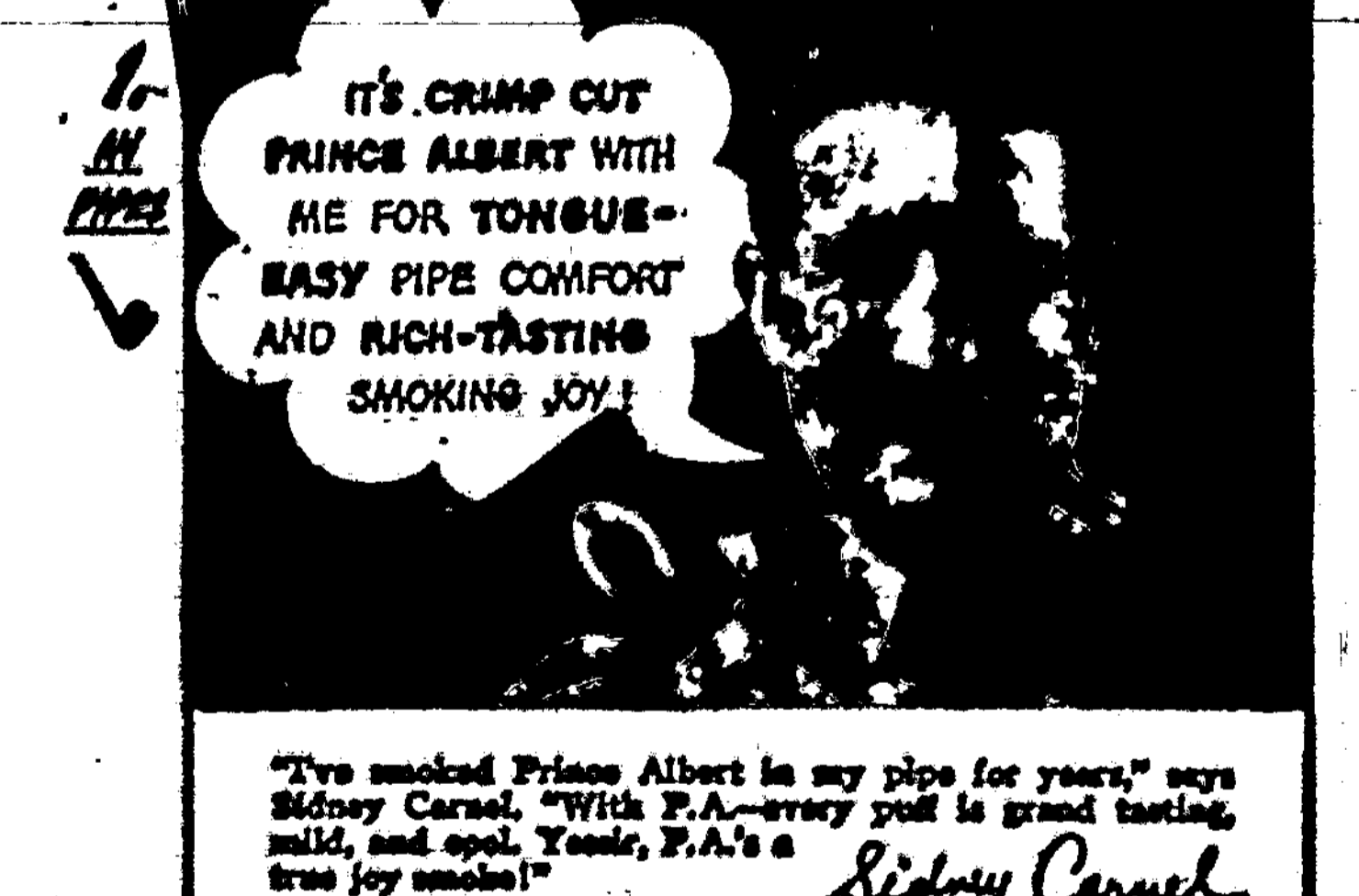
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LEGLALS

STATE OF NEW MEXICO,) COUNTY OF LINCOLN,) IN THE PROBATE COURT IN THE MATTER OF THE) LAST WILL AND TESTA-) MENT OF ANNA B) TIFFANY.)

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Anna B Tiffany Deceased has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico...

Therefore any person or persons wishing to enter objections to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico...

Dated at Carrizozo, N. Mex. this 1st day of December, 1947. S. E. Gretzen Probate Clerk (Probate Court Seal) D 5-20

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

In The Matter of the Last Will and Testament of) No 5410 T J Keller.) Deceased)

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN GREETINGS: Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of T J Keller, Deceased, has been filed for probate in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico...

Therefore any person or persons wishing to enter objections or exceptions to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections or exceptions in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico...

S. E. Gretzen Clerk of the District Court (District Court Seal) D5-20

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN IN THE DISTRICT COURT

Crawford H. Mariner,) Plaintiff) vs.) Mabel Crawford Nichols,) Impleaded with the following named defendants) against whom substituted service is hereby sought) to be obtained, to wit:) Alma Crawford Hart,) Mabel Crawford Nichols,) Clint Crawford, Unknown heirs of the following) named deceased persons:) John Y. Crawford, Clyde Crawford, Mrs. N. M. Crawford, W. A. Crawford; All unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the estate of the plaintiff,) Defendants)

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

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 plaintiff has filed his Complaint against you in the above numbered and entitled case and Court. The general object of said suit is to quiet plaintiff's title to the real Phone 81

estate described in the Complaint, situate in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and being The south one-half of section 24, T. 1 S., R. 12 E., N. M. R. 11 containing 320 acres.

Plaintiff's attorneys are Brenton & Hall, Carrizozo, New Mexico. GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, this 28th day of November, 1947.

S. E. Gretzen District Court Clerk (D. C. Seal) D 5-26

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, COUNTY OF LINCOLN IN THE PROBATE COURT IN THE MATTER OF THE) LAST WILL AND TESTA-) MENT OF ROBERT) BRADY.) Deceased)

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT OF Executors

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO WILLIAM E. BRADY and MABEL BRADY NEUBAUER and to all unknown heirs of Robert Brady, Deceased, and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title, or interest in or to the estate of said decedent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that William E. Brady and Mabel Brady Neubauer, have filed their final account and report as Executors of the Estate of Robert Brady, Deceased, together with their petition praying for their discharge: That the Honorable Fortino L. Belmont, Probate Judge of Lincoln County, New Mexico has set Monday the 20th day of January, 1948 at the hour of 10:00 O'clock, A. M. at the Court Room of the Probate Court at Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico as the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any there be to the final account and report; that at the said time and place the Probate court will consider said final Account and report and will proceed to determine the heirship of said Robert Brady, Deceased, the ownership of his Estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

The name and address of the Attorneys for the Executors is BRENTON & HALL, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the Probate Court on this the 6th day of December, 1947.

S. E. Gretzen Probate Clerk (Probate Court Seal) D12-32

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, District Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mexico, Nov. 4, 1947. Notice is hereby given that on August 9, 1945, the State of New Mexico, filed application Las Cruces 66463 under section 8 of the act of June 23, 1934 (48 Stat. 1253), as amended by the act of June 23, 1936 (49 Stat. 1970), to select the SW1/4 Sec. 21, 21W1/4SE1/4, NE1/4SW1/4 sec. 22, N1/2E1/4SW1/4, N1/2SW1/4 sec. 23, T. 9 S., R. 20 E., NMPM, containing 2,440 acres, in exchange for sec. 32, NW1/4SW1/4, S1/2SW1/4, N1/2E1/4, SE1/4NE1/4 sec. 26, T. 10 S., R. 27 E., SW1/4NW1/4 sec. 16, T. 23 S., R. 26 E., sec. 32, T. 21 S., R. 24 E., N1/2, N1/2S1/2, SW1/4SW1/4, S1/2SE1/4 sec. 2, T. 26 S., R. 25 E., N1/2S1/2, S1/2SW1/4, SW1/4SE1/4 sec. 2, T. 25 S., R. 31 E., NMPM, containing 2,440 acres of State owned land. This notice is for the purpose of allowing all persons claiming the selected lands or having bona fide objections to such application an opportunity to file their protests or other objections in the District Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, or in the Bureau of Land Management, Washington, D. C., together with evidence that a copy of such protest or objection has been served upon the State within 30 days from the date of the first publication of this notice. (Signed) Fred W. Johnson, Director. First Publication Dec. 12, 1947. Last Publication January 2, 1948.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed and has qualified as Administrator With the Will Annexed, of the Estate of J. W. Armstrong, Deceased, in Cause No. 676 in the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico. Claims against said estate must be filed within the time limited by law, or they will be barred. Attorneys for said administrator are Shipley and Shipley, Box 751, Alamogordo, New Mexico. C. A. GLOVER, Administrator N 23 - D 19

CHRISTMAS remembrance



It would be difficult, indeed, to forget our friends, particularly at Christmas. We want you to know how close we feel to all of you and how sincerely we wish for each of you the choicest blessings of Yuletide.

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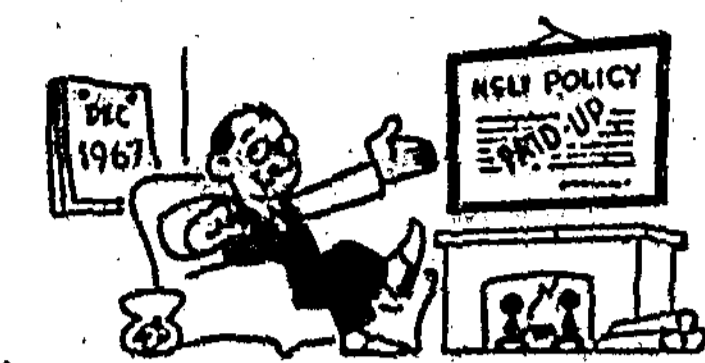
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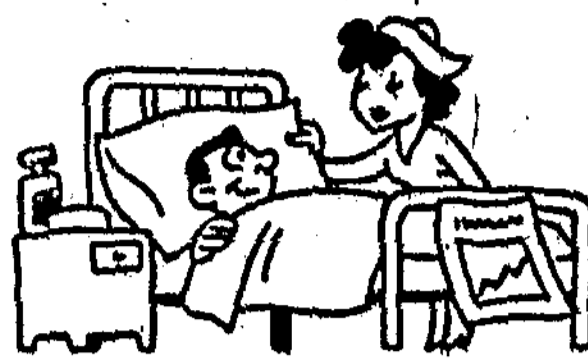


Q. Is the "GI" term policy taken out while in service the only type of Government insurance available?
A. No. In addition to term insurance the six permanent plans listed above are available. A World War II veteran may convert all or part of his term insurance to one or more of these plans.

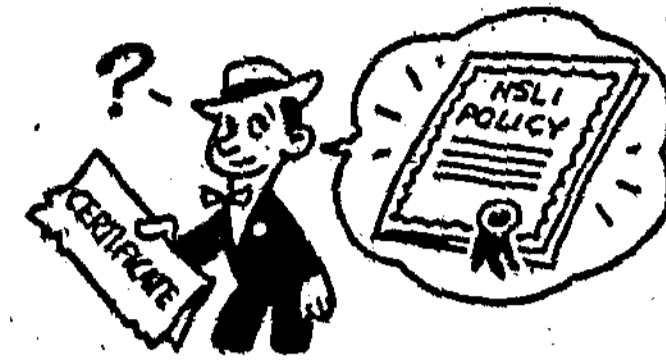
Q. How much of this insurance may the veteran buy?
A. If he meets the health requirements, any World War II veteran who had service between October 8, 1940 and September 2, 1945 may purchase up to \$10,000 of NSLI, less any Government life insurance in force or any NSLI previously surrendered for cash or paid-up insurance.



Q. What is the difference between term and converted insurance?
A. Term insurance provides protection only during a limited period. Converted insurance not only provides protection as long as premiums are paid but also accrues cash, loan or paid-up insurance values which are available to the insured.



Q. Must premiums be paid in the event of a lengthy illness?
A. If the policy-holder is totally disabled for six or more consecutive months, he may apply for Waiver of Premiums and, if granted, his insurance will be kept in force without further payment of premiums until he has recovered.



Q. When will regular insurance policies be issued to replace the 1-page certificates?
A. They will be distributed when VA branch offices can handle the extra work without interfering with their primary purpose of giving more important service to those who are keeping their insurance in force.

For full information contact your nearest Veterans Administration office.

LODGES

COMET CHAPTER
No. 29
ORDER EASTERN STAR
Meet on the first Thursday in each Month.
Visiting Stars cordially invited
Mrs. Clara Lowe, W. M.
Mrs. Ula G. Mayer, Secretary

A. F. & A. M.
Lodge No. 41
Carrizozo, New Mexico
Regular meetings 1947 are second Wednesday in each month.
W. H. Hobbs, W. M.
Roy Shafer, Secretary

I. O. O. F.
CARRIZOZO LODGE NO. 30

Meetings Each Tuesday Night
Charles L. Hodgins, Noble Grand
Bradley Smith, Secretary

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH
Coalora Lodge No. 15
Meeting dates 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month at 7 p. m.
Beulah Hodgins, Noble Grand
Lucille C. Patterson, Secretary

JOIN YOUR V. F. W.
Friends Every Meeting
2nd and 4th Wednesdays
NORTON-PEPPER POST No. 7688
Capitan, New Mexico

Roosevelt 4-H Leader Wins Chicago Trip



MRS. W. D. PATE
For her outstanding record as a woman 4-H club leader in New Mexico, Mrs. W. D. Pate (above) of Portales has been awarded a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago Nov. 30-Dec. 4, according to Mrs. T. W. Coleman, president of the New Mexico Association of Home Extension Clubs, sponsors of the trip.
Mrs. Pate has led Roosevelt County 4-H clubs for the past 11 years. During that time, she has enrolled 196 girls in 840 club projects and has trained nine girls to win trips to the National 4-H Club Congress. In addition, her trainees have won hundreds of prizes in local, county, and state competition.
"To me, the value of 4-H club work cannot be measured," Mrs. Pate says. "In my work with boys and girls and their families, I have made friendships which will last a lifetime. The work of these club members will have its influence on future generations in many ways."

Classified Ads

Used reach in Refrigerator, 44 cu. feet, Carrizozo, Trading Company old Outlook building on Alamogordo avp.

Bridge Table Bargain, only \$2.49 at Carrizozo Trading Company.

Call at Rolland's Drug Store for Wolf Bait. **tf.**

SEE THE OVER-SIZED canister cot, only \$359 at Carrizozo Trading Company.

FOR SALE — "Help Yourself" Laundry in Carrizozo \$3,000.00 cash See or write Pleg Pino.

WANTED— Empty beer bottles. Will pay one cent each. Johnnies Package Store.

Metal Top Tables, slightly damaged, \$10.95, at Carrizozo Trading Company.

FOR SALE— No. 62 Smear Worm Medicine, Franklin Screw Worm Killer, Mustang Liniment Dog Foods, Septimus Vaccine.
THE TITSWORTH CO., INC.

WANTED— Used Grain Bags The Titsworth Co., Inc., Capitan, N. Mex. **tf.**

ALFALFA AND SUDAN HAY AND EAR CORN, SEE GEORGE SMITH, Tinnie, New Mexico. **tf.**

WANTED— Hides, Sheep Pelts and Goat Skins. The Titsworth Co., Inc. **tf.**

FOR SALE — 1-8 case Electric Coco Cola box, Practically new S. P. Hotel **tf.**

FOR SALE— Apartment size upright piano. For information see or write Mrs. Raymond Perkins, at Corona, New Mexico.

Reliable man with car wanted to call on farmers in Lincoln County. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 in a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. **MENESS COMPANY, Dept. A, Freeport, Ill. D19**

HILLARD B. SMITH

Mr. Hillard B. Smith, age 65, father of J. M. Smith of the Harvey ranch, passed away November 27th, at his home eleven miles south of Childers, Texas.

Mr. Smith is survived by his wife two daughters, Jessie and Jewel of Childers, and one son J. M. of Carrizozo.

Funeral services were conducted from the First Methodist Church, in Childers, interment was made in the Childers cemetery.



One man — one of many — created a character who in child-like faith and all-embracing love will live through the centuries as the symbol of Christmas.

The man was Charles Dickens; his character was Tiny Tim. And in the words of Tiny Tim, oft-repeated, we'd like to say:

**"A MERRY CHRISTMAS,
GOD BLESS US EVERY ONE!"**

Bob Means Tune-Up & Body Shop

CARRIZOZO BAPTIST CHURCH \$2,218.75 INVESTED IN SAVINGS BONDS DURING NOVEMBER

The Church wishes each and everyone of Carrizozo the joy of the love of Christ as we observe His birth at this time.

You are invited to attend the services through out the day, Sunday December 21st. Rev. Olive Riley will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock and there will be a Christmas program and tree at 7:00 p. m.

Reverend Howard S. Pitts has moved from the parsonage on Elm Street to the Vernon Petty residence.

Residents of Lincoln County Invested \$2,218.75 in U. S. Savings Bonds during November, it has been reported by the Treasury Department to S. E. Greisen, Chairman of this county's Saving Bonds Committee.

Bonds purchased for Christmas presents and bonuses will greatly increase holdings in Series E Bonds during December. Reserves set aside by business firms during December and invested in U. S. Savings Bonds of all three series will amount to considerable total.

Christmas

Gift Suggestion

A Subscription to
THE NEWS-OUTLOOK

and

The New
Mexico Magazine



Both for \$3.65

All the Family will Enjoy this Gift for the Entire Year

CLOSING OUT SALE!

Everything Must Go by January 1st
Bargains of

10 to 20% Discount

NEW RCA VICTOR RECORDS .59c EACH

"White Christmas" and "Abraham" by Freddie Martin and his Orchestra; "Why Does it Have To Rain on Sunday" and "Beginners Boogie" by Freddie Martin and His Orchestra "Nina Nana" and "Mahalani Pappa Do" by Vaughn Monroe and his Orchestra "I'm My Own Crank-P" and "You Blacked My Eyes Once Too Often" by Loize and Oscar

MANY OTHER SELECTIONS TO CHOOSE FROM

Carrizozo Trading Company
Old Outlook Building - C. A. Nevarrez, Owner



In This Joyous Season
of Christmas

we want to renew all our old friendships, want each of you to feel your importance to us, and to realize that without you the story would have been quite different.

A very Merry Christmas to all of you, friendly people of this community!

Meads Fine Bread



TO GREET YOU AT
Christmas

If we could—
we would say "Merry Christmas" to each of you personally. Since we can't, the next best thing is to put our greetings in print.

A. F. Roselle
Jeweler



This Merry Christmas is to you.
There is no wish we can give more true than this jolly old fellow is now bringing to you.

Fred's Tonsorial Shop



Happy Holidays to
EVERYBODY

• WE ARE THE WORLD'S MOST INVENTIVE RACE—AND YET WE HAVEN'T FOUND A NEW WAY OF SAYING "MERRY CHRISTMAS." MAYBE IT'S JUST AS WELL!
• IN ANY EVENT, WE CAN PHRASE NO BETTER MESSAGE FOR THIS JOYOUS SEASON THAN THAT ANCIENT WISH.

Burton Hardware
Marvin Burton, Prop.



ROLLAND'S DRUG STORE



WE GREET YOU AT CHRISTMAS
And trust to offer you Cheer every day of the year.

Motel Petty



May this Christmas bring happiness as true, as that we have known in our relations with you!

Carrizozo Repair Service
Bill Nickels



With all the joys of the season to you!
GOOD HEALTH, GOOD CHEER, and a MERRY CHRISTMAS

Vega Feed Store
Leandro Vega



19 Our wish 47 for you at
Christmastide

THE QUIET JOYS OF HOME AND FIRESIDE

... the family gathered around the heavily-laden table... turkey and dressing, mince and pumpkin pies... the Christmas tree with its tinsel... the toys beneath... May you enjoy these deep sweet pleasures this Christmas of 1947.

CITY GARAGE



A MERRY CHRISTMAS

WE KNOW OF NO BETTER TIME THAN CHRISTMAS TO GIVE RECOGNITION TO OUR MANY FRIENDS WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED SO GREATLY TO OUR SUCCESS DURING THE PAST YEAR.

FROM ALL OF US ONCE MORE TO YOU, WHETHER YOU ARE OUR CUSTOMER OR NOT...

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

ATWOOD SERVICE STATION
Phone 39 Carrizozo, New Mexico



Time To Be Happy!

Christmastide is the one time in the year when we should all be as happy as a boy with a bright new sled. So let's light up our faces and our hearts when we light up our trees, and here's wishing for you and your family the happiest Christmas you've ever had.

A & B Mattress & Upholsterers
A. A. Wallace Phone 145



MERRY CHRISTMAS
STARLEY & SONS SHOE SHOP

In weal or woe, under all conditions, the cheery Merry Christmas comes to the surface. It's natural in mankind. Everyone appreciates a hearty Yuletide greeting—and so, to all our friends, we add our wish for a



• Again gay carols ring out with their cheery message of holiday joy.
• In the old, old spirit of Christmas, voices of the carolers echo the message of "... tidings of great joy." Thus, too, do we join the carolers in wishing for you the blessed gifts of Peace on Earth, Joy, Good Will to Men.

LANE SISTERS



A star in the sky

a light in the window, and hope in the heart! It's Christmas again, good folks of this community... the season when even strangers nod at you and smile. So we are sending you these wishes for Christmas cheer and happiness in your home.

Blakeley's Photo Studio



Once again the joyous spell of Christmas is cast over us, as we hurry about with gifts for those we love. That warm glow we get from giving at this holy season cannot be duplicated at any other time of the year. It is our sincere wish that a full measure of happiness may be yours, this Christmas of 1947.

LINCOLN COUNTY AGENCY



JUST A FRIENDLY WAY OF EXPRESSING TO YOU OUR MOST SINCERE GOOD WISHES FOR A HAPPY CHRISTMAS AND THAT IT MAY BE AN ESPECIALLY JOYOUS ONE FOR YOU.

T & G GROCERY



WITH PEACE AND PROSPERITY, WE SHOULD ALL BE HAPPIER THAN EVER THIS YEAR. DURING THE CHRISTMAS SEASON, LET'S TRY TO FORGET OUR CARES. FOR OUR PART, WE WANT TO ADD OUR FELICITATIONS TO THE MANY OTHERS YOU ARE RECEIVING, BY WISHING YOU A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS—THE

Happiest Christmas Ever!

LINCOLN COUNTY MOTORS



A HAPPY YULETIDE

● We wish we could send a gift to each of you in appreciation of your confidence and friendliness during the past year. Instead, however, we must content ourselves with extending the simple wish that you may enjoy the best life has to offer now and in the months to come.

THE STEAK HOUSE

PEARL PROCTOR, Prop.



A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

May the spirit of the First Christmas gladden your hearts this Christmas season.

PETTY'S GENERAL MERCHANDISE



to you Merriest CHRISTMAS

In Colonial times Christmastide was the gayest and happiest season of the year... and so it is today. It is our sincere wish that during this Christmas of 1947 the warm, sweet joys of this blessed season may fill your hearts... to overflowing.

Millard's Cafe



A JOLLY Christmas

We wish all our Lincoln County Friends a Merry Christmas and Happiness all year 1948.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Velasco, Sr. El Paso Tex.

PSYCHOLOGY CLINIC AT HIGHLANDS UNIVERSITY OPENED FREE OF CHARGE

Dr. Lawrence N. Marx, head of the Department of Psychology at Highlands University, announced this week that the Psychological Clinic has opened its facilities, without charge, to service institutions outside the university. This announcement should be of special interest to grade and high school officials, social welfare bureaus, the Indian Service and police departments.

The Psychological Clinic, under the direction of Dr. Anna Y. Martin, associate professor of psychology, devotes its services in the interest of social welfare towards benefiting individual cases sent to the clinic for treatment. Dr. Martin served five years as assistant personnel director at Baylor University before coming to Highlands and has had wide and varied experience in the field of psychological research and application.

Now fully equipped to meet the requirements of any service institution, the clinic staff can be contacted by official agency representatives at any time, Dr. Marx said.

The modern play suit: A pair of bandannas with a worried look.

AMERICAN COUNCIL ON EDUCATION TO HOLD NINTH ANNUAL EXAMS

The American Council on Education will hold its ninth annual National Teacher Examinations in Al-

buquerque on Saturday, Feb. 7, and returned to his office not later than Saturday, Feb. 14. Dr. R. A. Moyer, local examiner, announced. Applicants may apply to Dr. Moyer at the University of New Mexico for application blanks, which must be

returned to his office not later than January 7. The Common Examination, consisting of general education and professional information tests, will be given on Feb. 7. Special examin-

ations, covering the subject matter taught, will be given Feb. 14.

Since the examinations are nationwide, Dr. Moyer points out that it is advantageous to teachers to take these tests and receive ratings,

which are based on a comparative scale. All seniors in the College of Education at the University are required to take the examinations as a requisite for graduation.

Nutrition is Your Business and Ours

In this wintry month, as America prepares for that feast which celebrates the birth of the Prince of Peace, men and women of good will take spiritual stock, give thanks for many blessings.

Well-nourished bodies and minds are the wealth of America. One of the great blessings that this country enjoys is the food it produces, in such abundance. Farmers and ranchers who produce this food, and we at Swift & Company who process and distribute it, have an occasion for satisfaction in our teamwork. Together we can say—and proudly—"Nutrition is our business."

Good nutrition begins with soil itself. Out of the soil come the crops—the fruits and grains and vegetables we eat. Out of the soil also come the grasses and legumes and grains on which livestock feed—the very foundation of the meat and dairy products that are the protein backbone of our nation's food.

Today the American people are better nourished than ever before in history. This is cause for pride and rejoicing. For a better fed, healthier people leads to a stronger nation with greater capacity for clearer thinking, for work and production.

Good nutrition adds life to your years and years to your life. Good eating, which today we call the science of nutrition, is not an accident. It must be planned—beginning with the preparation of the soil and continuing through the raising of the crops and livestock, to the selection and preparation of meals for the table. This is an activity in which we all play an important part. Swift men of research and technology, like you farmers and ranchers all over America, are seeking ways in which the food of our people may be improved and our joint operations made to thrive ever more abundantly.

Martha Logan's Recipe for MINCEMEAT

1 pound cooked beef shank, chuck, or neck meat	1 1/2 pounds brown sugar
1 cup meat stock	1 quart cider
1/2 pound suet	2 teaspoons salt
4 pounds apples	2 teaspoons nutmeg
1/2 pound currants	2 teaspoons cloves
1 pound seeded raisins	3 teaspoons cinnamon
5 tablespoons lemon juice	

Parse, core, and chop apples. Chop together currants and raisins. Add apples, sugar, cider, and meat stock. Cook about 5 minutes. Grind meat and suet. Add with seasonings to apple mixture. Simmer 1 hour, stirring frequently to prevent burning. Add lemon juice. This mincemeat may be made ahead of time and canned for use throughout the holiday season. (Yield: 4 quarts)

Track Down the Facts

The beaver is an industrious and intelligent animal. He fells trees, builds dams, and wastes little effort or material. A "by-product" of his building operations—the bark of limbs and logs—provides his supply of winter food.

We in the livestock and meat industry have been "busy as beavers" developing methods of saving the different by-products of livestock. These products benefit the human race in many ways. Many ailments are relieved by extracts from livestock glands. Numerous ordinary articles, such as glue, buttons, combs, knife handles, soap, etc., originate from livestock. Under normal conditions the returns from livestock by-products are almost large enough to offset the operating and marketing expenses of the meat packers. The value of by-products has reduced the average cost of meat to consumers and has increased the prices the producer receives for livestock.



Business is Built on Faith



The American business system is based on keeping faith with the people whom business serves. For example, if Swift & Company is to continue to be successful, five distinct groups of people must have faith in our ability to serve them: producers, stockholders, employees, retailers and consumers.

Farmers and ranchers look to us to provide a daily cash market, and to compete in buying their livestock and other products. We, in turn, depend on you for raw materials. Our operations and yours are interdependent and based on mutual trust in each other's fair dealing.

The 64,000 stockholders invest their savings in Swift & Company with faith that good management will earn them a fair return on their investment. To keep that faith, the company must earn a reasonable profit.

Another definite responsibility of management is to provide regular employment, good working conditions, plants and tools for the 74,000 employees of Swift. Here again, mutual faith and understanding is essential.

In serving retailers in every city and town in the nation, Swift is very conscious of its responsibilities to this fourth important group. Through exacting quality-control we are able to supply the retailers with the grade and type of products their trade demands. To serve them faithfully, we have to study and understand their problems, and give them an understanding of ours.

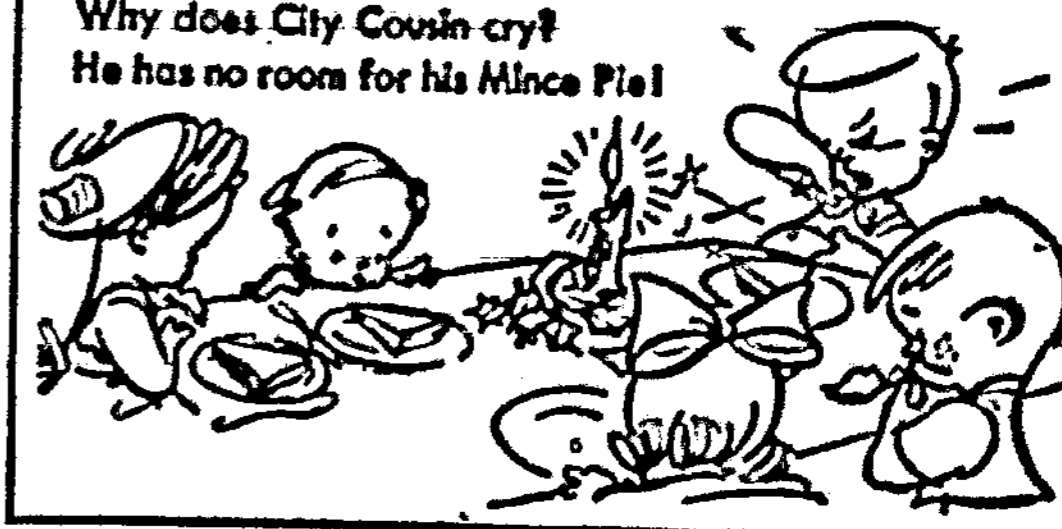
The fifth and largest group served by Swift is the consumers of the nation. Their faith in the Swift name and Swift's branded products is the very basis of our business—and a great asset to both you and us.

As we review the operation of Swift & Company at year's end, we again resolve to do everything in our power to justify the faith placed in our business by so many people.

John Holmes
President, Swift & Company

OUR CITY COUSIN

Why does City Cousin cry? He has no room for his Mince Pie!



COMPETITION SETS THE PACE

There's lots of competition in the livestock and meat industry—both in the buying of livestock, and in the selling of the meat and by-products. U. S. Government reports show the best evidence of this competition when they list a total of more than 4,000 meat packers and more than 22,500 other commercial slaughterers operating in the United States. Of course, Swift & Company does not bid against every one of these 26,500 slaughterers at every point at which it buys livestock. However, there isn't a purchase of livestock or a sale of meat made that doesn't have to meet a considerable number of actual or potential bids of competitors.

To all our friends on America's farms and ranches, we at Swift & Company wish

a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

SWIFT & COMPANY
UNION STOCK YARDS
CHICAGO 9, ILLINOIS

NUTRITION IS OUR BUSINESS—AND YOURS.
Right eating adds life to your years—and years to your life

"Milestone Model" and the Men Who Made It



Twenty men whose combined crafts and skills are representative of the myriad trades contributing to production of a motor vehicle, pose at Flint, Mich., with a "milestone model"—the 20,000,000th unit produced by Chevrolet in its 35-year history. From the engineer with his designs and blueprints, to the polisher with his buffing tool, from the chemist to the hooded welder, these are the men who keep the nation's traffic arteries humming. Despite production difficulties, Chevrolet has produced its latest million cars and trucks in almost exactly a year.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Warrants issued during the Month of November by Order of the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County, New Mexico.

Warrant No.	Claimant	Amount		
6781	Joe Candelaria	100.00		
6782	G. L. Richardson	100.00		
6783	Pablo Talles	120.00		
6804	R. L. Huffmeyer	71.15		
6805	Joe Candelaria	11.98		
6806	Elerdo Chavez	15.50		
6808	Lincoln County	11.50		
6809	News-Outlet	85.00		
6809	Meyer J. Barnett	15.72		
6810	S. E. Greisen	42.47		
6811	The Blue Products Co.	544.86		
6812	L. M. Huffman	17.10		
6813	Mt. States Tel. & Tel. Co.	16.75		
6814	T. E. Kelley	52.50		
6815	J. P. Turner	100.00		
6843	Joe Candelaria	100.00		
6844	G. L. Richardson	214.10		
6784	S. E. Greisen	115.00		
6785	Otila E. Vega	237.90		
6787	Manuel M. Ortiz	120.00		
6787	Ramon Luna	229.90		
6788	Meyer J. Barnett	120.00		
6789	Eddie Gabaldon	240.00		
6780	Nick S. Vega	115.00		
6791	Orville Luttrell	40.00		
6792	Fortino L. Beltran	16.00		
6793	Theresa Vidaurri	90.00		
6794	Theresa Vidaurri	40.00		
6795	Wm. W. Gallacher	40.00		
6796	A. C. Hester	40.00		
6797	Ramon Sanchez	40.00		
6798	W. E. Brady	50.00		
6799	Lincoln County Agency	57.00		
6828	Lincoln County Motors	5.65		
6829	Orville Luttrell	4.00		
6830	Nick S. Vega	71.00		
6832	Mt. States Telephone & Tel. Co.	25.25		
6842	Harkey Lumber Co.	6.00		
6845	S. E. Greisen	214.10		
6846	Otila E. Vega	115.00		
6847	Manuel M. Ortiz	237.90		
6849	Meyer J. Barnett	229.90		
6851	Nick S. Vega	240.00		
6852	Orville Luttrell	60.00		
6853	Dyer Forbus	60.00		
6854	Fortino L. Beltran	40.00		
6855	Theresa Vidaurri	90.50		
6856	Wm. W. Gallacher	40.00		
6857	A. C. Hester	40.00		
6858	Roman Sanchez	40.00		
6859	W. E. Brady	50.00		
6860	Lincoln County Agency	52.00		
6861	Meyer J. Barnett	65.00		
6862	Ramon Luna	105.00		
6863	John E. Wright	18.00		
6864	Eliza G. Gallegos	55.00		
6836	Dr. J. P. Turner	23.00		
6837	Rolland's Drug Store	16.50		
6838	Mt. States Tel. Co.	3.75		
6839	M. L. New	128.44		
6840	Standard Oil Co., Tex.	17.49		
6841	Treas. United States	13.59		
6842	Harkey Lumber Co.	20.75		
6843	Ann L. Adams	111.30		
6844	W. A. Nicholas	42.66		
6845	Monte Vista	16802 Lincoln County Agency	14.25	
6846	Service Station	.75	6803 Mt. States Tel. Co.	4.50
6847	C'zozo. Hdwe. Co.	29.37	6865 Aljje Bumgardner	123.45
6848	R. E. Berry	21.00	6866 Ann L. Adams	111.30
6849	Harkey Lumber Co.	1.50	6867 Lincoln County Agency	14.25



• Now, when Santa Claus is so busy making children happy and dispensing cheer all over the world, we want to extend a warm and friendly greeting to our friends. Accept our very best wishes for a Christmas season of unalloyed joy and happiness.

ZAMORA GROCERY STORE
J. S. Zamora, Prop.

6816	Dan McKinley	200.00	6836	Dr. J. P. Turner	23.00	
6817	Amedeo Baca	78.00	6837	Rolland's Drug Store	16.50	
6818	Aveslin Oigulin	30.00	6838	Mt. States Tel. Co.	3.75	
6819	John Mackey	8.00	6839	M. L. New	128.44	
6820	Standard Oil Co., Tex.	17.49	6840	Lincoln County Agency	9.80	
6821	C. A. Snow	20.75	6841	Treas. United States	13.59	
6822	Harkey Lumber Co.	6.00	6842	Ann L. Adams	111.30	
6823	W. A. Nicholas	42.66	6843	Aljje Bumgardner	122.79	
6824	Monte Vista	16802 Lincoln County Agency	14.25	6803	Mt. States Tel. Co.	4.50
6825	Service Station	.75	6865	Aljje Bumgardner	123.45	
6826	C'zozo. Hdwe. Co.	29.37	6866	Ann L. Adams	111.30	
6827	R. E. Berry	21.00	6867	Lincoln County Agency	14.25	
6828	Harkey Lumber Co.	1.50				



more than at any other season, people feel friendly. It's in the very air. In this spirit, then, we offer you our best wishes for a very Merry Christmas.
Ortiz Bros. Service Station
'Bally' and 'Kiro' Ortiz



WE WISH YOU
AT CHRISTMAS
MANY HAPPY HOURS
AND TRUST
WE MAY SERVE YOU
IN THE FUTURE.

JOE G. WEST, JR.
Electrical Contractor

STARLEY & SONS
Shoe Shop
For Christmas Give
Cowboy Boots for Children

Spurs - Bits - Saddles

Alamogordo — Carrizozo, N. M.



Never a Christmas morning,
Never an old year ends,
But that someone thinks of
someone—
Old days, old times, old
friends!

Socorro Steam Laundry
and Dry Cleaners

Vic Vet says

YOU MAY BUY UP TO \$10,000 WORTH OF LIFE INSURANCE IF YOU'RE A VETERAN OF EITHER WORLD WARS I OR II. SEE YOUR VA OFFICE FOR DETAILS



• At Christmastime we greet good friends. If 'neath our roof you've rested, come again and be refreshed. If you have never crossed our threshold, visit us in the months ahead. To one and all we say,

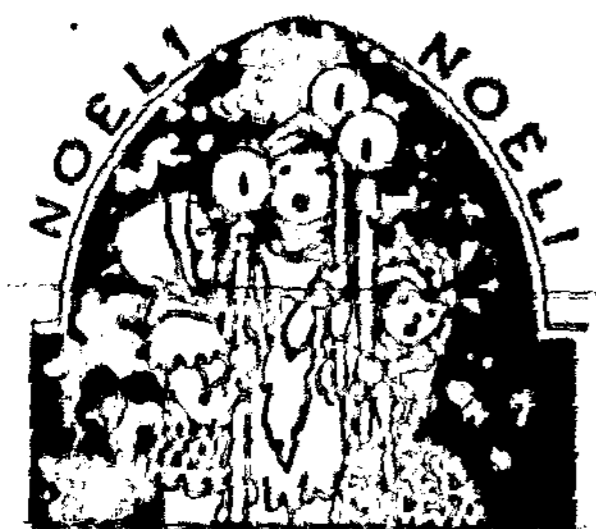
MERRY CHRISTMAS!

CAMP MAL PAIS



S. P. Hotel and Dining Room

J. B. and Betty Howell



A JOLLY Christmas

* No matter what the language the spirit of Christmas is the same everywhere... in France, in Holland, in Sweden... and in the good old U. S. A. As you celebrate this joyous season in spiritual companionship with people of good will all over the world, it is our hope that this Christmas of 1947 will be the merriest you have ever enjoyed.

SABINO VIDAURRI
General Merchandise

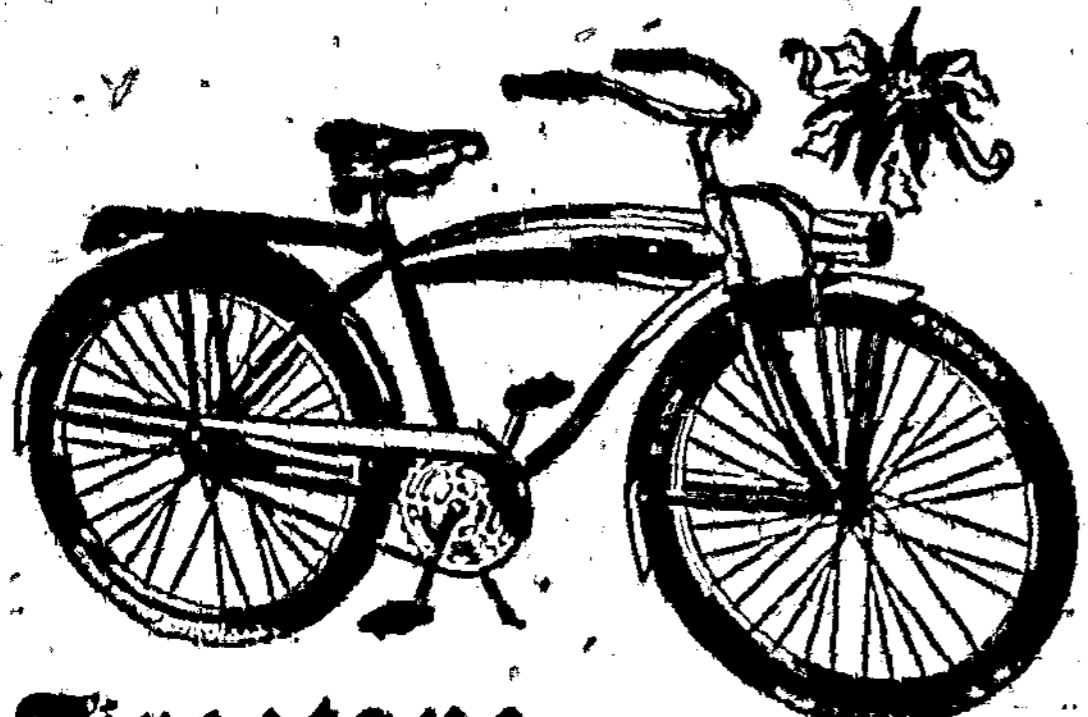


As Christmas comes again
May we enter Christ's circle of
brotherly love—
That we may share in the song of
the angels,
The joy of the shepherds,
And the worship of the wise men.
May our hearts be closed to petti-
ness
And opened to responsibility
To God's children,
Our brothers, everywhere.
May the spirit of love for all,
The Spirit of Christmas,
Bless you every one.

The Methodist Church

Still Plenty of Beautiful Gifts AT Firestone

IDEAS FOR MOM, FOR DAD, FOR SIS AND BROTHER AND TOYS GALORE FOR THE CHILDREN



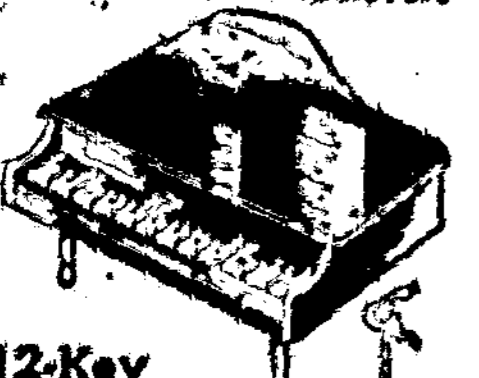
Firestone CRUISER BIKES
Men's or Women's..... **49.95**
The latest in design... the finest in de luxe equipment... the best for trouble-free, effortless riding. Balloon fenders, Firestone Hi-Speed balloon tires and tubes.
Budget Terms Also Available

Blue and Ivory Enamelled



Doll's HIGH CHAIR
4.29
Made just like a real baby's with foot rest and movable tray. Thirty inches high. A beauty!

For Little Music Lovers



12-Key BABY GRAND
Actually plays. **3.49**
Keys are num. Bass and treble. Music sheet included.

Wonderful Gift for the Small Fry



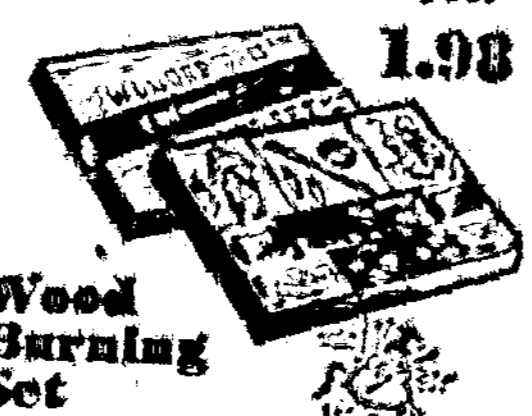
Speedy TWO-WHEEL SCOOTER
3.98
Flashy red finish. Has easy-rolling wheels with sturdy molded rubber tires. Even has a parking stand. Fun and good exercise, too.

Bright Red and Plenty Cute



WHEEL BARROW
2.39
Allsteel; wheel with rubber tire. About 30-inch length overall.

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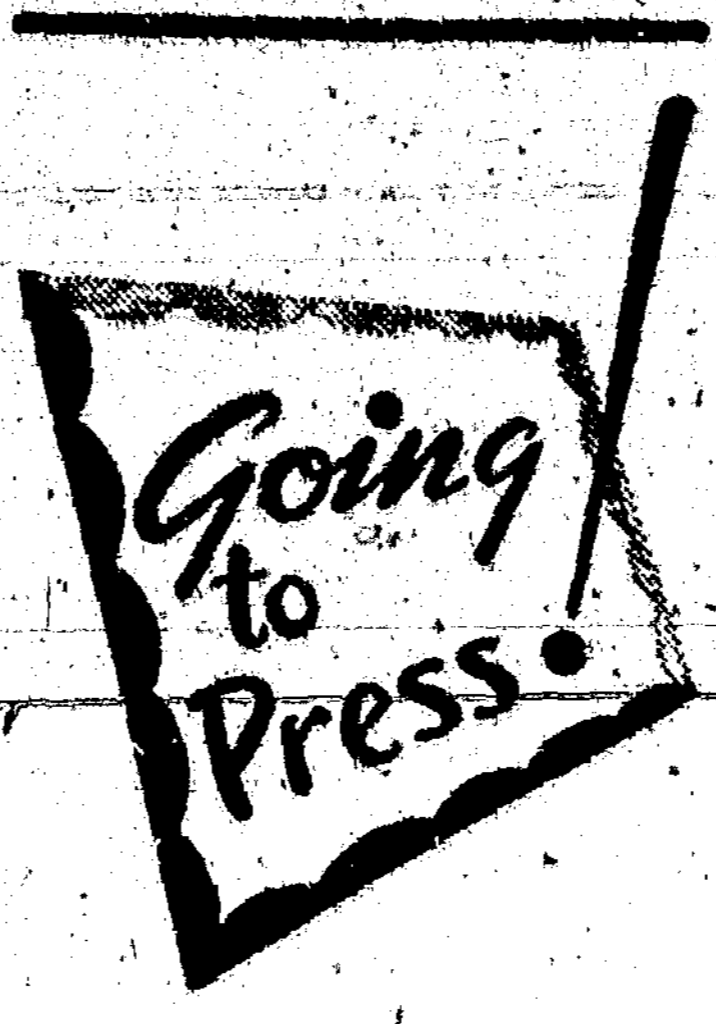
CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends for their kind sympathy, loyal tributes, after the recent death of our mother, daughter and sister.
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TO RECEIVE MID-SEMESTER DEGREES AT STATE U
Among the 128 candidates for degrees at mid-semester at the University of New Mexico, 70 are from Albuquerque and Bernalillo county. 42 count their residences from out of the state and 18 come from the from the various cities over New Mexico, announced Director of Admissions, Dr. Doyle E. Keefer.
Among students receiving a bachelor degree in arts and sciences is Robert L. Harbour, Capitan.

Personal
Colonel and Mrs. Maurice Lemon, who are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lemon will leave this week end to visit Mrs. Lemon's parents, in Culberson Neb. Christmas and New Year Holiday, at the conclusion of their visit they will return here prior to going to their new station.
Tech/Sgt. Jack Claunch, of the Roswell Army Air Base spent the past week-end here visiting Mr. Joe Adams and friends. He also visited his sister, Mrs. Fred Greer and family in Tucuman.
Mr. B. E. Penix of Corona was a business visitor in town last Saturday afternoon.
Mr. J. E. Starley made a business trip to Alamogordo on Tuesday of this week.

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BACKWARD GLANCES

40 YEARS AGO

1907 Capitan News

Next Wednesday will usher in another Christmas, the only one we shall ever see in the year 1907, though all should live to be centenarians. Everybody is getting ready for the annual festival, so universally observed by all Christian Nations, and to all peoples who have an abiding faith in the one whose birth in Palestine, almost two thousand years ago, was heralded by Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men.

Old Santa Claus, the favorite of the children -- delightful old fellow -- has sent a message by wireless that he has started on his journey, and is to arrive Tuesday night; and, as he is most generous and impartial individual, it is fondly hoped that he will not overlook a hamlet or dwelling in the land, and that every little child will receive a token of remembrance of his visit.

It is true, that the panic may have effected his purse, and his gifts fall to be as munificent as of yore; but it must be remembered that he is a careful manager, and his Christmas obligation, and when the crash did come he was prepared for it. Let us hope, then, that on Christmas morning all the little stockings will be bulging with toys that charm the little minds, with sweets that please the palate, and that the cupboards of all will be filled to overflowing with hearty cheer. To one and all of its readers, the News extends the compliments of the season, and wishes each and all many returns of the same.

The panic, that has wrecked so many banking institutions and has caused widespread disaster to a great number of commercial concerns, has not affected the solidity of the Exchange Bank of Carrizozo; and that old reliable institution has weathered the gale in which many supposedly stronger financial institutions foundered. Further than that, it has not found it necessary to call in any of its loans, and offers its customers the same accommodations it accorded them before the panic. As a matter for the protection of its depositors as well as itself, the bank deemed it wise to issue temporary clearing house certificates because of the fact that larger banks had resorted to this means, and a failure on the part of the Exchange Bank to do likewise would have soon drained its currency reserve. This bank has long been noted for its conservatism and sound business methods, and no greater proof of its reliability is needed than its successful passage of the present financial cataclysm.

20 YEARS AGO

1927 LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS

Allan Edmiston left at noon last Friday for his home in Kansas City. Allan had been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Ada Edmiston, and his great grandmother Mrs. Alice Roberts for several weeks.

Mrs. Calvin Carl and children spent last weekend in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Finley returned Monday from a two weeks' vacation trip to Dallas, Texas. They came by way of Pecos and El Paso on their way home.

J. H. Fulmer came in from the east this morning to be with his family during Yuletide.

Monday night the High school team played the town team, consisting of Jim Kelsey, Walter La Fluor, Marshall Beck, Alfredo Lopez and Clint Branum. The score was 40 - 23 in favor of the high school team.

The Southern Pacific Company has applied to the State Engineer for permission to build a masonry dam on Bonito.

Mrs. F. A. English and daughter Gleneth, drove to Albuquerque Monday.

10 YEARS AGO

1937 Lincoln County News

Mrs. Ola C. Jones and Mrs. A. F. Roselle delivered interesting addresses before the teachers association which met in Lincoln last week.

Mrs. Ira Greer came down from Tucuman to spend a few days with her parents and sisters.

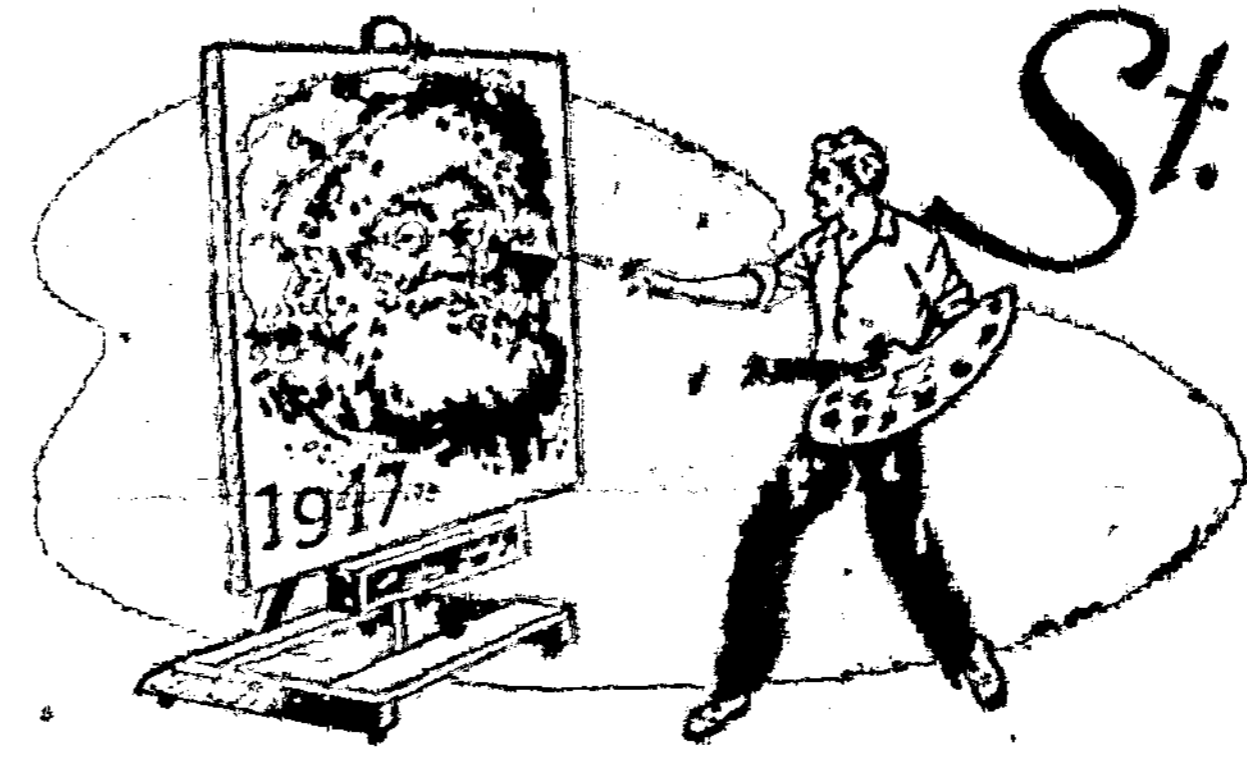
Mrs. Sale and Mrs. Grace Jones were visitors to the Border City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Ortiz have moved to Pecos to make their home.

Miss Mary Nell Rustin is ill of appendicitis.

The following scholarship students will receive passes to the Lyric theatre, for a period of three months: Eighth grade Milton Evans, Petra Pino; Seventh grade, Walter Berry, Jane Gallacher; Sixth grade Bill Hobbs, Marlon Joyce; Fifth grade, Arthur Holguin, Dorothy Hoffman.

Miss Alice Degner is clerking at Ziegler Brothers during the holidays.



St. Nicholas

WISHES A MERRY YULETIDE TO ALL

Of Course you believe in Santy!...

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Santa Claus was a short roly-poly gentleman habitually clad in red with flowing white beard. He drove through the world Christmas Eve in a heavily-laden sleigh drawn by eight dashing reindeer,

It's a beautiful old myth -- as much a part of the joyous Christmas season as is our annual wish for a Merry Yuletide for you and yours!

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Tariffs Have Their Ups and Downs

Geneva Trade Agreements To Affect World Commerce

By BAUKHAGE
News Analyst and Commentator.

WASHINGTON.—Recently there have been rumblings from congress reminiscent of the old Smoot-Hawley days. It was the warning from Senator Milliken (Rep., Colo.) and Representative Knutsen (Rep., Minn.) that the reciprocal trade agreements act would have a lot of strings attached to it when it comes up for renewal next year.

If that means that tariffs are raised again, history will be repeating itself.

As the amusing illustration in this column reveals, the gentlemen have been busy building up and tearing down the tariff wall ever since 1913. What will the next section of the wall—built after 1940—look like?

The reciprocal trade agreements drawn up at the recent Geneva conference which resulted in a number of slashes in important duties and inspired the Knutsen and Milliken statements brought forth an even louder blast from the American Tariff League. At the present writing, however, there does not appear to be anywhere near the strength of sentiment in favor of building up the tariff wall that there was when the Smoot-Hawley act raised it to an all-time high (47 per cent) in 1930.

From the time of the Civil war the tariff wall had grown almost every time congress acted.

Then came Woodrow Wilson who demanded that the country be set free from conditions he thought "made monopoly not only possible, but easy and natural." The Underwood law which brought the import duties down from 37 per cent to 27 per cent, was his answer. Under Harding they went up about 35 per cent, reaching an all-time high under Hoover.

It has been an exciting contest. Although Cordell Hull as secretary of state managed, with Roosevelt prestige, to pull them down again, they were still 1 per cent higher than the Fordney-McCumber act raised them under Harding. Under the agreements negotiated by Secretary Hull, our exports increased, but foreign competition for various reasons did not take advantage of the situation to any great extent. There was no avalanche of "cheap foreign goods" to contend with.

The Democrats in the pre-Wilson era always were banging away on this issue and there were many colorful debates. The low tariff advocates had to resort to all sorts of means to get a hearing because they were backed by no special interests. Their "client" was the vague and anonymous American consumer.

The high-tariff pleaders were able to present their cases armed with the best legal talent available, whole libraries of statistics and a thorough knowledge of the particular industries they represented. And they had another great advantage in the number and geographically diverse industries fighting for protection for their particular product.

Enough special interests needed enough help from other special interests so that log rolling was easy—there was usually a majority for everybody's gismo. That is why the only practical way trade agreements can be reached at all is to have them negotiated like any other international agreement, through the state department, which has no regional strings to tie it down.

Right now the consumer is being heard from in no uncertain terms, and any argument for lower prices wins a hearing.

That is evidenced by the speed with which congress tackled the anti-inflation suggestions presented both by the President in his message of November 17 calling for a 10-point program and those offered by Senator Flanders of Vermont and other Republicans.

Despite considerable influential opposition, the Democrats took for granted that at least four out of the President's ten points had a good chance to be adopted. In fact one, authority to ration certain foods, already had been suggested—by a Republican—Senator Flanders.

None of these points involves tariff cuts, however, and those cuts already made under the Geneva agreement are still largely academic because most foreign countries aren't in a position now to produce for export to any great extent.

Next session we can expect them to be debated. So far there have been almost as many complaints from supporters of the reciprocal trade agreements as from its opponents. Its most enthusiastic backers charged that it had not been pushed hard enough, that the state department had not used all of the power which it had for fear of arousing the animosity which would cause its repeal. At present, those favoring a freer flow of trade are in a better position to want their cause because it is evident that we cannot continue to give

supplies to Europe under a relief program or to lend money for the purchase of our goods unless we encourage Europeans to sell to us. Otherwise, they'll land right back where they are now. Even if they build up their industries so they are able to produce goods, unless they can sell some of those goods they won't have the dollars to pay back what they owe and buy our goods.

That is why warnings that strings may be attached to the act have an ominous sound. "Strings" would mean either limitation on the amounts by which tariffs can be lowered through reciprocal trade agreements, or removal of authority to make reductions without the approval of congress of the particular item involved. That would start log rolling again, put an end to our foreign trade and have us back taking in each other's washing for a living.

World's Prosperity Hangs in Balance

What happens to the as-yet-unbuilt section of the wall of the drawing will affect the entire set-up of world trade. It can make all the work of the international conference on world trade and employment go for nothing and destroy any benefits derived from a successful European relief plan.

The 62 nations now gathered at the trade conference in Cuba represent countries doing about 85 per cent of the world's trade, and the interesting thing is that although Russia and most of her satellites refused to attend, two of the countries under the influence of Moscow—Finland and Czechoslovakia—did turn up.

Thorby hangs a tale. It is believed by some keen observers that despite all efforts to kill the European recovery plan, the Soviet Union knows very well that, if it works, it may be to her selfish interests to get on the bandwagon, at least to the extent of lifting the iron curtain high enough to get some of the much-needed goods from Western Europe under it. And the way that could be managed would be to have some of the Soviet's "friendly countries" in on any advantageous trade deals that might be made. Western Europeans say that this would be the most effective way to break down the Communist grip on these countries.

Meanwhile it is realized in Washington that this country cannot carry out its far-flung foreign policy unless that policy is sold harder than Communist propaganda is selling its brand of berlock.

Good salesmanship begins at home. And a lot of salesmanship is needed right here. I rode down on the trolley with a very intelligent secretary to a congressman who said to me: "I wish I knew what the Marshall plan was all about."

President Urges Savings Bonds

Speaking of salesmanship, the President is believed to have given the green light on an intensified sale of one of the important anti-inflation measures recommended in his speech when he said:

"Another effective weapon against inflation is increased savings by the public. Every dollar that is saved instead of spent is a dollar fighting against inflation. In order to encourage additional savings, the government should intensify its vigorous efforts to sell savings bonds."

WORKIN' ON THE RAILROAD

Car Shortage Passes Peak

About the only good thing that can be said concerning the railroad freight car shortage is that the worst is probably over, but the present inadequacy will hang on for a long time.

Despite investigations, programs and promises for several years, there are actually about 11,000 fewer freight cars now than there were at the end of the war.

Attempts to place the blame for the situation seem to be futile. American railroads have had 100,000 cars on order for some time. Car builders have declared that steel was not available. A program formulated in February of this year called for an output of 2,500 new cars



BARRING THE WAY . . . The observation tower of the Empire State building will not be used henceforth as a point of departure for the hereafter by people who want to leave this vale of tears. Workmen are shown installing a \$10,000 stainless steel parapet fence about the 86th floor tower.

NEWS REVIEW

Laborites Keep Power; Ask Oil, Coal Ration

LABOR TEST: Clean Slate

In Great Britain the Labor party had been worried over the outcome of the by-election in the southern town of Gravesend. Nevertheless, Richard Acland, a rich baronet, was carrying the Labor party's banner against Frank Taylor, an ex-furnace stoker, the Conservative candidate. A seat in parliament was not the only thing at stake. The election was of major importance as a test of strength between the two parties.

It was a hard fought battle, and Acland, the Laborite, was elected to Parliament by a majority of 1,675 votes—a clear cut defeat for the Conservatives. The British people, the Labor party announced, retained their confidence in their government.

Nevertheless, the 1,675-vote margin of victory was considerably smaller than the 7,056-vote Labor party margin that had been piled up in the same district in 1945. Labor was still in the driver's seat, but clearly had lost something of its original strength. However, the party had kept its slate clean; it had not lost a single by-election since it first was swept into power.

Perhaps one reason for the Labor party's continued popularity was that, despite all else, it was doing a good job of distributing equally what food and other goods were available in Britain. The food rations of the poorer people were approximately the same as those of the rich, and that fact continued to carry a lot of weight with the mass of voters.

OIL RATION: Anti-Inflation

When President Truman, in his celebrated "10 points against inflation" address to congress, asked for limited authority to impose ration and price controls on basic commodities, it was taken for granted that they were food commodities alone.

First indication that this might not be a correct interpretation of Mr. Truman's proposal came when the department of interior asked congress for power to fix price controls and rationing on coal and oil as part of the anti-inflation program.

Oscar L. Chapman, undersecretary of the interior, told the house banking and currency committee that grave shortages and price advances were threatened in the two basic fuels.

There was no way of telling, he said, whether such controls actually would have to be imposed, but he insisted that the government should have authority to do so, just in case. It is not probable that congress will give the government power to control oil and coal, but the incident serves to reflect the current point of view of the administration that a return to wartime rationing and price controls is the quickest and most effective way to buck inflation.

President Truman disclosed the policy first in his speech at the opening of the special session of congress. The interior department's request for control of coal and oil probably was a planned follow-up,

? Current Events ?

The following five questions were selected by 32 radio quiz shows because they didn't have enough refrigerators to go around. If you can answer them, take the correct answers, plus \$350, to your nearest electrical appliance dealer and you will receive a brand-new refrigerator.



1. It was clearly a case of "They went thataway" when the above pictured horse opera hero and his leading lady announced that they would be married New Year's eve. Who are they?
2. Within the space of one week erials-ridden France had three different premiers. Their names?
3. What three titles did King George of England confer upon Lt. Philip Mountbatten before his marriage to Princess Elizabeth?
4. Gen. Omar Bradley will replace Gen. Dwight Eisenhower as army chief of staff. Who will replace General Bradley as head of Veterans' administration?
5. At a recent meeting in New York the subject of oncology was discussed. Would you say oncology is the study of (a) shells; (b) tumors; (c) fossils; (d) snails?

ANSWERS

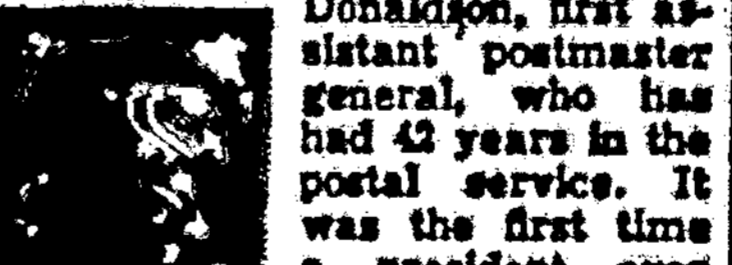
1. Roy Rogers and Dale Evans.
2. Paul Ramadier, Leon Blum, Robert Schuman.
3. Duke of Edinburgh, Earl of Merioneth, Baron Greenwich.
4. Carl E. Gray, vice president of the Chicago and Northwestern railway.
5. (b) Tumors.

POSTMASTER: Hannegan Out

Robert E. Hannegan has eased himself out of the public political eye.

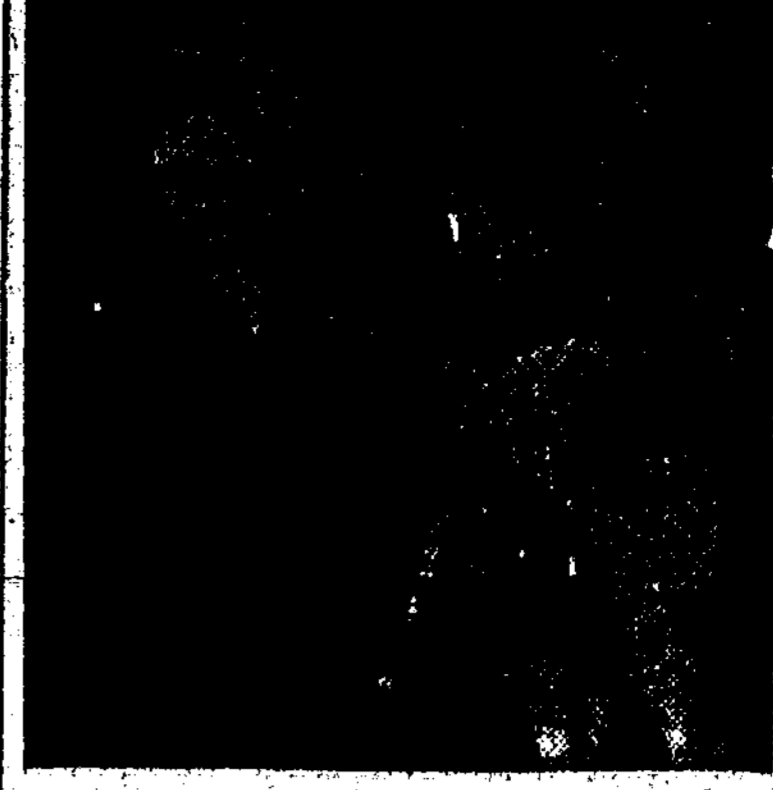
Little more than a month after he had quit his job as Democratic national chairman—because of ill health—he turned in his resignation as postmaster general.

To replace Hannegan as head of the nation's post office, President Truman named 62-year-old Jesse M. Donaldson, first assistant postmaster general, who has had 42 years in the postal service. It was the first time a president ever had dipped into the ranks of postal "career men" to fill the top job in the department.



Donaldson is one of the men who came up the hard way. His career with the service began with his appointment as a city letter carrier in Shelbyville, Ill., in 1908.

Hannegan, meanwhile, had no intentions of going into retirement. He has purchased a substantial interest in the St. Louis Cardinals.



'EYES' FOR BLIND BEAUTY . . . Miss Kathleen May of Chicago, blonde and beautiful but stricken blind at height of her dancing career, hugs new master-eye dog as she returns from Minneapolis, Minn., where she trained animal for six weeks.



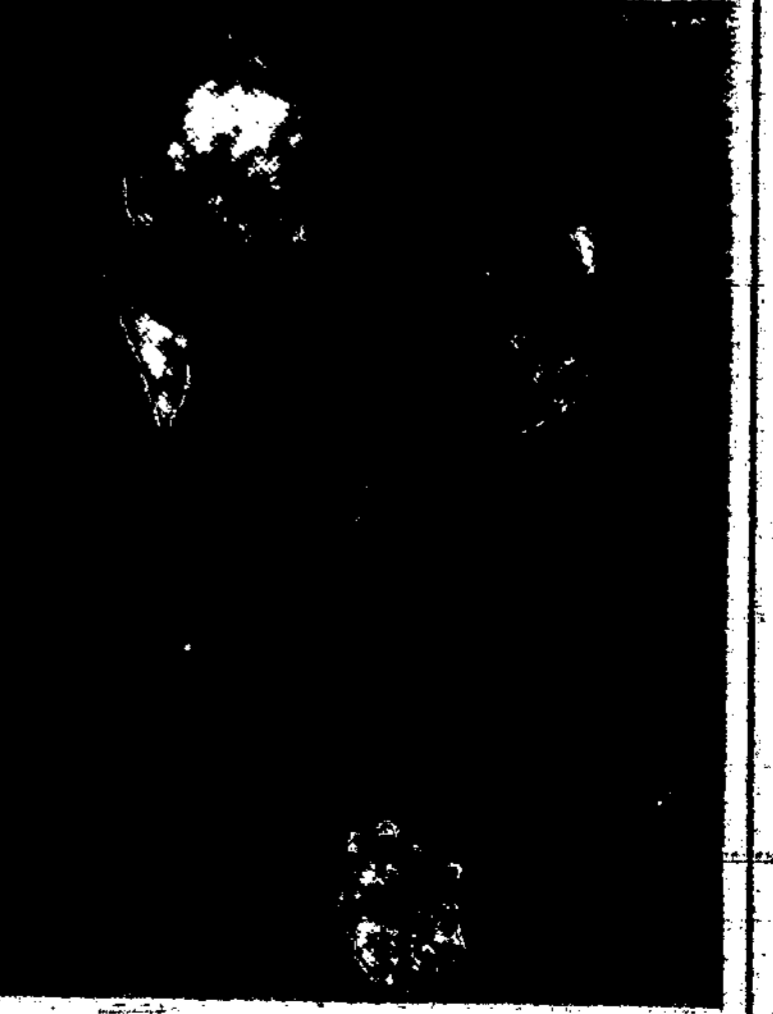
ASKS CHIEF DICTATOR . . . Carl C. Farrington, agriculture department official, asked congress for emergency power to buy up entire farm crops when poor yields threaten the domestic economy of the export program.



THE MARINES . . . Gen. Alexander A. Vandegrift (right), who is retiring as commandant of the U. S. Marine Corps, is shown conferring with his successor, Maj. Gen. Clifton B. Cates, at USMC headquarters.



BASEBALL BUYER . . . Robert Redenberry, Baltimore and Washington sportsman, said he would pay 2.5 million dollars for the American league franchise of the St. Louis Browns. He would bring the Browns to Baltimore in 1949 when that city's new stadium opens.



OFF FOR LONDON . . . Secy. of State George Marshall says ready to his wife at Washington airport before leaving for the Big Four foreign ministers' conference on German and American peace treaties in London.

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Make Extra Gifts By Baking Goodies In Home Kitchens



Cookies make a wonderful holiday gift! Wrapped as glamorously as these, they'll solve many a last-minute gift dilemma. Set a box under the tree as an extra gift, or take a box of them to your neighbor.

These are extra-wonderful days in the kitchen, for there's a hustle and bustle of activity, warmth and cheer, mysterious smells of something good and the swish of gay and cheery wrapping paper and ribbons. Yes, we're getting ready for Christmas. But it's not just the holiday feast we're preparing for, since kitchens also may be put to work to make those wonderful home-made presents every homemaker appreciates so much.

Of particular interest are cookies and candles. You'll want to make some of your own for the holidays, so why not whip-together an extra batch and give some to neighbors and friends? There's no better way of expressing warmth and cheer than something made by deft hands and a heart-load of good wishes. Here's a taste-tempting cookie you'll want to include in your cookie collection:

Heretics.
(Makes 2 1/2 dozen 2-inch cookies)
1/2 cup butter or substitute
1/2 cup brown sugar
2 egg yolks
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 cups cake flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 cup ground nut meats
1/2 cup whole bran

Blend butter and sugar; add beaten egg yolks and flavoring. Sift flour, baking powder; add nut meats. Combine with first mixture. Chill. Form dough into egg-shaped balls. Roll in whole bran which has been crushed slightly. Place on greased baking sheet. Bake in a moderately hot (400 degree) oven for 10 minutes. Note: Whole bran may be added to the cookie dough instead of rolling cookies in whole bran.

Chocolate Drops.
(Makes 2 1/2 dozen 2-inch cookies)
1/2 cup butter or substitute
1/2 cup brown sugar
1 egg, beaten
1 1/2 squares chocolate
2 tablespoons water
1/4 cup sour milk
1 cup whole bran
1 cup flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/4 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup chopped nut meats

Cream butter and sugar, add egg, melted chocolate and water. Beat well, then add sour milk and whole bran. Sift flour with baking powder, soda and salt and add to first mixture with the nut meats. Drop from teaspoon onto a greased baking sheet. Bake in a moderate (375 degree) oven for 15 minutes.

Date Favorites.
1/2 cup butter or substitute
1 1/2 cups sugar
1/2 teaspoon soda
2 tablespoons water
1 cup buttermilk
3 cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 cup nuts, chopped
1 cup dates, chopped
Powdered sugar

Cream butter and sugar. Mix soda with water and add to the butter.

LYNN SAYS:
Serve Hers d'oeuvres with Hot Vegetable Juice
Cheese spears are easy to make, nice to nibble with hot tomato juice. Spear a cube of American cheese on a toothpick, with a walnut half and a slice of sweet pickle.
Pineapple spears go well with hot cider. Spear a cube of pineapple, then a cube of sharp cheddar cheese and top with a cherry.
Marinate asparagus tips and roll in thin slices of cooked ham. Chill.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Browned Short Ribs of Beef
Glazed Carrots
Browned Potatoes
Cauliflower Au Gratin
Tossed Salad
Wheat Bread
Baked Pears
Beverage
Ice Box Cookies
*Recipe given.

milk. Add flour sifted with salt and baking powder. Fold in nuts and dates. Pour into a shallow, greased pan and bake 20 minutes at 350 degrees. Cut into narrow slices while still warm and roll in powdered sugar.

"Ice Box Cookies."
1 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup butter
1 egg, unbeaten
1 1/2 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 cup pecans, cut fine
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Cream sugar and butter well together. Add the egg, flour, cream of tartar and soda. Mix well and fold in nuts and vanilla. Make into rolls about 2 inches in diameter and wrap each in waxed paper. Let stand in refrigerator for 24 hours. Then unwrap rolls and slice about 1/4 inch thick. Bake on an ungreased cookie sheet in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for about 8 minutes, or until golden brown.

Fudge Squares.
(Makes 36)
2 squares unwaxed chocolate
1/2 cup butter or substitute
1/4 cup light corn syrup
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla
2 cups quick oats, uncooked
1/4 cup chopped nuts

Melt chocolate and butter in top of double boiler. Add remaining ingredients, blending thoroughly. Pack firmly into an 8-inch square pan. Sprinkle a few chopped nuts on top if desired. Bake in a hot oven (425 degrees) for 12 minutes. When cool, turn out of pan and cut in squares. Store in refrigerator if warm.



Of Yuletide sweets, there are none tastier than home-made candies. With just a few ingredients and tested recipes you can sweeten some delectable treats and gift-wrap them for Christmas presents.

Brazil Nut Patties.
1/2 cup syrup
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup water
1/2 pound brazil nut meats

Combine ingredients. Cook to 260 degrees or the crack stage. Pour carefully over brazil nuts arranged over a marble slab. Loosen patties before they become too hard to prevent them from cracking.

Maple Creams.
1 cup maple sugar
1 cup light brown sugar
1/4 cup water
1/2 teaspoon almond extract
1/2 pound nut meats

Cook the sugars and water to 240 degrees or the soft ball stage. Add the almond extract and cool to lukewarm. Then beat until creamy. Knead until smooth, form into small balls and place a nut meat into each ball.

Stuffed Marshmallows.
1 box marshmallows
1/4 pound nuts (whole meats)
Lay the marshmallows out on a table and, with a sharp knife, make a gash into the center of each. Push a nut meat (English walnut, pecan, hickory or peanut) into this opening, and press marshmallow closed with fingers. They may be dipped in chocolate if desired.

Trend Toward Religious Christmas Indicated



People are placing greater emphasis this year on the religious significance of Christmas. This is indicated by the popularity of Christmas cards featuring whimsical angels, snow-covered landscapes about village churches, the traditional Bethlehem scenes and similar religious themes.

Many of this year's greetings recall the first Christmas with passages from the scriptures and famous prayers, illustrated by colorful Nativity scenes and reproductions of famous Madonnas. Present-day religious practices are emphasized by congregations streaming to church on Christmas morning, families praying and their boys singing "Noel."



I cannot think or reason,
I only know He came,
With hands and feet of healing
And wild heart all aflame.
With eyes that dimmed and softened
At all the things He saw,
And in His pillared singing
I read the marching Law.

I only know He loves me,
Enfold and understands—
And oh, His heart that holds me,
And oh, His certain hands.
The Man, the Christ, the Soldier,
Who from His cross of pain
Cried to the dying comrade
"Lad, we shall meet again."
—By Willard Wattles.

Our Favorite Trees For Christmas

FIR and spruce are the predominant favorites among Christmas trees. Balsam fir always has been an American favorite. The story goes that the Lord sent three messengers—Faith, Hope and Love—to find a tree as high as Faith, as eternal as Hope, and as wide-



spread as Love, and which bore the Sign of the Cross on every bough. They brought back the balsam fir. Three varieties of spruce, blue, white or Norway, also are big sellers in the tree markets.

If your tree is neither fir nor spruce, you may have some variety of pine or cedar. Almost any evergreen makes a Christmas tree, the species being dictated largely by where you live. In Colorado folks use the lodgepole pine because the firs grow too high up in the mountains to be cut and shipped easily. Tennessee uses white cedar, and in California you may even get a redwood.

Burning of Greens Is Ancient Festivity

The Burning of the Greens has formed a central part of Twelfth Night festivities in England since the Middle Ages. Large fires were held to purify the fields and to assure bountiful crops. Everyone in the district gathered together to sing the Wassail Song and to drink from the Wassail Cup.

The ceremony was revived in America in 1930, when George M. Haushalter held a Burning of the Greens at Rochester, N. Y., and since has become an annual event there as well as in other communities. Discarded Christmas trees and wreaths were held for the New Year's celebration, then collected and burned at a gala community bonfire. It has been accepted as the end of the New Year's celebrations.

Character of Santa Claus Leads Others

No other Christmas symbol has a greater hold on the youth of the world than the character of Santa Claus. He probably originated in Holland and was imported to America by the early Dutch settlers. While his character has been changed in different countries and regions he remains in spirit the same Santa that came from Holland.

Object to Christmas

To the Jehovah's Witnesses, a Christmas tree in one's home "signifies that one is willing to worship the evil descending all the way from Nimrod."
The Witnesses also believe that Christmas should not be celebrated because it is an admixture of a Christian idea and a pagan setting. The older Witnesses still observe Christmas because the founder, no where spoke against it.

NEEDLECRAFT PATTERNS

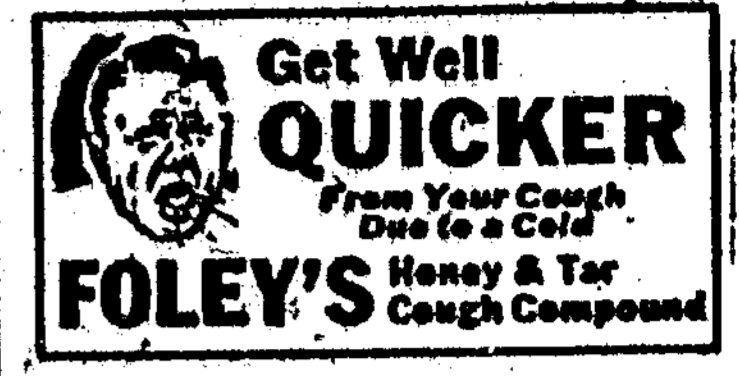
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AZTEC SUN RITES will be reproduced in the Southwestern Sun Carnival in El Paso from Dec. 27 to Jan. 1, and high point in the ceremony will be the sacrifice of a young woman as depicted by an artist in the above sketch. President Miguel Aleman of Mexico is sending his personal representative to view the authoritative reproduction of the five-century-old Aztec culture.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

The State of New Mexico to Jimmie Volls, defendant, against whom substituted service of process is hereby sought to be obtained; You are notified that there is pending in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, a certain civil cause No. 5417, in which Betty Lou Volls is plaintiff and you are defendant. The general object of said action is to obtain for the plaintiff an absolute divorce from you, the defendant, and also the custody of the minor child of the parties, Edward Arthur Volls. You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the Twelfth day of February, 1948, judgement will be rendered in said cause against you by default.

Plaintiff's Attorneys are Shipley and Shipley, Box 751, Alamogordo, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court on this 17th day of December, 1947, at Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

S. E. Grelsen, Clerk of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico (District Court Seal) D10-39

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION — ISOLATED TRACT Public Land Sale

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Bureau of Land Management, District Land Office Las Cruces, N. M. November 19, 1947.

Notice is hereby given that under provisions of section 2455, R. S., as amended by section 14 of the act of June 28, 1934 (48 Stat., 1274), and pursuant to the application of Vera H. Martin Serial No. 063093, there will be offered to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.69 per acre, at a public sale to be held at



all my Friends
in Lincoln County

MRS. LENA LOUGHREY

10:00 o'clock a. m., on the 4th day of February next, at this office, the following tracts of land: (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 11, Township 10 South, Range 13 East.) N. M. P. Meridian. The land will be sold with a reservation of all fissionable materials, and subject to the conditions and limitations of the Act of August 1, 1940 (50 Stat., 755) and subject to the provisions, reservations, conditions and limitations of the Act of June 22, 1910 (36 Stat., 503) as to coal.

Bids may be made by the principal or his agent, either personally at the sale or by mail.

Bids sent by mail will be considered only if received at this office prior to the hour set for the sale. These bids must be accompanied by certified checks or post-office money orders for the amount of the bids and must be enclosed in sealed envelopes. The envelopes must be marked in the lower left-hand corner substantially as follows: "Public sale bid, Serial No. 063093, Sale, February 4, 1948."

The person making the highest bid will be required to pay immediately the amount thereof.

Any person claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

Any person entitled to claim a preference right under the first proviso to said section 14 as an owner of contiguous land must assert his claim within 30 days from the date of public offering and conditional sale to the highest bidder and at the expiration of said preference right period, if no such right has been asserted, the highest bidder will be declared the purchaser of the land.

Paul A. Roach
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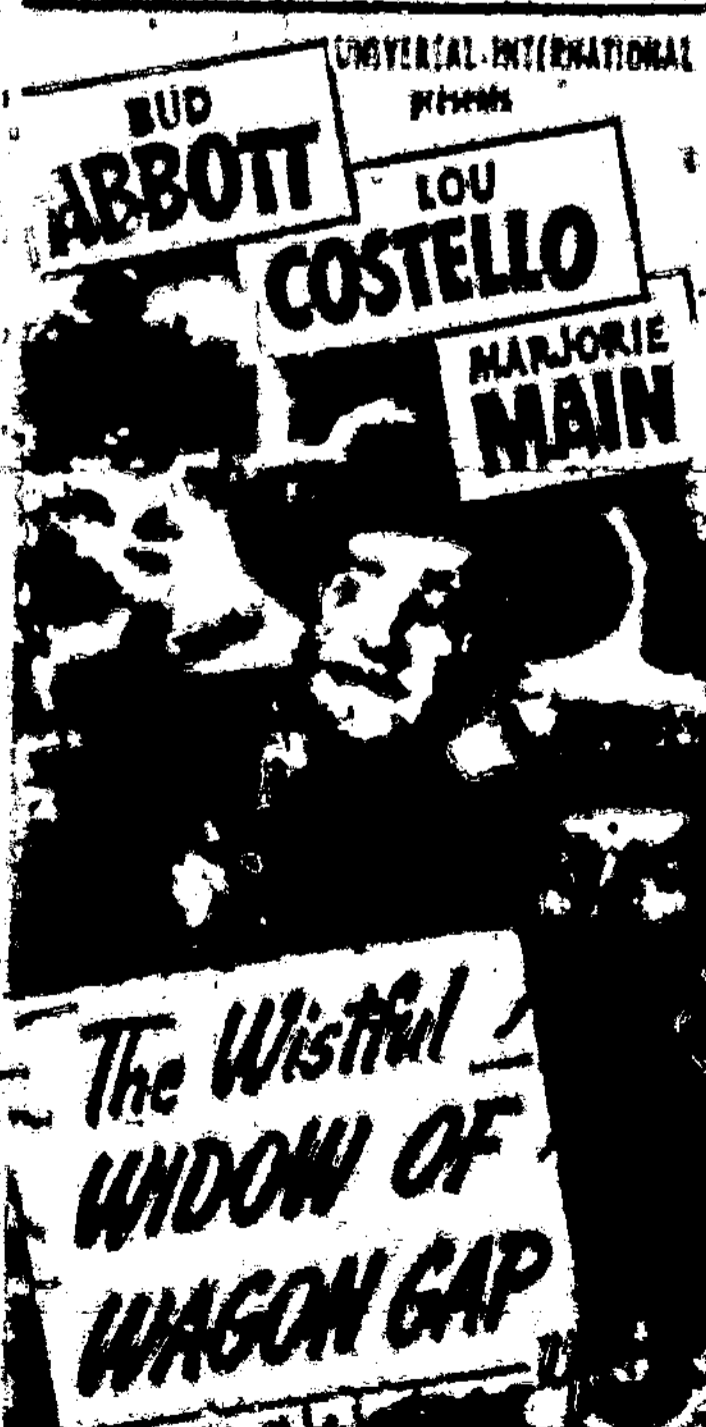
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December 7th for Mrs. Jogie E.
Hardcastle, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. H. W. Purcella.

Jogie E. Purcella was born at Elk,
New Mexico on April the 8th, 1906.
She passed away December 5, 1947.
In 1928 she was married to Lloyd
Hardcastle, to this union one son
Billy Roy was born.

For the past seven years, Mrs.

Hardcastle had been successfully
engaged in business in Capitan,
where she had made a host of
friends.

She leaves to mourn her passing
her son Billy Roy, her parents Mr.
and Mrs. H. W. Purcella, two brothers,
Charles of Albuquerque and
E. W. Purcella of Lincoln, two sisters
Mrs. Earl Brown of Albuquerque
and Mrs. B. W. Young of Fort
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To you and yours this Yuletide season,
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