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'54' 'Certainly Needs' Completion -- Mechem

U. S. 54 "certainly needs to be completed" was Governor Edwin L. Mechem's comment Thursday of last week after being visited by a delegation of U. S. 54 backers.

He said he "most certainly" would recommend to his new highway commission "when it takes office" that it study the problems of completing the road that runs northeast from El Paso through Alamogordo, Carrizozo, Santa Rosa and Tucuman.

"Of course," the governor said, "the big problem is where to get the money. I am sure that if the highway commission can find the money there will be work done on U. S. 54."

One stretch about which the road's sponsors are particularly concerned is the section between Carrizozo and Vaughn, which Senator Murray Morgan (D., Alamogordo) said is "impassable much of the time."

At the conference held in Governor Mechem's office, the paving of State Highway 37 and an additional 12 miles of highway between Carrizozo and Angus were other subjects under discussion.

L. S. Drake, Ruidoso, state representative for Lincoln County, in a report on the meeting sent to the News-Outlook, said all the counties in New Mexico which Highway 54 crosses were represented although due to bad weather and road conditions the attendance was considerably smaller than it would otherwise have been.

State Highway Engineer Burton Dwyer explained at length the costs involved in building, additional bridges, roadbeds, paving, etc., along the two routes.

General Sage, adjutant general; New Mexico State Guard, stressed the importance of Highway 54 for military reasons in the crisis that now exists. It should be completed, he maintained, as a strategic means of communication for troop movements and the trucking of supplies from the railroad junction at Vaughn. Also, this highway when completed would be a shorter route to Fort Bliss than Highway 85 which is now used.

Representative Herbert Bays of Otero county, president of New Mexico Highway 54 Association, likewise urged the completion of "54" as did Senator Murray Morgan of Alamogordo, Corbin Hester of Corona, county commissioner of Lincoln County, and Harry Straley of Corona. Mr. Watson of Corona told of a recent automobile accident on Highway 54 due to a soft spot in the road which caused a man's death. This life could have been saved, he contended, if the road had been paved.

Drake and Lincoln County Commissioner Wilbur McKnight, Captain, pointed out the benefits to be derived from the completion of Highway 54: increased revenue to the State Highway Department from the gasoline tax and an increase in the tourist business.

Representative Drake stated he thought the 12 miles of Highway 37 from Ruidoso to Angus should be built so residents on it would have an outlet to the main arteries of the state, and the scenic drive through the mountains would be a definite tourist attraction.

Ruidoso, Drake said, has an estimated evaluation of \$1,912,163, according to a State Tax Commission report. Residents of Ruidoso for business reasons frequently drive to Carrizozo, the county seat. The distance from Ruidoso to Carrizozo is approximately 72 miles via Hondo, Lincoln and Capitan, and is an especially hazardous trip in bad weather. The construction of the 12 miles of new highway would shorten this distance by one-half.

McKnight agreed that if the 12-mile strip of Highway 37 were built, it would make the people of Carrizozo, Nogal, Capitan and Ruidoso very happy. In fact, he said, it would please all the citizens of Lincoln County.

Burton Dwyer reported the State Highway Department had appropriated \$300,000 for this project but the lowest bid submitted for the job exceeded this amount by \$55,000 and the contract could not therefore be let.

Will Crockett Succumbs In Orange Vale, Calif.

Word has been received in Carrizozo of the death of Will Crockett in Orange Vale, Calif., on January 12.

Mr. Crockett, who had undergone minor surgery, returned to his home on January 5. He had appeared to be convalescing satisfactorily until his death from a sudden heart attack which apparently was caused by a blood clot inside the heart.

Interment was at Sacramento, Calif., on January 15, and pallbearers were old friends of Mr. Crockett who formerly resided in New Mexico. They included Messrs. Ray Hulse, Clyde Hulse, Floyd Alexander, Roy Meany and Milton Bourn.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Madie Crockett, Orange Vale; a sister, Mrs. Stella Crockett Griffith, Orange Vale, and three brothers, M. S. Crockett, Carrizozo; Joe Crockett and J. I. Crockett, both of Phoenix, Ariz.

The late Mr. Crockett was born at Angus, N. M., March 4, 1890, and moved to California about 30 years ago. The Crocketts would have celebrated 41 years of marriage this week — their wedding having taken place at Wigginsville, N. M. (on the Bonito) in 1910.

The deceased had been employed at Mather Air Force Base, near Sacramento, for the past eight years.

Write-ins Highlight In School Board Election

The local school board election this week was highlighted by the surprise write-in of several candidates.

Mrs. Glenneth Stokes and James Duncanson, the only persons whose names appeared on the ballot, were the winners for the two six-year terms of office.

Surprise write-ins included T. A. Spencer Jr., W. J. Hadley, T. A. Spencer, Mrs. Frank Richards, T. E. Kelley, Roy Shafer and W. H. Nickels.

Unofficial returns for the foregoing candidates and write-ins are: Glenneth Stokes, 64; James Duncanson, 57; T. A. Spencer Jr., 46; W. J. Hadley, 34; T. A. Spencer, 1; Mrs. Frank Richards, 1; T. E. Kelley, 1; Roy Shafer, 2; W. H. Nickels, 2.

Another school board election is not due until the first Tuesday in February, 1953, when Tino Lopez's term of office expires.

Unofficial returns from other towns in Lincoln County are: Capitan—Orlando Wilson 104, Julian Herrera 89, Wilson replaces Joe M. Wigley, who has served on the board 17 years and did not choose to run for reelection.

Ruidoso—Six-year term: Harley A. Parnell 47, Dr. D. E. Snyder 226, Clarence E. Gay 53, Miles B. McCoy 152, Ruth Long 39; two-year term: Bebe Coe 51, Ralph McGuire 112, Wynema Tully 51.

Local Service Station Changes Management

E. A. Casey and Thomas B. O'Rear, Carrizozo, announced this week they have taken over the operation of Zumwalt's Auto Service here.

Tom B. Zumwalt, who has been managing the station, has accepted employment in Hobbs and plans to leave next week. Casey was previously employed by the Lincoln County Motors here, while O'Rear has for some time been working at the station under its former management.

On Sea Duty

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boone, Carrizozo, have received word their son, Charles W., has been assigned to sea duty. Formerly stationed at San Diego, young Boone was in Carrizozo recently on leave.

Lions Zone Party

The Carrizozo Lions zone party and dance will be held February 17 at the local Country Club. Complete details will be announced in next week's News-Outlook.

Geo. Sedillo Victim Of Auto Accident

An auto accident which occurred near Three Rivers January 30 claimed the life of George Sedillo, 23, Alamogordo, former Carrizozoan.

Sedillo died shortly after he was taken to Gerald Champion Memorial Hospital, Alamogordo, and his companion, James C. Spooner, Alamogordo, was critically injured.

The two men, who were found by Orris Smith, Ancho, about 2 A. M. on January 30, were lying in the road about 10 or 12 feet from their overturned car. Smith noticed the damaged vehicle as he was passing the spot, and then saw the two men lying in the road.

Sheriff Ray Prather, Alamogordo, and his deputy, James Brusuelas, who investigated the accident, stated it had not been determined who was driving the car when it went off the road. In the attempt to return the vehicle to the highway, the automobile was upset, it was reported, and rolled down the road about 150 or 160 feet where the men were thrown from the 1941 Ford. The car was completely demolished.

Funeral services were held in Carrizozo February 1 at the Santa Rita Church with Father Vito C. de Baca officiating. Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery, Carrizozo.

Pallbearers were Victor Lopez, Lorenzo Sedillo, both of Carrizozo; William Martinez, Las Cruces; Lester Stephens, Alamogordo; Maurelio Sedillo of California and Sylvestre Baca, Carrizozo.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Benita Sedillo, Carrizozo; three brothers, Ruben and Maurelio of California and Lorenzo of Carrizozo; and three sisters, Mesdames Vivian Sandoval and Maria Stephens, Alamogordo, and Mrs. Carolina Martinez of Las Cruces.

Sedillo, who had been employed at the F & M Cafe, Alamogordo, since July, 1950, was born at Lincoln April 6, 1927. He attended Carrizozo schools and had formerly worked at a local restaurant.

Telephone Expansion To Add 7,800 Circuit Miles

Telephone expansion projects which will add over 7,800 circuit miles of long distance facilities in New Mexico and El Paso County, Texas, are now under construction, E. C. Phillips, New Mexico-El Paso manager of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company, announced this week.

Telephone carrier systems, by which a number of additional conversations may be transmitted over a pair of wires through application of different electrical frequencies, are being installed to provide most of the new message channels. Ninety miles of toll wire will also be strung between Roswell and Carrizozo to expand facilities on that route. The projects involve new additions to the telephone buildings at Carrizozo and Alamogordo and the construction of a small building at Hondo, to house "repeater" or amplifying equipment to "step up" the electrical currents which lose strength as they travel along the line. These new structures have been completed, Phillips said, and installation of the amplification facilities is now under way. The carrier systems will also require the installation of complex telephone equipment at the terminal offices to separate or filter out the frequencies which "carry" the various conversations.

When completed, the first of the two projects will add 21 new circuits to expand service in this area. Ten Albuquerque-Roswell, eight Roswell-El Paso, two Albuquerque-El Paso and one Alamogordo-El Paso message channels are expected to be cut into service during April. By June 1 the second long distance project is scheduled to be completed. It will provide five more circuits between points in the New Mexico-El Paso area—two between Roswell and El Paso, and one each between Roswell and Carrizozo, Roswell and Albuquerque, and Albuquerque and El Paso. The cost of the two big long distance jobs will be in the neighborhood of \$273,000.

Capitan, Alamo Down Grizzlies

The Capitan basketball team took three wins home with them after Friday night's game in the local gym last week. Capitan's seventh and eighth grade team set the Carrizozo Grade School down 38 to 19. The Tiger "B"s tossed the Grizzly "B"s for a 41 to 30 loss and the "A" game ended with Capitan on top, 50 to 42.

Several of the youngsters in the first game gave a stellar performance in point getting that would make a high school player proud. In the second game, the Capitan five took their second win of the year from the Carrizozo "B"s. The Capitan "B" squad had the same number of points in both wins: last week 41 to 27 and this week 41 to 30.

Capitan jumped into the lead in the "A" game with two free throws at the beginning, but Carrizozo rallied and pulled into a three-point lead at the end of the first quarter, 14 to 11. Midway in the second period, Capitan overtook the Grizzlies and were leading by six points at halftime, 20 to 20. The third quarter saw Capitan score 10 points to Carrizozo's nine, increasing the Tigers' lead to 13 points at the end of the quarter, 42 to 29.

Carrizozo rallied again in the last period to cut Capitan's lead to eight points, but the Tigers started to connect and matched the Zoolites basket for basket to win their second game from the local team.

High point men were: Carrizozo, Jimmy Barnett 15, Bob Pouchon 11; Capitan, Rigya Sandoval 13, Zamore and Petree tied for nine points.

Saturday night's game at Alamogordo saw the local team go down to smashing defeat, 62-11. The Zoolites were unable to rally from the lead which the Alamogordans had run up, 34-3, by the end of the first half.

Altun van High man for Alamogordo with 12 points, and Henry Vega snared four points for the Grizzlies.

The local second string team's game with Alamogordo's B team was not the one-sided affair the main bout proved to be. The Zoolites lost by only two points, 25-23, with the score at halftime 9-8 in favor of the Grizzlies.

Games scheduled for this weekend include one with Corona there tonight (Friday) and one with Weed here on February 10.

Of interest to fans is the one-day basketball tournament to be held in Alamogordo tomorrow (Saturday). Players are seventh and eighth grade students, with the first game starting at 8 A. M. Several teams from Lincoln County schools are entered.

A meeting of athletic directors for schools in District 14 is scheduled in Alamogordo February 12 at 7:30 P. M., where final arrangements will be completed for District 14 basketball tournament. Schools in this district include Ruidoso, Hondo, Capitan, Carrizozo, Weed, Alamogordo, Cloudcroft and Tularosa. Successful teams in the District 14 tournament will enter the regional tournament in Silver City March 2 and 3, and winners in the latter tourney will go on to the state meet in Albuquerque March 9 and 10.

City Council Debates Water Tank Purchase

Keen interest was expressed at Tuesday night's meeting of City Council concerning the 500,000 gallon steel water storage tank which Councilmen C. A. Snow and T. E. Kelley, together with Utilities Superintendent Lawrence Queen, inspected recently.

The Army has a 10-day option on the tank but should it become available the trustees are agreed all efforts should be made to acquire it.

Thomas B. Hyde, sanitation in Lincoln County, appeared before council to press for an ordinance regulating the sale of milk and milk products in business establishments in town.

A. F. Sifton Jr. and George L. Zimmerman appeared in connection with the new state law providing for the licensing of theaters. The city ordinance is to be amended to conform to the new law.

George King protested his last month's utilities bill which he declared was too high. Council requested Mr. Queen to personally check on the matter. Other routine business was transacted.

Fort Stanton Scout Represents District

Thomas (Skipper) Gould, Fort Stanton, has been signaled for the honor of representing White Mountain District Boy Scouts at Santa Fe.

Saturday, February 10, Governor Edwin L. Mechem will receive the annual report of New Mexico Boy Scouting and its activities for the past year. One Scout from each district will be sent to represent the district at this formal ceremony.

According to a letter received by Ray Baker, scoutmaster at Fort Stanton, his troop was selected as the troop to provide a Boy Scout to represent the White Mountain District. This district covers the communities of Vaughn, Carrizozo, Ruidoso, Capitan, Lincoln and Mesalero.

At the first meeting after receiving the letter Baker told his troop to elect the one Scout they all wanted to represent them and their troop during this very important ceremony. Gould won the election unanimously. The letter advised Baker to let the troop committee select the one to go, but he is training his troop in the principles of U. S. government and thought a general election would be the best way to handle the matter.

Jimmie Thompson was elected alternate. Skipper Gould is the son of William H. Gould, paymaster at the Fort. Skipper, about 16 years of age, is a first class Scout and is working hard to attain the Star Scout rating. Ft. Stantonites agree he was the logical Scout to represent the local troop at this meeting. Baker's troop has won an extremely high honor in scouting circles in being chosen to represent White Mountain District at the conference.

Tres Valles Garden Club Sponsors Landscaping

Members of the Tres Valles Garden Club at their January meeting appointed a committee to consult with civic organizations in Carrizozo concerning a project of landscaping at the local hospital.

The club previously completed a similar program at the Hondo Valley General Hospital through the aid of Mr. Byers of the Ruidoso Nursery, who not only furnished the shrubbery at a considerable discount but planted and guaranteed it to live. He is reported as willing to again assist the garden club in its work at the local hospital.

Mesdames Tom Babers, San Patricio; Wilbur McKnight, Capitan, and John Davis, Lincoln, were in Carrizozo this week to discuss the matter with members of the local Woman's Club who have indicated their interest in the offer.

The January 30 meeting of the garden club was held in the home of Peter Hurd, San Patricio, who gave the members many valuable tips and suggestions on gardening. Hurd presented his guests with plants he had potted.

The next meeting of the club will be held February 27 at the home of Mrs. Victoria Limacher, Hondo.

Extension Granted In Green Tree Hearing

Boy Scouts Observe Forty-first Anniversary

Boy Scouts and their leaders from Eastern New Mexico, White Mountain District, joined the nation this week, February 8-12, in celebrating a birthday—the forty-first anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, which is being observed by all members of the youth organization in special demonstrations, public ceremonies, parents' night gatherings, Cub Scout blue and gold banquets, courts of honor and other activities.

The Eastern-New Mexico Council's 3,023 Scouts are among the 2,500,000 Scouts in every city, town, village and hamlet throughout the nation and its territories observing the organization's birthday.

In accordance with tradition, Scouts everywhere rededicated themselves to the Scout oath and law Thursday, February 8.

The purpose of scouting, according to the organization's federal charter, "shall promote, through organization and cooperation with other agencies, the ability of boys to do things for themselves and others, to train them in scoutcraft, and to teach them patriotism, courage, self-reliance and kindred virtues."

L. W. Clark of Capitan has served as district chairman for the White Mountain District during the past two years. This district includes Lincoln County and the Mesalero Indian Reservation. Edwin L. Mechem, governor of New Mexico, will be host to the Boy Scouts of New Mexico at a ceremony to take place in the governor's office at 10 A. M. February 10.

Scout councils in the state have been asked to send a Scout to represent their council for the ceremony of "Report to the Nation of the Crusade to Strengthen the Arm of Liberty."

Thomas Gould of Fort Stanton will represent White Mountain District.

While this is going on at state capitals, 12 Boy Scouts from the Boy Scout regions of America will be guests of President Truman at the White House.

Town Team Winner In Local Benefit Game

The town basketball team, sponsored by the Carrizozo Lions, defeated the local high school team in a close game that stretched into a three-minute overtime period. Proceeds of the game were donated to the film strip library at Carrizozo High School.

The score at the final horn was 39-39, but three baskets caged by the town team in the first part of the overtime period cinched the game for the older players, 45-39. Jake Herrera scored 10 points for the town team, while high man for the school team was Jimmie Barnett with 11. Two men on each team were ruled out on fouls.

Local PTA To Present Skit On February 12

A skit depicting progress in parent-teacher relationships, as they have advanced from the Nineteenth Century to the present day, will be presented February 12 by Carrizozo PTA members at the grade school auditorium. The presentation is in observance of Founders Day and is under the direction of Mrs. Zane Petty and Mrs. Hazel McClintock.

The skit will be given immediately following the business session of the organization which is scheduled for 7:30 P. M. on February 12. Mrs. Julia Sherrill heads the refreshment committee whose members are Miss Bette Lou Grogan and Mesdames Jewel Aguayo, Tino Lopez and Tom O'Rear.

Extension Granted In Green Tree Hearing

Action on the petition of several Green Tree residents to disincorporate, which was heard by the Lincoln County commissioners at their regular meeting on February 5, has been continued until February 26 at 10 A. M.

The extension of time was granted at the request of Daniel R. Brenton, attorney for the village of Green Tree, in order to attempt an amicable settlement of a difference of opinion which apparently arose as a result of a bond issue voted by the village for the purpose of the construction of a water system.

The commissioners said the petition to disincorporate was apparently in order.

Brenton stated it would set the village back 20 years in event of disincorporation, and the residents would lose many of their advantages including their fire department, etc. He added Green Tree had been incorporated for the purpose of progress and that disincorporation would keep the village at a standstill. The attorney expressed the opinion the difference in viewpoints can be resolved.

Alton Gray, spokesman for the opposition (those residents who believe the bonded indebtedness would be burdensome and beyond their ability to pay), was agreeable to the continuance of the proceedings.

Gray explained Hale Spring belongs to the residents of the Palo Verde addition; that they had purchased the water rights once and he did not believe they would want to buy them the second time. There was the possibility, he added, Green Tree might want to purchase those water rights. He added it appeared the village might be going backward instead of forward, and commented that tourists would be discouraged from visiting the town because of what he termed a "speed trap" having been set up. Gray stated the village is largely dependent upon tourist business.

A suit is on file in District Court which enjoins the village from disposing of the bonds for the water system until disincorporation proceedings are settled. If the dispute cannot be settled, it appears the county commissioners have no alternative but to order an election for disincorporation.

The commissioners at Monday's meeting approved the appointment of Archie Perkins, Corona, to the Lincoln County Municipal Hospital board. Perkins replaces A. C. Hester, newly elected county commissioner. A meeting of the county commissioners with Burton Dwyer, state highway engineer, is scheduled for today (Friday) in Santa Fe to discuss the 1952-53 appropriation for farm to market roads. The commissioners also have some questions concerning the 1950-51 and 1951-52 appropriations which they plan to take up at this meeting.

Honor Society Formed By Capitan Students

Capitan school students organized a chapter of the National Honor Society December 11, 1950. Officers are:

Billy Ferguson, president; Joe Don Womack, vice president; Joy Miller, secretary; Clara Nail, treasurer; Odell Hickman, reporter. R. M. Jones is the chapter sponsor and council members are Frank F. Taylor, Curtis Clement, Mrs. S. M. Cozzens and Mrs. Ruby Yarbrough.

Another meeting was held January 27 and it was decided to purchase pins similar to the ones bought by members of the society previously. All members, active and probationary, must have a "B" average at all times.

The Weather

Temperatures	High	Low
February 2	20	-4
" 3	37	15
" 4	44	19
" 5	55	29
" 6	62	25
" 7	61	25
" 8	67	25

No precipitation.

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Washington Newsletter

By JOHN J. DEMPSEY, M. C. WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Nearly all of Washington's present day worries are tied in with the threatening world situation. Not since World War II has this country faced such a critical period. That the people of America feel this tension is reflected in the mail that comes into this office daily.

Some of these letters deal with personal matters connected with the mobilization effort, but many are only concerned with expressing the writer's apprehension about the present crisis. Some are written in the heat of anger—anger at the Russians, at our allies, at the United Nations, at the President, or Congress. Others face the situation coolly and logically.

While I can't speak for other members of Congress as a group, I am certain that most of us are even more deeply concerned with the situation than other citizens of the country. But our opinions as to what is the right course to take do not always agree.

Personally, I believe that strength and courage are the only answers to Russia's threat. The Reds have shown signs that they will only stop when they have to and that their pledges and assurances mean nothing. For this reason, we are obliged to maintain our own strength and resources at a point where it will discourage further Russian aggression.

If we learned any lessons from the series of events which led up to World War II, it was that appeasement won't buy peace. Surely the most tragic figure of an era was Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain making his smiling return to England in the belief he had secured "peace for our time" by his surrender to Adolf Hitler at Munich. And yet only 13 years later, India's Sir Jawahar Lala Nehru sought to bring about a peaceful settlement of the Asiatic question by the same process.

But we cannot concern our selves with merely arming to the teeth against external aggression. If we continue the present wasteful and extravagant expenditures of federal moneys, this country is doomed to bankruptcy, and it probably won't be long in coming.

INFLATION ENEMY This matter of loose spending practices is an extremely serious one from my point of view. I believe we are falling right into a trap that the Kremlin leaders have planned.

The idea of the Communist bosses could easily be to force this country, by a series of small scale wars and threats, to drain itself economically into a bankrupt condition, thereby making the country easy prey for Communist domination.

If the Reds can accomplish that, it would be just as sure a victory for them as a successful war and would be much less expensive. They could add the United States to the Communist orbit without a Russian city being bombed or a Russian soldier being killed.

As I see it, there is only one way out of this dilemma. We are forced to rearm to protect ourselves. We must maintain a strong Army, Navy and Air Force. That is certain. But there is no reason that we have to spend millions to buy eggs and butter that we give away and potatoes that we throw away.

There is no reason why we should not postpone certain social programs, which might or might not be beneficial in a normal peacetime economy, but are certainly out of place today. There is no reason why we can't utilize surplus workers in non-essential agencies in new jobs created by the defense emergency, rather than hiring thousands of new government workers and keeping the old ones, too. And there is certainly no reason why agencies can't be forced to do some "belt-tightening" just as well as the taxpayers. And as far as the taxpayer is concerned, I believe there is a limit to just how tight a man's belt can be. It has been the idea of some

ENCINOSO By HATTIE LACY

The north side of the Capitan Mountains received about four inches of snow last week. There was a drop in temperature to 10 degrees below zero at the school house, and lower temperatures were reported in other parts of the community.

O. H. Booher is now employed at the sawmill.

Jimmy Irwin Tabor celebrated his sixteenth birthday anniversary Friday at home on the Tabor ranch. There is no doubt that Jimmy had a delicious cake, the kind his mother is accustomed to making.

Sonny Tabor and son arrived Wednesday from Phoenix, Ariz., to visit the former's father and family.

The school bus ran every day last week and the attendance for the entire week was good.

The Booher family visited Mrs. Booher's sister in Capitan Sunday afternoon.

The play, "The Adventure of Tom Sawyer," will be given here soon by the pupils of Encinosa School. The play has three acts, but will be given in three different programs. The assignment of characters are: Aunt Polly, Anna Montoya; Tom Sawyer, Eloy Sedillo; Huckleberry Finn, Leonard Sanchez; Joe Harper, Charlie Booher; Jim, the colored boy, Claudio Montoya; Becky Thatcher, Virginia Trujillo; Amy Lawrence, Helen Sedillo; Sid, Tom's half brother, Paul Sedillo; Widow Jougless, Agatha Montoya; Mary, Arcenia Trujillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Taylor visited here Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Taylor visited Mrs. Lacy and Mr. Taylor visited Mr. Romero.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sanchez of Richardson spent Sunday afternoon in the Claudio Montoya home.

Grady Eldridge purchased a fine bull at the sale in Roswell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosa Flatley and

of the government's economist that the way to combat inflation is to increase taxes, on the theory that it is the extra money which the people have to spend that is causing the trouble. Those of us who have studied the problem know that the real cause of this inflation is government spending, with its ridiculous waste and carelessness.

IKE REPORTS—General Dwight D. Eisenhower reported to the members of Congress last week after his return, and he told us about what we expected him to say. That was that Europe has the "will to resist" communism, a fact which some of us have been inclined to doubt upon occasion, and that the most urgent need for the defense of western Europe is arms, not men.

LOUIS COMES BACK. We know now that the Clovis air base will be put back into use by the Air Force, even though officials have not yet said when they expect to reopen the field. The announcement is a source of considerable satisfaction to me and other members of New Mexico's congressional delegation who have all been working on the project. About 3,000 military and civilian personnel are expected to be stationed at the base.

Shafer Motor Co. To Show New Dodge Truck

Shafer Motor Company, local Dodge dealer, this week revealed some of the 50 new features of the new B-2 Series of Dodge "Job-Rated" trucks which will be introduced on tomorrow (Saturday).

Increased power, new styling, better brakes, improved steering for easier handling, more driver comfort, and newly designed shock absorbers are among the new features providing faster, safer and more economical hauling of larger payloads.

Horsepower increases in some of the eight engines powering the new Dodge truck line range as high as 20 per cent. Gross vehicle weight ratings in the new trucks range from 4,250 to 40,000 pounds, and gross combination weight ratings range up to 60,000 pounds.

Higher governor settings, redesigned fuel pumps, "hotter"

Ken Lacy visited the latter's mother Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Merchant and Mrs. Bill Edgar and daughter, Wilma, attended the Chuck and Chat Club last Tuesday at the Purcella home.

About one out of every nine cows in the United States is bred by artificial insemination.

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spark plugs with improved moisture proofing, larger capacity generators, a new high torque starting motor, and more efficient cooling systems are among engine improvements which provide the new line with greater power and economy.

A major engineering development for easier riding and better handling are the new Oriflow shock absorbers introduced on the 1/2, 3/4 and 1-ton models.

Brakes have been improved on all models. All brake cylinders now are anodized for positive protection against destructive rust and corrosion. A new cycle-bond molded tapered lining was developed to give the brakes smoother, more positive action, and to reduce the tendency to grab or squeal. The new lining is now used on all models not equipped with air brakes from the 1 1/2-ton up.

Loading heights are even lower.

than before on all models from the 1/2-ton through the 2-ton. This was accomplished by redesigning the rear springs.

A far reaching development in the new Dodge higher tonnage trucks is that the power and economy benefits of twin carburetion and twin exhaust are now provided on the R (2 1/2-ton), T (3-ton) and V (3 1/2-ton) models. Engine output on these trucks has been greatly increased—from 106 to 125.5 net horsepower on the R model, and from 111.5 to 134.5 net horsepower on the T and V models. The result is higher average road speeds, faster hill climbing, greater economy, and less driver fatigue through reduced gear shifting.

New styling on all models features a new grille formed by two large horizontal louvers. Wrap around bumpers give the fenders more protection.

Thicker seat pad cushions and

recontoured seat backs provide greater comfort for the driver. Instruments are arranged in a cluster on the dash. Driver visibility has been increased by lowering the front of the hood line. The windshield wipers have been repositioned to cover a more usable area and to lay closer to the base of the windshield when not in use.

Chickens need twice as much water for their weight as beef cattle, hogs or sheep. Don't let your water lines freeze.

Compared to other high quality foods, poultry and eggs give the consumer more food value for their money.

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TINNIE

By RUBY ALLEN

Big news of the week is the weather, as the mercury dropped to 10 below zero last Wednesday morning, and was still six below when the school children arrived.

However, it seemed much colder to me Monday when there was a sharp east wind cutting late in the afternoon and night. Ranchers and farmers, and all concerned are thankful for the little moisture we got.

Most of those who attended the dance at Hondo Saturday night reported a nice time. The PTA ladies sold good eats that night.

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John Allen, with the Case Drilling Company, made a trip in to visit his family Sunday.

NOGAL

By DOROTHY GUCK

There was a time last week when I had decided to leave this land of enchantment for a warmer climate, but as I looked around the nation, not a warm spot could be found.

Snow, the best part of the storm, gave my boys and Bobbie Peebles a good day of skiing at Cedar Creek.

The Highway Department has improved the Nogal hill road a great deal with widening and gravel.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill Peters had some Colorado friends as guests at their ranch at Angus last week.

Lamoyne Peters was bit by the flu bug Saturday, but made a quick recovery.

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LINCOLN

By MRS. J. E. PHILLIPS

Roger Salazar, who has been in the Navy for nine months, is home on leave. His arrival was quite a surprise to the family who were gathered around the breakfast table when Roger walked in.

Mrs. Martha Benardez, who had recently been dismissed from the Hondo Valley General Hospital suffered a relapse and was taken back this week.

Orlando Sanchez, recently inducted into the Army, is leaving for Fort Sill, Okla., to begin training.

Baldemar Carabajal is in Hotel Dieu in El Paso for a series of examinations.

George Morris is to report for Army training February 15.

Dixie Dockray is back in school after a bout with tonsillitis.

Larry Silva and James Roy Taylor have been out of school with colds.

Claire Boyd visited Lincoln School Friday.

Priscilla Padillo went to Ruidoso Sunday with Jennie Lee Maes.

Julie Davis has been going to Roswell each Tuesday for typhoid shots.

Delmar Noll, Bobby Romero, Avelina Zamora, Dolores Zamora and Cirilia Aldaz have been absent from school due to illness.

The upper grade students enjoyed and appreciated the cold weather for they have been learning to square dance during noons and recesses—a privilege they

had been promised for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Cristobal Zamora Sr. went to Las Cruces Monday, January 29, to attend Cristobal Jr.'s graduation exercises.

Saw Roy Taylor and Jeff Dockray in Roswell Saturday evening but I guess they got back home, as I saw Roy going past this morning back to his well drilling.

The Roy Le Mays visited Mrs. M. M. Pflingsten last Friday.

The school children report a wonderful food is served at school. With a good cook like Mrs. Rensch and menus like the ones for this week, it's no wonder:

Monday Beef and Vegetable Stew Buttered Toast Cottage Cheese—Apricots Krippy Krunch Cookies 1/2 Pint Milk

Tuesday Macaroni (with Cheese and Tomatoes) Spinach Carrot Salad Hot Biscuits and Butter Peaches Whole Milk Cocoa

Wednesday Roast Pork Mashed Potatoes

Buttered Peas Bran Muffins and Butter Cherry Cobbler 1/2 Pint Milk

Thursday Pinto Beans and Bacon Chopped Raw Onions Chilli Lettuce and Tomato Salad Cornbread and Butter Apple Sauce 1/2 Pint Milk

Friday Fresh Fish Mashed Potatoes Buttered Green Beans Cabbage Salad

Wholewheat Bread and Butter Banana Pudding 1/2 Pint Milk

It was a big day in Lincoln Monday, February 5. The tax assessor was in town and everyone round about was in to render taxes. Nice seeing everyone.

Salt is important in the diet of beef cattle for normal digestion of feeds and excretion of waste products.

Pigs of 200-pound weight usually in current market demands better than 250-pounders, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO. IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, AND OF No. 741 THE ESTATE OF JAMES T. BOOKY, DECEASED. NOTICE OF HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

Alice P. Booky, Joseph J. Booky, Albert Roger Booky, Ernest Booky, and to all unknown heirs of the said James T. Booky, deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in, or to the estate of said decedent, GREETINGS:

You and each of you are hereby notified that the executrix of said estate, Alice P. Booky, has filed her final account and report herein and that the Probate Court of said County has appointed the 9th day of March, 1951, at the Office of the Probate Court, in the Court House in the Town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., as the day, time and place for the hearing of objections to said final account and report; and at said time and place said Probate Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereof or therein, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

The name and address of the Attorney for the Administratrix is BREWTON & HALL, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Court on this the 10th day of January, 1951.

J. G. MOORE, County Clerk, and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico.

By Otilia E. Vega, Deputy. (P. C. SEAL) J19-26 F 2-0

IN THE DISTRICT COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN LOREN MAGUIRE WIN-TER, Plaintiff, vs. NEW STATE OIL AND GAS COMPANY, a defendant corporation; The following named defendants by name, if living; if deceased, their unknown heirs: EDWARD LEE; ADDIE LEE; WILLIAM HENRY WEST, also known as WILLIAM HENRY WEST; EVA WEST; ALLIE WEST, also known as ALLIE E. WEST; No. 5790 R. C. PITTS, also known as P. C. PITTS; R. C. PITTS, TRUSTEE and P. C. PITTS, TRUSTEE; AUGUSTUS C. WINGFIELD, also known as A. C. WINGFIELD; CLARA L. STIDHAM; ROBERT E. STIDHAM, also known as R. E. STIDHAM; ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF.

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 plaintiff has filed her 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 estate described in the complaint, situate in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and being in Sections 1 and 2 of Township 8 South, Range 10 East; Sections 4, 5 and 6 of Township 8 South, Range 11 East; Sections 31 and 32 of Township 7 South, Range 11 East, Lincoln County, New Mexico, 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 the 14th day of March, 1951, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you and each of you by default.

Plaintiff's attorney is BREWTON & HALL, Carrizozo, New Mexico. Given under my hand and the seal of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, this 16 day of January, 1951. J. G. MOORE, District Court Clerk. By (s) Otilia E. Vega, Deputy. (D. C. SEAL) J19-26 F 2-0

IN THE PROBATE COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN In the Matter of Bruce Stuart, Deceased, No. 746 NOTICE OF HEARING UPON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT OF ADMINISTRATRIX AND PETITION FOR DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

Maude L. Stuart, an to all unknown heirs of Bruce Stuart, deceased, and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title, or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, GREETINGS:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Maude L. Stuart has filed her final account and report as administratrix of the Estate of Bruce Stuart, Deceased; together with her petition praying for her Discharge; That the Honorable Elerdo Chavez, Probate Judge of Lincoln County, New Mexico, has set Monday, the 12th day of March, 1951, 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 Bruce Stuart, 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 Attorney for the Administratrix is BREWTON & HALL, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the Probate Court on this the 10th day of January, 1951.

(s) J. G. MOORE, Probate Clerk. By (s) Otilia E. Vega, Deputy. (P. C. SEAL) J19-26 F 2-0

IN THE PROBATE COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ELBERT H. FLOTO, DECEASED. NOTICE OF HEARING UPON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT OF ADMINISTRATOR STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

Howard B. Floto and to all unknown heirs of Elbert H. Floto, Deceased, and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title, or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, GREETINGS:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Guy M. Bogart has filed his final account and report as Administrator of the Estate of Elbert H. Floto, Deceased; together with his petition praying for his Discharge; That the Honorable Elerdo Chavez, Probate Judge of Lincoln County, New Mexico, has set Tuesday, the 3rd day of April, 1951, 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 Elbert H. Floto, 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 Attorney for the Administrator is BREWTON & HALL, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the Probate Court on this the 1st day of February, 1951.

J. G. MOORE, Probate Clerk. By (s) Otilia E. Vega, Deputy. (P. C. SEAL) F 2-0-16-23

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SAN PATRICIO
By MICKEY THOMAS

The Hondo High PTA held a talent show Saturday evening. The San Patricio Grade School children did dances. All of them were dressed very gala, with bright skirts, shirts, kerchiefs and fancy hats.

A school trustee election was to be held Tuesday to replace Victoriano Trujillo, whose term has expired. I've been told that Severo Gallegos and Ben Sanchez were candidates. Results were not available at time of writing.

Catherine and Ginger Thomas entertained the Bible study class of Tinnie at their home Sunday evening.

Nearly everyone was busy thawing water pipes after the cold spell.

Ben Sanchez finally got his bus started at 9:30 last Thursday morning. It was just as well, too, cold to get out anyway.

Mrs. Candelaria had such a dismal time keeping her school room warm that the pre-primer room has moved into one of the new school rooms. They have butane gas heat now. The wood problem was terrible during the cold spell.

If hard work is the secret of success Kenny Nasker should come out all right. He's really pruning and getting his orchard in top shape.

Peter Hurd had such a cold he asked to be excused from the Hondo High talent show. However, he donated \$5 to the cause, which really helped. Thanks ever so much, Peter. We are in debt grateful.

This talent show was to help pay for the band instruments. One hundred and 18 dollars was cleared. We all think the show was a success, despite the rotten weather and other things which were unavoidable. Each district contributed talent, and turned out well. The band plays very well. All our groups are very proud of its success and we thank Mr. Lane, the music teacher, who has worked so hard on it.

PERSONALS

Billy Kelt, Tucumcari, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Kelt Sr.

Miss Joy Dawn Rell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Rell, has been home from college at Lubbock, Texas, for the mid-term holiday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Petree, Captain, is now residing here where she is employed as a stenographer and file clerk for the Harkey Lumber Company.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald for an extended visit are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Evans of Kansas City. Mr. Evans is a nephew of Mrs. McDonald.

Word has been received in Carrizozo Mrs. George Goodson of Alamogordo entered Southwestern General Hospital, El Paso, this week where she will undergo surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hemphill and family of Vaughn are moving to Duncan, Ariz., where Mr. Hemphill is to be the new passenger agent. Mrs. Hemphill is the former Kathryn Smith, daughter of Mrs. Era B. Smith, who previously published the News-*Outlook*.

Buddy Garrett called his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Farris, from San Diego recently while away from camp on a two day leave. Buddy is receiving boot training in the U. S. Navy, which he will complete in March. The Farris' grandson said Dick Roberts, Carrizozo, who enlisted in the Navy with Buddy, was with him on this leave, and also mentioned he had met two of his Alpine, Texas, school chums.

Truck Licenses On Sale

H. Alfred Jones, local attorney, announced this week truck licenses are available at his office, which is the distribution headquarters in Carrizozo.

Chuck And Chat Club Meets Week Early

The regular meeting of the Chuck and Chat Club of the Capitan district was held one week early, February 3, at the home of Mrs. Nettie Purcella.

Newly elected officers are Margie Eldridge, president, and Jeanette Smoot, secretary-treasurer. President for the past year was Eleanor Jones.

Several members were absent due to the snow.

Those present were Mesdames Grady Eldridge, Lon Merchant, Charles Jones, John Purcella, Tenna Smoot and Bill Edgar; Messrs. John and Ed Downing and Floyd Hale.

FORT STANTON

By L. D. FISH
Substituting For
FRANK E. SMITH

Your regular writer, Frank E. Smith, is in the hospital. He asked me if I would do the column for him this time to keep it alive. Here it is, hope I don't kill it. Everything here was told me by somebody else so don't hold me responsible.

Mrs. Bill Brown went to Grants to see her little grandson and, incidentally, to visit with her son Ergeal and his wife.

Mrs. Emmet Womack is in Texas visiting her mother. Bet it won't be long before Emmet goes to Texas to bring her home.

Jiggs Marr and Mrs. went to El Paso last weekend. I guess they got back alright. Everyone usually does.

The Burlesons were in Las Cruces several days ago. Their son-in-law (Velma's husband) is in school there.

Mary Ann Cox returned to school in Portales after a week-end at home.

At the VFW teen-age party last Saturday night the gas bottle went dry about 11 P. M. One of the boys went after Virgil Hall to get some more gas and in 15 minutes we were again cooking with gas. Thanks Virgil for responding so quickly. Mrs. Palmer and a couple of other girls brought extra cookies to the party. Everyone always has a good time at these affairs.

Our local barber, Mr. Stokely, has been ill for some time.

Percy Wiggs provided the pull to give all the Fort kids a sled ride during our recent snow storm here. It sure got cold, didn't it? One of the men here invented a special thermometer with an extension that can be pulled down to give the mercury room to go down.

John Davis, new student employe in the Fort Stanton Laboratory, is continuing his education through the medium of the American Council of Education for Members of the Armed Services. He's a good example for you people in high school; don't wait until you are grown to finish your education. It's tough to do it that way.

Our laboratory mechanics, Fish and Zamora, will be sworn into the naval reserve on Saturday, February 10. They don't think they will leave immediately, but they have stuck their necks out and could be called. Just can't stop these overseas veterans. One would think they had enough in the last one, but many of them are trying to get back in again.

Sidney Moore is a new admission to the hospital. He is from Manhattan Beach, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Young

CAPITAN

By ANN EARLING

Mr. and Mrs. U. O. Shaw and family are moving to Alamogordo where Mr. Shaw has accepted a position with a garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brady, formerly the caretakers of the O-Bar-O ranch, have left Las Cruces and are now located on a ranch in Lovington.

Met-up with Dave Woods in town on Wednesday, January 31, and he informed me his wife was to undergo a rib operation on February 1 at Socorro where she has been since she left Capitan a few years ago. Mr. Woods said his wife would appreciate so much to hear from her friends in Capitan. Let's all send her a get well card. Mail it to Box SS, Socorro.

You can now get your 1951 car license plates at Virgil Hall's garage.

Little Garth Hyde, who has been confined to his bed the past two weeks, is getting along fine.

The Upper Hondo Soil Conservation District has just purchased a new D-8 Caterpillar tractor to replace the tractor used by the district for several years. This new piece of equipment was hauled from Albuquerque by Jimmy Palmer and Jack Smith and it was immediately put into service on the Coe farms on the Ruidoso.

Rayford Runnels, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Runnels, has accepted the duties of watchman at the Bonita Dam. This vacancy was made when A. N. Runnels retired from this service on January 1.

Results of basketball games played in Carrizozo on Friday, February 2: Eighth graders, Capitan 38, Carrizozo 10; B teams, Capitan, 41, Carrizozo 30; A team, Capitan 50, Carrizozo 42.

Results of basketball games played in Capitan on Saturday, February 3: Eighth graders,

went to Albuquerque hurriedly last Sunday. Mrs. Young's mother is ill. Wesley came back to the Fort but planned to return to Albuquerque this week.

Leslie Korpela of Albuquerque was in for a checkup. He looks good and is doing a fine job in school in Albuquerque.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW in Capitan will give an enchilada dinner the night of February 24. This is the same night the rug will be given away. Tickets for the supper will be available at the home in Capitan as well as from any officer of either group. The rug is a big Mexican handmade affair and is a beautiful piece of work.

Guess this is about all for this time. Don't get discouraged; Frank will be back with you soon.

Tularosa 12, Capitan 30; B teams, Tularosa 36, Capitan 43; A teams, Tularosa 39, Capitan 51.

Phil Blaise and Helen Hampton, were married by Judge Reeves in Roswell on Friday evening, February 2. The bride and bridegroom attendants were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wingate of Roswell. A wedding supper was served the wedding party at the Colonial Supper Club, Roswell.

The City Council has posted a new city ordinance pertaining to parking near fire hydrants and crossing over fire hoses, etc. A copy of this ordinance is being mailed to all residents. You are asked to read it carefully and abide by it.

Mrs. Edna Laramie entertained 20 friends at her home on Thursday, February 1. Bridge and canasta were played. Bridge prizes were received by Mrs. Corinne Province, Mrs. Ed Sawyer and Mrs. Hunt Hobbs. Canasta prizes were awarded to Mrs. Henrietta Belknap and Mrs. D. O. Murphy. A

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party prize went to Mrs. LeRoy McKnight. Mrs. Byron Ausbrook, a house guest and sister of Mrs. Laramie, was presented a guest prize. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and

everyone expressed having a very enjoyable evening. The Chamber of Commerce will hold their annual dinner meeting on Wednesday, February 14, at 7 P. M. in the basement of

the Methodist Church. Don't forget that the ladies are invited. Little Tommy Utterback celebrated his eleventh birthday anniversary on Thursday, February 1.

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Mistakes Not Rehashed

IT HAS BEEN the policy of the brass hats that military mistakes, no matter how glaring, are not to be rehashed after they are made. That perhaps is why even the files on northern military blunders in the Civil War still are secret. That is also why our intelligence error in the Battle of the Bulge, which cost the lives of thousands of young men, still remains uninvestigated; with the general then in charge of U.S. intelligence being promoted to be No. 2 man in the central intelligence agency. And that is also why the naval commanders responsible for shooting down and killing 400 U.S. and British paratroopers in the invasion of Sicily never were investigated. American newspapermen, including this columnist, have written about these tragic errors. But no official investigation ever was made public.

Likewise suppressed may be the tragic Korean errors which cost us the greatest proportionate casualties in history and the greatest land-army defeat in history. Certainly they will not be published if Senator McCarthy has his way.

It was to shed light on some of these errors that this columnist published paraphrased excerpts from General MacArthur's cabled estimates of actual Chinese strength. These showed that while MacArthur was announcing more than 1,000,000 Chinese in Korea or on the border, and that "a bottomless well of Chinese manpower continues to flow into Korea," actually only about 40,000 Chinese, sent the 8th army on its headlong 120-mile retreat.

Errors of Command

There was a good reason why I used paraphrased official cables from MacArthur. If I had not, Senator McCarthy would have accused me of lying, or manufacturing the Chinese figures out of whole cloth. Faced with the official texts, he could not very well accuse me of lying, so he accused me of permitting the deciphering of coded messages. This the Secretary of the Army denied. McCarthy also implied that I had given secrets to the enemy. This was absurd on the face of it. The column in question dealt with Chinese military strength, and the Chinese obviously knew their own strength. Furthermore it was published on Dec. 29, one month after the 8th army's tragic retreat, and facts published after battle don't give much help to the enemy.

However, after a battle, the people whose sons are lost and whose country is injured are entitled to know the reasons for defeat. The reasons in this case were errors in command. They were not the fault of the troops on the field of battle.

The reasons for this particular defeat began at Wake Island, and go back in part to two factors—a brilliant, strong-minded general who knew exactly what he wanted, and a president not versed in military strategy who, as a former National Guard artillery captain, was dazzled by braud and brass.

The Big Risk

At Wake Island, General MacArthur proposed exactly what he later executed—a lightning dash by American troops up to the Manchurian border, a pause on the border only long enough to symbolize victory, then a march home by Christmas.

In talking to Truman, MacArthur even used the words "home by Christmas." He admitted that the Chinese might be provoked into attack. But he predicted they would not cross the Yalu river in force and confidently added that, if they did, he would take care of them.

MacArthur also argued that the North Korean guerrillas would be destroyed by the severe Korean winter, and that the South Korean army would be strong enough to protect its homeland without a large U.N. army.

President Truman was hesitant. He questioned the necessity of marching all the way to the Chinese border, also the wisdom of pulling American troops out too quickly.

MacArthur replied that "occasional air failures," that the execution of war prisoners is "foolish," and it would be best to leave Korea in the hands of Koreans.

Although Truman remained hesitant, he never gave MacArthur direct orders not to march to the border.

A stronger president, such as Franklin Roosevelt, probably would have argued MacArthur down. A stronger military adviser to the President might have done likewise. Time and again Churchill and Roosevelt, conferring with the generals, dominated military decisions in the last war. And although never published, it was about Admiral Chester Nimitz, commander of the fleet in the Pacific, who insisted to reverse MacArthur's plan to stage the next Philippine landing at Mindanao—where the Japs were expected—but in the Gulf of Leyte.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Communists Offer Vague Proposal For Negotiations in Korean War; Army Plans 24 Divisions by July

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

PEACE:

Price Is Too High

Communist China's ambiguous proposal for a truce in Korea fanned the hopes for peace among the American people and created a dangerous division among the free nations.

The Chinese proposal said, in part, if the withdrawal of foreign troops from Korea was being put into effect, Peking would advise the Chinese volunteers to return to China. The statement did not guarantee that Chinese troops would be withdrawn, nor did it say anything about North Korean forces. The statement was too ambiguous in the opinion of most American observers.

Withdrawal of the U.S. fleet from Formosa and a seat in the United Nations for Communist China also appeared in vague terms in the proposal for a truce.

The kindest thing that could be said about the Chinese statement was that perhaps there was a desire for peace in China. But from the American view that price was too high.

From the more practical viewpoint, however, the note put the United States in a bad situation politically. If it agreed to consider Peking's renewed overtures for a negotiated peace, it is bound to incur wide criticism at home. If it shuns these overtures, the accusations of the Soviet Union may fall on more fertile ground.

The Chinese move was seen by some observers as an attempt to block the American proposal in the U.N. of branding China the aggressor in Korea. If that was its purpose, it succeeded, at least temporarily.

Other observers questioned the status of the statement. It was not addressed to the United Nations. It was little more than a postal card to India in reply to questions of policy.

ARMY:

24 Divisions

Army strength by July will be equivalent to 24 combat divisions, Gen. J. Lawton Collins, army chief of staff, reported recently.

The build-up of combat strength by July will include 18 divisions and 16 regimental combat teams with supporting units, together with numerous independent tank battalions, field-artillery battalions and similar combat units.

Collins indicated, however, he did not believe the nation's current goal of 3,463,205 men in the armed forces will be enough and the total boosted.

And while army officer and government officials talked of manpower problems on the home front, a new Korean casualty list was announced by the department of defense.

An additional 2,424 casualties reported by the department, bring the Korean war total to 43,137.

The department said 4,508 were killed outright, 772 had died of wounds, and 22 men originally listed as missing in action have been determined to be dead. Thus the death toll stood at 7,303.

Wounded totaled 29,931, including the 772 who later died. The missing total of 8,677 included 822 men who since have returned to American control and 106 known prisoners of war.

New Contract



John L. Lewis, (right), president of the UMW, puts on the nearest thing to a smile he can manage after he and Harry M. Jones (left), president of the northern coal operators group, signed a new wage contract under which the miners received a \$1.00-a-day pay boost. The bargain became effective February 1.

Housing



Housing Administrator Raymond M.oley told the senate banking committee that the federal government may soon have to help communities build waterlines, roads, schools and other facilities to meet the needs of defense workers.

PRICE FREEZE:

Needed for Long Time

By the time this appears in print, the administration should have acted on the price-wage controls so long needed to stabilize the nation's economy in its all-out mobilization effort.

During the early weeks of 1951 the need of price controls became a pressing matter as wholesale prices hit an all-time high. The cost of the average family's food was the highest in the nation's history.

Critics of the administration had demanded a price-wage freeze for some time. Government officials, however, protested any freeze would be meaningless unless adequate machinery to enforce price controls was available.

It was also apparent that there was considerable difference of opinion between Charles E. Wilson, defense mobilization chief, Allen Valentine, economic stabilization chief, and others in charge of the administration's efforts to set up a wage-price control organization.

President Truman entered the fray by firing Valentine and appointing Eric Johnston, head of the Motion Picture Association of America, to take his place. Johnston will settle any disputes between the OPS and WSB.

Administration critics demanded for price-wage controls included a roll-back of price to January 1. As for wages, a temporary freeze was the most popular demand—but only temporary until some kind of wage control formula could be worked out.

LIVING COST:

Hits an All-Time High

The cost of living in the United States hit an all-time high early in 1951, with the dollar worth less than 80 cents of its 1936 buying power.

The latest estimates placed the cost of living at 89.1 per cent higher than in January, 1939, although food alone went up almost 118 per cent in the last 11 years. The jump was even greater in some individual foods. For example, the bread and butter the average factory worker could buy in 1936 for 36 cents now cost him approximately \$1.15.

An analysis of the figures revealed that a man who made \$3,000 ten years ago now needs \$5,440 to match his buying power. The equivalent of a \$3,000-a-year income then is now \$6,336.

The average factory worker earned approximately \$1,300 a year in 1939 and about \$3,000 last year, an increase of 115 per cent.

BONDS:

Treasury Plans Extension

The treasury plans to offer holders of Series E savings bonds an opportunity to keep their bonds another 10 years at 2 1/2 per cent interest and to retain the government interest rate on long-term treasury bonds at 2 1/2 per cent, it was reported recently.

Secretary of the Treasury Snyder said holders may cast their bonds, continue to hold the present bonds with an automatic interest-bearing extension which would amount to 2 1/2 per cent compounded at the end of 10 years, or exchange the bonds for current-income savings bonds of series G, which bear interest every six months.

Congress must pass the 18-year extension, however, before it will become effective. Of the \$25,000,000,000 of total outstanding savings bonds, nearly 125,000,000 is in the series E.

TAFT:

A Shift in Policy

Observers of American political activity always keep an eye on the party not in power as an indication of the trend of thought in the nation. For this reason, Sen. Robert Taft was back in the limelight, causing considerable speculation on his sudden shift in policy toward sending U.S. troops to Europe.

Only a week before, Taft, who is undoubtedly the most influential Republican in congress, blasted away at the administration and President Truman, in particular, for promising to send troops to Europe.

Then, one week later, he shifted his position and said he would favor sending a limited number to the continent. What does it mean, the average American wanted to know?

It would seem that Senator Taft had suddenly become impressed with the fact that our safety is tied with that of western Europe. It would also indicate that he has removed the steam from the all-out opposition in congress to send troops to Europe.

When Taft first announced his opposition to participation of U.S. troops in the defense of Europe, he found himself confronted by a difference of opinion from other influential members of his party. A number of them expressed the opinion that a decision against sending additional troops to Europe would be fatal to any program of mutual defense.

Taft's shift caused considerable comment on the American scene for two reasons. He has often been called an isolationist. And he is a man who seldom changes his policy once he has stated it publicly.

It is generally concluded that the majority of the American people do not sanction isolationism. Taft's shift could have been made because he recognized that fact. This does not mean, however, that the shift is so extreme that the senator from Ohio can be called an internationalist.

Appointment



Eric Johnston, head of the Motion Picture Association of America, (center), was appointed economic stabilizer to replace Alan Valentine. At left is John Steelman, assistant to the president, and Charles E. Wilson (right) defense mobilization director.

HOUSE:

Brands China Aggressor

The house of representatives, in the opinion of many, blundered into the field of foreign affairs with a heavy step by demanding that the United Nations should immediately act and declare the Chinese Communists an aggressor in Korea.

The United States had been working for this in behind the scene maneuvers at the United Nations for time. For a while there were reports that the majority of western nations was in favor of the action.

Shortly after the house resolution was passed, however, opposition to the move appeared, especially among the nations in the middle east. Some nations adopted the attitude that branding China the aggressor would completely cut off any chances for a negotiated peace and agitate the international crisis. The house action can be said to reflect the growing determination of the American people against the wave of appeasement that was evident in many quarters of the nation not so many weeks ago.

Draft Director



In the hot debate in congress over the drafting of 18-year-olds, Lewis E. Howsey, draft director, testified before the senate armed services subcommittee urging extension of the selective service law indefinitely and the drafting of younger men.



OATH AS SENATOR . . . Vice-Pres. swears in ex-Governor Duff, Pa.



YOUNG "VOICES OF AMERICA" . . . Two of the "Voices of America" selected to be heard over the weekly radio program of the state department are those of Russell Jones (left), 15, Brandy, Pa., and Miss Mary Miller, 17, of Culpepper, Va. The youngsters are shown after they were presented with commemorative pins by Virginia Sen. Willm Robertson in recognition of their personal efforts.



LUNCHEON "MEET" A LA MISSOURI . . . President Harry S. Truman recently attended a luncheon at Capitol Hill for the delegation to congress from the state of Missouri. Here, the President is keeping part of the party entertained. Left to right are Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn (D., Texas), President Truman, Representative John W. McCormack (D., Mass.), and Representative Phil J. Welch (D., Mo.). How did Texas and Massachusetts get in the picture?



BLAIR HOUSE VICTIM BACK ON DUTY . . . Corporal Joseph H. Byrne (right), is checked in at the White House by F.V.C. Glensard Lamber as the former returns to duty for the first time after he was shot defending President Truman's life at Blair House on November 1. Byrne fell in the exchange of gunfire with Griselto Torresola and Cesar Quijano, Puerto Rican terrorists.



FOREIGN AID HEAD . . . Boston Republican Thomas D. Cabot was nominated by President Truman recently to be director of internal security affairs, generally in charge of foreign aid for the state department. He is director of the United Front Co.



SUSPECTED KILLER . . . Bill Cook sits in his jail cell in San Diego, Calif., after it was learned he will be taken to Oklahoma City to face federal charges that he kidnaped Carl Mosser, his wife and three children and murdered them.



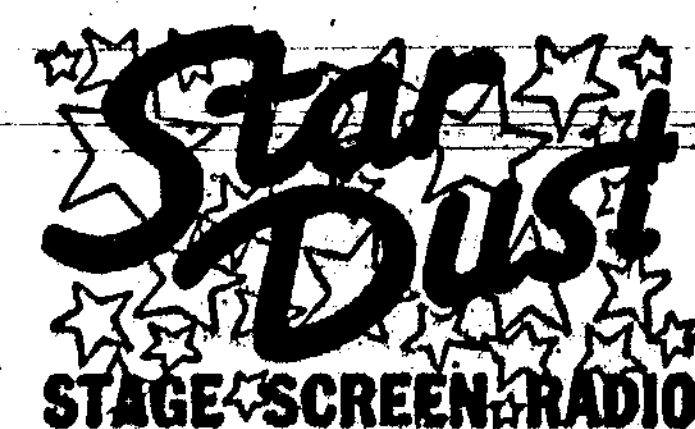
ASKS MORE WORKERS . . . Secretary of Labor Maurice Tobin testifies before senate armed forces committee that defense plans call for an additional four million workers in the next year. He fears military calls will produce a serious labor shortage.



NEW COMMANDER . . . The air force has announced that Brig. Gen. James E. Higgs (above) will replace Maj. Gen. Emmett O'Donnell as commander of the 4th Air Force. Higgs will take command of the 4th Air Force base in California.

DAY OF PRAYER

Thousands of Small Communities To Join in Annual Day of Prayer



BY INEZ GERHARD
FRANCES LANGFORD, in the years when she was trouping about the country with Bob Hope's radio show, became known far and wide as a sultry-voiced singer. Her overseas tours to entertain our service men resulted in her widely...



FRANCES LANGFORD

circulated "Purple Heart Diary," based on experiences in entertaining men in veterans' hospitals. Now she has been signed to make a picture based on this background. And that resulted from her appearing in dramatic sketches on the video show titled "Star Time."

Irene Beasley, who originated her popular CBS show, "Grand Slam," hopes that other communities will follow the example of Cincinnati, O., where a reproduction of the game was played in connection with the city's drive for the Foundation of Infantile Paralysis. Irene gladly gave permission to use the program's name and format, and sent a prize for the best entry.

Producer Milton Spurling thinks the day of the tough-looking gangster is passing from the screen. For "The Enforcer," though the star is Humphrey Bogart, he chose assorted characters who looked as un-criminal as possible.

Abbott and Costello journeyed to New York to star on the NBC "Comedy Hour" telecast and picked up a star for their first film production venture. She is Shaye Cogen, featured singer on the Vaughn Monroe TV series. She will be granted a four-week leave of absence to make her film debut in their picture. She is little and blonde—and excited.

Pierre Cresson has been signed by Paramount to a long-term contract. It is being considered as a successor to Charles Boyer, now that Boyer won't wear a toupee or play romantic roles any more. He is 29, said to be the idol of French film fans, and has appeared in 10 French pictures, and is one of six current favorites of the Paris press, which predicts stardom.

Jack Smith, singing star of CBS' "Jack Smith-Dinah Shore-Margaret Whiting Show," went on a diet consisting mainly of Swiss cheese, to lose 20 pounds in 22 days (for his dramatic role, in Warner's "Moonlight Day").

Thousands of small communities throughout the United States will join in the observance of the 64th annual World Day of Prayer this Friday. The yearly observance in this country is sponsored by Protestant women of over 80 denominations.

Overseas, women of 81 countries will join in prayer for lasting peace and strengthening of the bonds of Christian unity. The theme of this year's prayer was chosen by church women in Germany from I John 4:18, "Perfect love casts out fear."

The theme is chosen each year by a different national group, according to Mrs. Welthy Honsinger Fisher, of New York City, chairman of the World Day of Prayer committee.

Commending this year's choice, Mrs. Fisher said, "The people of the world today are fearful of each other, and their distrust can bring about the destruction that they fear. It is time all of us were reminded of One who said love can bring courage and peace."

OBSERVED on the first Friday in Lent, World Day of Prayer is marked by the ringing of church bells and the closing of many business establishments for special services in many communities.

The traditional offerings, which exceeded 255,000 last year, are divided between home and foreign missions. The home missions use the money to provide child care and other social and religious services for agricultural migrants, religious education and social services for American Indians and improvement of the Negro minority in shantytown areas of the south.

Funds allotted to the foreign missions are used in this country to aid foreign students and abroad to help support Christian women's colleges in the far east and India and the production and distribution of Christian literature.

This year's service asks that the offering "given out of thankful hearts . . . may bless multitudes, without having not seen, we love."



FRANCES LANGFORD

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER

Answers to last week's crossword puzzle: FAITH, GOLD, PHOTO, OFFICE, etc.

Sermon on Mount Named in Survey As Best 'Speech'

NEW YORK—Of all the speeches ever made, which two would you like to have heard in person? When a Northwestern University professor asked 318 persons this question, 88 per cent named either Christ's "Sermon on the Mount" or Lincoln's "Gettysburg Address". One man wanted to hear Joe Stalin's "Farwell Address".

Least Interesting Named
The survey subjects said the most interesting speeches they had heard were actors and actresses, clergymen and college professors, in that order. Described as "least interesting" were well-known writers, all scientists and most business men.

The Northwestern professor reported that the 318 people he interviewed consisted of three general types in about equal proportions: (1) laboring people, (2) business executives and club women, and (3) students and white collar workers. He talked to them on the street, on trains and street cars, in theater lobbies and in stores.

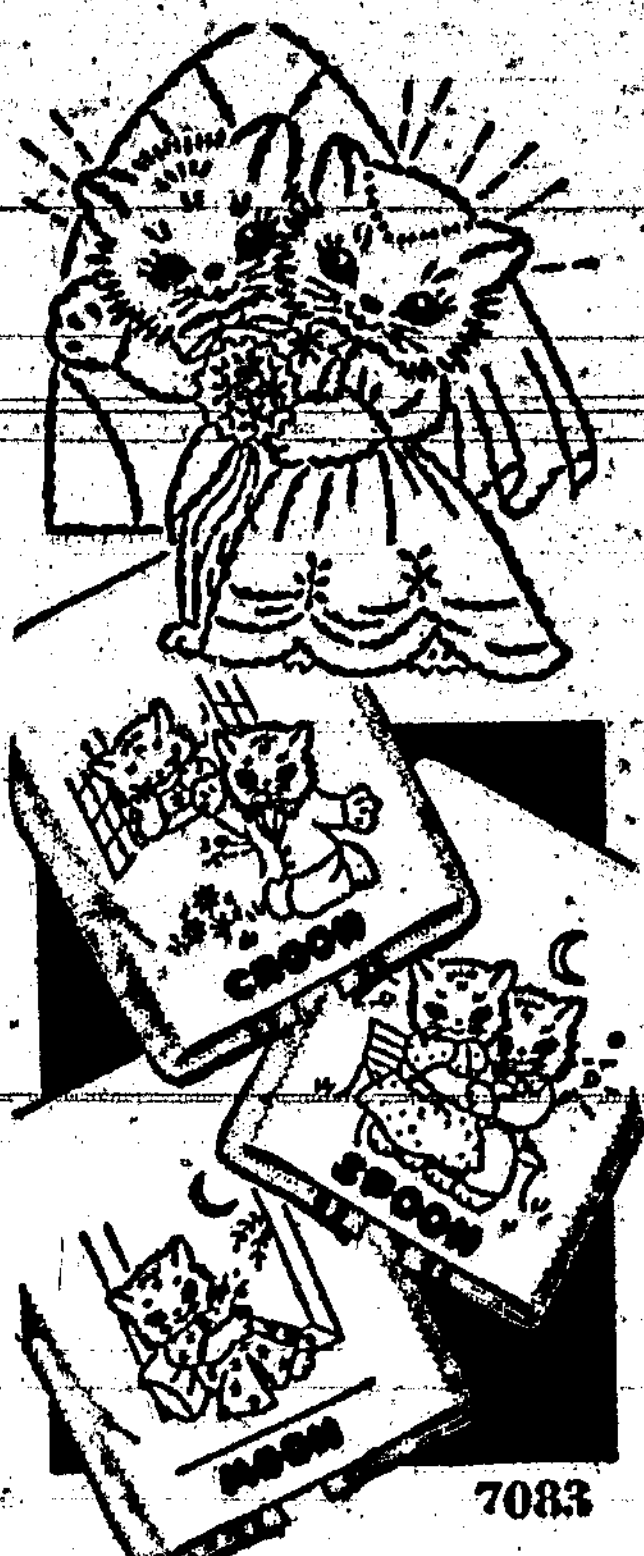
Forty per cent said they go to hear speeches because they have to, 25 per cent because they feel they should and 25 per cent because they want to. Another breakdown of the answers showed that 30 per cent go to speeches because they are "dragged" by friends or relatives.

Forty per cent of those who went to a college or university expressed little interest in speeches, pointing out they had had their share of lecture-going. A sample comment was: "After all, how much can a man take?"

Dislike Formal Talks
In summarizing what the 318 subjects think about speakers and speeches, Professor Lee made three comments:

- (1) People have had their fill of the dull, lifeless, learned, official-sounding formalism which marks so many public statements. Speakers ought to stand up and speak in their own words, no matter how halting or unpolished.
(2) Audiences want less special pleading and campaigning for vested interests, and more occasions in which they are effortlessly enlightened. They like to hear speakers who try to help them think through the problems of our time.
(3) They are unhappy about the amount of personalized invective in public debate today. They want less of the headline-reaching that goes with angry attacks on persons. They think that men of good-will, anxious about the welfare of this country, ought to be able to differ in better spirit; that men in high places ought to be able to disagree without so much spitting and distemper.

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THE FAITHFUL SERVANT

By Maud McCurdy Welch

3-Minute Fiction

TIMES WERE HARD in the little town of Centerville and Sam Meadows, the town's only druggist was finding it hard to meet his bills. The shoe factory was shut down, one of the lumber mills had moved away and the other one was running half time. Sam was a widower and lived economically in two rooms in the back of his store. He'd cut down on a few other things, but things kept getting worse.

Bill Bowen, one of Sam's good friends, came in one day to talk the situation over. "The trouble with you," he told Sam, "is that you're not business-like. How can you expect to run a business successfully if you don't collect?"

"When people are sick, they have to have medicine, whether they can pay for it or not," Sam said reasonably.

"But, Sam, you can't carry the whole town on your shoulders. If you go on extending credit, you'll probably find yourself in a bad spot."

Bill went to the door, turned back with a word of warning, "Better think it over, Sam."

Sam sighed. He looked up at the small neon sign over the entrance doors of which he'd always been so proud. "Meadows Drug Store. Twenty-five years of service," Bill Bowen was right. After all a druggist has to take a stand somewhere. He has to protect himself. Sam's next customer was Mary



"The trouble with you," Bill told Sam, "is that you're not business-like. How can you expect to run a business successfully if you don't collect?"

Neely, a tired looking little woman Sam knew what she wanted, a prescription to fill for her brother's neuritis. "It's botherin' him awful today," she said.

Mary's husband had had a good job in the shoe factory, but it had been some time since he'd had a steady job.

But Sam had made up his mind. He drew a painful breath. "Mary, you already owe me thirty-five dollars. If you could pay for this prescription maybe . . ." but Sam's voice trailed off unhappily.

Mary's eyes were dazed with surprise. "I haven't any money, but . . ." she broke off. "You mean you . . . you won't let me have the medicine?"

Sam walked to the back of the store, unable to answer. Then suddenly he whirled around. Mary was gone. He hurried after her.

BILL WAS wrong. A man had to have faith. A man has to accept his responsibilities. The health of the people in this town had been entrusted to him. He couldn't fall them, whether they could pay or not.

Sam overlooked Mary and said, "Come back. I'll fill the prescription. I'll also put up some Vitamin B for your brother."

"You're a good man, Sam," Mary said gratefully.

After that when people needed credit, they got it. Sam was as usual on call day or night.

Bill Bowen came to see him again. This time Sam told him that a druggist's responsibilities to his customers was as great as that of a doctor to his patients. Bill tried to argue with him, but Sam shook his head with a smile.

Bill went out and almost collided with Tom Shaver, the young cashier in the bank. Sam was filling a prescription for a shabby young man in overalls. He charged it and as the young man started to leave, Sam gave him a doll for his little girl.

Then Sam said, "Well, Tom, what's your man's name?"

Tom Shaver grinned. "If I wanted you to know the old law's walking up. Shoefactory opens next week, a furniture factory coming in and the mill's going to run full time. There'll be jobs for everybody and the people won't forget you, Sam." Tom went to the door stopped under the neon sign. "I think I'm going to change that to read, 'Twenty-five years of Faithful service'."

Dress Institute Names Ten Best Dressed Women in '60

NEW YORK — The New York Dress Institute recently announced its list of the world's 10 best dressed women as selected by a poll of fashion designers, editors and other prominent persons.

The Duchess of Windsor topped the list and three newcomers, Faye Emerson, Sloan Simpson O'Dwyer, former model and wife of the American ambassador to Mexico, and actress Gloria Swanson, were added to it. Others making the list were Mrs. William Paley, wife of a CBS radio executive; Mrs. Byron Foy, wife of the Chrysler executive; Mrs. William Randolph Hearst, Jr.; Mrs. Louis Arpels, of the French jewelry family; Mrs. Andre Embricoles, wife of a Greek shipping magnate; and Mrs. Leland Hayward, wife of the Broadway producer.

Written Brooding Over Injusties Gets Vengeance

SHEFFIELD, Eng.—Walter Marshall insisted last June that he was not guilty of smashing a grocery plate glass window. He was fined anyway and he brooded about it. Recently the 44-year-old machinist was back in the same court on the same charge. He told the judge: "Ever since last June that window has been the same size as a red flag to a bull. Last night I picked up a stone and fung it through the glass deliberately. Last time I did not do it. This time I did."

The judge heard him neither in haste.

GRASSROOTS Demonstration of U.S. Air Power Will Ease Unrest

By Wright A. Patterson
COULD ALL THE PEOPLE of this country have the privilege I had, that of seeing one of the nation's great air fields on which are based America's mighty bombing planes and of meeting many of the personnel of that field, it would remove from their minds, as it did from mine, much of the fear of the Red army. Not only was it my privilege to see the number and size of the nation's great war birds, but I also had the opportunity of meeting and knowing, in an intimate way, many of the young men who composed their crews, the personnel that can and will provide protection for the American people from any attack a Red enemy may make. It was the personnel of those crews that constituted the basis of my confidence in our safety, that removed the fear of any attack on the part of Stalin and his Red forces. What that acquaintance did for me it would do for the vast majority of the American people, could they have the same opportunity I had. It was an inspiring experience.

It was not that I was told in facts and figures of the ability and competence of those young pilots, co-pilots, navigators, bombardiers, radar and radio officers, and gunners, for they told me nothing of that. There was in their conversation nothing of brag. My guess would be that any tendency to brag on the part of

any one of them would have meant a quick drop from the rolls of the strategic air command. Nor did their conversations provide me with any "forbidden" information as to what they were doing or as to where they had been through the day or night. I knew nothing of such details, or was told nothing. Of such things they're supposed not to talk, and no member of any crew with whom I was in contact did talk. It was only the "big brass," of whom I saw none, who are permitted to talk.

In fact it was the silence on the part of these young officers, on whom we depend for our safety, that added materially to the confidence I acquired in the ability to protect all America from any onslaught of the Red forces. Today I am confident of their ability to do that job. Such are the men the "big brass" are depending upon for results, and their silence, on subjects on which silence was commanded, gave me added confidence in their ability to protect me, and all America.

The personnel of those crews were careful, thoughtful young men. I saw none I could consider a dare devil who would take chances of an air stunt at a county fair, or attempt a speed needed to win a hotly contested air race. Their job is to get the wisest from the mammoth machines they man, to make every gallon of gasoline count on the long flights called for to reach a target, to force their great and

expensive machines—costing more than a million dollars each—to the highest possible altitude from which to drop their death laden bombs, out of reach of the fighter planes of the enemy.

Those things and the pin-point dropping of their bombs on enemy targets are what they are taught, but the how of such teachings are forbidden subjects of which they do not talk, but I imbibed from mixing with them the strong impression that they had mastered their lessons, and had to do so if they were to hold their coveted places on the roster of the air command.

When the day comes the greater number of them will reach the targets to which they are assigned, and most of those who go will come back again, after dropping their bombs on that Red enemy. They are not just trained to fly, but to fly for a definite purpose, and I am confident of their ability to achieve that purpose.

The young men I met, and knew, at that one great air base, and the many hundreds of others like them stationed at the many bases of the strategic air command, represent the force that lies between the American people and that Red enemy they have so greatly feared. It is a force that is fully worthy of our confidence. We can confidently count upon the protection we so ardently seek. As I met and mixed with them, my fears disappeared, as would yours could you have the same experience.

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New Window Treatment Pays Decorating Dividends

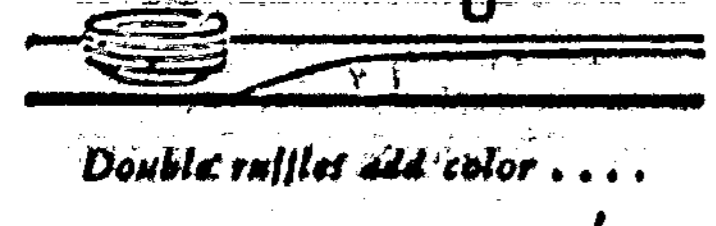
By Eritta Haley

Did you know that new window treatments in your home will pay you more in decorating dividends than anything else that you can do to a room?

Old curtains and draperies may often be used as the means for decorating windows, if they lend themselves to new color by dyeing or simple trimming like fringes or ruffles.

If old draperies are worn and cannot be dyed, they can frequently be turned inside out and used again. This is particularly true of velvet, velveteen or corduroy.

Do your planning of the new project with a flair, and don't get side-tracked with an easier but less effective way of doing the job once you're in the midst of it.



Double ruffles add color...

effects planned have to be carried out with good workmanship and care. If they are to be effective, so plan to give these the utmost attention to detail.

If you don't want to re-do the whole room, choose a window treatment that will not make the walls and furnishings look too shabby, and thus urge you to go further in your efforts at decoration.

Use Fringe, Knives On Old Draperies Fringe trimming can be used in both modern and traditional rooms.

You may have fringe from an old pair of drapes that can be dyed to suit your new scheme. It may also be purchased in different colors.

An old pair of turned draperies can be treated to a fringe decoration in "V" formation, using three rows of fringe coming just about at the center of the drape. If dyed to a bright shade that contrasts nicely with the drapes, this can be effective.

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Travel Coat



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Old sheeting is excellent to use for ruffles, as described above, for it can be dyed any color to match the printed cloth which is picked from a remnant counter or is left from an old cotton bedspread or drapes.

For dining or living rooms, you can make old sheer curtains look double or triple their original value simply by adding rows of ruffle to panel curtains. Then dye the whole panel with the ruffles the same shade, something which will go well in the room.

Sheer and panel curtains in contrasting shades can be used on the same windows. The panel curtains may be light in shade, while the sheer curtains, hung over them in the manner of draperies, could be the darker color. Both sets of curtains should be full to give a luxurious look to the windows.

Striped wallpaper in a room frequently gives rise to a curtain problem. Solve it easily by using white sheer curtains tied back with a tailored bow. Use a cornice over the curtains, with a tailored bow at the center. Cornice and tiebacks may match the stripes in the wallpaper.

Use Feed Sacks For Curtains Feed sacks offer excellent curtain material because their textures are so interesting, and the fabric source so economical. Dye them into the desired color, and use one of the following treatments for them.

Using two or three feed sacks for each side of the curtain, depending on the length of the window, stitch them together and place a ruffle of feed sack or other material at each seaming. These should be of the same color.

For informal rooms, such as dens, play rooms or nurseries, plan to use sacks dyed in several colors to give a rainbow or circus effect. These may be attached to a wooden pole at the top of the window by means of wooden rings.

Small windows strung in a line across the room, such as you might have in an attic or basement room can be treated nicely with several sacks hung to sill length. Use sacks of one color, but have the cornice in a contrasting shade.

Bathroom windows can be inexpensively dressed with feed sacks since they can be dyed to match the towels. Cottage type curtains, or straight-hanging curtains with a ruffle at the top are excellent. If desired, the ruffle may be in a contrasting solid color or print.

Here's a good treatment for a bay window. Dye enough feed sacks to use for a ruffle at the top of the windows, and for draping two sides. In a dark color, preferably a room color. On the windows themselves, use Priscilla curtains, tinted in a certain shade, or in plain white.

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Trap Line in Heart Of Baltimore Pays Off for 19-Year-Old

BALTIMORE, Md.—One of the most prosperous trappers in the United States is 19-year-old Paul Didier, and he never leaves the City of Baltimore.

In fact, his 300 traps are staked out in the back yards of north and northwest Baltimore. His trap line is a part of the Maryland game and inland fish commission's program to remove wild life from areas where it's a nuisance and put it in places where it will provide sport for Maryland hunters.

Paul catches from 600 to 700 squirrels, skunks, possums and chipmunks every month. The youth had quite a bait problem when he first began trapping. He started out with hard shelled corn—but soon the pigeons began robbing his traps.

He shifted to green walnuts. But the squirrels quickly grew tired of them. Next came an experiment with roasted peanuts. The neighborhood children found out about that. End of experiment.

Now he uses raw peanuts. It's the ideal bait. The squirrels love them. And the children don't. By the time the bait problem was straightened out, another headache set in. Folks along the trap line got to feeling sorry for the squirrels and began to release them.

Since the traps are set only in areas where they are requested because of small animal damage, such sabotage is difficult to understand. One woman who requested trapping service, then freed the squirrels, gave this explanation: "I just wanted to teach them a lesson."

Most of the animals caught are squirrels, but the bag this past season included 20 skunks, 60 possums and a number of pigeons, rats, bluejays and chipmunks. So far, only one cat has been unwary enough to slip into a trap.

Paul has had no trouble with the skunks. "It's all in knowing how to handle them," he said.

Most Educated Policeman Retires After 28 Years BOSTON, Mass.—The most educated policeman in the United States has retired—and he was still a patrolman.

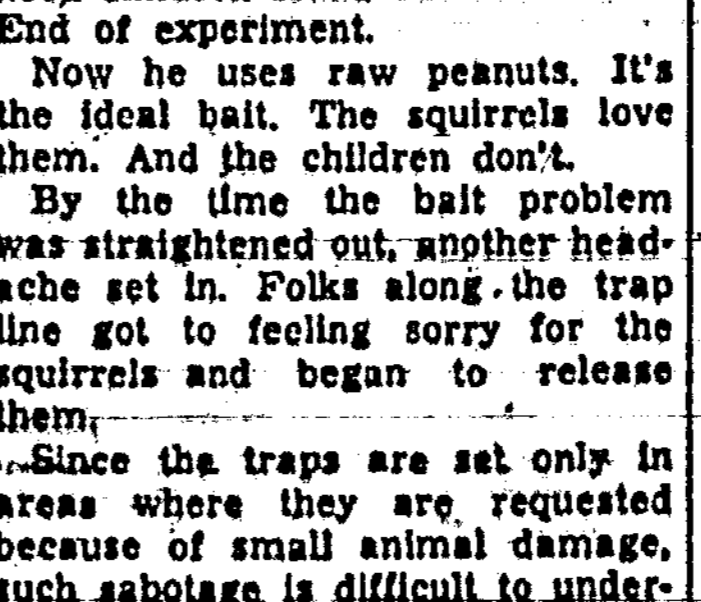
Edwin D. Flanders, B.A., B.L.S., LL.D., retired after 28 years in the department's lowest grade—despite his three college degrees. He explained that he liked being a patrolman and had never been interested in advancement.

He's a bachelor of arts from Portland law school, a bachelor of literary interpretation from Emerson College and a doctor of laws from Boston University. Flanders says he "might write a book" now that he has retired.

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Hitchhiker's Thumb Seen on Video

By H. I. Phillips

WIDEN THE ROADS, men! Strengthen the guard rails! Get the women and children off the streets! To the hills, pedestrians, one and all! Video sets in automobiles are threatened! The I.C.C. has the matter under consideration, provided the screeps are not where the driver can see 'em. Soon we may have to duck not only the careless driver, but Howdy Doody, Uncle Millie, the ninth inning rally and Versatile Varieties.

the danger of the sharp curve, the dead-end street and the defunct traffic light may be added the screen westerns, Double or Nothing, Inner Sanctum and a Presidential fireside chat. It is not enough to have the road full of cookeyed truck drivers, lambslike joy riders and nitwit tourists... we have got to dodge PUPPETS!

We rebel. We want to know, as we peek through out of a tree, whether we were run over by a trailer or by Six Gun Playhouse. We insist upon being fairly certain we are dodging a taxicab and not working our way between Chuck Wagon, Johnny Olsen's Rumpus Room and Leave It To The Girls.

The homicide trial of the future is easily imaginable. Judge—"Now go on and tell us your own way how you and your two back screens crashed through the butcher shop window injuring eight people.

Witness—"Judge, I am the most careful driver in the world. I always use extreme caution. I have never... Judge—"Cut the commercial! Just give me the facts. Witness—"Well, yerroner, I was driving downtown by way of the Arthur Godfrey program, when everything went black. Judge—"Your steering gear failed? Witness—"No, My focusing dial. Judge—"Go on! Witness—"Well, I was proceeding slowly when all of a sudden a football game, Grace Allen and Kuka, Fran and Ollie cut right across me. Judge—"I had an accident like that, too. I was driving to court this morning when a cooking program, the Fitzgeralds and the Dennis James program came out of a side street without coming out.

Witness—"Were you hurt, judge? Judge—"I lost two teeth and my outside aerial. Witness—"Driving a getting tougher and tougher, yerroner. I hit a telephone pole last night on account of the Twenty Questions program. Judge—"How come? Witness—"My car is only equipped for 10 questions. Judge—"I can't get the video stars to appear in this court without paying them, so I'll have to do the best I can with you. I give you six inches. Witness—"In what channel?

KATHLEEN NORRIS Families Will Suffer Austerity

SOME AMERICAN FAMILIES are going to have a terrible time in the next few years, and they are going to make difficulties for us all, and remind us that we are in a bad way.

Other American families will face this crisis as an adventure, and make it a period of such family co-operation that it actually will be enjoyable.

It is for Mother—and in a lesser sense Dad—to decide which path the family is going to take. If you decide for the courageous way, get things in line right now. Gather the family together and make a little speech something like this:

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"When that is paid, food limitations, gas limitations and power limitations will have come to America. They will not be as rigorous as those other nations—almost all other nations—have had to endure for the past 10 years. But to you they will seem severe.

Inexpensive Meals "They will include meals that will fill you warmly and appetizingly, but that to you will not seem like meals at all. This means that such dishes as macaroni and cheese, or beans, or a thick soup, or waffles, will each form a whole supper. Once a day you will have vegetables, and perhaps a little meat, but put steaks and chops and roasts and broilers out of your mind, once and for all. Breakfast will be an inexpensive abroad.

In galling England children now speak, and will always speak, of an ordinary egg as a 'shell egg.' They have been allowed two shell eggs a month for a period of ten years. In Denmark because of fuel and power conservation, there is no hot water after four o'clock, except for hospitals. In Germany children pick up the chocolate wrappers or occupation forces drop and suck them for the taste of sweet. In China small boats crowd about our service vessels, scooping up for food the grapefruit shells, the stale bread, the half-rotten potatoes that are thrown overboard.

"You'll never come to that. You'll emerge, as your country always has emerged, from this time of trial, all the stronger." You may be grateful all your life that you had it. You may get a new sense of values, of the meaning of money and budgeting, and above all, of the beauty of home love and service and mutual dependence.

"And remember, that whether you like it or not, we have, as a nation, to face it. We can scramble through it with debts and complaints and black marketing and discomfort, or we can leave much of our old waste and extravagance and personal possessive selfishness behind and come out wiser, better than we went in.

Women Good Private Eyes Especially Valuable In Shadowing Women NEW YORK, N.Y.—Only two women have graduated so far from the New York Institute of Criminology, but they prove what Asst. Dean Emma Predicker has been saying all along. Women are naturals in the field of private investigation.

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You can't go right from the 13 week course to your own detective agency, since a man or woman needs three years of experience before getting licensed, as a private investigator.

"But there are many more requests now for people to serve in factories, screening war workers and just generally protecting plant security," the vivacious shadowing expert said.

Policemen around the area have become accustomed to seeing the slim, well-dressed school instructor start off an eager group of students on complicated shadowing assignments up and down Broadway.

Stratosphere Barrier Will Be Hot for Rocket Ships HAVERFORD, Pa.—Explorers in to space are going to find it difficult to penetrate a heat belt the American Astronomical society reported recently.

The astronomers reported the discovery high above the stratosphere of an unexpected air barrier. It is the heating effect of the upper air at 80 miles and higher. The heating is about twice as much as had been previously calculated.

The practical meaning is that rocket ship engineers will have to plan to limit the ship's speed in those altitudes so that the metal or whatever else the ship is made of will not melt from friction.

Even now the metal noses of high altitude rockets—sometimes get red-hot in this friction. It was explained that the heating would not prevent rocket travel, but the speed while leaving the earth must be adjusted to fit the excess heat.

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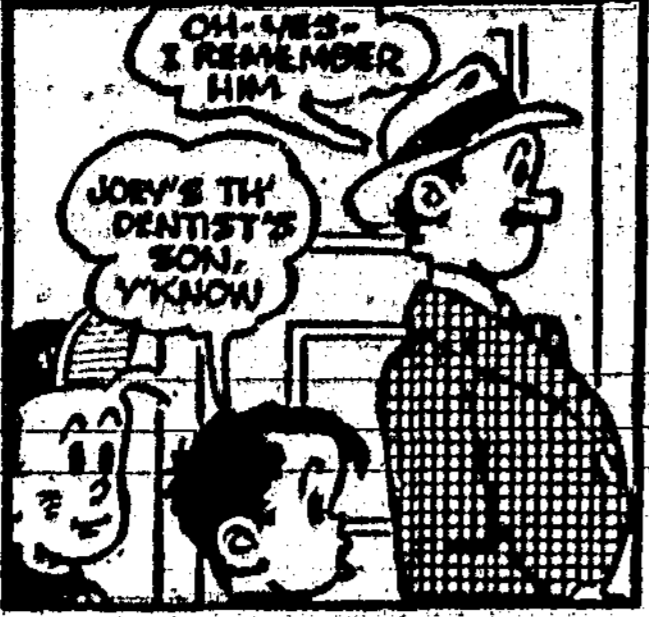
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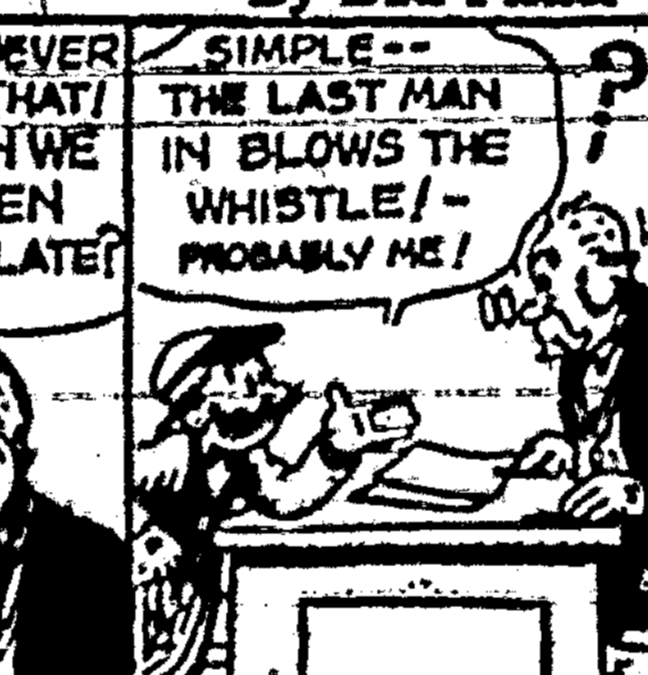
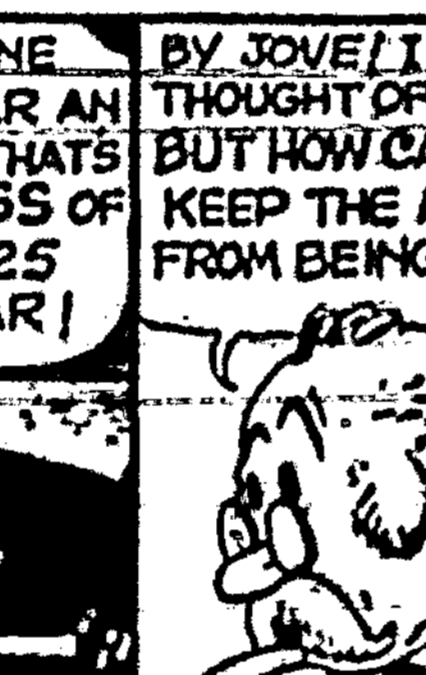
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SCRIPTURE: MARK 4:1-12. DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 104:1-11.

Jesus Meets Need

Lesson for February 11, 1951

WHAT PEOPLE want would fill many books. They people need is a simpler story. Whatever success Christianity has had, is due to its success in meeting human needs. If Christianity were only an argument, or a system of ideas, it would never have gone so far as it has, nor won so many friends.

Dr. Foreman

Ignorance

THE Church at its best has simply followed in the paths on which Jesus was a pioneer. The gospel stories of Jesus show him as one who "went about doing good" as Peter put it. Seeing a need, he bent himself to meet that need; this has been the ideal for Christians and the church ever since.

One of the first needs of man is to be saved from his ignorance. Jesus saw the human race set as a pack of wolves or a mass of snakes, but as sheep without a shepherd. So Jesus, then, and the church now, set out to teach. A church that does not teach is a poor church. "The church must teach or die," it is true; it is also true that the church must teach or others will die.

Sickness

IT IS not on record that Jesus ever walked by a sick person without making him well. Jesus did not think that sickness and pain are good things in themselves.

When you think of all the loss of time, money and happiness that one miserable little cold can cause, and multiply that by the number of colds in North America alone; when you think of the pain and danger and after-effects of one attack of malaria, and then think of all the warm regions of the world; and when you go on adding up all the diseases there are, you really wonder how the human race manages to stagger along.

New the Christian church has always been doing something about this. Today, in many backward countries, Christian doctors and hospitals have pioneered in health, and indeed are the only effective disease-fighters in the whole region.

Hunger

WHATEVER else can be said of the feeding of the five thousand, one thing is plain: Jesus did not think it was a good thing for people to stay hungry.

So the church, following his example, has fed the hungry wherever it can. The church protests, and will continue to protest, against any society or institution that keeps people hungry. It is an empty stomach that things like Communism rise.

So when a missionary like Sam Higginbottom in India teaches better ways of farming, or when the Salvation Army adopts the slogan "Soup, soup and salvation," or when soldiers are rounded up and sent abroad as a gesture of Christian friendship, when CROP interests the Christian farmers of America in rural reconstruction in war-torn areas of Europe, the church is just following the lead of Jesus.

Slavery

ONE of man's deepest needs is freedom. Jesus did not set free any slaves in his time, it is said; but is this true? There are other kinds of slavery besides that from which Abraham Lincoln freed the Negroes in 1863. Of these other kinds, one of the worst is slavery of the mind. We see Jesus setting his contemporaries free from the heavy chains of taboos and false traditions which the Pharisees had piled on them.

So when the first Christians broke away from the burdens of the old ceremonial laws, or when a Christian missionary in Africa or China or Greenland set men free from the darkness of pagan superstitions, or when the Protestant Reformation came, a great Declaration of Independence in the name of Christ from the traditions and superstitions which had long obscured the truth and burdened the minds even of Christians, the church is only following the example of Christ.

When we stand for a free church in a free land and a government of free men, we stand as Christians ought to stand, enemies of tyrannies in every form.

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Old-Fashioned Barn



Miniature Barn Easy to Build THIS REPLICA of an old-fashioned barn is about forty-three inches high and long. Use any of the new outdoor panel materials for sides, bottom and roof. Pattern shows how to cut all parts and put them together without building a frame. Ask for pattern 242, price \$5.

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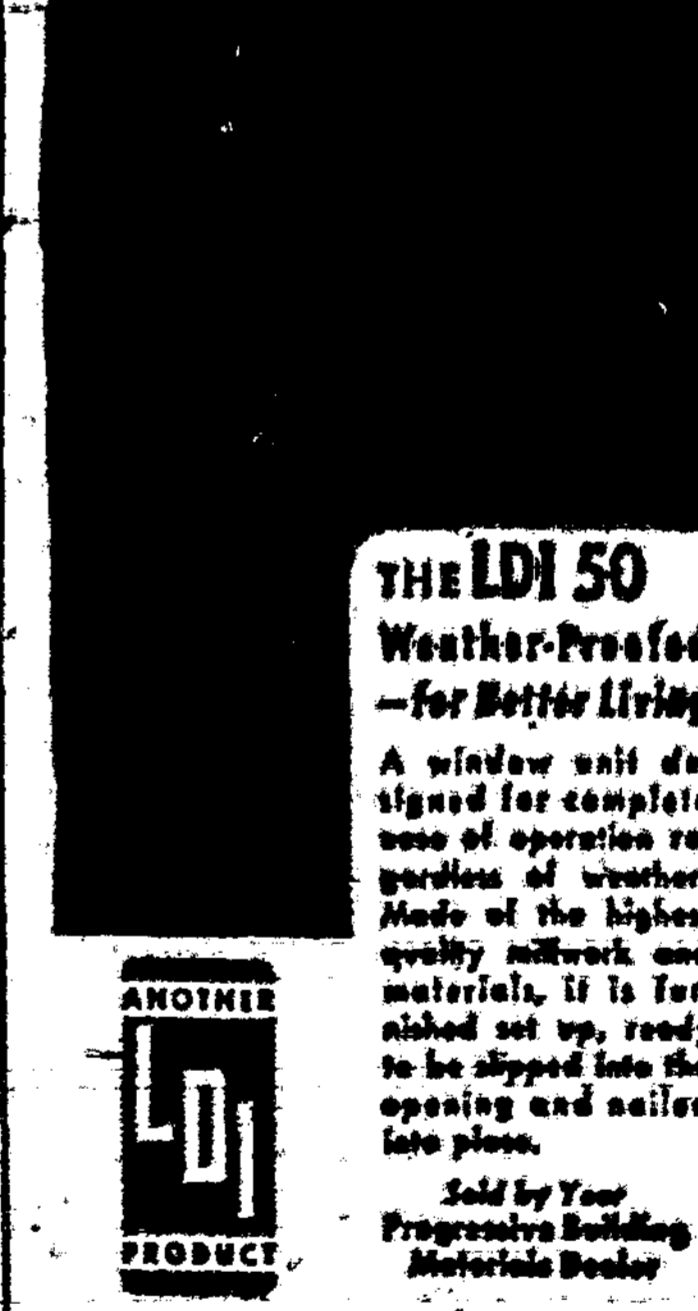
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Rest Is Important, Says Housewife

It has been said that there are jobs and lots of ways for people to try to get some sleep at night. Some folks paint their windows black, others use ear plugs to shut out noises, while others count sheep. All of these are good and they do stomach. Food didn't seem to agree with me. I always had that uneasy fullness after I ate. I got to where I didn't want to eat. I had no energy. Felt like I couldn't make it during the day. I also was very nervous. I didn't rest well at night. A friend of mine told me about HADACOL. After the fourth bottle I felt wonderful. My food agreed with me - no more indigestion or sour stomach. My appetite is terrific. I now have lots of energy and my nervousness has gone. I rest wonderfully now. In fact, I feel good all the way around. I recommend HADACOL to everybody. It's wonderful. My druggist does not have HADACOL, order direct from The LeBlanc Corporation, Lafayette, Louisiana. Send no money. Just your name and address on a pre-paid card. Pay postman. State whether you want the \$9.98 hospital economy size or \$1.25 trial size. Remember, money cheerfully refunded unless you are 100% satisfied. -Adv. © 1950, The LeBlanc Corporation.



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