The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

Navy Background

TO UNDERSTAND WHY Secretary of the Navy Matthews had to discipline Adm. Louis Denfeld—whom this column has consistently praised—you have to understand what has gone on in the navy.

Over the 20-year period beginning with Teddy Roosevelt, the admirals have led almost a charmed life. They had behind them the personal glamour and publicity that radiated from those two dynamic presidents—Teddy and FDR—plus the secret but powerful support of Bethlehem steel, U.S. steel, Westinghouse electric and other big corporations whose business flourished from building battleships.

The only two Presidents who bucked the navy in that period—Coolidge and Hoover—faced an admirals' revolt not unlike that of today, aided and abetted by the big steel and ship-building companies.

Greatest heyday of the admirals came under Franklin Roosevelt. They had power and over this, and Secretary Matthews is now reaping the consequences.

FDR appointed as his secretary of the navy Claude Swanson, a doddering and aging ex-senator from Virginia who knew little about the navy. Swanson died in office after letting Roosevelt and the admirals run the show. His successor was Charles Edison, son of the late great inventor, Thomas A. Edison.

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Edison Knew Navy

The new secretary had operated a big industrial firm, understood construction technicalities, and immediately got in the admirals hair. At that time, FDR had diverted many hundreds of millions from public works administration funds to build warships. And, although in good times, this was probably a good thing—in view of impending war. Certainly it would have been a good thing if the admirals had put balance on building so many battleships and had built a few more escort vessels and antisubmarine craft.

This was where Secretary Edison got the top navy brass had their knuckles rapped. Edison went out to Pearl Harbor and dared to criticize. He told the admirals that duty at Pearl Harbor did not mean sunning all the time on the beach at Waikiki, and that the first thing they had to do was get their bomb-proof tanks underground.

Even more important, Edison told the admirals to clear off the superstructures of their battleships. The heart, he said, would be an easy war; and battleships would have to fire straight up in the air, not horizontally. Therefore, they couldn't be in the position of firing at their own crow's nests.

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Top-Heavy Destroyer

About this time, Edison also caught the admirals lousing up the new destroyers built with PWA funds. He found that out of 28 new destroyers, 20 were so top-heavy that extra weight had to be added to the keels to keep them from turning turtle in the water. In addition, the deck plates on three destroyers buckled in only a "moderately rolling sea." Furthermore, because the navy still insisted on using rivets, millions of defective rivets had to be replaced.

Edison not only discovered these facts but also learned that three of the private shipyards building the destroyers feared the center of gravity was too high and warned the admirals in advance. They even offered to submit the center-of-gravity test to Gibbs and Cox.

Secretary Edison also discovered that these errors were chiefly due to the fact that the chief of naval construction, Adm. William G. DuBose, was at loggerheads with Adm. Harold G. Bowen, the chief of naval engineering. So he shifted them both.

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Edison Eased Out

By this time the top brass who had been running the navy department in the dark were really seething. And they took their complaint to their best friend—Franklin D. Roosevelt, who, ever since he had been assistant secretary of the navy, believed the admirals could do no wrong.

So FDR called in Charley Edison, told him the Democratic party needed a good man to run for governor of New Jersey and that he, Edison, was just the man. Furthermore, Roosevelt said he needed a Republican in the cabinet to further his bipartisan war policy.

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Knox Liked Admirals

Frank Knox was an easygoing newspaper publisher who loved the navy, enjoyed the polish and precision of things nautical.

At first Knox and the admirals got along beautifully. The new secretary didn't know too much about the navy, let the admirals have free rein. But gradually, as Knox began to learn what it was all about, he began to realize that if was Franklin D. Roosevelt and the admirals who really ran things.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

France, Canada Urge Atomic Pact; British Labor Gets Speedup Rule; G.M. Dividend Sets Industry Mark

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.



NEW NAVAL OPERATIONS BOSS CONGRATULATED . . . U.S. Navy Secretary Francis Matthews (left) congratulates Adm. Forrest P. Sherman after the latter was named by President Truman as chief of naval operations to succeed Adm. Louis E. Denfeld. Denfeld was let out because of criticism of unification and defense policy in the armed services setup.

ATOMIC PACT:

Asked by Two

France and Canada joined at Lake Success in asking that all nations do everything in their power to ban use of atomic bombs and control atomic energy.

THE APPEAL was directed to all—and especially the Soviet union—to forget traditional ideas of the sovereignty of nations and join an atomic pact that would promote security and peace.

It was a sincere gesture, but about all that could be said of any results that might ensue was that it was a "nice try."

The proposal did have the support of the others in the majority group of the 59-nation political committee of the U.N. general assembly, but Soviet Russia was still to be heard from on the suggestion.

The French-Canadian resolution actually meant the majority powers want the general assembly once more to endorse their proposal for atomic control and to order secret talks to continue between the Big Five and Canada.

SIR BENEGAL N. RAU, India's chief delegate, offered another idea in the debate outlining officially his plan for the international law commission to draw up a world declaration for prohibition of the bomb and for control of atomic energy.

But, it was said in official circles, that the French-Canadian proposal was as far as the majority powers wanted to go at this time.

Plane Record

Commercial planes were darting about the world faster and faster. Latest speed record for commercial planes was claimed by Pan American lines which reported its stratocruiser Westward Ho landed at London, in 9 hours and 12 minutes after leaving New York.

Capt. Robert D. Fordyce, Jackson Heights, N. Y., commander of the Westward Ho, did it with the aid of a tail wind which at times reached a speed of 75 miles an hour.

The plane traveled the Great Circle route and its average speed was about 385 miles an hour. The plane carried 21 passengers and a crew of 10.

Only a day before, a Pan American plane flew from New York to London in 9 hours, 21 minutes, which had bettered the existing mark by 30 minutes.

FIGHT BOMBS WEIGHED TON

According to Stephen M. Aldrich, Biloxi, the first atomic bomb weighed a ton. He made the statement at a United Nations session. Statistics on the makeup of the bomb have not been officially disclosed, but Aldrich said he had his information from a scientist, and that in three or four years there would be a smaller bomb for use by smaller countries.

DIVIDENDS:

New High

Was it a symbol, a portent of the future? Did it indicate the strength of the nation's economic situation, or was it as temporary signboard at the mercy of any real wind of economic recession?

WHATEVER its real significance, industrialists and economists took cheer for it. It was a vote by General Motors corporation of the largest cash-dividend total in the history of American industry. The company, which recently reported a record net profit of more than 502 million dollars from the first nine months of this year, would send checks totaling $100,436,055 to 436,005 holders of its common and preferred stock. The distribution would represent a year-end payment of $4.25 a share on the outstanding issue, raising to $5 a share the amount declared on the common stock this year.

GENERAL MOTORS was also expected to establish a record when it retired out of its own corporate funds its entire long-term debt of 125 million dollars—17 to 27 years before the notes are due.

OLDSTERS' ATTITUDE

Crankiness in Old Age Linked to Health

According to an Ohio state university professor, crankiness or a cantankerous state in old age is directly proportionate to poor health. In other words, the professor's situation holds basis for the adage that a man is "only as old as he feels."

The professor, Albert B. Chandler, said his conclusion was the result of 903 reports by college students and young professional people on the personal traits of older persons they knew well. The subjects of the study, the philosophy teacher said, ranged in age from 50 to over 80. Results were presented at the second annual meeting of the gerontological society, where Chandler said age itself was no cause for its wearers to be cranky or irritable, the tests showed.

RUSSIA:

Direct Warning

Soviet Russia was doing a bit of boasting and chest-thumping about the atomic bomb for her arms stockpile.

IN A SPEECH broadcast from Moscow, Georgi N. Maleckov, a member of the Soviet inner circle, warned that with the atomic bomb in Russian hands a third World War would "wipe out capitalism." His was the main speech in celebration of the 32nd anniversary of the Bolshevist revolution.

"If the imperialists unleash a third world war," he said, "this will not be the grave of individual capitalist countries, but of world capitalism as a whole."

He said that atomic energy in the hands of capitalism is the "means of bringing death."

Turning to a new note for the moment, he declared that "we do not want war and are doing everything to prevent it." Then, discussing atomic energy again, Maleckov asserted that atomic energy "in the hands of the Soviet people must and will serve as a mighty weapon of unprecedented technical progress and further speedy growth of the productive forces of our country."

FOLLOWING THE PARTY LINE right down to the final syllable, he charged that the United States has a plan to "enslave the entire world" and that this plan was "borrowed from the mad plans of Hitler and Tanaka (pre-war Japanese militarist) but differs in that it exceeds both plans together."

Despite all the boasting and the bombast, there existed in many minds a doubt that Russia has the atomic bomb as we know it—a weapon ready to be dropped at will.

POLITICS:

Sound & Fury

The sound and fury of the 1950 congressional campaign was touched off rather prematurely by Minnesota's Harold E. Stassen in Minneapolis where he accused President Harry Truman of making "vicious and untrue" statements in his attacks on political enemies.

AND STASSEN is one of those enemies, for the former Minnesota governor and now president of the University of Pennsylvania, is a certain candidate for the GOP presidential nomination in 1952.

Stassen charged that Truman used historical references in his recent St. Paul speech to "wrap the cloak of Jefferson around himself," but that actually the President "long ago personally trampled on the cloak of Jefferson."

WITHOUT mentioning Truman by name, Stassen answered directly the President's address at St. Paul in which the chief executive assailed "reactionaries" who, he said, had impeded progress of his welfare program in congress.

Stassen praised congress for refusing to go along with Truman on his "dangerous" Brannan farm plan, on the President's request for postwar retention of OPA, and on his demands for pyramided centralized power over a wide range of subjects."

BRITISH LABOR:

More for More

It has been a fairly well established philosophy of trade unions to frown on the "eager beaver" who likes to demonstrate how fast he can work or how much he can produce in a given time. In fact, some unions prohibit members from engaging in any type of production speed contest.

The philosophy is understandable, if not popular. It is one which takes care of the union member who hasn't the ability, the skills or the physical stamina to keep up with the would-be speed demon. The philosophy has been applied often enough for critics to charge that it has amounted, in many instances, to an actual work "slow down."

ALL THIS being a matter of record, England's labor government's move to allocate higher rewards for greater labor productivity came as a surprise to many U. S. exporters of the Atlee regime. They began to speculate whether the prime minister was laying up trouble for himself among his labor adherents.

The British government's turning away from this traditional philosophy of labor was explained on the basis that it must be done to meet growing demands for higher wages to offset higher living costs. Therefore, the ministry is advocating a system of tying wages to the rate of production, rather than the price index.

GOLD HOARD:

Really There

Those skeptical, apprehensive citizens whose dreams had begun to be haunted by the awful spectre of doubt that Uncle Sam's purported gold store at Fort Knox wasn't there at all could 'nil relax. The gold was there, all of it.

ASSURANCE came from a source certainly qualified to know, for that source was Leland Howard, assistant director of the U.S. bureau of the mint. It is his duty to examine personally the gold hoard at least once a year.

"There's more than 12,000 tons of it (gold) at the Ft. Knox depository," he reports. That's more than half of the 24 billion dollars worth of the stuff which the government keeps under lock and key.

GEESE:

Farmer Burned

Near Allegan, Mich., nearly 13,000 Canadian geese were making themselves at home in the grain fields of farmer Andrew Degeus. The loud yackety-yak of the birds as they devoured the grain attracted about 3,000 sight-seers. At times, nearly 4,000 of the birds would rise into the air in a black cloud. Spectators thought it was great fun to watch the birds eating their dinner on the farm.

On Trial Again.



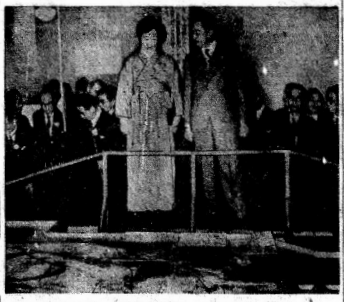
Alger Hiss (left) is shown with his attorney as they left federal court in New York after Hiss had been refused a three-week delay in his second trial on charges of perjury. The first trial ended in a hung jury.



FIRST WOMAN AMBASSADOR . . . Mrs. Eugenie Anderson (right), Red Wing, Minn., newly-appointed ambassador to Denmark, is greeted at Washington's national airport by Mrs. India Edwards, director of the women's division of the Democratic national committee. Mrs. Anderson is the first woman ever to serve in the United States diplomatic service with the full rank of ambassador. She was sworn in shortly after her arrival in Washington. She succeeds Josiah Marvel, Jr., in Copenhagen.



TWO WHO WAIT AND HOPE . . . In New York from Czechoslovakia, 15-year-old Marina Tscherenschassy and her grandmother, Mrs. Olga Ossollaeff, 76, wait hopefully for the release of Marina's mother, who has been held on Ellis Island for the past 10 months. There has been no official explanation of Mrs. Tscherenschansky's detention. Mother, grandmother and daughter are world-roving refugees.



EMPEROR HOBNOBS WITH CROWD . . . Emperor Hirohito and Empress Nagako inspect an exhibit of natural resources of Japan in Tokyo department store. They are looking at a relief map. Since the allied occupation, they have become the country's number one sightseers in contrast to the secluded lives they lived before the war.



NEWEST JET BOMBER TESTED . . . The U. S. air force's newest jet bomber, the Martin XB-51, leaves a smoke trail as its three jet engines thrust it upward on its first flight at Patuxent, Md. The ship remained aloft for 34 minutes on initial flight. The plane has sweptback wings, horizontal stabilizer above its rudder and dual wheels mounted bicycle style. It carries crew of two in pressurized, air conditioned cockpit.



GOBS' NEW BOSS . . . Vice Adm. Forrest B. Sherman, commander of sixth task force, succeeded Adm. Louis Denfeld as chief of naval operations. The development followed chiefs of staff meeting since unification row.



SUCCESS STORY . . . Lou E. Holland, Kansas City, who started as 10-cent-per-day delivery boy, recently was elected president of the American Automobile Association at the A.A.A.'s annual meeting. He is a Kansas City businessman.



BAD NEWS . . . Austere is the word for British Prime Minister Clement Attlee as his broadcasts sad news of more austerity for Britain. Huge cuts must be made in nation's expenditures in order to win economic stability for Britain.



FILLS WINN'S DERBY . . . Bill Corum, New York sports columnist, took the post of the late Matt Winn as head of Churchill Downs and boss of the annual Kentucky Derby, classic of the turf. "Colonel" Corum received a stack of congratulations.



SOPRANO ACCUSED . . . Metropolitan opera soprano Zinka Kunts Milanov, now appearing in Belgrade, was accused by the Russians of being an American spy and friend of Yugoslavia's Marshal Tito.

Classified Department

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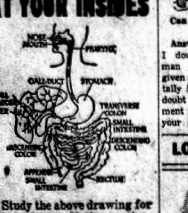
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BIG SMITH WORK CLOTHES

TAKE A LOOK AT YOUR INSIDES



Study the above drawing for a few minutes. Notice particularly how the bile flows from the liver into and out of the gall-bladder and thence into the small intestine where it mixes with the partly digested food just below the stomach. Bile is necessary as adjunct to proper digestion. *Its absence from the intestines inevitably causes putrefaction and fermentation.*

NATURE'S DANGER SIGNALS

When your stomach, liver, and gall bladder have been upset by improper eating or drinking, or when they are not working well because retained and putrefying food matter in your intestines is poisoning your entire body, your bile stops flowing freely and you, sooner or later, begin to feel some of the following symptoms:

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MIRROR Of Your MIND

Name Calling Is Profitless

By Lawrence Gould



Does calling names get you anywhere?

Answer: Not often, if ever. It relieves your feelings (though it may make you feel guilty later) and perhaps wins you some sympathy from people who already feel as you do. But expressing your hatred of someone — which is all calling him names amounts to—neither changes him nor helps you to deal with him more effectually. It merely distracts you from the tasks of understanding why he does the things you fear or dislike and what can be done to counteract them. To a mature mind there are no "villains"—only grown-up "problem children."



Can you be sure a psychiatrist will help you?

Answer: I'm afraid not—in fact, I doubt whether any honorable man would guarantee to cure a given patient. But if you are mentally ill, remember that your very doubt of whether psychiatric treatment can "do any good" is part of your illness; it grows out of the resistance your unconscious mind sets up against a process which may weaken its hold on you. If you find a doctor whom you can trust "some of the time," take your doubts to him and discuss them along with your other symptoms. He won't mind, and probably can help you overcome them.



Does reading ability improve with practice?

Answer: Under normal circumstances, Yes. Up to your limits of fatigue, the oftener you do anything, the more it tends to become automatic, and therefore to be done faster and with less expenditure of effort. A competent book reviewer really can get the gist of a whole book in the time that it would take most people to read, say, two or three chapters. But if you've acquired bad reading habits — like just looking at words without stopping to think what they mean—the more reading you do, the less you will understand or remember.

LOOKING AT RELIGION

By DON MOORE



KEEPING HEALTHY

Glutamic Acid Improves Intelligence

By Dr. James W. Barton

I HAVE WRITTEN a couple of times about the use of glutamic acid—an amino acid—in helping to brighten the mind. This discovery was first reported by Dr. C. C. Pfeiffer, professor of pharmacology, Illinois College of Medicine, who stated that glutamic acid brightened the wits in a series of 68 mentally defective children one and one-half to 17 years of age.

More recently an editorial in "the Journal of the American Medical Association" stated that glutamic acid had been found of great help in the mild form of epilepsy (petit mal). Still another group reported that they had observed a rise in mental age and intelligence quotient in adults.

Since the above favorable reports, some research workers have stated that they failed to obtain favorable results in treating "backward" children with glutamic acid.

In view of the above favorable and unfavorable reports, a not unusual occurrence when any new drug or method of treatment is child is born; that is, the lowest form of intelligence.

Generally speaking a moron has an intelligence quota of from 50 to 90, an imbecile is much below this, running from 30 to 50, but an idiot has little or no intelligence, although he is lively and imitates well.

It would naturally be expected that little or nothing can be done to increase the intelligence of a mongolian idiot, but in "The American Journal of Psychiatry," Drs. F. T. Zimmerman, Bessie B. Burgemeister and T. J. Putman report their study of the effects of glutamic acid in 20 definite cases of mongolism idiocy or mental backwardness and 30 non-mongoloid control cases.

They said: Our country shall be free! But Jeremiah knew it would not be free. They said: Our king will conquer! Jeremiah knew he would get his days a prisoner. Jeremiah was unpopular, to put it mildly, because he advised his country to take the only place among the nations it could take—an humble one.

Then, as now, many persons think that patriotism means believing yours is the perfect country. If anyone points to injustice in our land, some one may yell, "Deport him!" But Jeremiah showed what is a true patriot. He is not necessarily the man who approves all the foreign policies of his nation (Jeremiah approved not one), nor the man who speaks only good of his country and his people.

The best patriot is the person who, seeing his country as God sees it, will dare to speak out against evil wherever he finds it.

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A Way to Know God

JEREMIAH knew God well, and he got to know him by his contemporaries was that they did not know God. But Jeremiah did not say: "Know God by becoming a prophet like me," for he knew that only a few are called to be prophets. Neither did he say, "Go to church oftener," for you can see in chap. 7 what he thought of the Temple of his time.

He pointed to the good king Josiah (chap. 22). That king had found God, not in a mystic vision like Jeremiah's, not in burnt offerings and sacrifices, but in the doing of justice, looking out for the exploited, caring for the helpless, seeing that justice was done.

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HEALTH NOTES

While diabetes is not a contagious disease, it is hereditary, and the million diabetics are chiefly the relatives of diabetic persons.

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We should all try to avoid noises. We should try to avoid making unnecessary noises.

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The lower bowel is not supposed to be empty at any time.

By nourishing food, enough but not too much rest, and slight and regular exercise, the health of both mind and body of the elderly can be maintained for years.

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In any sinus condition, the important part of the treatment is to get the sinus to drain properly so that pus or mucous in the sinus will drain out.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

By DR. ARTHUR S. PETERSON

SCRIPTURE: Jeremiah 1; 14-7:28; 26; 32:1-23; 37:6-15; 37:16.
DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 119:33-40.

Spokesman of God

Lesson for November 27, 1949

GOD MAKES USE of strange characters. What shall we think of a preacher who tried to beg off from being a preacher? What can we make of a man who actually reproached God for forcing him into the ministry? How shall we rate a man who in time of war urged his own nation to surrender, who was believed by almost nobody, who was repudiated by his own class and even his own family?



Dr. Foreman

What can we say of a man who was often in hot water with the city authorities, who spent months of his time in jail, who was called subversive, and who never got along with the established religion of his time?

The prophet Jeremiah was that man; yet posterity honored him. His own generation thought him a liar. But some then knew, as we know today, that he was a teller of God's truth, a spokesman of God.

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Was he a pessimist?

WE KNOW (Jer. 1) that Jeremiah did not wish to be a prophet in the first place, though unlike Isaiah he shrank back not from a sense of sin but because he thought of himself as a mere child.

We know (chap. 20) that at times he was thoroughly discouraged about himself, and even cursed the day he was born. It is also true that in the last war waged by his little country of Judah before it was smashed, his advice from beginning to end was "Surrender."

No wonder people thought him a pessimist, a calamity-howler. But before we call him such names we must remember two things. First is, that his unwillingness to be a prophet, and the fact that so to speak he hated the job, marks a vital fact: he, perhaps even more than other prophets, sensed the difference between his own ideas and what God was saying through him.

Even when what the Lord said was not what they themselves would have wished to say, they spoke for the Lord nevertheless. The other thing to remember is that when everybody wants to believe a pleasant lie, and a man comes along telling the unpleasant truth, he is a pessimist, he is simply stating facts.

Jeremiah stood by the facts as God gave him insight to see them. If they jailed him for it, he could not help that; but they could not shut his mouth nor close his eyes.

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Was he a patriot?

JEREMIAH was constantly accused of acts and attitudes which today might be called "subversive," though he dearly loved his country. This was because he dared to rebuke the ambitions of his country's leaders.

Then, as now, many persons think that patriotism means believing yours is the perfect country. If anyone points to injustice in our land, some one may yell, "Deport him!" But Jeremiah showed what is a true patriot. He is not necessarily the man who approves all the foreign policies of his nation (Jeremiah approved not one), nor the man who speaks only good of his country and his people.

The best patriot is the person who, seeing his country as God sees it, will dare to speak out against evil wherever he finds it.

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A Way to Know God

JEREMIAH knew God well, and he got to know him by his contemporaries was that they did not know God. But Jeremiah did not say: "Know God by becoming a prophet like me," for he knew that only a few are called to be prophets. Neither did he say, "Go to church oftener," for you can see in chap. 7 what he thought of the Temple of his time.

He pointed to the good king Josiah (chap. 22). That king had found God, not in a mystic vision like Jeremiah's, not in burnt offerings and sacrifices, but in the doing of justice, looking out for the exploited, caring for the helpless, seeing that justice was done.

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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers

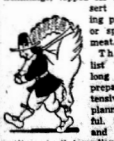


Let Cranberries Grace the Turkey Stuffing

(See Recipe Below)

Thanksgiving Tips

IT WON'T BE LONG now before one of the biggest of the holiday meals will grace your table: golden brown, done to a turn turkey, chicken or other fowl, with the trimmings, topped off with a dessert of glistening pumpkin pie or spicy mincemeat.



The market list will be a long one, the preparations extensive and the planning careful. Start early and make an outline of all ingredients to have, and just what should be done when. Then even a Thanksgiving dinner will be well organized and efficiently executed.

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FOR TURKEYS weighing 8 to 18 pounds, use an oven temperature of 325°. For turkeys over 18 pounds, use an oven temperature of 300°. Plan to "rest" the turkey 15 to 30 minutes after roasting to make carving easier.

***Sweet Potatoes with Oranges**
(Serves 8)

8 boiled sweet potatoes, sliced thin
2 oranges, peeled, sliced thin
1 lemon, peeled, sliced thin
½ cup brown sugar
½ cup butter
¾ cup water

Arrange potatoes and fruit in layers in a buttered casserole. Sprinkle with sugar, dot with butter and add water. Cover. Bake in a moderate (350°) oven until tender.

***Gingerale Fruit Salad**
(Serves 8)

2 tablespoons unflavored gelatin
2 tablespoons cold water
¼ cup boiling water
¼ cup lemon juice
2 tablespoons sugar
1 cup gingerale
½ cup red grapes, seeded and halved
½ cup celery, finely chopped
½ cup apple, cored and cubed
½ cup pineapple cubes
½ cup cubed, canned pears

Dissolve gelatin in cold water; add hot water, lemon juice, sugar and gingerale. When mixture thickens, fold in fruit. Chill in one large or in individual molds. Serve with mayonnaise.



Chiffon Pumpkin Tarts
(Makes 8)

1 envelope unflavored gelatin
¼ cup cold water
1¼ teaspoons cinnamon
¼ teaspoon ginger
½ teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon salt
¾ cup brown sugar, firmly packed
¾ cup rich milk
2 cups canned or cooked pumpkin
1 cup heavy cream, whipped
½ teaspoon vanilla
8 baked tart shells

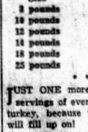
Soften gelatin in water. Combine spices, salt, sugar in top of double boiler. Mix well. Stir in milk and pumpkin. Place over boiling water and heat to boiling point, stirring occasionally. Remove from heat; add gelatin and stir until dissolved. When cool, fold in whipped cream and vanilla. Pour into baked and cooled tart shells or a nine-inch pastry shell, if one large pie is desired. Chill until firm. Garnish with toasted pecans. Serve with additional whipped cream, if desired.

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How to Prepare Turkey

CLEAN TURKEY by removing of all feathers. Singe and use tweezers on pin feathers, if necessary. Wash and drain well. Rub cavity with salt. Stuff neck and body cavities lightly as stuffing expands during roasting.

For a turkey over 12 pounds, wrap strips of clean cloth around end of each leg bone and tie with string. Cover cloth with shortening. This prevents lower leg from drying. Tie leg bones together and fasten string under the tail to hold legs against the body. Rub surface of the turkey with softened butter.



Roast turkey in a slow oven following the times given here:

Size	Roasting Time
8 pounds	2 hours
10 pounds	3½ hours
12 pounds	4 hours
14 pounds	4½ hours
16 pounds	5½ hours
25 pounds	6½ hours

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JUST ONE more tip: plan small servings of everything except the turkey, because that's what folks will fill up on!

***Oyster Soup**
(Serves 8)

2 tablespoons onion, grated
2 tablespoons celery, minced
1 tablespoon parsley, minced
2 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoon flour
1 pint bouillon
1 pint oysters

Simmer vegetables lightly in butter. Add flour and brown. Gradually add oyster liquor and bouillon. Season and cook for five minutes.

Just before serving, add oysters, either cut or whole, and cook only until they curl.

***Fresh Cranberry-Apple Bread Stuffing**
(For 15-pound turkey)

1 quart fresh cranberries, chopped
1 quart peeled, chopped apples
2 teaspoons lemon juice
2 cups sugar
1 cup finely chopped celery
1 gallon ½-inch bread crumbs
1 cup water or broth

Combine all ingredients in order given. Add water or broth and mix well.

Turkey and stuffing will both keep better if the stuffing is removed from the bird before storing in the refrigerator, after the meal is over.

If you are depending upon a roast meat thermometer to guide you in testing the "doneness" of the turkey, it should register at 190°.

When the turkey is done, the drumstick can be moved up and down readily. The meat feels soft when the thickest part of the drumstick is pressed between the fingers protected with cloth or paper.

All strings and skewers should be

THANKSGIVING DINNER

*Oyster Soup
*Roast Turkey
*Cranberry Apple-Bread Stuffing
*Sweet Potatoes with Oranges
Gravy
Buttered Cauliflower
Green Beans
Cloverleaf Rolls
Celery
Carrot Sticks
*Gingerale Fruit Salad
*Pumpkin Chiffon Tarts
Beverage
*Recipe Given

LYNN SAYS:

Turkey Talk Will Guide you Helpfully

Bread for stuffing the holiday bird is best when a day or two old, and is much easier to use if broken or cut into small sized cubes.

Stuffings will have a more nutlike and appetizing flavor when the cubes of bread are toasted lightly before using.

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MRS. DOUCET

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MR. DUGAS

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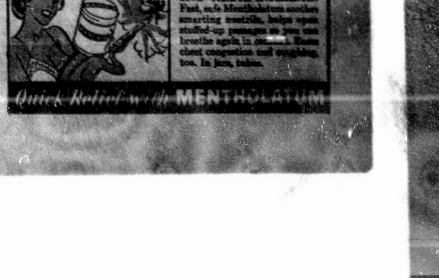
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St. John 15:1-8 John 15:1-2

I am the true vine, and my Father is the Husbandman. Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away, and every branch that beareth fruit, he purgeth it, that it may bring forth more fruit.

Under the Mosiac law, a priest was required to wear upon his garments, both bells and pomegranites, when he went into the presence of God. The bells were a symbol of praize, and the pomegranites were a symbol of a fruitful life.

When a Christian comes into a relationship with God, he too is judged by the fruitfulness of his life. In order that we may have a fruitful life, we must be willing to undergo a purging, or a digging out of the self-life, and let it be replaced by a holy, useful life for God.

The testings that come in the form of disappointment, or trouble, does not mean that God is displeased with us, he is only trying to purge our life that we may be able to enjoy more of his richness.

The branch of an orange tree does not have to perform good works, such as clearing weeds from around the tree, or watering the roots of the tree, in order to bear fruit. All that is required is that it stay anchored in the trunk of the tree. As long as it is anchored in the tree, the sap from the tree flows through the branch, and it automatically bears fruit. The secret of bearing fruit for God is to stay anchored in the vine, Christ Jesus.

Sin is naturally good. It lies within the nature of every individual a tendency to do that which is evil. If we do good, it is because we fight against the desire to sin. The fourth verse states that we can do nothing without being fruitful unless we abide in Christ. The word abide, in this case means to stay anchored in Christ so that the nature of Christ is made manifest in our life. In the seventh verse, the secret to answered prayer, is to stay anchored in Christ. If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

Last, but not least we find, according tothe 8th verse, that the best way to give praise unto God is to bear much fruit. In order to bear fruit, we must absorb the nature of Christ unto our life constantly. Not just once a week, or once a month, but always abide in the love of Christ.

The fruit of the spirit is love, joy, peace, long-suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness and temperance. (Gal. 5-22) These attributes become a part of our nature as we absorb the nature of Christ.

Let us ever be fruit-bearers for God.

Winter Guests Club News

By Virginia C. Hill

Mrs. Elmer Curtis of Bradenton, Mrs. Atha Cox and Mrs. Lillian Gallager of Tavares spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Maxson at 401 E. Canfield. Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Gallager attended the conference of Northern District of the Congregational Church at Lake Byrd Lodge on Tuesday afternoon and evening.

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The Guest Club is saddened to hear that Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wyman of 127 N. Forrest Ave. were called home to Waseca, Minn., last Wednesday because of the death of their son. They left immediately, but will return to Avon Park as soon as possible.

The sympathy of every one who knew Mr. and Mrs. Wyman is extended to them in their hour of bereavement.

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The Club was honored on Tuesday by a visit from the President of the Florida State Shuffle Board Ass'n, Mr. Flint and wife from Lakeland; also the President of the Central District Shuffleboard Ass'n, Mr. Parks and wife of Kissimmee.

Mrs. Robert Bovard and Mrs. H. J. Harper acted as committee in charge of a tea given in behalf of the guests. Tea, coffee and cookies were served. Mrs. Ernest Armstrong and Mrs. Matelds Johnson poured at an attractively arranged table. Excellent short talks by both Mr. Flint and Mr. Parks followed.

The hall was very tastefully decorated with flowers and greenery by Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Beckwith and members of the committee.

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Members who did not visit the Club Friday night missed a jolly impromptu party. It seems that the birthdays of three of our distinguished members clustered around this date. Mr. Walker's on the 19th and Messrs Beckwith and Levis on the 20th. However, Mr. Levis was among the absentees.

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After the usual game session, "Aunt Judy", Armstrong and Mrs. Hilda Taylor requested that tables be arranged in a row. While waiting for the outcome of kitchen activities, someone started a little round of singing, and birthday congratulations were exchanged. By this time the coffee and cookies appeared on the tables.

A perfunctory poll of members present was taken. It is to be hoped that no name is omitted from the following list: Mr. and Mrs. E. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith, Mrs. H. J. Harper, Mrs. Lena L. Kean, Mr. and Mrs. Orr Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beal, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cosselman, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Street, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Forbes, Mrs. Rex Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn S. Easton, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Maxon, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Heath, Arthur S. Pickell, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker, Mrs. Hilda Taylor, Mrs. V. C. Hill.

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On Saturday evening the first in a series of movies, "East of Bombay", was presented at the club house. These films are furnished by the Modern Talking Picture Service from Atlanta, Ga. The projector is furnished by the Avon Park High School and Mr. Vaughn Driggers, assistant High School principal, kindly gave his time to operate the machine. The first one of the series was excellent. "Meet the Missus", of the Club President Mrs. Jane Beckwith. She was born in Boston some few years ago, and in course of time graduated from Wellesly College. From then on her life seemed to be filled with many and varied interesting experiences. These included three years in teaching High School mathmatics and travels in the West. When she met and married the man of her choice, he in some way persuaded her to leave New England and reside in Long Island. To this union was born one daughter, living in New Jersey. A little girl in that home calls her grandmother Later Florida beckoned, they came, they saw and bought a home here.

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At the end of their journey, back to Long Island in the Spring, they found their house there in smoking ruins. However enough was salvaged from the debris to give her Floridian home a decidedly New England atmosphere.

Jane Beckwith, is a friendly and gracious hostess ever. A perfect help-mate to her husband, the President.

New members registered this past week: From Minn., Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wyman, from Mass. Mrs. Mabel Deyle, Mr. and Mrs. Park F. McAdams, from Avon Park, Mr. H. Currie, Mr. E. D. Todd, from Illinois, Mrs. Estella A. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Etting, Mr. J. J. Weaver, from New York, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Heath, from Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beall, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Altman, from Indiana, Mrs. A. T. Johnson, from Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn S. Easton, Mr. and Mrs. Rex A. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Love.

The number from Michigan predominated last week. This state may be cold in Winter, but it surely is delightful in Summer. Preface a motor trip through the state by a moonlight, excursion on Lake Erie, from Buffalo to Detroit. In that city Greenfield Village, Ford museum and the unique zoological gardens will furnish both pleasure and edification. Continue your journey, to and through the upper Peninsula on Michigan's excellent highways with their perfectly spaced wayside stations. This is something really worth doing and don't forget to visit Mackinac Island.

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Mrs. Gwendolyn Wingard

Miss Gwendolyn Prevatt And Delmas Wingard Married Saturday

Miss Gwendolyn Prevatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Prevatt became the bride of Delmas Wingard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wingard Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, among the presence of close friends and relatives, at the Southside Baptist Church, with the Rev. Lawrence Collins officiating.

The attractive bride chose to wear for the occasion a grey gabardine suit, with green accessories and wore a corsage of white carnations. After the ceremony the young couple left for a wedding trip to Callahan and Jacksonville. They are expected to return to Avon Park Sunday and will make their home here.

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Winston Prevatt of Jacksonville, brother of Gwendolyn surprised his relatives and friends Saturday when they received word of his marriage, which took place at 11:30 o'clock Saturday morning prior to Gwendolyn's at 2:00 o'clock. Mr. Gwendolyn and their parents were very much surprised when they discovered they had chosen the same wedding date without either of them knowing it.

Winston is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Prevatt and is an electrician, employed by the city of Jacksonville. Gwendolyn is the youngest girl in the family.

Social Enjoyed At The Longbottom Home

The Atomic Experiment social on Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Longbottom was very much enjoyed.

Several games were played and refreshments of delicious cake and ice cream served to those present.

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Neta LeBre And Harold Lang Married

The wedding of Neta LeBre, formally of Avon Park, and Harold Lang was solemnized Saturday night, November 12, at the Central Baptist Church in Miami, Dr. C. Ray Angell performed the ceremony.

The bride wore an afternoon dress of royal blue taffeta with navy blue accessories and wore a corsage of pink carnations. The bride's sister, Mrs. Florence Rouse was matron of honor and chose to wear for the occasion a teal blue afternoon dress with black accessories and wore a corsage of pink carnations. Delbert Fletcher of Miami attended the groom as best man, and Jack Combs of Combs Funeral Service lighted the candles.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at Mindy's Restaurant. Mrs. Anna C. Collins served at the bride's table. Guests included: Mrs. Walter H. Combs Sr., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Combs Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Combs, Mrs. Leona Combs Lund, Mrs. Lena Lewis, Mrs. Laura Cassidy, Alene R. Wilson, Ray R. Wilson, Robert W. McNamee, Stan McKenny, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Schooler, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Archer, Walter P. Collins, W. E. Taylor and Robert Rouse.

Wilma Giddens Celebrates 16th Birthday

Miss Wilma Giddens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Giddens, celebrated her 16th birthday Saturday night at a party given at her home on 17 S. Central.

After the guests arrived they had an exciting "scavenger hunt", returning later to Wilma's home where refreshments of sandwiches, cake and soft drinks were served.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Harold Glisson, Wilma Giddens, Gerry Elder, Harold Worden, Betty Jo Elder, Marvin Kahn, Helen Wilson, Bobby Bolt, Ann Stewart, Jack Hagiemaster, Charlene Hart, Leslie Crews, Virginia Landress, Robert Palmer, Norma Thompson, Levon Landress, Roberta Harris, Mack Flowers, Lucion Stewart and Mickey Walker. The Junior Pal Gal Club assisted Mrs. Giddens with the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford and children, Karen and Lura Jane are leaving Thursday for Ft. Myers, to spend the Thanksgiving Holidays with Mrs. Crawford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Underhill.

Rev. And Mrs. Ashworth Honored At Warren Home

The Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Ashworth were honored at Open ouse at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Warren on East Caufield Street, from 3 'til 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, when the members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service entertained members and friends of the First Methodist Church. Rev. Ashworth, who has served as pastor of the Avon Park church for the past three and one-half years, has been assigned to a new pastorate at Key West, and Mrs. Ashworth was leaving Monday for their new home.

Guests were received at the door by Mr. and Mrs. Warren, Dr. I. W. Chandler, chairman of the board of stewards and Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. J. W. Cummins, president of the WSCS, and Rev. and Mrs. Ashworth.

Mrs. Hubert Bussard was in charge of the guest book, which was tied with lavender and rose ribbons, and later presented to the Ashworths.

Throughout the afternoon, an enjoyable musical program was given by Miss Dorothy Jones, soloist, and with Mrs. Earl Jackson and Mrs. Vaughn Driggers alternating in piano selections.

Beautiful arrangements of Fall flowers were placed at vantage points in the reception rooms, and the centerpiece for the dining table, overlaid with an exquisite Italian cutwork cloth, was a bowl of chrysanthemums intermingled with greenery. A bouquet of pink chrysanthemums graced the buffet. The table was handsomely appointed in silver, the tea and coffee services being placed at opposite ends, and with silver trays filled with dainty sandwiches and small cakes. Silver compotes held salted nuts and candies.

Mrs. M. B. Wingfield and Mrs. Ben T. Stewart poured the first hour, and Mrs. I. H. Ford, Mrs. Rosemary Cason and Mrs. Carl Cruse from four 'til five.

Others assisting in serving were Mrs. Carl Neusbaum, Mrs. W. P. O'Steen, Mrs. Virgil Still, Mrs. Charles Giddens, Miss Jaunita O'Steen, Mrs. C. L. Craft, and Mrs. Quimby Melton, Jr., of Athens, Georgia.

Over 100 guests called during the designated hours.

"Chuck" Warrington Celebrates First Birthday

Charles Stokely Warrington Jr., celebrated his first birthday at a party, November 10 at his home on 711 Park Ave.

After the guests arrived "Chuck" opened his lovely assortment of birthday gifts. Then pictures were taken and the children played outside after which refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and orange juice were served.

Those present were: Janet Dowberley, Georgiann Godwin, Thurston Martin, Davieda Kay, Howard "Bud", Sarah Lou Smith and Lillian Willis. Assisting Mrs. Warrington were Mrs. Randall Dowberley, Mrs. Robert Harden, Mrs. G. D. Godwin Jr., Mrs. D. W. Smith and Mrs. Robert Willis.

Births

Mr. and Mrs J. A. Scanlon of Tallahassee announce the arrival of a baby boy, born at a Tallahassee Hospital on November 21, weighing 7 pounds and 2 ounces and has been given the name Robert Irvin. Mrs. Scanlon will be remembered as the former Miss Mary Elizabeth Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hall of this city.

Miss Louise Salmon and Mrs. Irma Crosby were visiting in Sarasota last Wednesday.

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Miss Pat Bovard, Mrs. Jessie Harper, Mrs. Samuel Norris, Mrs. Orr Love, Mrs. R. H. Bovard and Mrs. H. N. Bovard attended the miscellaneous shower and party, honoring Miss Joyce McGee, bride elect, given at the home of Mrs. T. J. Crawford, Monday night in Sebring.

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Gloria Garber, Blue Head, Anne Pabor and Bibi Dean arrived in Avon Park late Wednesday afternoon by plane, piloted by Marion Nelson, of the Stephenson's Funeral Home. The girls were quite anxious to get "home" for the football game and to hear and see the band in their special performance.

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The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Whitaker, born Oct. 31, who has since been in a Lakeland Hospital and is now in an Atlanta Hospital is reported to be much improved and is expected that he will be brought to his home in Sebring within the next two weeks. Mrs. Whitaker will be remembered as the former Miss Wanda Ward of Avon Park.

Firemen Enjoy Family Dinner And Party

Last Thursday was family night at the Fire Station for members of the Avon Park Firemen. A turkey supper was served, with all the trimmings to the firemen and their families, approximately two hundred men, women and children were present.

"Hillbilly" music was furnished by the firemen's string band and a good time was enjoyed by all. Some danced, others stood by and watched but all agreed they had a wonderful time.

"It is not the policy of the Firemen to take any part of a Public dance", said Wilbur Giddens, President, "but some of the members wanted to do a bit of old time square dancing and none present could see any harm in it". There was no drinking of any kind, each married member was accompanied by his wife, and children if they had any, it was a family party and everyone seemed to have a good time.

As most citizens of Avon Park know, the Firemen are very instrumental in helping the poor or distressed in this city. They have proved this by purchasing a rescue outfit that cost more than $2500 and spend hours at a time dragging lakes for drowned bodies. They also have a valuable project known as the Walking Blood Bank which has proven not only helpful to the local Doctors and hospitals but also sick patients needing blood transfusions. The Firemen have now purchased a lot of toys to be given to underprivileged children at Christmas time.

As one member stated at a recent Firemen meeting "our policy is to help others who are in distress, lets help our families for a change and have a family supper and party". All agreed and the wives of the Firemen are very glad they did.

Elementary School Observed Book Week Thursday

The Elementary School observed Book Week Thursday morning by an assembly program with Mrs. Sherman, master of ceremonies.

The following book skits were presented: Mrs. Best 2nd grade, This Little Engine That Could, Glenn Peters, Betty Wyckoff, Bill McCreary, Patricia Anderson, Howard Wray, Alice Bond, Barbara Chadwick, Zona Ree Maddox, Sherman Drawdy, Louie Wright, Harvey Hill, Talley Watson, Martha Elder, Jerry Collette and Linda Gardner. Miss Mildred Myers 2nd Grade: Little Black Sambo, Mike Wells, Mrs. Dehreta Saylor. 2nd Grade: Snow White and The Seven Dwarfs. Willa Freeman, Billie Johnson, Wayne Sanders, Jimmie Dunn, Garrey Talley, Larry Talley, Dannie Holcomb and Jimmie Cothran. Mrs. Drawdy's 3rd Grade: Mother Goose, Frankie Thorpe, Leslie Smith, Pat Batson, Manuel Smith, and Ann Mears. Red Riding Hood, Linda Rogers, Sara Harrison, Ernestine Goodman and Forest Porter. Miss Fountains third grade: Country Mouse and the City Mouse. Sammie Wright, Sarah Lou Smith and Elizabeth Howell. Jack and the Bean Stalk. Eugene Thomas and Linda Sapp. Miss Marley's 3rd grade: Gingham Dog and the Calico Cat. Eva Campbell and Julie Crawford. Hans Bricker and the Silver Skates. Peggy Bussard and Billy Farmer. Miss Hirrell's 4th grade: The Bible Bobbie Turner. Stephen Foster. Junior Brooks and Tom Bass. Miss Harty's 4th grade: Hiawatha. Jan Saylor, Peter Rabbit, Benny Marshall. Mrs. Carver's 5th grade: Mr. Popper's Penguins. Shirley Moseley, Bruce O'Steen, Walter Cook. Tom Sawyer. Nelson Butler, Joseph Baucom, Billy Shepherd. Mrs. Lookoff's 5th grade: Pinnochio. Heston Watford and Carlene Adkinson. Pied Piper. Jimmy Bennett. Mrs. Boardman's 6th grade: Robinson Crusoe. Bill Wingfield and Curtis Chapman. Treasure Island, Royce Bryan. Mr. Harrison's 6th grade: The Indian Captive. Jo Wright. Miss Jones 6th grade: Wizard of Oz. Eddie Henderson, Olen Earnest and Jaunita Walker. Alice in Wonderland. Ira Jean Patterson. Mrs. Sherman's 5th grade introduced the program by giving a poem "The People in Books". The following pupils took part: Glen Hopson, Elaine Hunt, Bill Pardee, Frances Warren and Robert Carter.

The Honor Awards for the best Book Week posters were presented to: Thetis Williams 4th grade, Bryon Gainous 6th and Joan Williams 6th. Honorable mention was given to Eugene Smith 6th grade, Sara Lou Smith 3rd grade, Arlene Patterson 4th, Thurston Martin 4th, Bobby Turner 4th, Charles Miller 5th, Ira Jean Patterson 6th and Jo Wright 6th. A Parade of 150 posters was a most interesting sight.

E. A. Delaney Sr. who recently underwent an operation at the John Hopkins Hospital is reported to be getting along fine.

Rev. Bob Liner, Pastor of the First Baptist Church spent Tuesday in Orlando.

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Rev. and Mrs. Holt of Tampa, were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Ward.

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Miss Ann Palmer and Miss Margaret Lloyd spent Saturday in Tampa.

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Johnny Savage and Miss Janet Sauls were visiting in Lake Wales and Tampa on Sunday.

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Miss Margaret Lloyd and Jack Quintier spent Sunday afternoon at Highlands Hammock Park.

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Mr. H. C. Powell and daughter Edith, visited Mrs. Powell's sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Polk at Lake Placid on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gribble and son Ron, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Gribble and Miss Evelyn Gribble.

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Wayne W. Albright of West Main St. is confined in Bay Pines Hospital. He is a Marine Veteran of World War II.

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Mrs. W. C. Pinkston of Lake Wales spent the week end with her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Williamson and Mary Edith.

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Mr. and Mrs. John G. Glenn of Chicago arrived in Avon Park recently and will visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hahn for several days.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Gribble of Gainesville will arrive this week and will spend the Holidays with relatives in Avon Park and in Sebring.

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Mrs. I. L. Hall is planning to leave Friday for Tallahassee where she will spend several weeks with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scanlan and young son Robert Irvin.

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Mrs. Robert J. Watson and grandchildren Roberta and Roxanne Schweckendieck of Pittsburgh, Pa. recently returned to the Donaldson cottage on Lake Isis for the winter season.

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Mrs. Ella Albright of West Main St. has been returned to her home from Walker Memorial Hospital after receiving treatment for injuries suffered in a collision between their car and a truck at corner of Main and Butler St.

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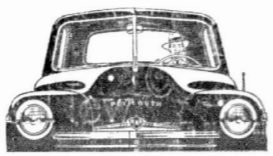
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BROADWAY AND MAIN STREET

If the Brakes Don't Work Just Hit Something Cheap

By BILLY ROSE

A fellow tried to sell me a helicopter the other day. He told me I could hop from the roof of my theatre to my place in Westchester in 20 minutes, and added that it was as easy to drive as a car. I told him I wasn't interested because I couldn't drive a car.

"How come? Didn't I ever try and learn? Just once. And here's what happened. . . .

One day several summers ago, my wife said, "I wish you'd learn how to drive. Every time you want a paper or a pack of cigarettes, I've got to stop what I'm doing and chauffeur you into the village."

"Okay," I said, "if you'll play teacher."

Next morning I crawled into the car beside Eleanor. "Just turn this jigger over," she began, "push in this dingus, pull out this doohickey, step on this wingdoodle, press down on this thing—a-mabob, and you're all set to go."



Billy Rose

"What's this gizmo?" I asked.

"The hand brake," she said. "You throw it on quickly in case of emergency."

"What happens if the brakes don't work?"

"Hit something cheap," advised my spouse.

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A MOMENT LATER the car went hiccupping down the road. Then for a mile it went smooth as you please. A feeling of confidence came over me, the same feeling all new drivers get just before the lights go out. I pressed down on the gas.

"The pistons seem to be knocking," I said professionally. "Pistons nothing," said Eleanor. "Those are my knees."

Everything went fine until we got to the traffic light in the village. I forgot to press the hickeymadoodle on the gilhooley and the car stalled. The lights changed from green to red, and from red back to green. A cop came over.

"What's the matter?" he asked. "Haven't we got any colors you like?"

After switching the radio on and off, I suddenly pressed the right thing. In the order of the way it happened, I grazed the cop, skidded through the safety zone, clipped the fender on a bus, and came to rest with my bumper against a fire plug. The cop stalked over, took a handkerchief out of his pocket and dropped it in front of the car.

"Lookit, Gene Autry," he said, "I wanta see you do that all over again, and this time pick up the handkerchief with your teeth."

Eleanor gave him the smile that used to make the front cover of "Life." "He's learning to drive," she said.

"No kidding!" said the cop. "How long is this class going to last? Some other drivers would like to use this road when Sonny Boy gets through with it."

"What did I do wrong?" I asked the officer.

"Didn't you hear my whistle? Didn't you see my signal?" he demanded.

I shook my head.

The cop sighed. "I'd better go home," he said. "I don't seem to be doing much good around here."

The Brave of Earth

STRONG with the shining shield of their high purpose,
Brave with the silver armor of their prayer,
We see them face the day, their unseen crosses
Almost too heavy for their hearts to bear.
Yet uncomplainingly they live the hours,
And patiently they face the lengthening years,
With none but God, himself, to know their heartbreak,
And none but God to mark their unshed tears.

The hurt of earth! How ably they dissemble!
They bear with courage grief they never tell:
Self-conquerors they go, the strong, the valiant,
The brave, who smile and say that all is well.
When all awards for courage have been given,
Surely the highest will be theirs in Heaven.

GRACE NOLL CROWELL



I THREW THE CAR into reverse and backed away from the fire plug.

"If you're going to drive much," yelled the cop, "I'd have the car painted red on one side and blue on the other, so the witnesses will contradict each other."

I had only one more mishap getting home. I scraped a guy's fender. He was pretty nice about it. "It's my fault," he said. "I saw you coming. I should have driven into the fields and avoided you."

There are two stone posts flanking the drive which leads up to our home. I got past them without a scratch—also without the rear bumper. That did it.

Since then, I've never been behind a wheel. When Eleanor and I go driving I sit in the back seat and read the Burma Shave signs. The only concession I've made to the Automotive Age is to learn how to fold a road map.

The Fiction Corner — THANKSGIVING TURKEY

By Richard H. Wilkinson

IMOGENE sat at the kitchen table and listened starry-eyed while Tony read the letter. "Dear Tony and Imogene: I was sorry to hear about Tony's ill luck down there in Carolina, and know you must be having rather a hard pull. But things are bound to straighten out. Under separate cover I am sending you a turkey for your Thanksgiving dinner. Please don't acknowledge it's receipt, as your Aunt Sara might read the letter. She doesn't know I'm doing this, and I doubt if she'd approve—you know how she felt when you two got married and started out on your wild venture. My love to you both. Uncle Rufus."

Tony pulled off the last wrapper and grinned happily. Within the cardboard box there nestled a handsome, fat turkey; a delicious, palatable turkey. Tony's mouth watered at sight of it.

Accompanying the bird were vegetables galore, nuts and fruit and a real plum pudding ready for heating. It was a complete, old-fashioned Thanksgiving dinner.

At length Imogene stirred. She turned and looked through the window and there was something queer about the expression on her face. Tony saw the look and he came and sat down on the table and took her hand in his.

Imogene looked at him squarely. "I was thinking, Tony, about the Santrells. I can't help it, with this big turkey here in front of us."

Tony's hand tightened its grip. "Precious," he said gently, "you're a dear."

He was silent, then, staring thoughtfully out into the yard. The Santrells, he reflected, had probably never had a turkey for Thanksgiving. It was doubtful this Thanksgiving if they'd have anything to eat. They were poor, dirt poor, and there were eight children in the family. Mr. Santrell was sick half the time; he couldn't work, even if work were available. Their plight was pitiful. They had been too proud to ask for help; had reached a state of near destitution, when the town discovered their condition.

PRESENTLY TONY turned. He said: "Listen, sweet, as far as I'm concerned, I'd like to live through one Thanksgiving without a turkey. I've had to eat one every Thanksgiving since I can remember. Will be a welcome relief. Besides, Thanksgiving down here doesn't seem to call for a turk. And we still have the smoked shoulder we'd planned on."

And Imogene smiled in prodigious happiness and began rewrapping Uncle Rufus's turkey. "Darling," she said. "I've been trying to figure out one good reason for marrying you since our wedding day. And now I've found it." Whereupon she kissed him and Tony held her tight in his arms.

And so they marched over to the Santrells and undid the package on Mrs. Santrell's kitchen table and watched with a curious tugging at their hearts as the eight Santrell children and the two grown-ups stared and stared at the great fat bird. They left very soon after that because Mr. and Mrs. Santrell seemed to have difficulty in finding adequate words to express themselves.

They raced up the walk of their little stucco bungalow—and stopped dead still on the veranda.

A great package reposed before the front door, and a letter lay atop the package.

Tony picked up the letter, stared at the package curiously and tore open the envelope. "Dear Imogene and Tony," he read. "Your Uncle Rufus wouldn't like it a bit if he knew I was doing this. You know how he disapproved when you two got married and went away down South. However, I know you must be lonesome and rather discouraged, and so, under separate cover, I'm sending you a turkey for your Thanksgiving dinner. Please don't acknowledge its receipt, as your Uncle Rufus might read the letter and I'd never hear the end of it. Love to you both. Aunt Sara."



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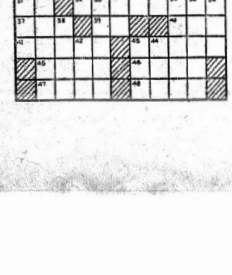
LAST WEEK'S ANSWER



ACROSS
1. Bounders
5. False
9. Melody
10. Quiescent stage in insect life
11. A short crowbar
12. Incites
14. Metallic rock
15. Gold (Her.)
16. Weaken
17. Staggered
21. Twofold (prefix)
22. Fabulous bird
23. Metal
26. Cart
28. Asserts
29. Coin (Anc. Gk.)
30. Finnish seaport
31. Masurium (sym.)
32. A bandage
37. Lofty mountain
39. Sun god
40. Female pig
41. A slip knot
43. Plant of amaryllis family
45. Word used to name a person or thing
46. Salary
47. Sea eagle
48. In bed

DOWN
1. Capital (Egypt.)
2. Kind of medieval helmet
3. Obscure
4. Speak
5. Extra
6. Central part of a wheel
7. Simians
8. Man who kills the bull at bullfights
11. Put down
13. Whirls
15. Grampus
18. To fish, by drawing line through water
19. An age
20. Piece of turf (golf)
24. Music note
25. Adult, female person
26. Kind of mollusk with spiral shell
27. Depart
28. Sleeveless garment (Arab.)
30. Turkish title
33. Goddess of peace
34. Custom
35. Wandered
36. Female sheep
38. Indigent
42. Source of light
43. Milk fish
44. Chatter

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GRACE NOLL CROWELL

ASK ME ANOTHER ?

A General Quiz

The Questions

1. What event do Christians celebrate on Easter Sunday?
2. Name Crusoe's servant in De Foe's "Robinson Crusoe."
3. What is the meaning of coercion?
4. What two things did Alladin possess that were wonderful?
5. What is a centaur?

The Answers

1. Christ's resurrection from the dead.
2. Friday.
3. The act of restraining a person by force, especially legally or morally.
4. A ring and a lamp.
5. A mythical creature, half man, half horse.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Add a different flavor to potato salad by marinating the chopped onions in lemon juice for an hour before mixing with the other ingredients.

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Before adding the batter, drop a teaspoon of peanut butter in each muffin pan to give muffins a delicious, nutty flavor.

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To retain the greatest amount of flavor in fruits, place them in a covered saucepan and cook them as fast as possible without scorching the fruit. Also do not overcook the fruit.

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As a salad for children, use celery stalks filled with peanut butter. Cut the stalks into half-inch pieces and place them on shredded lettuce with banana slices of the same length. Serve with mayonnaise.

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Place leftover vegetables in layers in a casserole, add cream sauce, sprinkle grated cheese on top and bake.

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A two-faced darning egg is a sight-saver. Paint half the egg black and the other half white for mending dark-colored hose, and the black for light hose.

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Just Wait

The widow probably would have been better off if she had stood over the stone-cutter as he chiseled the epitaph on her late husband's tombstone. But she was terribly grief-stricken and gave him a slip of paper with the wording she wanted on the stone.

Instead of making two separate lines he ran two sentences together with not even a comma separating the thoughts so that the epitaph read:

"Thou art at rest 'til we meet again."

Triple Return

An American comedian had just completed a tour of English theaters. The actor was asked how he liked playing before the English audiences.

"Splendid," he enthused. "I prefer them to American audiences."

"Why is that?"

"When the English audience hears an amusing story it laughs first to be polite, then it laughs again when it hears others laugh, then it laughs a third time when it gets the point of the story."

Live and Learn

"Mine friend, Able!" exclaimed Goldberg joyfully when he spied his old roommate on the street. "I haven't seen you for years. Where hev you bin keepink yourself?"

"Oh, I've bin in business," explained Able. "I found a nice partner with lots of money and we opened a grucery sturr."

"Naturally. You've had a lot of experience with grocery stores. Then what happened?"

"We dissolved a year later. I had the money and he had the experience."

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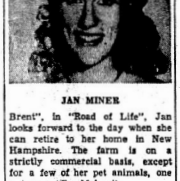
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BY INEZ GERHARD

JAN MINER admits that it is a rather odd distinction — she seems to have received more wedding cakes than anybody else, although she's not married. She has been wed eight times on the air, and each time fans have sent her wedding cakes. Currently starring as "Beth Lambert," alias "Carol Brent", in "Road of Life", Jan looks forward to the day when she can retire to her home in New Hampshire. The farm is on a strictly commercial basis, except for a few of her pet animals, one a horse, "Dr. Malone".



JAN MINER

Rosalind Russell will be lured to the Broadway stage, if playwright George Kelly can do it. He wrote "Craig's Wife", one of her most successful movies and recently outlined his new play to her on the set of "Tell It to the Judge."

Randolph Scott credits the late William S. Hart with launching him on the road to screen success. Hart visited him when the star of Columbia's "The Nevadan" was working in "Roberta". "Randy," said he, "Why don't you get out of that—monkey suit and into a western outfit? There's gold in them that picture hills." Scott recently said he'll make nothing but Westerns now.

Joe DeBona, winner of the 1949 Bendix air race, has been signed by producer Lindsley Parsons for a leading role in "Smoke Hunters", the story of parachuting fire-fighters. The U. S. Forestry Service will cooperate on it.

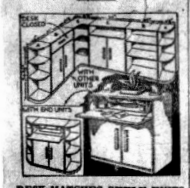
Since a pre-view audience stood up and cheered him at a showing of "The Hasty Heart", young Richard Todd is being hailed around Warners' as the screen's newest star. An Englishman, he was one of the first British paratroop officers to jump into Normandy on D-Day. As a boy he was bedridden for three years with rheumatic fever, regained his health by playing football!

Unaccustomed as she is to roles in which she doesn't sing, Doris Day has been given a chance to branch out; Jack Warner has assigned her to a straight dramatic part as Ginger Rogers' married sister in "Storm Center".

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⅛ tsp. salt — ¼ cup raisins
Combine first 5 ingredients; cook and stir until sugar dissolves. Pour syrup gradually over beaten egg white, beating until icing "peaks." Add almond flavoring. Remove ¼ of icing; fold in fruit and nuts; use as filling. Frost cake with plain icing; decorate with chopped nuts.
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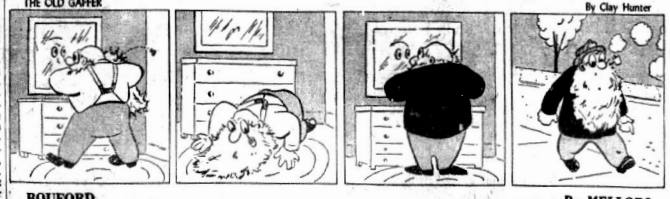
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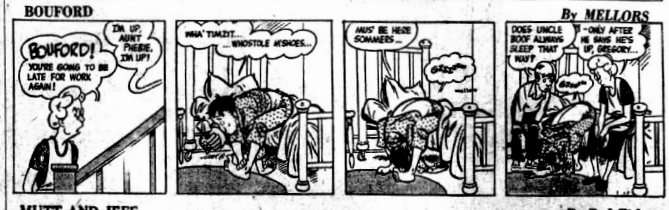
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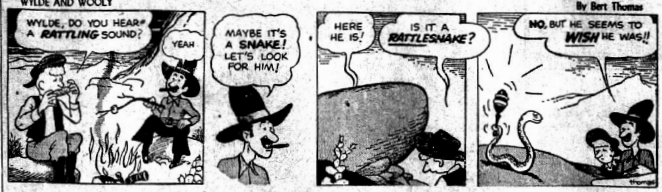
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ANSWER: You have the right idea, but in reverse—that is, you should use the sandpaper first, and then clean off with turpentine before repainting. If you were going to varnish, you would have to take off all the old finish; but as long as you are going to use paint again, I do not believe it will be necessary to take off all the paint, which would be quite a job. But the cracks and checks should be sanded out smoothly so that they will not show through the new finish.

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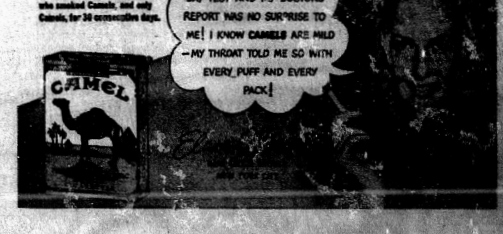




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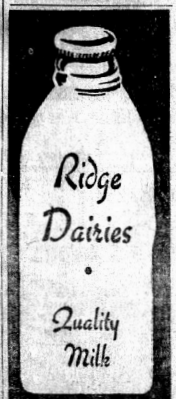
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Sulphate of manganese can be bought from any fertilizer concern. The nearest ones are at Sebring, Frostproof and Lake Wales.

A. P. H. S. BOOK WEEK

Eileen Sachsenmaier, Jimmy Mathis, Jane Maxwell, Sherden Huff, Jesse Murray, Dick Reddick, Clement McFarland.

MRS. PAXTON HILL-suggestions for interesting reading. Ninth grade books-Lawrence Pate and Alice Sue Collins, Tenth grade books-David Thigpen and Joyce Hill.

MISS LORACE PEEPLES-Eighth grade-scene from Courtship of Miles Standish, announcer-Patricia Budd, John Alden-Jim Wilhite, Priscilla-Peggy Martin, Eleventh grade-Why make friends with books? by Margaret Roan, Twelfth grade-"Drik to me only with thine eyes"-solo sang by Richard Landress, Twelfth grade-"Jane Eyre" book review by Margaret Lloyd.

MISS HILLIE PEARSON-scene from "Tom Sawyer", Directors: Joyce Wingfield and James Davis. Tom Sawyer-Tom Stinson, Aunt Polly-Mary Jo Hill, Huck Finn-Lewis Landress.

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Just Lookin' 'Round

By Les Lloyd

Buy Christmas Seals



Help Stamp Out TB

The Avon Park High School football team stomped on the Sebringites this past week and did a good job of it too. The boys showed some good training and credit should be given to their coach for the wonderful job he has done with the team. Most of the year they have been playing out of their class, competing with schools of more than double the enrollment here. The band put on one of their best performances as all of you who were privileged to see the game I am sure will agree.

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The Florida Power Company have been busy this past week putting up lights on the Mall. Begins to look like Christmas here, and just a pleasant reminder, there are only nineteen more shopping days left.

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It won't be long now until the man with the big smile and the fat "tummy" will be coming around. One of the finest gifts we can think of for the whole family would be a year's subscription to the home town newspaper. That would please everyone in the family and they would have the pleasure of reading it for 52 weeks of the year.

—See you in CHURCH Sunday—

Noted Baritone to Give Concert Here February 6th

Avon Park music lovers will be delighted to learn that Carlos Sherman, noted Columbia artist, will be presented to members of Community Concert at the Avon Park High School Auditorium on the evening of Feb. 6. Mr. Sherman, baritone artist, is also a member of the Columbia Operatic Trio whom some of you have had the pleasure of hearing. He is now on a personal concert tour and is being received enthusiastically everywhere.

In anticipation of this event, the local committee is planning a reception in honor of the guest star for members of the Association.

The local Chamber of Commerce, realizing the probable need of accomodating winter guests who would desire to attend the winter concerts, purchased a block of additional memberships. These are available now to the tourists who were not privileged to enjoy the fine artists who will appear here and in Sebring this season. The membership cards may be secured by contacting the secretary at the Chamber of Commerce.

Tickets will not be on sale at the individual performances and we will again remind you that only concert members are eligible for attendance to the concerts and the entertainment functions following the program.

Some 25,000,000 seedlings will be grown at Florida Forest Service nurseries for distribution to landowners at cost next winter.

"Gone With The Wind" Coming To PARK Theatre

Due to thousands of requests the all-time great of motion pictures, "GWTW" is again in release and is being brought back to the Park in respect to the author, Miss Margaret Mitchell, who was killed by a hit and run driver in Atlanta the 11th of August. Miss Mitchell was Atlanta's most celebrated and best loved citizen. Her novel is probably the most widely read Civil War story of all time.

Dec. 15-16 first showing in Avon Park with Adults being admitted for the regular admission of 35 cents. All children under 12 years of age must pay 25 cents.

Due to the length of "GWTW" the boxoffice will open at 2:30 o'clock for the Matinee with the feature starting at 3:00. Only one evening show will be shown with the boxoffice opening at 7:00 o'clock and the feature will start at 7:45.

The Management advises if you haven't seen this fine movie or are one of the many who wish to see it again that you do so on this engagement as it may be several years before it is shown locally again.

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Fort Theatre

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Boy Scout Court Of Honor Held At Lake Placid

The Boy Scouts of the Ridge Area held their Court of Honor at the Woman's Club in Lake Placid last Monday night. The Court of Honor is the Court where the boys receive recognition for achievement and advancement in Scout work.

Harold Worden acted as chairman for the evening in the absence of E. G. Todd. Attendance at this meeting was greater than at any other meeting this year. Scout field books, boys handbook, scout handbook and patrol leader handbook were presented by Maurice Paige, through the courtesy of the Florida Church Store Council, to Ben Eastman, Institutional representative, who in turn gave them to the new scout master of the newly organized Scout Troop 142 of Sebring which is sponsored by the Sebring Rotary Club.

Tenderfoot pins were presented by W. R. Pearce, Scoutmaster of Troop 140, which is sponsored by Rose Villa, of DeSoto City. Attendance and advancement awards were presented to Troop 169 of Frostproof, as well as Star Rank badges to Dwight Morris, Robert Murray and Milton Woodley. Other awards to the Frostproof Troop were as follows: Earnest Keen, Woodwork, Charles Mathews, Carpentry, Woodwork and Public Health; Dwight Morris, Carpentry; Robert Murray, Carpentry, Woodwork and Public Health; Eddie Stephens, Swimming; Milton Woodley, Carpentry, Woodwork, Pathfinding and Citrus Culture; James Young, blood, swimming.

Promoted to Second Class in the Avon Park Troop were: James and N. Sellars and William Sellars. Merit badges were awarded to the following: Larry Bass, Safety; R. E. Maysack, swimming, Firemanship, Personal Health, Rowing, Life Saving and Pioneering.

Speaker for the evening was Wayman Carver, who gave a very interesting talk on bees.

Woodruff Wins Trophy

The Fort Myers Fall Regatta had speed boat jockeys from over the state. Avon Park was represented by Bobby Woodruff and J. Paxton Hall. Woodruff stepped two first places, winning both heats of the 23 H. P. Runabout event and brought home a beautiful trophy. Hill wasn't so lucky because while he was rounding the turn, he lost his boat to the officials barge. Not until it was time for him to race did he discover that his boat had in it a gallon paper wads shot from the starting canon. Just before passing the lead boat, a bunch of scrap paper entered the carburetor and he came in fourth.

Woodruff started for back in the field on both heats, but passed boaf after boat until he was over out in front, winning by about a quarter lap.

DR. CHANDLER RETURNS FROM JACKSONVILLE

Dr. I. H. Chandler has returned from Jacksonville, where he attended the Florida State Board of Medical Examiners held at the Seminole Hotel on Monday and Tuesday.

One hundred and thirty-six applicants from various locations stood the board examination.

MRS. GURLOCK JOINS HUSBAND IN JAPAN

Mrs. H. C. Powell has received word from her daughter, Mrs. Frank Gurlock Jr., upon her safe arrival in Japan.

Mrs. Gurlock after spending some time with her mother Mrs. Powell and her grandmother, Mrs. M. L. Rogers left Avon Park on October 30 to join her husband who is stationed with the Army in Japan.

Run out of gas, tire trouble, need road service.Phone 279 AAA.

Weather Report

Following is the weather report beginning November 23 and ending December 1, inclusive, as reported by Wilbur Giddens, local observer.

	H	L	R
November	83	45	
	84	47	
	83	48	
	78	45	
	81	48	
	79	50	
	80	51	
December	1	74	48



After Joe Gregor perfected the roll-making process, he sampled a few packages to good customers of the Gregor Bakery. Among those he called upon was Mrs. W. S. Betts of Avon Park.



The first person to be shown the new rolls was Mrs. Becky Mandis. Avon Park housewife. She called at the bakery one day and Joe Gregor showed her samples of the unbrowned ready-formed rolls, and the finished product. She said--"This is the the answer to my problem of having hot rolls at all times!"

Pictures by the Minneapolis Tribune

Patients At Veterans Hospital Select Xmas Gifts

The boxes of gifts for the Christmas Joy Shops, donated by members and friends of the American Legion Auxiliary have been mailed and have already reached their destination at the Veterans Hospitals.

These gifts, none worth less than $1.00, combined with other contributions of units all over the state of Florida will provide the opportunity for hospitalized men and women to choose what they want to send to their families, free of charge. The gifts are then mailed by the Auxiliary again at no cost to the veteran.

At the Lake City, Coral Gables and Bay Pines Shop which was opened on Tuesday of this week the patients unable to leave their beds were given first choice when loaded carts were taken by "Sunshine Ladies" to their wards. The Sunshine Ladies are volunteer workers of the various units who frequently visit the patients doing helpful deeds for them upon each visit. On Wednesday the Ambulatory patients were served in the Recreation Hall and the men from the Barracks had their turn on Thursday. The volunteer workers will return on Friday to clean up.

An added attraction at Bay Pines Wednesday was music by Andy Boyette and his drifting Pioneers who sang and played in the wards and in the recreation hall.

Mrs. Ben Stewart, Chairman and Mrs. L. P. Childers, assistant, express their gratitude to the members and to the following town friends, Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Mrs. S. C. Pardee Sr., Mrs. C. H. Pardee and Mrs .W. D. Dorminey who participated in helping to procure happiness into the hearts of ill veterans and their families by their donations to the Christmas Joy Shops.

TRIPLE LINK HELD REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT

The Triple Link Club held their regular meeting Tuesday night, November 29th, with twenty-five members and guests present.

During the business session a committee was appointed to make the necessary plans for a cake walk which will be held sometime in December. After the business meeting a Christmas party was planned, and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess—having birthdays during the month of Nov. who were: Lula Crawford, Gladys Hagen, Mary Fields and Kathleen Currier.

Others present were: Doris Shearer, Lena Kean, Tilly Yuster, Bertha Kelley, Virginia Carneglia, Bell Rosenberg, Margaretha Vogt, Agnes Cox, Amelia Dick, Lena Trobritz, Cora Wray, Yvonne Beall, Elizabeth Mizelle, Lillian Bridges, Trumie Hayes, Mary Reed, Helen Mann, Bell Martin, and Helen Harris.

Albert A. Demorest

Funeral services for Albert A. Demorest, 54, who passed away November 12, in a Tampa Hospital were held Tuesday, November, 15, 10:00 A. M. at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Bob Liner officiating.

Mr. Demorest was born August 30, 1895 at Warwick, N. Y. He attended Alfred University, Alfred, N. Y. and on January 31, 1922 was married to Miss Florence Sherman. To this union two daughters were born, Jean Elaine on May 17, 1924 who died at the age of two and Winifred Carol born June 13, 1926. Mr. and Mrs. Demorest and family moved to Avon Park in the year of 1928, from Castile, N. Y.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Florence Sherman Demorest, one daughter Miss Winifred Carol Demorest and one sister, Mrs. Clara Demorest Howell, of Warwick, N. Y.

Pallbearers were: E. Ray Wells, Paul McFarland, Erwin H. Ford and Bernie Johnson. With Stephenson's Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Special music was presented by Mrs. J. B. Coen and Mrs. T. J. Ward.

Following the Services the remains were taken to the train station for shipment to Castile, N. Y. for interment in Grace Cemetery near his infant daughter. Mrs. Demorest and Miss Winifred Demorest accompanied the body to N. Y., returned this week. Mrs. Demorest will return to her position at the Florida Baptist Children's Home in Lakeland. Miss Demorest is Secretary at the First Baptist Church in Winter Haven.

ROBERT W. A. DUNCAN

Funeral Services for Robert W. A. Duncan who passed away November 29th were held Thursday, December 1, 2:00 P. M. at the family residence in Frostproof with the Rev. Douglas officiating.

Mr. Duncan born May 28, 1883 at Ann Arbor, Michigan moved to Frostproof in 1912. He was a Charter member of the Frostproof Rotary and for the past 22 years had a perfect attendance record.

Pallbearers: The entire Rotary Club, six were chosen for Active and the remaining members Honorary, with Stephenson's Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors are his widow, Mrs. Vera Duncan, one daughter, Miss Martha Bell Duncan of Jacksonville, two sons, Don Duncan of Frostproof and James Duncan of Gainesville.

Interment was in Oak Hill Cemetery at Lakeland, Fla.

BIRTHS

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Warren K. Fields of Washington, D. C. have announced the arrival of a baby son, weighing seven and a half pounds, who was born Saturday, Oct. 29. The young man has been named John Allen. Mrs. Fields was Miss Helen Demeree prior to her marriage, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Demeree of Avon Park.

Legion Auxiliaries' Dinner Meeting At Nan-Cess-O-Wee

Members of the Avon Park American Legion Auxiliary met with the Sebring unit for dinner at the Nan-cess-o-wee Hotel in Sebring, Monday night with approximately thirty members present.

Mrs. B. Altermatt of Orlando area president of the American Legion Auxiliary delivered a very interesting speech pertaining to the various parts of the Auxiliary. Mrs. W. Williams of Bradenton, district vice-president spoke briefly. The honor guests Mrs. M. H. Nelson president of the Avon Park unit and Mrs. Ernest Eures, Sebring president, were each presented corsages.

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Prior to the entertainment a meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Demos Mandis. Plans for the banquet were discussed. Mrs. Ben Stewart displayed the gifts for the Christmas Joy Shop.

The hostess Mrs. Mandis and Mrs. McCarthy served refreshments of delicious sandwiches, pumpkin pie and coffee.

WOMEN OF MOOSE HELD MEETING NOVEMBER 21

Avon Park chapter of the women of the moose held their meeting November 21st, in the Loyal Order of the Moose lodge rooms at 8:00 o'clock.

Senior Regent Mary King called the meeting to order and the record of attendance with Co-Worker Ruth Hines Guide.

The meeting included Initiation and the following persons were initiated into the Chapter 1137 Women of the Moose, Kathleen Currie, and Kathleen Geiger of Avon Park and Mary Powell of Frostproof. The initiation ceremony was very pretty and impressive and we are glad to welcome our new members.

Our next meeting will be held December the 14th, 1949. We hope to see everyone present. The meeting will be at 8:00 o'clock.

Woman's Club To Meet Friday

The Avon Park Sr. Woman's Club will hold their Christmas meeting on Friday December 2, 8:00 P. M. at the Jacaranda Hotel for members and guests.

Special Christmas music will be presented. It is requested that you bring your Christmas gift for the Christmas basket which will be used at later date. The special program planned includes a book review by Rev. Frank Butler. "The Man Born To Be King" is the title written by Dorothy L. Sayres, in relation to the life of Christ.

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Guests in the home of Mrs. J. L. Wells on Thanksgiving Day were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cromartie of Deland, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Locke, Mrs. Dorothy Locke and Miss Candace Lohr of Tampa.

HIGH SCHOOL POW-WOW

By PAT LAGONI

In case you haven't heard, those wonderful Avon Park "RED DEVILS" won another ball game Wednesday, the 23rd. The Sebring game was really a thriller, and the 27 to 12 (our favor, of course) really pleases the Devils' fans. Although Sebring scored first, the Devils came right back at them with a TD by Richard Landress. In the second quarter, Richard scored again on an 85 yard run and Jimmy Kelley scored the extra point. In the same period Gene Cruse snatched a pass from Ralph Hill and went over. Jeril Clenny scored the extra point. Sebring scored once more in the third quarter. The final Devil score came in the last period when Kelley went over and Hill drop-kicked successfully. Not only the offensive team, but also those one the defense made a fine showing for the old red and white.

At the half-time the Red and White band presented a very impressive performance in honor of Professor Gustat, Sebring's band director, who has been working in the musical profession for 24 years. The band marched on the field, formed a shamrock with the green lights on their hats and played "My Wild Irish Rose" while the majorettes were spotlighted in a spectacular ballet dance and while Lynn Longbottom, our own soprano, sang. Following this they formed the letters, "P R O F" and played "Auld Lang Syne", while Lynn sang again. As the crowd applauded, the band left the playing field, again playing, "Auld Lang Syne".

The Devils are hoping for a big turnout in Fort Meade on Friday night, when they'll wind up their '49 gridiron schedule against the Fighting Miners. The boys have made a fine showing this season, so let's show them we're with 'em 'til the last quarter of their season!!

The second six weeks of our school year ended last week and another set of report cards were given out Wednesday.

That's about all the news for this week, but look for more Pow-Wow in the next SUN.

Moose Start New Program At Original Location

Avon Park Lodge 1333, Loyal Order of Moose returned to their original quarters on Lake Lotela November 26th.

After negotiating with Mr. Teppert the owner for several weeks a new set up has been agreed upon. The building will undergo extensive alterations and when completed will be the most modern and beautiful club in this section. The plans call for upper floor facilities to be open to the public with a big Bingo game on Thursday nights, the profit to be used to build the Christmas benefit fund for underprivileged children, and dancing on Saturday nights, with an out of town orchestra.

The lower floor is to be open to members only and will be a glorified fun room with shuffleboards, billiard tables, etc. The Club anticipates spending several thousand dollars on equipment, fixtures, and furnishings which will be the most modern obtainable.

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From the "Kick-Off" Luncheon on Dec. 29 until its final appearance at the pageant on Jan. 3, the band will exhibit its intricate drills and precision marching in a series of spirited appearances.

On New Year's Eve, the bandsmen, in Marine Corps dress blues and led by Drum Major John McCloy, will be the first band in the colorful King Orange Jamboree parade. The following day they will play for the boat regatta, and still be featured at the pre-game ceremonies on Jan. 2 at the Orange Bowl.

Following its appearance in the Pageantry of Jan. 3, the band will return to Camp Lejeune and less spectacular duties.

EDITOR'S MAIL BAG

Dear Editor:

I'm sending my renewal for another year with this. I hope you don't mind the weather column this issue, it is interesting to many who is one who is interested in Avon Park but is living elsewhere at present.

Recently you had and article about Dr. Higginbottom of India. I have just read his book and found it interesting too. I feel something like a neighbor and kinsman to him as I was born and lived there till I was twelve, (in Burma, "across the bay").

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We let our subscription to the paper expire while we were stationed in the Panama Canal Zone (for the past three years) due to the fact that the mail situation was quite inefficient, and a majority of the time our paper never reached us at all. However, we came back to the States in April and are now settled at our new station (Lowry AFB, Denver, Colo.) and would like very much to be able to keep up with everything there thru the local paper. My husband is Assistant Base Operations Officer here at Lowry and we hope to be stationed here several years.

Would you please announce in the paper the arrival of our only child, a baby daughter, Nancy Allyson, who was born at Fitzsimmons General Hospital here in Denver. We have so many, many friends in Avon Park until I know it would be of much interest there. I am the former Odean Bishop of that city, lived there about 17 years and was employed in the Barnett Bank for several years.

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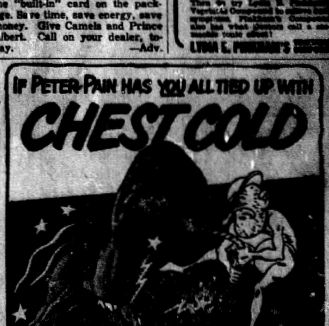




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Are you going through change of life? Do you suffer from hot flashes, feel so nervous, weak, blue at times? Then try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Taken regularly—it helps build up resistance against such distress. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a medicine especially for women. Also helps relieve accompanying nervous tension, irritability. Get it today!
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FOR FAST RELIEF, rub in Ben-Gay. Contains up to 2½ times more of those two famous pain-relieving agents, methyl salicylate and menthol, than five other widely offered rub-ins!
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