BAPTIST VISITORS HERE

Dr. Ed Solomon of Jacksonville, editor of the Florida Baptist Witness, and Dr. C. H. Bolton, executive secretary of the Florida Baptist conference, were in Avon Park on Tuesday evening, and spoke at the First Baptist church.

AVON PARK WATER PURE

As a result of three specimens of water sent by the Florida Public Service Company to the Florida State Board of Health, for bacterial or purity examination, they have been informed that the samples submitted were satisfactory.

MRS. MANDIS DINNER HOSTESS

Mrs. Demos Mandis was hostess at dinner on Thursday evening to Mrs. Frances Keisling, worthy grand matron of grand chapter of Florida, on the occasion of her official visit to Leigh chapter, Avon Park, Mrs. Mamie Lander and Mrs. Susie Stubbs of Orlando, and Miss Jennie Gribble, worthy matron of Leigh chapter.

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SOMEDAY I'LL GET A FURLOUGH

(Bombing Range High Score)

I was ushered into the army, unexpectedly to myself from a peaceful little Pennsylvania town, some 1 months ago. My days since then have been bitter and hard. They were made so by cruel 1st Sergeants, who with unheard of harshness have refused me permission to do anything, at any time, anywhere.

My first work upon entering this era of menial tasks was as a window washer and latrine polisher. I was able to subdue my pride while at these duties for a period of some two weeks, but not without considerable injury to that same pride, for mine is a sensitive character. Being sneered at, laughed at and looked down on by my fellow soldiers was too much, so with one bold stroke I brushed all my fears aside, stumbled into the Orderly Room and weakly demanded audience with our C. O. Forthwith granted, was the audience, forthwith granted was my release from my duties in those time honored professions, and also forthwith was my enrollment as a member of the policing up detail. This step forward in my interesting career called for an all out celebration, the details of which are somewhat hazy and blurred. After a three day period of recuperation, I was myself once again.

Basic Training

I had gone through basic training, and was equipped to answer any questions a Jap might ask on the things military, skirmishing, manual of arms (having the proper muscular setup and having practiced at length as a boy with a broomstick I took to this rather well), rifle practice, in fact everything a soldier should know, brother, I knew. The Sgt. insisted. Anyway, after living through his period of body wearying effort, I was transferred to my present post.

It then became evident that something was wrong, either with the army or with me. I had reached the place in a soldier's life at which an individual should have emerged from the stream of army life with a certain amount of experience and know how, and with an object in this army, but I apparently had not jelled I remained the raw material from which something noble or something regrettable might emerge.

It was then announced that I was a member of the Palmetto Elimination Corps. To myself I said "Now here lil private is an opportunity to show all and sundry that you are a man of accomplishments." Spurred by my desire to do a bangup job, I virtually threw my not too imposing 112 pounds into this noble and honored profession, commonly known as "yardbirding." Needless to say, the very grass did take heart and sprout, assured that each blade was safe and would have many years of untroubled growth, blades (young and gay) made the post beautiful with their untroubled songs.

Engineer's Glory

For many a month, due to the fact that I had submerged myself in this fascinating pastime, I was contented with my lot. Yep, I was satisfied. My hours were long, the work was hard but I was not daunted. I forced myself ahead until finally I was convinced that from an engineering standpoint I knew no peers as a palmetto uprooter. I was indeed supreme at this complicated task. Great glory and satisfaction was then mine.

The time finally came when I became dissatisfied, even with this great glory, and decided that what I wanted most was a furlough. I had found that glory was not enough and that I required the loving touch of my honey, and some good steaks, a la ma. Frankly this realization rocked the foundations of my philosophy on life.

The first time I approached one of those fellows (1st Sgts.) furlough bent, I was so excited he had to consult my dog tags (I was too shaken to consult them myself) to find just what the devil and who the devil I was. I was finally able to weakly whisper "furlough" and the Sergeant being a knowing cuss deduced correctly and bellowed "scram." I was a persistent sort in those days, I persisted in asking and the Sarg persisted with the usual "scram, picker of the Lotus" (cruelly referring to my profession, of course). Anyway the routine became so familiar that if I hadn't (u that if I didn't appear at 11:30 the Sergeant began wondering if I had became entangled with the M.P.'s and was enjoying the comforts of that pleasant little shack, the guardhouse. I in turn, took heart and became bold beyond reason. This boldness finally going so far that I would barge into the Orderly Room without knocking, ask for Sarg if he wasn't around, throw my hat on the table and complain about the lack of fans in the Orderly Room. There was a day when the announcement "scram" screamingly done by the now first grader, was likely to cause me to blow a mental fuse before I could get a hold of my nerves. Now if he doesn't bellow forthwith, I get to worrying about him and wonder if this cruel world is not doing right by our Sergeant.

Some Day XXX

I'll get a furlough, being glib by nature, but by the time I do get a furlough, I'll be a tottering whisp of an old man, staggering along the streets of B&G with the Orderly Room pallor on my wrinled face and the Sergeant's heelmarks tattooed on the base of my anatomy, with a very blurred and hazy recollection of what was once a bright and lively young soldier.

NOTICE TO APPEAR

TO: JEAN G. CAMPBELL, whose residence is 491 Quincy Street, Dorchester, Massachusetts.

You are hereby required to file your appearance in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, on or before December 7, 1942, that being Rule Day in said month, in that certain cause therein pending before the Honorable D. O. Rogers, Judge of Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Highlands County, in Chancery sitting, said cause being a suit for divorce and styled, James A. Campbell, plaintiff, vs. Jean G. Campbell, defendant.

Herein fail not or decree pro confesso will be entered against you and the cause will proceed ex parte.

This notice shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks in The Scenic Highlands Sun, Avon Park, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of said Court this 14th day of October, 1942.

(Seal).
M. T. PIETY, Clerk Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida.
By H. T. PIETY, Clerk.
Offices of F. T. Haskins
Of Counsel for plaintiff.
Oct. 16-23-30 Nov 6-13

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That Milford Dilley, Avon Park, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 122, issued the 7th day of September, A. D. 1936, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lots 9 & 10, Block 9, Avon Park, Section 21, Twp. 33 S. Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate was issued in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 29th day of October, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
(Seal.)
Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY.

IN RE
ADOPTION OF BETTY RUTH STORM BY CAPTAIN T. H. R. KEITH AND MARGARET B. KEITH

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given of the intention of Captain T. H. R. Keith and Margaret B. Keith of Highlands County, State of Florida, to file a Petition with the Honorable Judge of the Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Highlands County, on the 23rd day of November, 1942, praying the said Court to grant and legalize the adoption of Betty Ruth Storm, a minor, whose age as of this date is 12 years and whose last place of residence is with said Petitioners, to-wit, Captain T. H. R. Keith and Margaret B. Keith, residing at 111 Crescent Drive, Sebring, Highlands County, Florida.

Dated at Sebring, Florida, this 22nd day of October, 1942.

T. H. R. KEITH, Capt. A. C.
MARGARET B. KEITH,
Petitioners.
F. T. Haskins,
Attorney for Petitioners.
Oct. 23-30 Nov. 6-13-20.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, IN CHANCERY

MYRTLE SKIPPER, joined by her husband, and next friend,
C. A. SKIPPER;
Plaintiffs,
vs.
J. C. BARROW, et al, Defendants.

ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION AND NOTICE TO APPEAR

To the defendants:

ALL PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST ROBERT J. BREWTON, (also known as R. J. Brewton) DECEASED:

GRACE L. SICKLES BREWTON, a widow, whose residence is unknown;

ALL PARTIES HAVING OR CLAIMING TO HAVE ANY RIGHT, TITLE OR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY HEREIN DESCRIBED:

You are hereby notified and required to file an appearance in this proceeding, on or before the rule day of the month of December, 1942, same being the 7th day of December, 1942, or else a decree pro confesso will be taken against you.

The nature of this suit is to foreclose the lien of State and County tax certificates and the description of the property proceeded against is as follows:

Lot 64, of Block 3, Sunset Beach subdivision, Sebring, Florida, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, pages 20 and 21, of the Public records of Highlands County, Florida.

This order and notice to appear shall be published in the Scenic Highlands Sun, a newspaper published in Highlands County, Florida, once during each week for four consecutive weeks.

Witness my hand and official seal this the 21st day of October, A. D. 1942.

H. T. PIETY, as Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for Highlands County, Florida.
By J. C. DeSHONG, Deputy Clerk.
(Seal)
Howard G. Livingston,
As Attorney for the Plaintiff.
Oct. 23, 30, Nov. 6, 13.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That Townsend Sash, Door & Lumber Co., holder of Tax Certificate No. 80, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 13 S-D of Lots 8, 9, 10, block 21, Avon Park, Section 22, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Mrs. R. L. Adams.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 4th day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY.
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS STAMPS

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR IN FINAL DISCHARGE
IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re Estate of
ALEXANDER J. MAY, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that on the 23rd day of November A. D. 1942, I shall apply to the Honorable Thos. A. McNicholas, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for my final discharge as Executor of the estate of Alexander J. May, deceased. My final report and application for final discharge are now on file in the office of said Judge.

Dated October 22, A. D. 1942.

S. F. LONGBOTTOM,
As Executor.
Oct. 23-30, Nov. 6, 13.

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re Estate of
G. P. Thayer.

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 30th day of October A. D. 1942, I shall apply to the Honorable T. A. McNicholas, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for my final discharge as Executrix of the estate of G. P. Thayer deceased. My final report and application for final discharge are now on file in the office of said Judge.

Dated Sept. 30 A. D. 1942.

NELLIE S. THAYER,
Executrix.
Oct. 3,10,17,24,31.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Laws of 1933

IN THE COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA. IN PROBATE

Re Estate of:
ARIADNE B. ROBERTS,
Deceased.

TO ALL CREDITORS, LEGATEES, DISTRIBUTEES AND ALL OTHER PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIM OR DEMAND AGAINST SAID ESTATE.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified, required and directed to present any claim or demand of any nature whatsoever, against the estate of Ariadne B. Roberts, deceased, late of Highlands County, Florida, to the Hon. Thos. A. McNicholas, County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the court house in Sebring, in said County and State, within eight (8) calendar months from the date of the first publication hereof.

You are further notified that such claim or demand must be presented in writing, contain the place of residence and post office address of the claimant and be sworn to by the claimant, his agent or attorney.

Date of first pulication, Oct. 9, 1942.

M. R. McDONALD,
As Administrator with the will annexed of said Estate.
Oct 9, 16, 23, 30.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That J. D. Hodge, holder of Tax Certificate No. 97, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

S½ of Lot 10, Block 42, Avon Park, Section 22, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of W. C. Touchton.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY.
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That S. R. Pickett, Avon Park, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 258, issued the 5th day of August, A. D. 1940, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

E½ of SW¼ of SW¼ of SE¼ Section 32, Twp. 33, S. Range 29 E. 5 Acres

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of F. A. Yeager.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door at 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 28th day of October, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy.
(Seal)
Oct. 30, Nov. 6 13, 20, 27

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That J. D. Hodge, holder of Tax Certificate No. 98, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

N½ of Lot 10, Block 42, Avon Park, Section 22, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of W. C. Touchton.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY.
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That J. D. Hodge, holder of Tax Certificate No. 135, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 11, block 4, Section 23, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East, 10 Acres.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY.
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That J. D. Hodge, holder of Tax Certificate No. 136, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 12, block 4, Section 23, Twp 33, South, Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

HIGHLANDS COUNTY,
Petitioner,
vs.
W. B. WILCOX, et al.,
Defendants.

NOTICE AND PROCESS OF CONDEMNATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN to each and all of the persons or corporations hereinafter named including all unknown persons who are either dead or who are not known to be either dead or alive, claiming any rights, title or interest, of, from or through any of the persons or corporations hereinafter named or to any of the property hereinafter described, namely: W. B. Wilcox, Geo. E. Wilcox, Jr., and each of their wives; William F. Ward and wife, Annie B. Ward; Mrs. R. D. Wagner, a widow but if married ... Wagner her husband; Ernest Glenn Wood and wife Ella K. Wood; C. M. Boland and wife ——— Boland; First National Bank of Avon Park a dissolved corporation and its last Board of Directors, names of whom are unknown; J. D. Sherman; S. P. James; Robert Cooperating Co.; City of Avon Park, a municipal corporation; C. Gale; B. T. Anderson; R. S. Hartless; Heirs of Andrew Dole, deceased; L. M. Kent; Mary T. Cleland and Leota Cochran; Nellie A. Bryant; Margaret K. McKay and husband Wallace A. McKay; Indianapolis-Florida Fruit Company a dissolved Florida corporation and its last Board of Directors, names being unknown; Mary Pate Snively and if married ——— Snively her husband; Growers Loan and Guaranty Company, a Florida corporation; Florida Citrus Products Credit Association a corporation; G. Gale Collins; L. Maxcy, Inc. a Florida corporation; Maxcy Securities Inc. a Florida corporation; Henry V. Lamb; Theodore Pike; E. W. Rimer and ——— Rimer his wbife; Minard T. Johnson; W. J. Hood, Henry B. Ameel and wife Mary M. Ameel; F. M. Smith, and all other unknown persons having and claiming interest, title or lien to the following described property, namely certain lands located within the right of way of the new proposed State Roads 32 and 341 known as the Avon Park Bombing Range Road, and as described in the Petition filed in this cause being a strip or parcel of land, over, through and across the following described lands, to-wit:

Part of the NW¼ of the SW¼; the SW¼ of the NW¼ and the SE¼ of the NW¼ of Section 19, Township 33 South, Range 29 East, being 4.72 acres;

Lot 1 in Block A of Sunset Hill Subdivision in Highlands County, Florida. Lot 7 in said Block A; Lots 10, 11 and 12 of said Block A; North side of Block E said subdivision; Lot 6 of Block A said subdivision in Lot 15 of Block 2, a subdivision in Section 23 Township 33 South Range 28 East; in Lot 16 of siad Block 2 same Section; in Lot 14 of Block 1 Section 23 Township 33 South Range 28 East; a strip of land North side of Block A of Orange Crest Subdivision and also a strip off the North side of Block D Orange Crest Subdivision; a strip of land off the south side of Lot 1 Block A of Kaywood Subdivision being 224 square feet; a strip of land off the south end of Lots 2, 3, 4 of Block A of Kaywood Subdivision; also part off the south side of Lot 5 of Block A Kaywood Subdivision; a strip off the south side of Block B of Kaywood Subdivision; part of Lot 1 Block 4 a subdivision in Section 23 Township 33 South Range 28 East; part of Lots 13 and 14 of Block 1 and Lots 13, 14, 15 and 16 of Block 2 a subdivision in Section 24 Township 33 South Range 28 East; part of Lot 1 Block 3 and of Lots 2, 3 and 4 of Block 4 a subdivision in said Section 24; part of Lot 3 of Block 4 a subdivision in said Section 23; part of Lot 3 of Block 3 of said Section 23 subdivision part of lot 4 of Block 3 of said subdivision in Section 24; part of Lot 1 in Block 4 of said subdivision in said Section 24; part of NE¼ of SW¼ Section 9 Township 33 South Range 29 East; borrow pit in Lot 4 of Block 13 Section 13 Township 33 South Range 28 East; part of Lot 3 of Block 13 said Sec. 13; and also a said route is surveyed and platted as shown on map attached to the Petition on file in this cause.

THIS IS THEREFORE, to Notify you, and you are summoned and required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of Court in Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, on Monday the 2nd day of November 1942, and to show what right, title or interest you have, of in and to each of said several parcels of land taken for right of way purposes for a public road over route of State Roads 32 and 341, and to show cause, if any you can, why it should not be taken and acquired for the use and purpose as set forth in the Petition for road purposes.

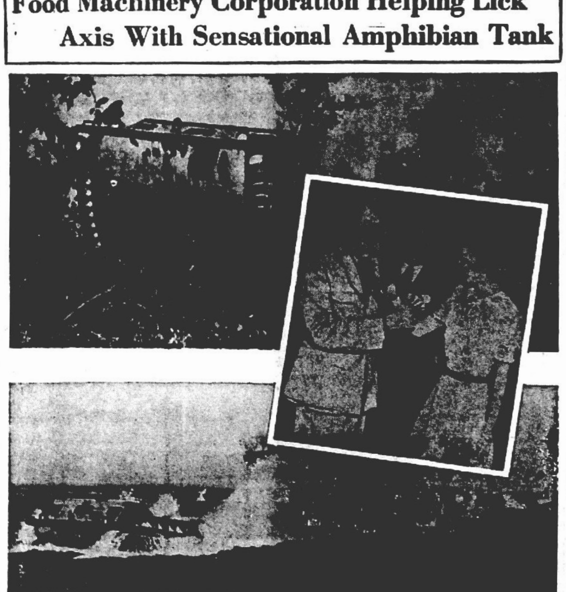
NOTICE is further given to you and to all whom it may concern, that Petitioner has filed in this office of date September 30, 1942, a Declaration of the taking of said property for public use for right of way purposes for said road as set forth in the Petition and as particularly described therein, reference of which is hereby made, and by the Petitioner, and that you and all unknown parties are hereby NOTIFIED that Petitioner has applied and will apply to the Judge of this Court at Sebring, in Highlands County, Florida, or elsewhere, in said Tenth Circuit Court as the honorable D. O. Rogers as Circuit Judge may be at 2 o'clock P. M. on Monday the 12th day of October 1942, for an order appointing appraisers for the purpose of appraising each parcel of land taken for said purposes, and in order that the amount of compensation therefor may be determined, fixed, reported and paid, so that Petitioner may herefrom have possession of said parcels of land for said purposes, pending the final determination of compensation as provided for by law and also as provided for by Chapter 20804 Acts of Florida 1941, Section 74.01 et seq. of Florida Statues of 1941, at which place and time you may be heard as above named.

It is further Ordered that this Notice and Process be Published once each week subsequenth hereto, and prior to November 2, 1942, in the Scenic Highlands Sun, a newspaper published and circulated in Highlands County, Florida, for four consecutive weeks.

Witness the Honorable D. O. Rogers as Judge of the Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida, by H. T. Piety as Clerk of Court.

H. T. PIETY, as Clerk of Court Highlands County, Florida.
M. R. McDONALD,
Attorney for Petitioner.
(SEAL) By J. C. DESHONG,
Deputy Clerk.

Food Machinery Corporation Helping Lick Axis With Sensational Amphibian Tank



LAKELAND, Fla.—When, in recognition of a unique contribution to the war effort, Rear Admiral William Carleton Watts recently presented the Army-Navy "E" to Food Machinery Corporation's tractor division here, many Americans probably wondered at the part played by a food processing machinery company and its employees in war production. Little or nothing was said about the famous amphibian tank which "swims like a fish" and races across land with equal effectiveness to clear the way for our fighting men.

Inset photograph shows Admiral Watts putting silver identification bracelet on the wrist of Miss Alice Baxter, company employee, while Paul M. Davies, president of Food Machinery Corporation, looks on. Identical bracelets are being presented by the company to all employees in the tractor division. Names are inscribed on the under side and the Army-Navy "E" on the outside. A star will be added to the bracelet for each six months the company maintains its excellence in production. These bracelets are in addition to the official "E" pins and pennant awarded by the Army and Navy.

The Food Machinery Corporation's tank factory, begun in Lakeland only a year ago, has become one of the key plants in the war production program, producing tanks that have been hurried along to many vital spots for use by the marines.

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THE SCENIC HIGHLANDS SUN

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Highlands Comes Under Rent Control

Dwelling Units Must Be Registered

Effective November 1, Highlands county became a defense rental controlled area, with rents frozen as of March 1, 1942.

Under an order from the Office of Price Administration, all dwelling units in Highlands County which are rented or are offered for rent must be registered by the landlords or their representatives during the period beginning November 16 and ending December 15, 1942.

Registration blanks will be furnished at the offices of Walter S. Betts and W. M. Reck.

The authority to control rents on dwelling units is a part of the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942. Under the law, the Price Administrator has issued a maximum rent regulation. This regulation provides for the control of rents for all properties used for dwelling purposes in this area. It is a part of the Federal program to keep down high prices and high living costs. It is a war measure for National Defense—and the rent freezing is one method of combating inflation and cutthroat competition. The direct purpose as stated in the law itself is to stabilize prices and rents—also to stabilize occupancy. It is not a Fair Rent Law, and there is no connection between the freezing of rents in Highlands county and the Fair Rent Valuations made a few weeks ago in this area. It is a war measure. No person who offers for rent or is renting a dwelling unit is exempt from registering that particular dwelling unit and they must register under the proper heading on the Registration Form the price of the dwelling unit at which it was rented on March 1, 1942.

The freezing date for rents is as of March 1, 1942. The effective date for Highlands county for Federal Rent Control is as of November 1, 1942. Any changes made, coming within the provisions of the Act, permitting such changes must be made before the November 1 deadline, or else the change in rent prices from that of March 1, 1942 will have to be made on petition and through a regular procedure.

The maximum rent regulations have been issued to establish rents at the level of March 1, 1942, for all dwelling units other than hotels and rooming houses; this latter is provided for on a 30-day period to be calculated on or before the March 1 deadline. Full information on each of these classifications will be found at the office of the Rental Inspector in the Elks Building at Sebring, and in other designated places in Avon Park, Lake Placid, DeSoto City, Hicoria and Venus. Again watch your local paper for information as to where you may secure the porper forms and the regulations for filling out of same.

WHAT MUST BE REGISTERED

1. All dwelling units. This is defined as a room or group of rooms including any house, apartment or flat, for which a separate rent is paid. Persons having one or two roomers must register each rented room separately on the proper form.

2. Landlords having more than two paying guests must use hotel and rooming house forms DH.

3. A tenant who sublets all or any part of his dwelling unit must file a registration statement, on the proper form under the conditions set forth in paragraphs 1 or 2.

4. A separate form must be filled out for each dwelling unit for which a separate rent is paid.

5. The requirements for registration for those having more than TWO paying guests applies to hotels, rooming houses, boarding houses, auto camps, trailers, trailer camps (even the ground space rented for trailers at trailer camps is clasified as a dwelling unit) tourists homes or cabins and all other dwellings of a similar nature.

PERIOD OF REGISTRATION

The period of registration in Highlands county is from Monday, November 16 until December 15, 1942. And the purpose of this reg-

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Failure to List Tires May Cost Gas Ration Book

"Passenger car owners whose tire registration certificates show that they still own more than five tires per car may have their gasoline ration books taken away from them, under Federal regulations, when the new mileage rationing program goes into effect November 22. Any motorist who does not dispose of his tires before the November 15th deadline probably will have considerable trouble obtaining a new book when the new program becames effective." H. N. Webster, county rationing officer said.

"The Rationing Boards wil have considerable work to do inaugurating the mileage rationing program and will be unable to consider appeals from motorists who failed to turn in their extra tires until the new system is launched."

To dispose of extra tires, all that a motorist has to do is to turn them over to the nearest Railway Express Agency. He will be given a receipt from the Express Company which will be acceptable as proof by the Rationing Board that the tires have been disposed of. If a motorist has extra tires that are not serviceable he may show that they have been turned in for scrap.

Under the Government's Idle Tire Purchase Plan, the Government will send a check directly to the motorist for all tires collected through the Railway Express Agency. Ceiling prices as determined by Government appraisers will be paid for all tires collected.

Red Devils Win Over Frostproof By Score of 12-7

(By WALTER TUCKER)

Last Friday night the Red Devils went into their Notre Dame T formation and gave the Frostproof Bullpups a 12 to 7 setback.

During the first quarter Avon Park first started scoring when Lawhon went over center for a touchdown.

In the second quarter the Red Devils again scored by using a ground attack where Lawhon went seven yards for a touchdown.

Throughout the third quarter no scoring was made by either team.

At the last of the fourth quarter Frostproof scored by a pass from Wise to North, the Bullpups left end. The extra point was made by Cox.

Red Devil line-up: Hunt, fb; Smith and Lawhon, hbs; Rutledge, qb; Mathis, c; Locke and Vilkaitis, ends; Harris and Skipper, tackles; Collins and Varnes, guards. Subs: Spatz for Varnes and Collins; Gribble for Smith; Giddens for Hunt.

The Red Devils this year have a very good chance of winning the Ridge Conference championship, due to the fact that they have lost only one conference game.

The outstanding players of the Frostproof game were Buttercup Rutledge, Charlie Lawhon, Shack Harris. For Frostproof, Wise, Sapp, and Clifton.

Mrs. Jack Head's Sister Dies in Savannah

Miss Lorena Downing Smith of Savannah, Ga., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith of Ft. Meade, and a sister of Mrs. Jack Head of this city, passed away Wednesday afternoon in Telfair hospital in Savannah.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon from the chapel of Sipples Mortuary in Savannah, with the Rev. David Cady Wright, rector of Christ Episcopal church, officiating. The remains were brought to Ft. Meade for interment, and services were held there at the First Baptist church on Friday afternoon, with the Rev. S. F. Mathis, pastor, conducting the services. Interment followed in Evergreen cemetery.

Beside her parents, and sister here, surviving relatives include two sisters, Mrs. C. C. Hart, Vero Beach, and Mrs. H. C. Heyward, Jacksonville.

Miss Smith has visited in Avon Park on numerous occasions, and had many friends here, who deeply regret to learn of her death.

Must Dispose Of Extra Tires By Nov. 15

Must Register Tires Before Getting Gas

First details of the plan to ration automobile mileage rather than gasoline, which goes into effect November 22, were announced today by W. I. Williams, chairman of the Rationing Board.

Before motorists can obtain gasoline under the new program, they must dispose of all tires in excess of five per car and register their tires on hand with the Avon Park War Price and Rationing Board.

Under the proposed tire registration plan, motorists will obtain forms from any of a number of officially designated Tire Inspection Stations. This form must be filled out with the serial number of each tire and mailed to the War Price and Rationing Board.

Various garages and filling stations will be designated as official Tire Inspection Stations. Tire information must be on file with the Rationing Board before November 15, Mr. Williams said.

Under the tire registration plan, motorists are not allowed to keep in their possession more than five tires for each automobile. They also may have one tire for each running wheel of a trailer or similar equipment. Holders of "A" gasoline rationing books will not be affected by the mileage rationing program unless the motorist has failed to turn in the required tire information requested.

The local Rationing Board will call up holders of "B" and "C" rationing books for review to see if they still need a large quantity of gasoline. "If any holders of 'C' rationing books are having attacks of conscience," Mr. Williams said, "It would be wise for them to get in touch with the Rationing Board immediately to revise their gasoline estimates downward, if they wish to avoid possible embarrassment when they are called up for review."

"Florida motorists in the peninsula part of the state can be glad they have already gone through most of the details of gasoline rationing," he said. "In the ten counties west of the Apalachicola River, where gasoline rationing has not been in effect, motorists will have to register in person with their local boards."

Colored Selectees To Leave Nov. 22 For Camp Blanding

Twenty-four colored men, called by Highlands county local board, will leave for Camp Blanding Sunday, Nov. 22 at 1:00 o'clock from the court house. They are:

John Henry Bess, Leroy Johnson, Sam Masline, Blumie King, Levoyce Washington, Hanry Adams, Pelman Blackshear, Frankie Lee Love, Robert Summerlin, James Clarence Burney, of Avon Park; Ulysees Delcon Bacon, Ralph Gillmore Coleman, William Harris, Lish Holman, John Henry Cotton, James Jeralds, and Pindes Charles King of Sebring; Morris James Lockette, Tallahassee; John Allen Landy, Tallahassee; James Coleman, Belle Glade; Jerry Lover King, Jr., W. Pal mBeach; Jennings Bauknight, Gainesville; Edmon Nathaniel Harvey, DeLand; Enoch Williams, Tallahassee; Clarence W. Green, Trilby.

Transferred to this board by other boards: Verner Brown, Cusseta, Ga.; Abraham Mann, Miami; Elijah Robinson, Tallahassee.

Baptist Church Has Installed New Pews

Sunday morning, the First Baptist church will enjoy their new pews. Workmen have been busy sanding the floor and preparing the church for their installation. Each seat has a cushioned bottom and back, the seats having springs and padding to make them the latest work in deluxe comfort.

Rev. J. P. Dalton and all members of the church give a most cordial invitation to the community to see and use the new pews to the glory of God.

Christmas Seals Will Help Reduce Tuberculosis

Although in Avon Park there has been no evidence of the threatened wartime rise in the rate of tuberculosis, an increase is occurring in many overcrowded industrial cities. Larger communities are not so fortunate. The rise in industrial centers is undoubtedly due to long hours of work, lack of sufficient rest and relaxation, poor nutrition and overcrowded living conditions. All these factors tend to lower the body's resistance to the tuberculosis germ and thus active disease may develop.

War and tuberculosis are far more powerful allies than are depression and tuberculosis. For the United States, as a whole, at the end of 1918 the tuberculosis death rate had increased 7.9 per 100,000 population over the 1916 rate. While during the six worst depression years, 1930-35, the rate steadily fell.

Deaths from War (all wars to December 7, 1941) totalled 244,450 for the United States. Deaths from tuberculosis (1937-1940) totalled 255,096!

The U. S. Government still spends about $3,000,000 every month on medical care, benefits and claims arising from tuberculosis in World War 1. Total cost for hospitalization from 1921 to 1940 was $348,701,662. X-rays would have saved most of this for us. X-raying every enlisted and drafted man in our Armed Forces is one of the greatest steps forward in preventive medicine. It finds early cases and saves millions of dollars in claims and pensions.

While spending vast sums on its war against the Allied Nations, Japan has neglected one of the greatest health problems of its people—tuberculosis. In 1936 Janan's death rate from tuberculosis was the second highest in the world.

Approximately 1 per cent of men entering the armed forces in Florida are rejected for tuberculosis.

Christmas Seals have helped to reduce tuberculosis from the first cause of death in 1912 to the seventh cause today.

War Necessity Certificates Go To Tampa

Effective immediately all applications for certificate of war necessity which have not already been forwarded by the applicant into the Detroit office of O. D. T. should be mailed or delivered at once to the local district office of the office of Defense Transportation, located at 725 Stovall's Professional Building, Tampa. The area of this district office embraces the following 16 counties: Hillsborough, Citrus, Charlotte, DeSoto, Glades, Hernando, Highlands, Hardee, Lee, Levy, Manatee, Pasco, Polk, Pinellas, Sarasota, and Sumter, and all applications from these counties should be sent in to the Tampa office. This supersedes previous instructions by which applicants were instructed to return the completed applications to Detroit.

The district offices will remain open till 8 p. m., daily in order to assist any operators in completing their applications.

Owners are reminded that only a few days remain in which to secure their certificates before the deadline, November 15, and are urged to act immediately, contacting the district office for any information desired.

Operators who have not received proper application but who have made proper request for aplication to either the district office or the Detroit office need not make further request but upon receiving their application, should immediately fill it out and return it to the Tampa district office.

Congregational Church Installs New Seats

The Union Congregational church of this city is quite pleased with the installation of 104 new seats in the auditorium of their church this week. The seats have spring bottoms with coil springs, covered with a splendid grade of leather, designed for extreme comfort. The new pews will take the place of the long benches which have been used in the church for a number of years.

Highlands Tops Bond Quota For October

Total Sales in County Reach $46,933.20

With the returns still incomplete for the October sale of bonds and stamps in Highlands county, Guignard Maxcy, chairman of the county drive stated Wednesday that the sales have again topped the quota set for Highlands county by the treasury department. Total bond and stamp sales for October was $46,933.20.

Greatest sale of the war bonds in the county was again made at the Tropical State bank with the largest initial purchase that of the Economy Grocery, Inc., whose entire employee bond purchase for October was made in Sebring. The bank's October sale was $26,681.20 in comparison with a $29,125 sale in September.

With approximately $40,000 as a goal for each of the two consecutive months, the bond sale committee, in collaboration with post office and banks in the county surpassed both quotas.

New addition to the Highlands county purchasing power came from Hendricks Field, which represented for the first time in the October sale, credited Highlands with $11,420 to the bond purchases.

Following are the reports as made by the sales stations throughout the county for bonds in September and October respectively.

Lake Placid—$1,125.00, $487.50; Barnett Bank, Avon Park—$12,475, $8,500; Post Office, Avon Park —$1,950, $2,193.55; Post Office, Sebring—$6,543.75, $7,725.00.

Stamp sales reported for the two months period are Lake Placid —$66.55, $75.75; DeSota City—$50, none reported for October; Post Office, Avon Park $411.60, $436.00; Post Office Sebring, $1,153.00, $27,000.

Junior Air Reserve Has Splendid Window Display

The attractively arranged and very timely display of the Junior Air Reserve in the window of the Jacaranda drug store this week, is causing favorable comment on the splendid work that is being done by this group of young Americans, under experienced leadership.

The display features a number of modern airplane models that the group has made, the Junior Air Reserve caps with insignia, the certificates of award, and instructional instrument panel.

A novel feature, and one that strikes straight home to the average "looker-on" at the wondow, are the three miniature black caskets beside small mounds of earth. They are designated by black and white markers, and are labeled "Awful Adolph," "Brainless Benny" and "Horrible Hirohito," with the further inscription, "Not one, or two, but three."

The display was arranged by W. C. Pidgeon and others.

The Junior Air Reserve is sponsored in Avon Park by the American Legion, Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, Rotary Club and Womans Club.

The group command is composed of W. C. Pidgeon, commander; Dr. R. J. Jordan, adjutant; R. R. Brown, executive officer; D. G. Perry, personnel officer; Ray Wells, supply officer. W. S. Betts and C. O. Locke are squadron leaders.

The group of students, who are termed "cadets" are divided into four flights, each with an instructor, flight leader and assistant flight leader.

Legal Advice Offered Soldiers Under Law

Washington—Legal advice for servicemen is available through Federal law if needed in relation to action arising from debts or contracts made either as a civilian or after induction.

Unit commanders should be able to give complete information about the Soldiers and Sailors Civil Relief Act which became law Oct. 17, 1940. It will remain effective until May 15, 1945, or until six months after the duration.

Rev. Wood Speaks To PTA On Thursday

"America, the Beautiful," sung in unison, opened the November meeting of the PTA at the high school auditorium on Thursday afternoon with the president, H. J. Mummau, presiding. Rev. E. G. Wood led the devotional from Psalm 20. Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb served as secretary pro tem, in the absence of the regular secretary, Mrs. T. J. Ward.

In the room count, attendance prizes were awarded to Miss Rosalie Clausson's fourth grade, and Mrs. H. H. Shepherd's 11th grade home room.

The membership committee reported a membership of 88 to date. The president urged others to join the PTA as soon as possible.

Mrs. Albert Demorest, chairman of the band committee, reported the purchase of several new instruments for the band.

Mr. Mummau announced that the next meeting, which will be on December 10, will have a special Christmas program, given under the direction of Miss Clausson.

Each member was urged to bring to the meetings, written questions pertaining to the school and PTA. In this way an open forum will lead to a thorough discussion of affairs as they affect the home and school.

Rev. E. G. Wood, guest speaker for the afternoon, was introduced by Miss Millie Pearson of the program committee. His subject was "Should the High School Student Enlist?" Rev. Wood presented a list of negative reasons, which were contrasted with a number of affirmative reasons, on the enlistment of the high school student. He stated that each case depended on the individual student himself, and stressed the fact that "the uniform does a lot for a boy." He spoke of the various ranking officers in the army, but above all, we have God, he said. This is a point, he continued, and one that all boys need to realize. The question in each boy's heart should be, he said in closing, "What does God want me to do?" and the decision should be left to the individual.

Civilian Employees Needed For Bomb Range Jobs

"Civilian Help is needed on the General Bombing and Gunnery Range," stated Lt. Otis L. Cutler, Director of Civilian Personnel.

Lt. Cutler noted that Warehouse, Clerical, Stenographic, Typists and Commissary positions are open and must be filled without delay. Salaries range from $1260 to $1800 per year.

It is desired to hire local residents and Lt. Cutler plans to hold interviews in Avon Park. Announcements will be published later as to the time and place for interviews.

Mrs. Sara Shockley Died Monday Morning

Sara Woodyard Shockley was born on a farm near Parkersburg, West Va., April 29, 1863, and died from a stroke of paralysis at 1:30 on the morning of November 9, 1942.

A precocious child, she went to school at the age of four and was an eager student all of her 79 years. She taught until her late thirties, when Asbury College in Kentucky, having been started under J. W. Hughes, she took the position of instructor in mathematics. Her husband, James B. Shockley, was the Dean at that time.

She bought her present home on Lake Pythias in 1908. Her two sons, Byrum and Francis, survive her.

Mrs. Shockley was vivacious, and had a fine sense of humor as well as originality. A deep thinker, she kept posted on questions of the day and discussed earnestly and eloquently her views on all of them.

Her many friends will miss the gracious hospitality always offered in her beautiful home.

Mrs. Shockley's body was buried in Parkersburg, West Va., on Friday, and was accompanied there by her son, Byrum.

—A Friend.

Over 100,000 college and high school students participate annually in the Negro Essay Contest sponsored by the National Tuberculosis Association.

Armistice Day Appropriately Observed Here

Troops, Cadets, Bands, Bombers Take Part

Avon Park observed Armistice day in an appropriate celebration on Wednesday, when a colorful parad got under way at 10:30 in the morning, passing through the down town streets.

The units led by colors of the American Legion, consisted of cadets from Lodwick Aviation Academy, troops from the Bombing and Gunnery Range, the Sebring and Avon Park high school bands, the Legion and Auxiliary and Defense units.

A patriotic program was given at the band stand, with the introductory given by Post Commander Howard Maddox, Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist church, delivered the invocation, followed by "America" sung by the audience.

William Hauptmann, veteran of the Spanish American war spoke briefly and introduced Col. Daniel Ellis, who gave a short patriotic address.

Lieut. Spencer Trehorne, who was at Pearl Harbor on that fateful day in December when it was bombed by the Japs, told of the bombing and of the destruction wrought. He spoke in the highest terms of the bravery of American boys of the army and navy who were under fire during the attack.

Thirty seconds of silence in memory of departed comrades was observed, and the audience san "Star Spangled Banner" led by the bands. Joint selections by both bands close the impressive program.

Throughout the program, a flight of nine flying fortresses from Hendricks field, roared overhead, in formations, at intervals.

A musical program, featuring Zeke Clements, radio star, was given at Head Field throughout the afternoon and evening, attracting a large crowd. E. G. Burton was program director in charge of the entertainment. The American Legion operated food and drink booths.

Avon Park Baptists Lead Association In Additions

The First Baptist church of Avon Park led the Orange Blossom Baptist Association in the number of souls saved, baptisms, and additions to the church, according to report of the recent convention.

This church also led in gifts to missions, $1879.85 having been given this year.

Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the church, attributes the success of the church, to the large attendance at the mid-week prayer services. "Prayer always brings a blessing," he said.

Total receipts of the church in 1937 were $3,245.667. This year, the receipts totaled $6,300.22.

Car Sharing Now Part of Rubber Saving Program

Motorists who expect to apply for supplemental mileage under the new mileage rationing program to enable them to drive to and from work should make plans to share rides with others needing transportation to their jobs, W. I. Williams, chairman of the War Price and Rationing Board stated today.

"Car sharing has been made an integral part of the mileage rationing program because it is the most effective means of providing essential transportation on a minimun amount of rubber," said Mr. Williams.

The Rationing Board Chairman suggested that car owners get together with their neighbors on some car sharing plan, or with fellow employees at the plant or office. If two or more cars are to be used in the club, members may divide up the use of those cars to suit their convenience.

Dr. Robert Koch, discoverer in 1882 of the tuberculosis garm, said that it is not the number of deaths from TB that medical men should study, but the spread of the disease among the living.

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

Consolidated Features.—WNU Release.

NEW YORK.—In this war, it appears that newly appointed commanders always look more promising than the men they succeed. The dossier reveals a seasoned warrior, usually "friendly and democratic but a stiff disciplinarian." There is note of his medals and his popularity among the men. There is not available any such body of objective criticism as in the theater or the arts. The free-swinging critiques of sports and politics also are out, so far as military science is concerned, and the bleachers take on faith with the new man in the lineup.

Adm. Halsey Jr. Has Both His Sea Legs and Wings

When Vice Admiral William F. Halsey Jr. replaced Vice Admiral Robert L. Ghormley in command of the Solomon Islands action, we took a couple of days to look for a professionally informed and disinterested appraisal of Admiral Halsey's qualifications for his critically important job. The report is encouraging, for reasons other than those disclosed in mill-run navy biographies.

As an officer, his emphasis, and his proven ability, has been in adaptiveness and mobility. With Rear Admirals John H. Towers and Arthur B. Cook, he has combined the skills and furthered the techniques of men who, like himself, can both sail and fly. That, we are assured, is what it takes in the Solomon Islands today. This air-sea domain is a highly specialized and rapidly evolving new zone of strategy, or perhaps more precisely tactics, as the latter word puts the emphasis on knowing what to do next, rather than on what traditionally is done.

He once said: "I believe in violating rules. We violate them every day. We do the unexpected."

At the age of 60, he pilots his own plane and gets close in where action is real or impending. He is one of the most experienced men in the navy in operations such as those in the Solomons today, having been awarded the Distinguished Service medal for planning and carrying through the raids in the Marshall and Gilbert Islands. If it should happen that the desperate need of the hour, or the minute, should be for a brilliant improviser and the text books forgotten, Admiral Halsey is the man for the job.

Admiral Halsey was born and grew up in Elizabeth, N. J., and entered Annapolis in 1900. He rode destroyers for a few years and later was a member of the Annapolis executive staff.

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ABOUT two years ago, the British discovered that their industrial tempo was set to the pace of "Auld Lang Syne," or "Comin' Through the Rye." One of their leading classical composers, long a foe of ultra-modern music, suddenly reformed and started tapping out hot music for factory hands. It was played in the factories to step up the punch-press and sledge-hammer rhythms. It worked. All reports were that they thus greatly increased the flow of war goods.

Steps Up Tempo Of War Industry With Vital Music

Over here, we got the point of the experiment. Professor Harold Burris-Meyer reports on researches, which he made with one of his colleagues, showing that factory music in eastern factories has stepped up production in a range from 1.3 to 11.1 per cent. But that is just a start, says Professor Burris-Meyer. He notes that "the leisure music is not the idiom of the modern industrial plant." They're setting this war to music and it is to be vital music.

In May, 1935, Professor Burris-Meyer unveiled a sound machine which, working with an audience "would induce hysteria within 30 seconds." For 12 years, at Stevens, he has pioneered the field of sound stimuli, as an augmentation of dramatic effects. Previously, he had taught at Washington and Jefferson and C.C.N.Y.

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IT IS not clear whether Karl Hermann Frank has decided to exterminate the Czech people, but he appears to be thinking it over. Herr Frank is state secretary of the Bohemia-Moravia Protectorate. Berne quotes him: "The murder of Heydrich has not yet been expiated and it still constitutes a blood guilt that incriminates the Czech people in its entirety."

Herr Frank was active in the early stages of the Sudeten gangster build-up, serving as a diligent inciter of hatred and savagery.

Star Dust

STAGE SCREEN RADIO

By VIRGINIA VALE

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

FOR years Hollywood has complained that there were too many extras for too few jobs. Now it begins to look as if the shoe might be put on the other foot. For the extras are getting jobs in war plants. The other day at Columbia they were shooting a big banquet scene for "The Power of the Press," with Lee Tracey, Gloria Gibson, Guy Kibbee and Otto Kruger. There were also 150 dressed-up extras—and practically all of them were studying books on welding, die sinking, etc., between shots.

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Pat O'Brien ("The Navy Comes Through" is keeping him busy) owes his dramatic experience to the fact that the state of Wisconsin paid ex-service men $30 a month to complete their educations, after the last war. Discharged as a seaman, second class, he went to New York and enrolled in dramatic school, and landed on Broadway. "The Front Page," his first film, put him on the movie map.

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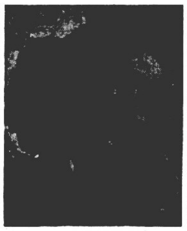
Irene Dunne's going to have her work cut out for her in "Gaslight" if she gives a performance equaling Judith Evelyn's in the stage version, "Angel Street"; seems as if Metro might have done right by the public by letting them see her in it. She's had a lot of stage experience in Canada and England, and is a leading radio actress, with beauty and talent to burn. Several movie companies have been dickering with her, and why not—last year she won the Drama league's award for the season's most distinguished performance.



IRENE DUNNE

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When the Red Cross army and navy nurses who were feted at Abbott and Costello's roller skating party left for foreign duty they took with them a book of radio scripts from the comics—material for the soldiers' own entertainments.

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Raymond Massey played a touching farewell scene, his biggest one, when, in Warner's "Action in the North Atlantic," he bade good-by to his wife, played by Ruth Gordon. When the picture's done he'll join the Royal Canadian army as a major; he was an officer with them in the last war.

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If you're homesick for the dear old days of vaudeville you mustn't miss Metro's "For Me and My Gal," with Judy Garland and Gene Kelly. It'll send you away singing the old songs. Judy and Kelly will do "Anchors Away" after she finishes "Girl Crazy."

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"My Sister Eileen," with Rosalind Russell, Brian Aherne and Janet Blair, is as funny as the stage play, which is saying a lot. Even though the Hays office stepped on the script—but lightly—it hasn't lost much. Don't miss it!

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Since Esther Williams finished work in "Andy Hardy Steps Out" she's been waiting so serenely for her next assignment that somebody asked her how she did it. "When I was badly defeated at my first swimming meet," said she, "my mother said, 'Remember, you have to lose a long time before you win.'" And that's practically perfect advice for all young actresses, most of whom need it.

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On his return from South America Orson Welles saw his "Journey Into Fear" for the first time in finished form, and set out for Hollywood and the RKO studios to shoot a new ending, inspired by current world and war events. Dolores Del Rio heads the cast.

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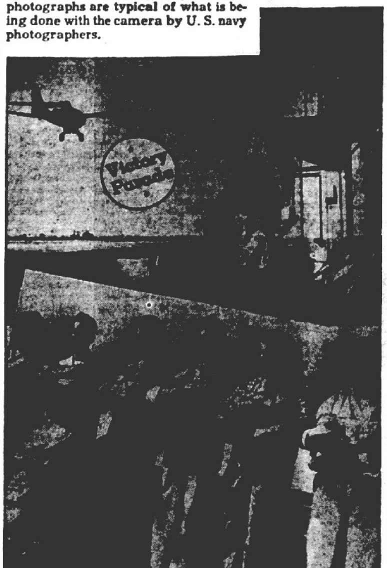
ODDS AND ENDS—John Tyers, young baritone of the St. Louis Municipal Opera company, gets the role of "Ravenal" in the re-make of "Show Boat" at Metro . . . Alan Hale says he gets 90 miles to a gallon of gasoline in his bike scooter . . . So Director Lloyd Bacon has bought one . . . Olivia de Havilland studied First Aid for scenes in "Princess O'Rourke"—and then learned that she was to be the victim . . . There's a scarcity of artificial hair these days, so Warner Bros. ordered atmosphere and bit players for "The Adventures of Mark Twain" to grow their own beards.

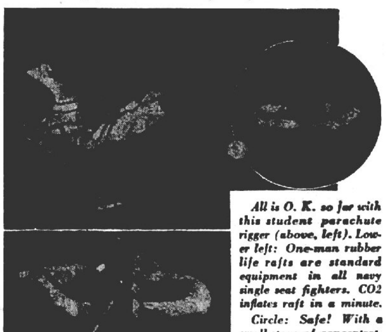
Navy Photographers Compile Records of Operations on 7 Seas

Compiling a permanent record of tactics and training, photography has assumed new dimensions in the U. S. navy. The camera, still and motion, records test flights, such as shown in the picture below, and accurately shows mistakes and possibilities for improvement. In addition, photography has great value in reconnaissance, and is rapidly becoming one of the most desired mediums for training personnel.

U. S. navy photographers are scattered all over the world, compiling this day by day record of operations, training, and battle heroism. Through their skill and bravery the public, too, is getting a graphic first-hand account of front line action in which American fighting men are participating. These photographs are typical of what is being done with the camera by U. S. navy photographers.



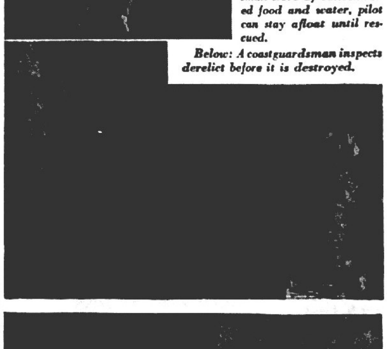
The sober expression on the faces of these young parachutists indicate that it is the final inspection before going aloft. These students at the Lakehurst (N. J.) naval air station have spent 16 weeks learning how to inspect, pack and maintain 'chutes. They will now jump from the 'chute they have packed.



All is O. K. so far with this student parachute rigger (above, left). Lower left: One-man rubber life rafts are standard equipment in all navy single seat fighters. CO2 inflates raft in a minute.

Circle: Safe! With a small store of concentrated food and water, pilot can stay afloat until rescued.

Below: A coastguardsman inspects derelict before it is destroyed.



FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By ROGER B. WHITMAN

COLDNESS OF ROOMS MAY BE DUE TO LEAKS AROUND WINDOWS

THE owner of an old house writes that her tenants complain of cold rooms. The steam heating plant has recently been overhauled, but while it is apparently of sufficient size, the complaints still come in, and she wants to know what to do about it. As the house is old, cold air probably leaks into it all over. She should close all leaks around the sills and elsewhere in the cellar. Storm sash should be provided for all windows, and storm vestibules also. Joints between the window frames and the outside walls should all be caulked. She should apply insulation, especially in the attic floor. It is possible that the walls are so thin that cold air can pass through them, which can be overcome by overcoating the house. A wood shingle overcoat would be the least expensive. I am taking it for granted that the radiators and heating plant are of sufficient size for the job. This can be told by measuring the house for heat losses, which can be done by any competent heating contractor. If the leakage of cold air into the house is prevented, the savings in fuel consumption should go a long way to cover the cost of the improvements.

Sewer Gas

Question: Since my house was built, 11 years ago, I have been having trouble with the escape of sewer gas. Not long ago I was awakened by the odor, and going to the cellar, found that the water was out of the trap. Pouring in a bucket of water stopped the trouble for the time being. Plumbers cannot account for it. What can I do? The gas is also noticed in the upstairs bathroom.

Answer: When your plumbing was installed, the plumber may have failed to include vent pipes. Without these, discharge of water from upstairs creates a partial vacuum that sucks all of the water out of the traps on the floors below. He may have put in the vent pipes upstairs, and neglected to connect the cellar drain. Another possibility is a break in the drain that permits the water seal to leak out. Sewer gas in an upstairs bathroom may indicate an open joint in the soil pipe or a leak in the soil pipe connection. Any good plumber should be able to locate the trouble and correct it.

Foundation Settlement

Question: One of the two large chimneys in my 12-year-old house has cracked and moved away from the house. One end of the house shows cracks in the basement wall and in the outside brickwork, and there is a crack an inch wide in the alcove in the living-room. Slate particles from the roof shingles wash off and fill the gutters and downspouts. What can I do about all this?

Answer: Trouble starts with the settlement of the foundations of your house, possibly because the footings are too small. You should lose no time in having the house inspected by a competent builder or mason, for if the cracking continues, there may be serious damage. The condition of your roof also requires inspection. Have it looked at by a competent roofer or a building contractor.

Vacuum Steam Valves.

Question: My one-pipe steam house-heating plant heats 15 radiators at very low pressure. Would it pay me to install vacuum type air valves?

Answer: Probably; but it would not be enough to put on only the valves. It would be necessary to vacuumize the whole system. Radiator steam valves, boiler attachments and all pipe connections should be made airtight. The present pressure gauge should be replaced by a gauge indicating vacuum as well as pressure. It is best to have the job done by a competent steamfitter.

Relief Valve

Question: My hot water supply tank exploded. I asked the plumber to put a safety valve on the new one, which he did. It is supposed to relieve the steam pressure by pushing a ball up. Is such a safety valve really safe?

Answer: From your description that valve should not be trusted. Manufacturers of valves all publish circulars describing their products. Ask different plumbers and steam fitters for circulars describing hot water tank relief valves, and compare them.

Stained Wallpaper

Question: I used transparent tape to hold paper on my wall for the protection of new wallpaper. The tape has slipped and has left a sticky mark. How can I get rid of it?

Answer: Dab it lightly with fingernail polish remover.

Sound-proof Floor

Question: I intend to finish my attic into a flat. How can I make the floor sound-proof? At the present time there is no rough floor of any kind.

Answer: For a sub-floor, use three-quarter-inch boards or ply wood. Cover this with stiff insulating board, and lay the finish floor on top. No nails should be used; sub-floor, insulating board, and finish flooring should be stuck down with mastic, which is a form of asphalt cement. It can be had from dealers in flooring materials.

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Woman's Rights Champion

THE recent election of Mrs. Myra Bradwell to the Editor's Hall of Fame at the University of Illinois, because she was the first woman to become a member of the Illinois Press association, was an event of more than local significance. For Mrs. Bradwell, the able editor of the Chicago Legal News who was three times elected vice president of the state press association, was also an attorney and as such she became a national figure as one of the pioneers in the fight for equal rights for women.

Born in Manchester, Vt., on February 12, 1831, Myra Colby emigrated to Illinois in the early 1840s. She was educated at a "ladies seminary" in Elgin, Ill., where she later became a teacher.

After teaching school for a time in Memphis, Tenn., she returned to Chicago where she met and married Judge B. Bradwell. With no idea of becoming a practitioner, she began studying law under the tutelage of her husband. Later she decided that she might be a valuable assistant to Judge Bradwell in his business, so she applied herself vigorously to her studies and passed the Illinois bar examinations. But she had to obtain a formal license, since the Illinois statutes provided that no "person" could practice law in the state without obtaining a license from two of the justices of the supreme court. Therefore in 1872 she presented her application and was surprised to learn that she was not a "person."

As a married woman, Mrs. Bradwell could not make a contract, the court said. Since she could not make a contract, she was not a person! "And, even if the legislature did not exclude women from the practice of law, it must have intended to do so because we adopted the common law of England and for a woman to have entered the courts of Westminster hall as a barrister would have created hardly less astonishment than if she should be elected to the house of commons" the learned justices continued.

Myra Bradwell

But Myra Bradwell was not convinced by this logic. She cited the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, enacted four years earlier, which said that no law could abridge the privileges and immunities of a citizen of the United States. She was a citizen of the United States, then why should her privilege to practice law be abridged? Evidently the Illinois justices didn't recognize the Fourteenth amendment for they refused to grant her a license.

Thereupon Mrs. Bradwell sued out a writ of error against the state of Illinois in the Supreme court of the United States. Her case was argued by United States Senator Matt. Carpenter of Wisconsin, but the Supreme court not only upheld and approved the ruling of the Illinois court but made some additions of its own. Instead of only one opinion being handed down, there were many affirming the decision.

However one was different. At the conclusion of all the opinions was this notation: "The Chief Justice, Samuel Portland Chase, dissented from the judgment of the Court, and from all the opinions." But that was small satisfaction to Myra Bradwell. She had appealed to the highest court in the land for justice and it had been refused. She never again renewed her application for a license to practice law. Several years later she was much surprised to receive a certificate of admission from the Illinois supreme court, the very court that had first refused her original application! Thus she also became the first woman member of the Illinois Bar association.

Mrs. Bradwell established the Chicago Legal News, the publication which won her membership in the Illinois Press association, in 1869. It was the first weekly legal newspaper ever published in the western states and Mrs. Bradwell was both its editor and business manager for many years. The Illinois state legislature gave her a special charter for her paper and passed several acts making its contents evidence in the courts and a valid medium for the publication of legal notices. She was also "a leader in promoting professional ideals in journalism."

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Custards can be enhanced by a bay leaf boiled in the milk.

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Broiled vegetables brown better when dipped in salad oil or melted butter.

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When sandpapering surfaces that are to be painted, the work is made much easier if sandpaper is folded over a small block of wood.

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It is not usually advisable to let prepared but uncooked vegetables stand for any time in water; it frequently causes a loss of mineral content.

WHAT ASPIRIN SHALL I BUY?

You can't buy aspirin that can do more for you than St. Joseph Aspirin and you can't buy aspirin safer, surer, faster-acting. St. Joseph Aspirin is the world's largest seller at 10c and you get 36 tablets for 20c, 100 tablets only 35c. Always demand St. Joseph Aspirin.

Age of Romance

The Age of Romance has not ceased; it never ceases; it does not, if we will think of it, so much as very sensibly decline.—Carlyle.

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That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

Try *Doan's Pills*. Doan's help the kidneys to pass off harmful excess body waste. They have had more than half a century of public approval. Are recommended by grateful users everywhere. *Ask your neighbor!*

DOAN'S PILLS

WAR ON ALL FRONTS
A SERIES OF SPECIAL ARTICLES BY THE LEADING WAR CORRESPONDENTS

Yank Troops in Ireland

By Quentin Reynolds

(WNU Feature—Through special arrangement with Collier's Weekly)

One of the strangest sights I ever saw anywhere was an American General Grant tank parked outside of the cathedral in the small but ancient town of Downpatrick. I walked inside and found the crew signing the book of visitors.

Lest it be said they were merely sight-seeing in a tank, I might add that they had been scheduled to have lunch in Downpatrick but had passed that up to see what many believe to be the burial place of the good Saint Patrick. I heard the sight-seeing tank crew arguing as to whether Saint Patrick had been buried here as Downpatrick claims, or at near-by Saul (where he died), or in Armagh (where he always said he wished to die).

The argument as to where the dust of the good saint now lies is today as current and as colloquial as is the argument at home as to which was the better ball team, the Yankees of 1927 or the Yankees of 1936. Twenty-three places in Ireland take considerable pride in claiming his bones, and Saint Patrick is no myth in Ulster by any means.

Our Irish President.

The army has made Belfast its port of leave. At best, Belfast is a rather dreary town, and I defy any Ulsterman to say otherwise. In fact, Ulstermen are the first to admit it. Our boys are sight-seers at heart, and at first they swarmed all over Belfast, looking at such architectural atrocities as the Albert Memorial clock at the foot of High street, which rivals the Albert Memorial in Kensington Gardens in London for ugliness.

During the London blitz, London citizens would run hopefully toward this tribute to ugly mediocrity each morning. But, alas, it was never hit and still stands. The boys trooped hopefully into the Belfast museum and were mildly intrigued to find there the pictures of 13 former Presidents of the United States in whose veins there ran Ulster blood. If you care for details, the Presidents were Adams, Monroe, Jackson, Polk, Buchanan, Johnson, Grant, Arthur, Cleveland, Harrison, McKinley, Theodore Roosevelt and Woodrow Wilson.

The Grand Central hotel in Belfast is the headquarters for American, Canadian and British troops and officers on leave.

Tanks Everywhere.

Northern Ireland is not a very big place. You can drive right across it in three hours. On your drive, you'll pass many magnificent gateways to large estates, for Ulster is the land of the very rich and the very poor. At these gateways you'll see sentries in the American uniform, for every large estate in Ulster was taken over, first by the British army and now by the American army which is gradually replacing it. Drive into these beautiful estates with lush foliage, lovely half-hidden streams, often filled with trout, and you'll find divisional or regimental headquarters. The house the staff lives in may be 300 years old and more often than not, you'll find that the local squire or lord who owns it is now living quite happily in a gardener's or bailiff's cottage on the estate.

Price Is High.

Hundreds of these large landowners gave up their estates to the Crown when war came, for Ulster, unlike her fat sister to the south, never professed to be neutral. She paid for it when Nazi bombers gave Belfast hideous blitzes; but she thinks the price was worth it. She still has her self-respect and intends to keep it.

It is odd to follow a trout stream and bump into an armored unit. We have plenty of Honeys (the light 13-ton tanks) and plenty of the General Grants (28-ton tanks) in Ulster, and today the farmers of Ireland are as accustomed to seeing tanks crawl over their pastures as they are to seeing their cattle or their pigs. It's all part and parcel of the great changes wrought by the world's greatest war.

As far as food and comfort are concerned, our army is the best cared for in the world. To date, the only medical complaints which have registered themselves are yellow jaundice (quite a lot), athlete's foot and mumps. Their food, augmented by fresh eggs from the local farmers, is better than the food of either the German, British, Italian or even the Russian army, and at night, when they sleep, their blankets are as warm as the magnificent woolen blankets that are given to the Russian soldiers in wintertime.

Going Places

Might as well give up. You can't guess who this elegant gentleman is.

It is an ancient snapshot of one JAMES A. FARLEY, taken in his first dress suit (rented). He was on his way to his first big Tammany dinner. At the time he was only 21 and had plenty of hair.

A copy of the old snapshot found its way into the hands of a close friend of Farley's who had copies of it made and sent them to a lot of their mutual friends as a friendly rib.

Dehydration Helps U.S. Farmers

Present Days Only Mild Example Of After-War Foodstuff Dehydration

When Mrs. Housewife goes marketing in the post-war period, she may, if she so desires, use her purse as her market basket.

For all the "makings" of her dinner—soup, eggs, vegetables, fruits, milk and meat—will be available in minute packets. Already, some of these products are on the market for consumer use. Others are in quantity production, but are being sent abroad for our own armed forces.

A current display of industrial developments in food, furniture, apparel, medical sciences, transportation, and home construction assembled at Marshall Field & Co., Chicago, Ill., emphasizes the new role dehydrated foods will play in our lives when peace is declared. The new forms in which dehydrated foods were shown—shavings, powders, chips, crystals, nuggets, and shreds—are many steps beyond our previous conception of "unwatered" foods.

Actually, in all the new forms, only the water has been removed from various products to facilitate packing. Vitamins and flavor are left when the water content is removed. With the proper preparation in the housewife's kitchen, it would be difficult to guess that the vegetables were not more than a few hours removed from the source of supply.

The farmer's interest in dehydration is obvious, inasmuch as the waterless fruits and vegetables—properly packaged—keep indefinitely.

It will be possible to divert crops that are "surplus" at harvest time to dehydrating plants and remove them to storage for use when they are "out of season"—or even one or two years hence when crops are short.

All told, some 60 dehydrated foods are now available for consumer trade. Many more are in store for the future. Soup mixtures predominate on the impressive list.

Even seafood is being dehydrated. As flavorful as the "fresh" product is clam bouillon, made from penny-sized pellets and hot water.

Meat products now being dehydrated are marked by the government for army use only. But when peace makes possible its use by civilians, Mrs. Housewife will find that on 20 minutes' notice, she can serve meat loaf, soup, hamburger or stew from the new meat products.

The sweep toward dehydration has not forgotten the dessert department. Puddings, fruit fillings for pies, frozen custards, fruit sauces, dehydrated eggs for cakes—both whites and yolks—are in the making in the nation's food manufacturer's kitchens.

You can serve this delicious meal in 20 minutes, just by adding water to the dehydrated carrots, beets and potatoes and making a meat loaf from dehydrated ingredients. The meat loaf must be baked, of course, but mixing it is only a matter of minutes.

FUN FOR YOUR FAMILY

By MISS ABBIE CONDIT

National Recreation Association.

Are you planning a Thanksgiving party this year? There are so many interesting and amusing things to do at an affair of this kind that it would be a pity not to take advantage of the opportunity.

Here are just a few activities for a Thanksgiving party. You will think of many more.

Cranberry Game. On cardboard draw many wishbones, making dotted lines across the open end of each. Then each guest is given five cranberries. He tries to roll the cranberries from a given point, making them stop in the wishbones. The one succeeding the greatest number of times wins a jar of cranberry jelly.

Nut Shelling Relay. For this game guests are divided into two groups—Puritans and Indians—who stand in two straight lines. Several feet from the head of line is a pan of peanuts. At a given signal the first in each line goes to the pan, shells a nut, eats it, then runs back to place, tags the next and goes to end of line. The next one goes and so on down the line. Line finishing first wins.

Thanksgiving Menu. Each guest is provided with a pencil and paper and asked to write a Thanksgiving menu using the letters in the word "Thanksgiving" to start each word of the menu; eg., T-Turkey soup; H-Hot rolls; A-Applesauce, etc.

Mayflower and Queen Mary Race. Two cords of equal length are strung across the room about five feet six inches from the floor. On each of the strings is a disc of paper with a round hole in the middle large enough to allow free passage of the paper along the string. One of these is the "Mayflower" and the other the "Queen Mary." A contestant stands at one end of each string and at the word "go" starts blowing at the disc on his string. The object of the game is to see which ship reaches its destination (the other end of the string) first.

Turkey Questionnaire. Papers and pencils are given the guests and they are asked to fill in the answers.

1. Part of a turkey that assists a lady in dressing? **Comb.**
2. Part of a turkey that opens the front door? **K-e-y.**
3. Part of a turkey that appears after Thanksgiving? **Bill.**
4. Part of a turkey that is part of a sentence? **Claws—clause.**
5. Part of a turkey that is used for cleaning? **Wings—dusters.**
6. Part of a turkey that the farmer watches carefully? **Crop.**
7. Part of a turkey that is an oriental? First part—**Turk.**
8. Why ought the turkey be ashamed? **We see the turkey dressing.**

Refreshments. Suggestions for refreshments include cider, grape juice, fruit, nuts, marshmallows between wafers, popcorn balls, and pumpkin pie.

Turkey Conundrums.

1. It's a part of the turkey, you'll guess it perchance, which also is known as a seaport in France. **Breast.**
2. A part of a turkey is a part of a plane, if you can't guess it at first, try guessing again. **Wing.**
3. This part of a turkey, we will understand is also a part of a well-equipped band. **Drumstick.**
4. The particular piece which implies a desire is a part to which always the small folks aspire. **Wishbone.**
5. A part of the bird at the festival board is a word (slightly slangy) which means to defraud. **Skin.**
6. A very choice portion as also is reckoned in co-partnership ('tis not the first but the second). **Second Joint.**

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Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE

Wearing your nails shorter to do a wartime defense job? All right, cut down on length but buff the nails so that they gleam. The shorter nails look smarter with either a brilliant finish or the lighter tones in nail enamel. But always be sure to have them in perfect condition; properly cut and shining like jewels!

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It Was Said by:

1. Victor Hugo: 1802-1885.
2. Alexandre Dumas (Elder): 1802-1870.
3. Heinrich Heine: 1797-1856.
4. Georg W. Hegel: 1770-1831.
5. Joris Karl Huysman: 1848-1907.

Preparations Made for War-Blinded Soldiers

Estimates based on war casualty figures available to date indicate that of every 1,000 men disabled in the country's service, one is destined to go through life in a perpetual blackout.

With this in mind, workers for the sightless are busy devising ways of meeting the problem of the war blind when the first impact begins to be felt in this country.

Under the chairmanship of Robert B. Irwin, sightless executive director of the American Foundation for the Blind, New York city, (the national agency) a committee has been formed to consider this problem and to prepare recommendations for the federal government which, the committee feels, should assume full responsibility for the rehabilitation of war-blinded individuals.

The plan now being formulated includes provisions for the early establishment of contact in hospital with blinded patients, the immediate application of therapeutic measures, the setting up of training centers to which men can be moved so their vocational abilities can be determined and, later, arrangements made for their rehabilitation in their home communities.

Each serviceman's education, tastes, temperament and abilities will be studied with a view to seeing that rehabilitation is fitted as accurately as possible to the individual. This plan has been followed with excellent results in England, where already 200 men have lost their sight in war service.

One example is that of a young blinded airman who has been trained to fit instruments into the instrument board of airplanes. He now fits 20 of such boards per day, as compared with a maximum of 17 achieved by his sighted co-workers.

The need and desirability of specialized treatment for the war-blinded as distinguished from treatment of civilian blind is being stressed by workers for the blind. Research reveals that the morale of veterans who lost their sight in World War I was greatly strengthened by segregation with their war-blinded buddies during the early weeks of their blindness and their subsequent months of training.

Who Said This?

1. "Peace is happiness digesting."
2. "All human wisdom is summed up in two words—wait and hope."
3. "If one has no heart, one cannot write for the masses."
4. "When liberty is mentioned, we must always be careful to observe whether it is not really the assertion of private interest which is thereby designated."
5. "Is there a woman, whose form is more dazzling, more splendid than the two locomotives that pass over the Northern Railroad lines?"

(See answers below, left.)

AMERICA IN ACTION

RADIO SCHOOL

Graduates of the army air force's five schools for radio operators-mechanics are playing an indispensable role in America's mighty contest for air supremacy.

Called the ears and voice of the air forces, the thousands of soldiers who are studying at the Technical Training Command's schools must graduate in a continuous flow to keep pace with the output of aircraft now being turned out by the efforts of labor and industry. It takes a radio operator to start a plane, guide it on its journey and land it. Without these essential workers, our air forces are grounded.

The largest of the five schools is in Chicago. The men attending the school are between the ages of 18 and 50. They are from 48 states, Cuba, Puerto Rico and Canada. Twenty per cent of them are college graduates, or have had at least two years of college. Many of them are graduate students, and several are Ph.D.s. A good many of them are married and about 10 per cent are veterans of the last war.

These men were selected because of aptitudes revealed by tests or because of indicated qualifications. Education has no part in their selection because experience shows that previous education has little relation to a man's ability to master the Morse international code.

Half the time of these students will be taken up with the study of code. This strange language, foreign in a special sense, requires an approach different than the study of spoken languages.

Balance of time is occupied in the theory of radio mechanics, including such subjects as circuit analysis, part breakdown, repair and maintenance. The Air Forces Technical school in Chicago, under the command of Brig. Gen. Arnold N. Krogstad, recently initiated a drive for old radio sets to assist the students in their work by thus affording them the opportunity of manual contact with equipment.

What to Do

By PHYLLIS BELMONT

When bringing guests to one's home, who should enter the house first?

Answer—It would be rude to expect your guests to enter your home ahead of you. You open your door and enter first. You are the only one who knows where the light switch is, and just where the footstool was left. Your duty to your guest is to enter first and light a lamp so your guests can enter a strange room without fear of tripping over some misplaced piece of furniture.

A host or hostess always leads the way. That means down the hallway, into the dining room, up or downstairs. Nothing is more disconcerting to a guest than to be herded, with others, down a hallway, or to be expected to lead the way down a strange stairway.

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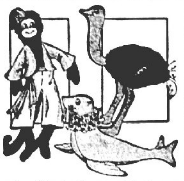
THINGS *for You* TO MAKE

SHADES of Australia, Africa and Alaska—here come Oswald the ostrich, Marty the monkey, and Emeline the seal. A three-ring circus all on one pattern! You see, Oswald, Marty and Emeline are stuffed toys—easy as pie to make. The feathery and hairy appearance of the ostrich and monkey is achieved by clipping the outside seams with which these are made. A polka-dot ruffle adds to Emeline's sleek appearance—and vanity.



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Oswald comes in about 15-inch size, Marty 17 inch, and Emeline 13 inch. Outlines for all three come on pattern Z9496, 15 cents. Patterns for Marty's clothes are also given on this same transfer. Young seamstresses as well as older ones will have fun making this playtime menagerie. Send your order to:

AUNT MARTHA
Box 166-W Kansas City, Mo.
Enclose 15 cents for each pattern desired. Pattern No.............
Name ....
Address ....

Gallant Chap's Thoughts Were but Badly Worded

She was young and pretty, and her confusion as she fumbled vainly in her handbag for small change to pay her fare on the bus was quite charming.

"Could you change a five dollar bill for me, please?" she asked, smiling shyly.

"Sorry, miss," replied the conductor. "But don't you worry; you can pay me the ten cents some other time."

"But you may never see me again," quickly replied the young lady.

"Well, what's the odds?" he said, meaning to be gallant. "It won't break my heart if I don't."

For those smokers on your Christmas gift list give a carton of cigarettes or a pound of smoking tobacco. Particularly those smokers in the service. Surveys show cigarettes and smoking tobacco are preferred gifts. Sales records from Post Exchanges and Canteens show the favorite cigarette is Camel. And, of course, for the service man who smokes a pipe—give Prince Albert—the National Joy Smoke. You have your choice of Camels in the Christmas Carton containing 10 packages of 20's—or the Camel "Holiday House" of four boxes of "flat fifties." Prince Albert comes in the pound canister—a grand gift. All are Christmas-wrapped and ready to give. Your local dealer is featuring them now as gifts sure to please.—Adv.

PENETRO

Many users say "first use is a revelation." Has a base of old fashioned mutton suet, Grandma's favorite. Demand stainless Penetro. Generous jar 25¢, double supply 35¢.

COLDS' COUGHING, SNIFFLES, MUSCLE-ACHES

One Task at a Time

I go at what I am about as if there was nothing else in the world for the time being. That's the secret of all hard-working men.—Charles Kingsley.

Pull the Trigger on Constipation, with Ease for Stomach, too

When constipation brings on discomfort after meals, stomach upset, bloating, dizzy spells, gas, coated tongue, and bad breath, your stomach is probably "crying the blues" because your bowels don't move. It calls for Laxative-Senna to pull the trigger on those lazy bowels, combined with Syrup Pepsin for perfect ease to your stomach in taking. For years, many Doctors have given pepsin preparations in their prescriptions to make medicine more agreeable to a touchy stomach. So be sure your laxative contains Syrup Pepsin. Insist on Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Senna combined with Syrup Pepsin. See how wonderfully the Laxative Senna wakes up lazy nerves and muscles in your intestines to bring welcome relief from constipation. And the good old Syrup Pepsin makes this laxative so comfortable and easy on your stomach. Even finicky children love the taste of this pleasant family laxative. Take Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Senna combined with Syrup Pepsin, as directed on label or as your doctor advises, and feel world's better. Get genuine Dr. Caldwell's.

To Be Agreeable

Few are qualified to shine in company, but it is in most men's power to be agreeable.—Swift.

DRY CRACKED LIPS

Surprising, how quickly the dryness is relieved and healing begins, after using medicated, soothing, time-tested, RESINOL

Grandfather says:

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Folks You Know . .

Mrs. James Jackson and two daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Helen Bradbury, have returned to Avon Park from Key West, where they have spent several months. Mr. Jackson, who accompanied them to Avon Park, has returned to Key West, where he is employed in the shipyards.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Bovard and two children, Robert and Patty Ann of Tarentum, Pa., are spending the season in Avon Park. They are located in an apartment at the home of Mr. Bovard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bovard on Verona Ave.

Miss Salle Green of Fairburn, Ga., is the house guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton. Mrs. Touchton and Miss Green are spending the week end in Tallahassee, where they are vaiting Miss Betty Touchton, freshman at Florida Woman's college.

M. T. Merwin and his granddaughter, Miss Marjorie Merwin, who have spent the summer in Blue Mountain Lake, N. Y., returned here on Saturday, to spend the season at their home on West Pleasant street.

Mrs. Howard Wray and young son, Larry returned to their home in Miami Thursday, after visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Paschall, and Mr. Wray's mother, Mrs. Cora Wray and sister, Miss Mildred Wray.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adams and daughter, Virginia, who have been located at Fort Lauderdale for the past several months, have returned to their home in Avon Park.

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Mrs. Ida Ott was in Winter Haven on Sunday to attend the marriage of Miss Josephine Dennis Hunter to Lt. Robert J. John, M. C., which was solemnized that evening at the First Baptist church.

Pfc. Morris Liniado and Mrs. Liniado, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who are located in Avon Park, are spending the week end in Miami. Pvt. Liniado is stationed at Hendrick's Field, Sebring.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill of Tolona, Ill., will arrive Monday to spend some time in Avon Park. They will make their home on Canfield street.

Mrs. J. L. Sherry and baby son, Johnnie of Tampa arrived this week to join Mr. Sherry here. Mr. Sherry is pharmacist at Touchton drug store.

Mrs. H. G. Thompson returned to her home in Montgomery, Ala., last Sunday, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Francis and family.

Austin Gilmour, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gilmour, returned to Charleston, S. C., last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Trent of Waycross, Ga., former Avon Park residents, visited friends here on Tuesday.

J. E. Crosby, instructor in the Duval county vocational school in Jacksonville, spent the week end here with his family.

Mrs. Walter Betts has returned from a visit with her daughter, Miss Barbara Betts, and Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves, in York, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powell, who have been visiting relatives in Lumber City, Ga., returned home Thursday.

Jimmie Bradbury, U. S. Navy, arrived Wednesday from Norfolk, to visit his mother, Mrs. James Jackson and family.

Claud Mann, who has spent the past several months in Jackson Mich., returned to Avon Park on Monday.

Mrs. Frances Gale of Waverly, Va., arrived this week to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Dalton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Wolf are spending several days in Miami.

Mrs. John Bunting returned home Sunday, after spending several days with Mr. Bunting in Savannah, Ga.

Cpl. Agnew of Fort Benning, Ga., is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Welch.

Milford Dilley, who is employed in Delray Beach, spent the week end here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Reninger of Norfolk, Neb., have returned to Avon Park to spend the winter.

Miss Nellene Cannon of Miami spent the week end at her home in Avon Park.

Miss Shellie Campbell returned home Sunday from a visit with friends in Miami.

J. V. Crum, Jr., of Tampa spent the week end in Avon Park, visiting friends.

Mrs. M. L. Rogers is visiting her son, Albert Rogers and family, in Lake Placid.

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If he parks his little flivver,
Down beside the moonlit river,
And you feel him aquiver,
Baby, he's a WOLF!

If he says you're gorgeous looking,
That your dark eyes start him
cooking,
But his eyes ain't where you're
looking,
Baby, he's a WOLF!

When he says you are an eyeful,
And his hands begin to trifle,
And his heart pumps like a rifle,
Baby, he's a WOLF!

If by chaince when you're kissin',
You can feel his heart a-missin',
And you talk, but he don't listen,
Baby, he's a WOLF!

If his arms are strong like sinews,
And he stirs the gypsy in you,
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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Gilbert Freeman, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Editor-Publisher of the Scenic Highlands Sun, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Act of March 3, 1933, embodied in section 537, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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Editor-Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of Nov. 1942.
(Seal) NAOMI HINKLEY,
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large. My commission expires March 20, 1944.

Capt. C. W. Roberts Takes Over Three Important Offices

(Bombing Range High Score)

Captain C. W. Roberts last week started his initial tour of duty on the Bombing Range and assumed post duties as S2 on the Staff. Captain Roberts, in addition to being Intelligence Officer, will also act as Public Relations Officer and Provost Marshal. He relieves Lt. Lionell H. Russell, Lt. Billy D. Mitchell, and Lt. Louis Ginsberg, who will now have more time for their original asignments.

SERVED IN WORLD WAR I

Joining the U. S. Army Ambulance Service in 1917, he served for one year and ten months. His outfit, Section 586, U. S. A. A. S., was attached to the Italian Army (at that time our allies) and from the day he arrived until the day he left Italy Captain Roberts drove ambulances almost constantly. An enlisted man during the war, he was awarded the Italian War Cross in recognition of duties well performed while driving in combat zones.

BECOMES ADVERTISING EXECUTIVE

Mustered from the service during the spring of 1919, he landed a job with the International Magazine Company(publishers of Cosmopolitan, Good Housekeeping and other magazines) which is an important unit in the widespread Hearst Publishing empire. In 1921, less than two years from the day he first started working for the company, he stepped up into the position of Assistant Advertising (promotion advertising) Manager.

JUMPS TO WALL STREET

From advertising to banking is an unparalleled jump, but jump he did and landed in the investment banking business. After ten years experience in financial circles in New York City he became vice president of the Investment Banking firm of H. C. Yeager and Company, Inc., 35 Wall Street.

FORMS OWN INVESTMENT FIRM

During 1932 Captain Roberts resigned his position with H. C. Yeager & Company, Inc., and moved to Watertown, N. Y., (his home) where he formed the firm of Roberts and Morgan, Investment Bankers. He served as a general partner for 10 years and resigned to enter Officers' Training School at Miami Beach. A graduate of Class M. OTS, he was ordered to Third Air Force Headquarters and subsequently assigned to the Range.

THREE DUTIES WELL COMBINED

As Base Intelligence Officer, Public Relations Officer and Provost Marshal his duties will be closely related. He will be responsible for the security of the Post. Press releases and relations between civilians and military personnel constitute his duties as Public Relations Officer. As Provost Marshal he heads the Military Police and is,therefore, well able to cope with all situations when and if they arise.

NEW, ARMY MUCH IMPROVED

Happy to be back in the service, especially the Air Corps, Captain Roberts noted that "today's Army is considerably improved—intelligence of personnel is much higher and the training and entire program is much more comprehensive than that of the First World War Army. Equipment has also undergone tremendous changes and is far superior to what we had at that time," he said.

Captain Roberts' wife and 12 year old son, Bruce, will leave their home in Watertown to take up residence here as soon as the Captain can solve the big problem of housing. His daughter, Laurene, a junior at Syracuse University, will remain inthe North to complete her schooling.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

"Mortals and immortals" is the subject ofthe Lesson-sermon which will be read in churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, November 15.

The Golden Text is:: "The earnest expectation of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God" (Romans 8:19).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God. The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God" (Rom. 8-14, 16).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Immortal man was and is God's image or idea, even the infinite expression of infinite Mind, and mortal man is coexistent and coeternal with that Mind. The spiritual man's consciousness and individuality are reflections of God. They are the emanations of Him who is Life, Truth, and Love. Immortal man is not and never was material, but always spiritual and eternal" (p.336:9-12,14-18).

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I have lived in Avon Park for the past 31 years, and feel that I know the needs of the city. I have worked for, at all times, and will continue to work for the welfare of the people of Avon Park.

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For Mayor

I am a candidate for Mayor of the City of Avon Park, at the special election called for Novmber 17, to fill the unexpired term of the late Mayor Covington.

I have been elected to the city council four times, having served a little more than seven years on that body, three terms as president. Upon the death of Mayor Covington, I succeeded to the mayoralty, under the terms of the city charter. The same circumstances made me acting mayor for several months after the death of Mayor William King.

These contacts with city affairs have enabled me to become familiar with the needs and workings of the city government, and if you feel that this experience is worth while, I will appreciate your vote on November 17, as an expression of confidence.

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Clubs and Parties . . .

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Philathea Class Enjoys Party Tuesday Evening

The Philathea class of the First Baptist Sunday school was entertained at a delightful party at the customer's room of the Florida Public Service company on Tuesday evening, with Mrs. G. H. Reeder and Mrs. Ott Ford, as hostesses.

Mrs. Ray Wells, vice president, presided at the business meeting, in the absence of the class president, Mrs. J. H. Singletary. Plans were made for the annual Christmas party.

Games and contests, appropriate to the Thanksgiving theme chosen for the party, were enjoyed during the evening. Delectable refreshments of pumpkin pie, raisin cheese sandwiches and coffee were served. A novelty turkey favor and a cluster of grapes on each attractively arranged refreshment plate, further accented the Thanksgiving note.

Class members present included Mrs. W. B. Archer, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., Miss Evie Canup, Mrs. J. P. Dalton, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mrs. Harold Guerndt, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. H. H. Shepherd, Mrs. Harry Walker, Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. E. C. Wever, Mrs. Durph Martin, Mrs. A. J. Turner, Mrs. R. C. Hutchison, Mrs. C. Belin, Mrs. Grady Fortner, Mrs. W. J. Wightman, Mrs. R. L. Adams, Mrs. L. D. Geiger, Mrs. Suggs and Mrs. Sam Howell.

Seniors Give Sadie Hawkins Dance Saturday

The senior class sponsored a Sadie Hawkins dance at Brickell Hall Friday evening, with a large number in attendance. The array of costumes worn by the guests suggested favorite characters in the L'il Abner cartoons. Punch was served during the evening. Chaperones were Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, and Mrs. Chas. Clements.

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Baptist Circle Met Monday at Halton Home

Circle number one of the Baptist WMU met at the home of Mrs. J. P. Dalton Monday afternoon. Mrs. E. C. Wever, chairman, presided and opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. S. J. Pendleton led the discussion from the 10th chapter of John, after which Mrs. J. D. Sherman closed the meeting with prayer. It was announced that the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wever.

During the social hour, the hostess served refreshments of fruit cake and iced tea to those present who were Mrs. E. C. Wever, Mrs. R. C. Hutchison, Mrs. J. D. Sherman, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. J. P. Dalton, Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. Anna Lawhon, Mrs. J. A. Bishop, Mrs. J. E. Crosby, Mrs. Pat Jackson, Mrs. A. J. Turner, Mrs. C. Belin, and Mrs. Harold Guerndt.

Mrs. Clowe Hostess To Legion Auxiliary

Mrs. Ruth Clowe was hostess to the American Legion Auxiliary at her home on Monday evening. Mrs. H. R. Currie, president, presided at the meeting, when many matters of auxiliary interest were discussed.

It was decided to hold the next meeting at the Red Cross room, so members could sew on work there. Members are requested to bring a donation at this meeting to be used for the Christmas gift shop at Bay Pines Veteran's hospital. After a discussion, it was decided that each member bring any amount of cash donation they wish to, and this will be sent on for the purchase there of gifts for the Holiday shop, which is conducted for veterans unable to purchase gifts for their families at home. Last year, the auxiliary sent an assortment of gifts to Lake City hospital.

During the social hour, the hostess served delicious fruit punch and homemade decorated cookies. The punch bowl was surrounded by an attractive arrangement of red and white blossoms.

Those enjoying the meeting were Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Howard Maddox, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mrs. Ed Welch, Mrs. H. R. Currie, Mrs. John H. Hood, Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, and Mrs. Clowe.

Afternoon Tea Will Celebrate Book Week

The public is cordially invited to an afternoon tea at the home of Mrs. R. H. Jordan, Highland Lakes, from 3:00 to 5:00 on Wednesday, November 18. The affair, sponsored by the library department of the Woman's Club, is being given in observance of national "Book Week." A book or a silver coin for the benefit of the public library will be most appreciated. For those who have no transportation, call phone 93.

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Trump It Club Has Delightful Party Thursday

Mrs. J. C. DeShong delightfully entertained the Trump It club at a lovely bridge party at her home on Thursday afternoon. The Thanksgiving motif was cleverly reflected in the tallies, decorations, and refreshment course

The rooms were prettily decorated with garden blossoms in autumnal shades, the centerpiece for the dining table being an original alamander arrangement. The tables were overlaid with covers in a Thanksgiving design, when the delicious dessert course, composed of pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream, and hot coffee was served. Napkins in a similar design were used. Assorted mints and nuts were enjoyed during the games.

High score prize for the afternoon, a set of green Cannon bath towels and wash cloths, was presented to Mrs. W. R. Carter; second high, Cannon guest towels and cloth in shades of yellow, was given to Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Jr.

Those enjoying the party included Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Jr., Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. J. B. Francis, Mrs. Vera Garner, and Mrs. Virgil Hall.

Mrs. McFarland Is Hostess to Baptist Circle

Mrs. W. W. McFarland was hostess to circle two of the WMU of the First Baptist church Monday afternoon. Mrs. R. H. Lawhon led the opening prayer, and Mrs. W. C. Touchton led the lesson study. Mrs. Touchton closed the meeting with prayer.

Refreshments of congealed salad, ritz crackers and punch were served after the meeting to those present who were, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. Otto Skipper, Mrs. R. F. Sappington, Mrs. E. A. DeLaney, Mrs. Ernest Spencer, Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. M. M. Foster, and Miss Salle Green.

Mrs. R. H. Lawhon will be hostess to the circle at their next meeting, Monday afternoon, Nov. 23.

Instructors' Wives Form Group For Red Cross

Wives of the instructors at Lodwick Aviation Military Academy have organized a group to sew at the Red Cross production room in the city hall from 9:00 to 5:00, Tuesday of each week. They met for the first time this week, and at noon enjoyed a covered dish luncheon. All instructor's wives are cordially invited to join the group on the designated day.

Those attending on Tuesday were: Mrs. J. L. Abbott, Mrs. W. L. Amos, Mrs. Bates, Mrs. E. A. Brown, Mrs. J. W. Goode, Mrs. W. B. Heilig, Mrs. Ralph Herring, Mrs. E. Holohan, Mrs. R. McKinstry, Mrs. Fred C. Rowley, Mrs. Roy E. Seims, Mrs. Larry R. Silkey, Mrs. R. E. Wheatley, Mrs. C. M. Wilcox, Mrs. W. C. Pidgeon, Mrs. Angelo Lewis, Mrs. F. W. Spetz, Mrs. L. H. Ellis, and Mrs. E. L. Lowe.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wells of Lakeland announe the arrival of a baby son, weighing six and one-half pounds, who arrived Sunday, Nov. 8. The young man has been named Henry Michael Wells. Mrs. Wells was formerly Miss Claire Vandewende of Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. James Albert Rogers of Lake Placid announce the arival of a baby daughter on Wednesday, Nov. 4. The little girl weighed six and one-half pounds, and has been named Sharon Lynette. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rogers of Avon Park.

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Rev. Hedgebeth Speaker Before Woman's Club

Rev. Emmanuel S. Hedgebeth gave a most interesting and informative address on "The American Home" at the November meeting of the Woman's club held at the club house on Friday afternoon. Rev. Hedgebeth said that the home is the basis of our American life. The sanctity of the home must be preserved for the future security of our people, and we should guard it from all the encroachments from whatever source, that are being made upon it in the present day, he continued.

The speaker said we must understand that the world changes will have a tremendous influence upon our homes, as we are living in a day of global changes, which means that changes in India, China, and Russia will have a great influence in all the rest of the world. "Nothing will substitute for the home," he continued, "and its influence is as great, if not greater, than that of the church and the schools." He stressed the fact that bad home influences are a great obstacle in the work of the church. "A good home influence," he said in closing, "is a stepping stone to great constructive work."

Mrs. G. P. Thayer, club president, presided at the business meeting, when the new club year books, in red, white and blue patriotic design were distributed.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson, chairman of the annual Hallowe'en carnival, reported the proceeds, after all expenses were paid, were $193.02.

Mrs. E. G. Todd, delegate to the district conference, held in Bartow the previous week, gave an informative report from the meeting. Mrs. Thayer, who also attended the conference spoke briefly.

Mrs. Todd, chairman of the Bonds and Stamps committee, which will put on a special drive during the week of Nov. 22 to 28, inclusive, made an announcement concerning the drive, in which all Woman's clubs will participate.

Mrs. Quinn of Sebring spoke to the club on "Conservation." Her talk dealt with the conservation of products of the home, and of how the housewife could cooperate in many ways. She also spoke of the advantages of a nursery school in the community. She told how it was operated, and what was required of a community in which a nursery school was maintained.

Mrs. Alexander Blair of Lake Placid, president of the Highlands County Tuberculosis and Health Association, was present and spoke on the work of the society. She also mentioned how the proceeds from the Christmas Seal Compaign fund was dispersed.

New members voted into the club included Mrs. Brents Durrance, Mrs. Wm. Bates, Mrs. C. Wilcox, Mrs. Douglas Butler, Mrs. Ella K. Woods, and Mrs. J. W. Goode.

Mrs. Fred Stevens and Mrs. W. M. Reck were appointed by the president to serve on a committee, to make arrangements to have a noon whistle blown each day to designate a minute of prayer.

Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mrs. J. L. Abbott, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree were named to serve on a committee to see about the Christmas box which the club will send to the Children's home in Jacksonville. Members were told that the box will be ready for shipment, and on display at the December meeting. A container will be placed in the Barnett bank, it was announced, and anyone wishing to contribute to this project of the club, may leave articles in this box.

Book Week, which will be Nov. 15-21, inclusive was announced, and will be observed by the library, sponsored by the Woman's club. Club members and others were urged to donate books during this period, the need for good, new books being especially stressed. The chairman reported that 15 books and 250 magazines were sent to the Bombing Range, and 12 books and 70 magazines, to the colored recreation building during the month of October.

The club followed a new trend in its opening, the litany, as prepared by Mrs. George Chute, sectional officer, being used. The Litany, very appropriately opened with the Salute to the Flag.

Buffet Supper Given by Church For Base E. M.

Ladies of the Episcopal church, Avon Park, invited Range soldiers to a Buffet Supper Sunday night which is still the talk of the Base. Home made potato salad, sandwiches, cake (six different varieties) and coffee were served. Many's the man who went through the line not once, but dozens of times and were well filled and satisfied with the most delightful supper.

Community singing held forth, too, with the 'Air Corps Song' leading all music.

So successful was the occasion, soldiers of this Base are to be invited back again for another Sunday evening supper in the near future.

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Base Offices Moved; Work As Usual

Base Headquarters moved from the over-crowded Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment's building into new quarters last week without a hitch and work continued as usual. Less than one half day was required to complete the project.

LARGE OFFICE SPACE

Constructed in the shape of an H, the new building houses Commanding Officer, Executive Officer and Base Adjutant offices, as well as Unit Personnel, the Message Center and many other units connected with Headquarters.

Those who report to Unit Personnel for information on insurance, allotments, etc., are requested to use the first door coming in from the street on the board walk. Registered mail and general information seekers are also asked to use this entrance.

Our fighting men are doing their share. Here at home the least we can do is put 10% of our income in War Bonds for our share in America.

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Reviewed by
CARTER FIELD

Bombard Germany With Bombs or Leaflets? . . . Drys Gaining In Their Crusade . . .

Bell Syndicate—WNU Features.

WASHINGTON.—Early in the war—back in the fall of 1939—British planes were busy dropping leaflets over Germany. The theory was that public opinion in that country could be worked up against its war mad rulers.

Now the advocates of propaganda are at it again. Recently an American woman who had spent much of her childhood in Germany, and hence spoke German without a Yankee accent, broadcast over shortwave to the women of Germany. It was a good broadcast.

The question now is whether it would be worth while to print some hundreds of thousands, if not millions of copies of this broadcast and drop them, as leaflets, over Germany.

What to Do?

That question is now being considered by high officials of both the U. S. and the British governments.

There is no thought here by the writer of trying to pass on its merits. The serious question is whether propaganda directed to the German people, and German women in this particular instance, is as valuable as the bombs which the same planes and pilots could be distributing with equal expenditure of flying time by men and machines.

Most men are inclined to say that they prefer that every plane capable of dropping anything on Germany should drop bombs. Many women hold that the propaganda, if good enough, might be far more effective in the long run.

It is not a question of whether this particular broadcast is ideal. It is a question of whether ANY propaganda is as good as bombs in reaching the goal of ultimate collapse by Germany.

"You notice," said one of the critics, "that this proposal is applied only to Germany—not to Japan. But the control of the people is just as complete in Germany as it is in Nippon. This means that what the people may think in either country is utterly unimportant. Only force can win the war."

The point seems to have merit—and yet—it was the collapse of German morale which ended the last war.

So there are two sides to it. But a lot of us wish that we had more planes out in the Solomons, and up in the Aleutians, instead of so many near Germany that the problem of dropping leaflets is considered!

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War Aids Drys, Wets Don't Reason Right

Looking at the situation coldly, there is no doubt that the Drys are making gains.

It may be remembered that it was after we entered the last war that the pushover for the Drys came. In fact there was a lot of talk, afterwards, about the resentment of our soldiers overseas that this had been put over without their having a voice in it.

Last time we had only 2,000,000 men overseas by the end of the war. The total army then was 4,000,000, half of the men never getting overseas. This time the program calls for 7,500,000 men in the army. You can write your own ticket about how many of them will be overseas when the next armistice comes.

But this is only part of the picture. The navy this time is taking so many more men than last, due to the character of the fighting, the importance of small patrol boats, torpedo boats, corvettes, naval aviation, etc., that there is really no way to estimate, now, how many men of the navy will be away from convenient polling places by the time the war is over.

The Wets figure, rightly or wrongly, that seven out of every ten men are vigorously wet in political sentiment. The Drys admit that they have more strength among the women than among the men. So that absence with the armed forces of so many men would seem to be a rather potent aid to the dry crusade now getting under way.

As before, the dry move stems from the evangelical churches. It is alleged that ten million dollars have already poured into collection baskets in these churches to fight the demon rum. And, in view of past performances, it would be wishful thinking on the part of the Wets to assume that the evils of prohibition, so richly experienced in this country from 1920 until after the 1932 election, would prevent the dry move from getting anywhere.

Many of the convictions of the Wets in this situation seem based on faulty premises. For instance, they are fond of saying that surely with a war raging, and manpower short, this country is not going to employ a huge force of armed men to enforce prohibition, with weapons and ammunition badly needed for the war effort.

SPEAKING of SPORTS

by Bob McShane

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

A COURAGEOUS young man received the honor due him recently when the National league's most valuable player award for 1942 went to Morton Cecil Cooper, the big righthanded pitching ace of the amazing St. Louis Cardinals.

The award signalized a remarkable recovery by Cooper from an operation performed last summer on his elbow. The operation was a desperate—and successful—effort to prolong his pitching career.

Billy Southworth

The 28-year-old hurler from Missouri, who won 22 games to lead the Redbirds into the World Series and eventual world's championship, was named by a committee of the Baseball Writers Association of America. He received 13 of the committee's 24 first place votes and 263 out of a possible 336 points in the balloting. He was the only player whose name appeared on every ballot.

The rating was determined solely on the basis of the regular season. His rather unhappy experience in the series—when he was twice lambasted by the Yankees—did not enter into the balloting. Nor did the fact that he was knocked out of the box in the first inning of the All-Star game influence the voting.

Behind him in second place with 200 points was Enos ("Country") Slaughter, Cards' slugging right fielder, who barely nosed out Mel Ott, manager of the New York Giants. These three and Martin Marion, Cardinal shortstop, were the only players to receive first place votes.

All Around Value

The award is based on the all-around value of a player to his club, as well as his individual performance. Ott, Slaughter and Marion deserved consideration—they were strong candidates for the top honor.

MORT COOPER

Cooper pitched the entire game in every contest that he won, and led the majors in shutouts with 10. The last mark is the greatest number of shutouts a National league hurler has achieved since 1933.

Manager Billy Southworth gave him the toughest, most important pitching assignments, so his 22 victories came the hard way. It was largely through his success that the Cards were sparked to success in the stretch battle with the Dodgers.

Uphill Battle

Cooper's selection climaxed an uphill battle. The arm ailment about the middle of the 1941 season apparently cut short his career as a major leaguer after three years of no more than mediocre success with the Cards. Last year he won 13 games and lost nine, even though out of action during a large part of the campaign. This was the most victories he had won in three years with the Cards. He gambled on an operation. The outcome is evidenced by the manner in which he mowed his way through the National league this past season.

It is interesting to note that his 13-9 record brought him one vote for third place—good for eight points—in the 1941 balloting that gave Dolph Camilli of the Dodgers the valuable player award.

Slaughter was ranked somewhere in the first 10 selections by 21 of the baseball writers, and Ott by 22. Mickey Owen, aggressive catcher for Brooklyn, came in fourth with 103 points.

Incidentally, Cooper is sure that the 13 votes he received for first place must have some special significance. During the Cardinals' summer campaign he couldn't get past his 13th victory while the No. 13 was on his uniform. He discarded the number and started a winning streak.

SPORT SHORTS

- Ed Walsh of the Chicago White Sox pitched in 66 games in 1908.
- Notre Dame gridders select a player of the day after each game and he is given a scroll and $25 war bond upon graduation.
- Tackle Mike Kasap, 237 pounds, is the heaviest man on the Illinois football squad. His running mate, Jim Craig, 218, is next.
- Angelo Giuliani, former big league catcher, was responsible for only three errors in catching 120 games with Minneapolis this season.

PATTERNS
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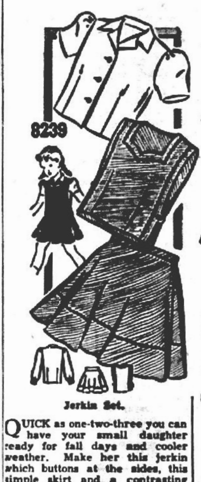

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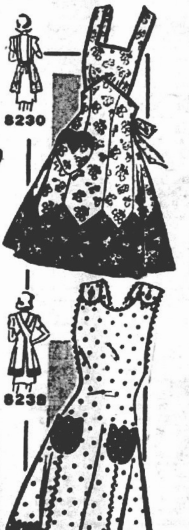

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Some men need so much more self-restraint than others.

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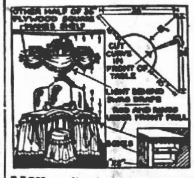
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Greeks Have a Word

A Greek word which contains 171 letters and means hash in English is the longest one in any language. Incidentally, it may be found in line 1169 of Aristophanes' famous comedy, "The Ecclesiazusae."

ASK ME ANOTHER?

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions	*The Answers*
1. What is the mantic art concerned with?	1. Prophecy.
2. The name Salem, used rhetorically and in poetry, refers to what city?	2. Jerusalem.
3. What does a Jap mean by bushido?	3. The warrior's code.
4. How many people were put to death for witchcraft in 1692?	4. Twenty.
5. What woman in American history is remembered because she would not change her name to that of her husband?	5. Lucy Stone.
6. Lupine refers to what animal?	6. Wolf.
7. What island in the Philippines is the largest?	7. Luzon.
8. Settlers in what American colony agreed to "combine ourselves together into a civill body politick"?	8. Plymouth.
9. What world famous novelist did not begin his writing career until he was almost forty?	9. Joseph Conrad.
10. Over whose grave is the inscription: "Blest be the man who spares these stones, and cursed be he who moves my bones"?	10. William Shakespeare.

Chinese 'Rights'

In New York city, every Chinese who rents a store or some other business building claims that he has a "basic property right" in it and, therefore, will not allow another Chinese to lease it until the man has purchased this right, says Collier's. When such a demand runs into thousands of dollars, the owner is seldom able to rent the property again to a member of this race.

Smile Awhile

The Real Question

"Darling, if you marry me I'll satisfy your smallest wishes."

"And what do you propose to do about the big ones?"

Folly to Be Wise

"I am told he has more money than he knows what to do with."

"Has he really! Such ignorance must be bliss."

He Got It

He sat mooning over his cup of coffee and making sheep's eyes at the pretty waitress, until she was fed up.

"Is there anything else you would like, sir?" she asked, distantly.

"Just a soft word," he sighed.

"Putty," replied the waitress, as she whisked the cup and saucer off the table and tripped away.

"She says, 'There's young Smith who registered a year ago—they ain't called him up yet.' 'Well,' I says, 'it's easy to criticize, but how d'you know they haven't got enough Smiths?'"

Best Trained

Mother announced that a prize would be given each Saturday to the most obedient member of the family during the week.

Almost with one voice the five children protested: "Oh, that isn't fair. Daddy will win every time."

Could Be

A diplomat once told a story about a Chinese committing suicide by eating a gold leaf.

"But," exclaimed one of his listeners, "I can't understand how that could have killed him."

"Probably," the diplomat answered, "he died from the consciousness of inward gilt."

The young man burning with love usually makes a fuel of himself.

In His Line

"Any man can find work if he'll only use his brains," said the efficiency expert, "providing, of course, he is ready to adapt himself to circumstances, like a piano-tuner I once met on the Canadian prairie."

"But even if he was adaptable," protested one listener, "he couldn't make piano-tuning pay with pianos so few and far between."

"Admitted," replied the expert, "but he made quite a decent living tightening up barbed-wire fences."

Dance in Trance

Until they were invaded by Japan, the people on the island of Bali staged an odd ritual, the participants being a group of girls about eight years of age, says Collier's. Using all parts of the body, they performed a dance with music lasting a half-hour, although in a trance induced by a narcotic.

PREPAREDNESS
by the
AMERICAN RED CROSS

A NATION at war must guard its health. One sure guard, and one of the best forms of preparedness is proper diet.

Since World War I, the American Red Cross has offered the nation's housewives nutrition courses, designed to teach both men and women how to eat and keep well and strong. But Americans felt that since they were the best fed people of the world, they must also be the best nourished. In that belief they were mistaken.

The army reported that one-third of all applicants for war service were being rejected because of poor health—bad teeth, heart trouble, poor eyesight, skin diseases—all traceable to undernourishment. America's mothers and housewives were shocked into action.

Within the past year, more than 250,000 women have won Red Cross Food and Nutrition certificates by attending these courses held by Red Cross chapters in more than 1,850 counties throughout the United States.

In these Food and Nutrition courses, women learned the importance of preparing and serving the right amounts of the right kinds of foods—foods which contained the needed health protective qualities to keep their husbands fit for jobs in the shipyards, the farms, the mines, the steel mills, and to build their children into physically stronger Americans.

These food-conscious women have also learned how to buy food economically and how to make the best use of rationed foods, and how to plan meals that enable them and their husbands to work harder, longer and better to help win the war.

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A Gentle Way to Treat Constipation!

Get up and cheer, constipation sufferers! If you are one of the millions of people with normal intestines who suffer due to lack of "bulk" in the diet — here's news of a gentler, pleasanter way to win welcome relief!

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Making Perfect

Piece out your imperfections with your thoughts.—Shakespeare.

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SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

Japan now controls about 90% of the rubber plantations of the world.

Regardless of whether synthetic rubber is made from petroleum, grain, alcohol or chemicals it will be some time before car owners will be able to purchase synthetic rubber tires. War purposes have first call.

A tombstone marks the spot near Surrey, England, where a tire that had served its owner 15 years was ceremoniously buried.

300 rubber parts, not including tires and tubes, are used in the modern automobile. Without rubber the car would truly be a "jolt" wagon.

There is talk these days of recapping 30,000,000 tires a year. Quite a jump from the 3,000,000 recapped - retreaded mark of 1937.

Automobiles were on over [illegible] of all U. S. farms in 1940; 15.5% of the farms had motor trucks and 23.1% motor tractors.

Jerry Shaw

In war or peace
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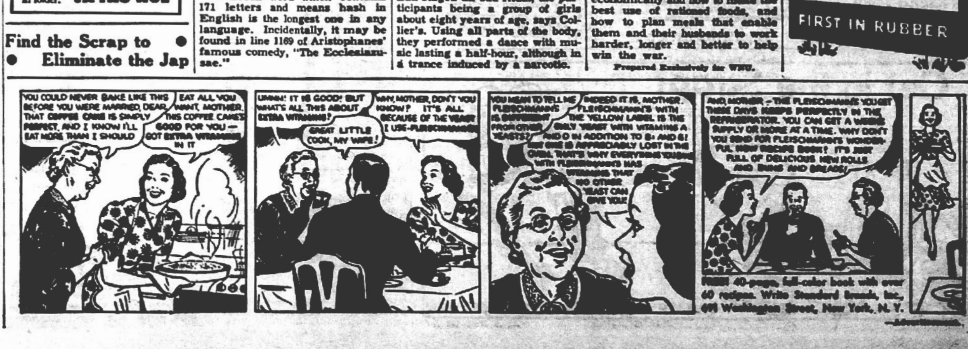
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BOMBS BURST ONCE

By GRANVILLE CHURCH

W.N.U. SERVICE

THE STORY SO FAR: Jeff Curtis and his wife, Lee, are already on their way to Tierra Libre when he receives a note from Nora Mitchell warning them not to come. When they arrive in Tierra Libre they find both Nora and her husband dead. It is Mitchell's job as chief engineer for a fruit company that Jeff has been called to fill. Later Jeff's friend Bill Henderson is killed, and Jeff suspects his employer, Senor Montaya, of murdering him and the Mitchells because they had found a clue to the strange things going on at the plantation. Other sinister figures are the company chemist, Dr. Toenjes, and the flyers, Ryden and [illegible]. A man named Collins arrives from the Canal Zone to see Mitchell, and Jeff hires him without arousing Montaya's suspicions. Collins later reveals his identity as a naval intelligence officer. When they discover hidden German bombers, Jeff arranges to send Lee and the children away. Now Jeff, Collins, Jerry McInnis and Slats Monahan are carrying out a carefully laid plan to destroy the planes and stop the Nazi activities in which Montaya, who is part German, is engaged. They are at the airfield now.

NOW CONTINUE WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XIX

Collins' job was to assemble the bombs and release all mechanical restraints so that impact on the noses would explode them. He started to wind the vanes.

Meanwhile, Curt and McInnis put saws to use. They cut half through all the ground supports which held the heavy wall firm, then sheered through the ceiling ties. So much wasn't necessary, perhaps, but it helped. Thus, an explosion of dynamite outside this wall would force it back against the noses of the bombs.

They then planted the dynamite, dragged the two motors to the spot, measured the fuse. Against the chance that Collins might not probably set the bombs—for they were, after all, foreign to him—a can of black powder was planted in the cockpit of each machine. At length the three charges were set, with fuses that would allow Collins time to get away.

Curt grumbled. "Collins wants pictures. But we can't risk lighting up the window strip by the flash so early. He'll have to take them when he's ready to light the fuses."

They looked in on Collins. In the dead air of the tight-closed room he'd sweated through all his clothes, his face was shiny wet. No picnic, this. He knew what his chances were if he guessed wrong on these bombs.

"Okay," he told them, "I'm about set. Only three noses left to screw in, then all pins to remove."

"It's late," worried Curt. "Close to one-thirty! Took us longer than we'd expected. Slats will be phoning them any minute now."

"Yeh. You two get going."

"Might's well." But Curt was reluctant. Then, "You've no watch. Collins, take mine. It's synchronized with Monahan's."

Curt and McInnis snatched up bunches of tinder-dry grass from sheltered spots as they ran to the front of the hangars. Curt was getting anxious.

His worry was short-lived! Curt and McInnis were brought up short as they rounded the end of the hangars. The tennis court at the other end of the field was now ablaze with lights!

Even as they stared, a small band of men was emerging from behind the office building headed this way.

"Six of them, Jerry! The two of us can't count on holding off that gang with pistol fire!"

"Blaze the grass, Curt! All the way to the fence and around the other side of the hangars to the rear fence!"

Curt and McInnis raced across the black fields, stumbling constantly but making ground. There were shouts behind them.

Then came the furious chugging of a motorcar, headed from the upper end of the field.

"They expect to get behind us, Jerry, head us off! We'll have to stop that before they reach our car!"

They were close to the airfield branch. They turned, running at top speed toward the car, which hadn't yet rounded the curve of mountainside. There were half-rotted logs left from clearing the field. Curt and McInnis had perhaps a minute and a half—a minute. They tugged and hauled at one of the logs. Rains had sunk it into the ground, set it. They pried it loose and slung it across the tracks. The driver would see it, but not in time to stop.

Then came the car. Around the curve of mountainside it sped. It hit the log, bounced from the rails, turned over. But not before a figure had snapped open the door and shot from it. A man rolled over and over, then scrambled to his feet.

"Toenjes!" shouted Curt joyfully.

Toenjes it was—a wild man in the flare of the car's headlights which still worked, curiously enough, one of them slanting skyward. He had a gun in his hand but was helpless from both the glare of lights and the loss of his glasses.

Curt coolly put a bullet into the man's shoulder. "Explain that away, my fine friend," he grunted, "when the investigation breaks."

Between them Curt and McInnis seized the raging, helpless man and hustled him along the tracks toward their car.

They kept glancing up toward the radio station high above. No lights showed. It was a black mountainside. They reached the car, bound Toenjes' hands behind him, gagged him to get rid of his insane, spluttering threats, and tossed him in the back. Another glance upward and a light popped on and off several times under and between the two shafts. A rectangle it showed, a window.

"Man, is that a relief!" exclaimed McInnis. "They'll send no messages tonight!"

They looked back. The black bulk of the hangars showed up within a solid thick wall of fire. The waist high grass blazed fiercely, throwing flames high into the air. They were licking at the trees overhead, they'd spread beyond the fence.

Against that sheet of light they saw Collins come stumbling their way. He reached them, out of breath, tossed the camera into the car, gasped out that things were ready to pop, and collapsed on the back seat. There he discovered Toenjes.

"Traveling companion we picked up to keep you company," said Curt.

They'd covered half a kilometer when McInnis, eyes on his wrist, said, "Half a minute, Curt!"

Curt stopped the car, all three got out. They stared back.

"Guessed wrong on the fuses," muttered Curt. "Or you didn't light them on the dot."

Then, before anyone could speak again, there came a dull, muffled explosion. In the light of the fire, the straight lines of the hangar buckled, the roof mushroomed—on one end. But the walls held together.

"One of the planes," Curt gritted out from between set teeth.

"The completed one," added McInnis. "At least we got—"

The sentence was lost in another muffled explosion which merged instantly into a mighty, pulsating roar that made their ear drums ache, and the aerial bombs exploded by two and threes a split second apart.

The sentence was lost in another muffled explosion.

They turned to the car only to find it had been bounced from the rails. They hauled and tugged and lifted. Scarcely was it on the rails again than there came another explosion, closer at hand but lighter. They jumped apart. The charge set under the bridge behind them had done its work. No motorcar would be lifted across the drainage channel tonight.

"Cripes, I'd forgotten that one," exclaimed McInnis.

He laughed. So did Curt and Collins, and it eased the tension. There was now no need for secrecy. They used the car lights and stepped on the gas. But thoughts of possible trouble ahead tightened their nerves again.

Collins began to take some interest in his fellow passenger. He played his flash on Toenjes, and turned the man's head this way and that. Toenjes was beginning to suffer considerably from pain in his shoulder, but his eyes were murderous. A slow, unbelieving smile spread over Collins' face. He ripped open Toenjes' shirt and pulled it away from the wounded shoulder. He found a puckered scar there, an old one, not three inches from the bleeding hole Curt had made tonight. And then he began to laugh. He laughed and he laughed until tears rolled down his face. The men in the front seat turned for an explanation. It came in jerks.

"On a silver platter," cried Collins. "Mr. Curtis, you've made one of the neatest hauls this year. Dr. Toenjes? I hadn't seen him before, you know. This is Herr Albrecht Werner Fisch, no less. Red-handed. One of the biggest, slipperiest agents the Nazis have in Latin America."

And then it was tomorrow. The sun slanted down hotly on the after deck of the San Timoteo. The Associated vessel was pushing her way north over a smooth sea. There was a cooling breeze, and cumulus clouds moved serenely across the sky.

Buddy, Chuck, and Sylvia Mitchell, all in sun suits, were playing under the watchful eyes of the ship's nurse. The boys were making clownish efforts to balance on their heads their huge straw sombreros.

Curt and Lee were standing by, his arm about her waist. They were silent, and Lee felt Curt's arm tighten as the children's voices rose shrilly, hilariously. She looked up and saw the look in his eyes, the beads of sweat above his brows and on his upper lip, and she knew what he was thinking.

"Don't, dearest," she whispered.

He looked down at her, and his eyes slowly cleared. He kissed her lightly on the temple and they sauntered off, his arm tight about her. At the entrance to the central staircase he paused—and yawned, prodigiously.

"I could do with another nap," he said, on snapping his mouth shut. "You?"

"We slept all morning!" she exclaimed. "We won't sleep tonight!"

"We can sit on deck tonight," hopefully.

"No moon."

"There'll be stars. And there's no charge for just sitting."

Lee laughed. "All right, silly. We'll go down again."

The door to the purser's office opened and there was movement in the corridor. A steward was tacking a paper on the bulletin board.

"News!" said Curt.

With Lee, he crossed the corridor eagerly, to stare at the typewritten sheet.

"Puerto Soledad, Tierra Libre," read the radio dispatch. "In a raid by army troops on the headquarters of the Compania Agricola Tropical at San Alejo this morning, what appears to have been a direct Nazi plot against the sovereignty of Tierra Libre was disclosed, with the arrest of Senor Apolonio Montaya and twenty-four persons of doubtful nationality . . . ."

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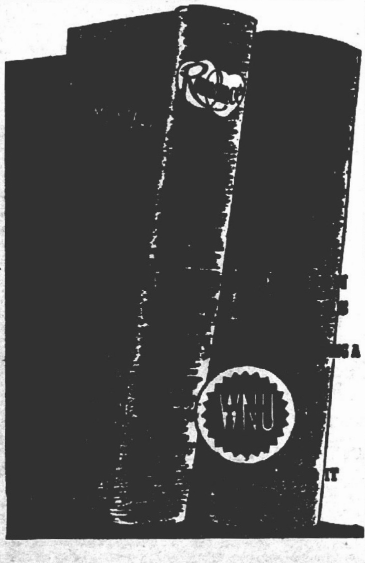

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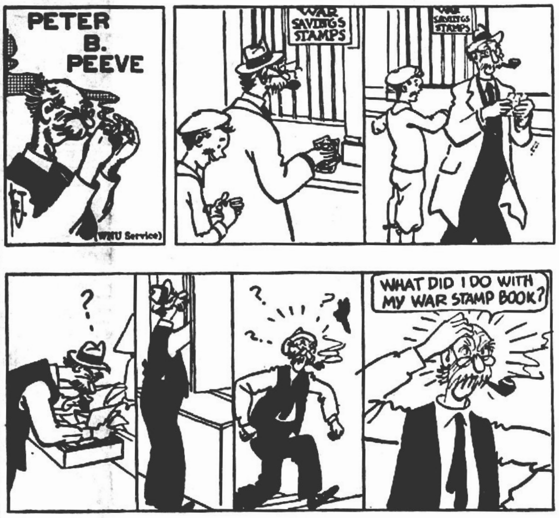
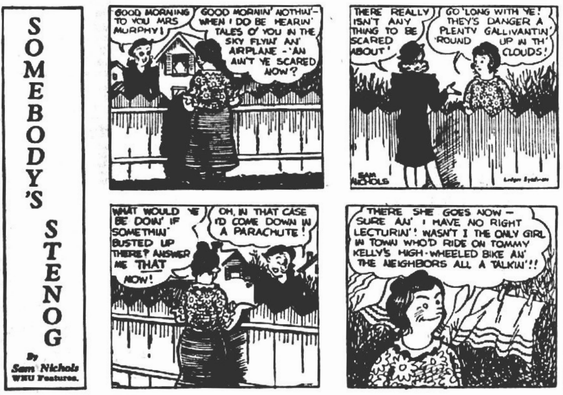
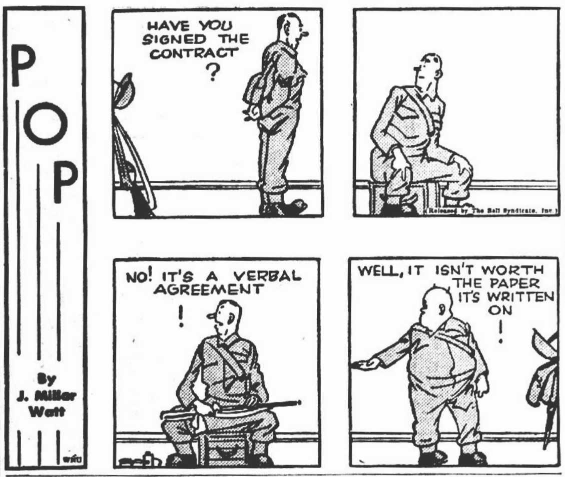



SOMEBODY'S STENOG
By Sam Nichols
WNU Features.
GOOD MORNING TO YOU MRS MURPHY!
GOOD MORNIN' NOTHIN'—WHEN I DO BE HEARIN' TALES O' YOU IN THE SKY FLYIN' AN' AIRPLANE—'AN AIN'T YE SCARED NOW?
THERE REALLY ISN'T ANY THING TO BE SCARED ABOUT'
GO 'LONG WITH YE! THEY'S DANGER A PLENTY GALLIVANTIN' 'ROUND UP IN TH' CLOUDS!
SAM NICHOLS
WHAT WOULD YE BE DOIN' IF SOMETHIN' BUSTED UP THERE? ANSWER ME THAT NOW!
OH, IN THAT CASE I'D COME DOWN IN A PARACHUTE!
THERE SHE GOES NOW—SURE AN' I HAVE NO RIGHT LECTURIN'! WASN'T I THE ONLY GIRL IN TOWN WHO'D RIDE ON TOMMY KELLY'S HIGH-WHEELED BIKE AN' THE NEIGHBORS ALL A TALKIN'!!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NO! IT'S A VERBAL AGREEMENT !
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COMMENTARY

"So you were at the Gray-Bell wedding, eh?"

"Yes."

"Who gave the bride away?"

"No one. She married money."

Disastrous

The usual gossip was being enjoyed over the back-garden fence.

"Did you hear about the row at No. 17 last night?" said the lady at No. 3.

"No; what was it?" asked her neighbor at No. 5 eagerly.

"Well, she broke a chair over her husband's head, but I hear she's very sorry for it now."

"Pity she didn't think before she did it then."

"Yes," sighed No. 3; "it was one of her best chairs."

TIP OFF

"I know I'm not half good enough for you, darling."

"Well, I'll marry you if you'll promise to maintain that same attitude after we're married."

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CREOMULSION
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"That's great, Mac, you've holed in one."

"Well, it saves wear and tear on the ball."

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Highland s Comes Under Rent Control

(Continued from page one)

istration is to determine what the rent was on March 1, 1942, in order that that rent may be established as the maximum rent for the particular dwelling unit registered.

PENALTY FOR NOT REGISTERING

Every piece of property that is rented for dwelling purposes must be registered. The responsibility for this registration is laid upon the landlord or his duly accredited agent, and the failure to register within the 30-day registration period subjects the landlord or the agent to the penalty as prescribed by the Federal Act governing the Federal Control of Rents in Highlands county. For under this Act, the Federal Government has the authority to regulate rents for all housing accomodations— wherever people live and pay rent. The law does not place a ceiling over all residential rents, and the Federal Government does not attempt the collossal task of inspecting the living quarters of each of the rent paying families in this area and setting a maximum rent for each place. Instead the Office of Price Administration selected a maximum rent date—March 1, 1942, for the freezing of rents in the control area and directed that as a general principle, rents must not exceed the rents in effect on that date. There are, however, means of adjusting rents, decrease or increase of services, etc. This is all explained in the circular of regulations which will be given to each registrant or his agent. Both landlords and tenants have rights under the Rent Regulations.

The Area Field Office of the Federal Control for Highlands county and its personnel will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to the registration of dwellings, rooming houses and hotels. But this office cannot and must not fill out the registration forms. This must be done by the landlord or his agent. The office, however, will be glad to advise and be of assistance in any other way than the actual filling out of the registration forms. In other towns and population centers of the county, there will be places where information may be secured by registrants.

PARK THEATRE
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SUNDAY-MONDAY
Betty Grable
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VICTOR MATURE
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"Seven Days Leave"

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"Flight Command"
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"Six Gun Gold"
TIM HOLT

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Hoyt Tatum, Pastor

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m.

Youth Fellowship Meeting 6:00 p. m.

Evening worship 8:00 p. m.

"They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength . . ." This is the blessing that comes to him who worships.

The First Methodist church extends a cordial invitation to all to seek that enrichment of life that comes through regular worship. Sunday morning the Pastor will speak on, "Jesus Reveals God." Sunday evening he will speak on, "Heroes of Faith."

RESOLUTION

Whereas, God in His infinite and holy judgment has called to her final rest, Mrs. Sarah Woodyard Shockley, mother of our Rotary President, F. W. Shockley.

And Whereas, her passing has caused our community the loss of one of its oldest and beloved citizens

And Whereas, Mrs. Shockley has received her final reward for a life that has been an outstanding example for those of us who are left to carry on;

Therefore, Be It Resolved, in regular meeting assembled this 11th day of November, 1942, that we stand in a thirty second tribute to the memory of one whose life shall ever be an outstanding example for us to follow in the years to come

And Be It Further Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be sent to her bereaved family and spread upon the minutes of this club.

ROTARY CLUB OF AVON PA
ROTARY CLUB OF
AVON PARK

Resolution Committee: J. Paul Garber, Ray Wells, Sam Longbottom.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many kind friends for their expressions of sympathy and words of condolence during our recent bereavement. We also deeply appreciate the floral tributes.

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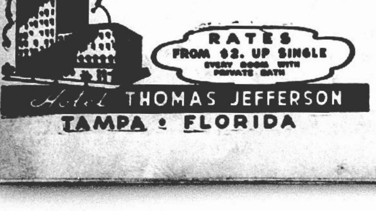

Col. Clint T. Johnson Pilots Bombing Range

(Bombing Range High Score)

Enteringthe Base so quietly that most enlisted men were not aware of his presence, Lt. Col. Clint T. Johnson took ovr the duties as Commanding Officer of the world's largest bombing range Saturday, Nov. 7.

FROM WILL ROGERS FIELD

Poised, silently forceful, yet most unassuming, Col. Johnson comes to the Range from Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma, where he served as Base Materiel Officer. In charge of construction, maintenance and air supplies, he held the position as general supervisor for the Commanding Officer of that Field.

STUDIED FIRST NIGHT BOMBING COURSE

Born in West Plains, Missouri, he experienced conventional primary schooling, boyhood interests and rounded out his education by graduating from Oklahoma University.

As a Second Lt. during the first World War he joined the embryonic air force which was at that time the Aviation Section of the Signal Corps. Following a three months ground course he learned to fly at Ellington Field, near Houston, Texas. While at the flying school he took a course in daytime bombing and later studied night bombing. The night bombing course was the first of its kind offered bythe Armed Forces of the United States.

ENTERED COMMERCIAL AVIATION

Released from the service in 1919, Col. Johnson entered the field of commercial aviation. In 1940 he became general manager and chief pilot of a Texas contract aviation school, i. e., a school owned and operated as a civilian enterprise to train G. I. flyers, and trained many British pilots.

RECALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY

Col. Johnson retained his Reserve Commission after his release from the service in 1919 by regular attendance at maneuvers and through continual correspondence work. During the intervening years between World War I and II, promotions, in accordance with Army Regulations, were tendered him. Upon being ordered back into active service, therefore, he did not come back one grade above his former rank as 2nd Lt., but as a Lt. Colonel. His initial tour of duty began at Will Rogers Field and he first held the position of Base Engineer in charge of Aircraft Maintenance. Subsequently, he was assigned Base Mteriel Officer.

ANXIOUS TO GET RANGE OPEN P

"The biggest job right now," he said, "is to get the Post ready for occupancy." There are numerous jobs to be completed before the Post will be ready, he noted, and full effort will be put forth to accomplish the work as rapidly as possible. "I am also interested in the establishment of regular bus service for Base personnel," he continued. "The men stationed here are entitled to recreation and, while our own trucks are dispatched to carry men into Avon Park, at the present time, I feel that with a regularly scheduled service better recreational facilities will be afforded them."

PRESENT POLICY TO CONTINUE

As to the policy now in effect Col. Johnson observed that "it will continue for the time being." He had high praise for Major H. R. Smith, Base Executive Officer, and is well pleased with the work the Major accomplished here on the post, prior to taking command.

A current rumor to the effect that Col. Johnson will assume command of the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment was repudiated by him with the statement concerning present Range policy.

TO RESIDE IN AVON PARK

Col. Johnson, his wife and daughter will take up residence in Avon Park. His daughter, a senior, entered Avon Park high school last Monday morning. His son is a 2nd Lt. and is stationed at Wright Field, Ohio, in the Experimental Engineering offices.

"When y' get the proper interval drop yer ammo!"

Army Trims Down Iron Pot Bellys

Most noticeable in the new Base Headquarters building are the slim, trim looking made-for-the-Army stoves. Gone are the old pot bellied monsters of country store days. The Army believes in streamlining.

Lined with fire brick, the stoves are guaranteed to warm the most chilled individuals on those cold days when it's good to be in. Oh, yeah, who said it doesn't get cold here in Florida? Please read between the lines of the Florida Chamber of Commerce's pamphlets —Frostproof, Fla., is close by, but many's the time citrus growers have wished they'd given another name to the city.

The stoves are being installed in barracks buildings as well as offices.

Phillip Boardman, who has enlisted in the Navy, left this week for Tampa, where he reported for further assignment for duty.

No Sugar Needed In This Toll House Cookie Recipe

YES, they are the same tasty Toll House Cookies, studded with whole pieces of semi-sweet chocolate, just as before. The only difference is that you don't have to use sugar to make them—a real advantage in these times!

This new recipe is the result of many weeks of testing in a famous "clinic" kitchen. A wide variety of sugar substitutes were tried with the objective of producing Toll House Cookies which would taste as good as those made with sugar. The recipe at right is the final result.

Try this recipe today. See your family register the same sweet-tooth satisfaction they always show when you bake up a batch of golden-brown, crunchy Toll House Cookies.

Toll House Chocolate Cookies
(with honey and maple syrup)

Cream:
1 cup shortening, add
⅜ cup strained honey
⅜ cup maple syrup and
2 eggs, beaten whole

Sift together:
2½ cups sifted flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon soda and add to first mixture

Lastly add:
1 cup chopped nuts and
2 7-oz. packages semi-sweet chocolate, in pieces

Flavor with:
1 teaspoon vanilla and drop by half teaspoons on a greased cookie sheet.

Bake At: 350° F. Time: 15-20 mins.
Makes 100 cookies.

Signal Corps Gives "All Out" Aid to Inter County Co.

(From Bomb Range High Score)

Inter County Telephone employees called to the Atlantic Coast because of extended Navy Maneuvers, The Bombing Range Signal Corps men are filling their jobs and "are proving themselves capable workmen," stated K. H. Williams, superintendent for the Inter County company.

Lt. Theodore O. Baily, Base Signal Officer, noted that his men are doing such good work and are well able to handle the job as they have received training in Signal Corps schools and public communication companies. They are also well versed in local topography.

OTHER UNITS GIVE AID

The Base Motor Pool and the 41st Aviation Squadron are helping with the big telephone job by loaning trucks and men to haul line crews and supplies to job locations.

PHONE EXCHANGE IN P. O. BUILDING

New lines under construction by the Signal men will lead into the Telephone Exchange room now being constructed at one end of the biulding scheduled to house the Post Office. That portion of the building to be used for the phone office is being revamped and materially strengthened to support heavy equipment which is to be installed within the coming month. Biggest section of equipment is a two position switchboard. Seven women will be employed to operate the board.

SWAMP ENCOUNTER DELAYS SCHEDULE

Construction on line work fell behind one week when a large swamp was encountered. The problem was solved by utilising poles previously installed by the Signal Corps. Additional cross arms were attached to the poles. Holes are made for the poles by blasting with a half stick of dynamite. Employing this method saves time which would otherwise require the efforts of two men to dig all holes.

Lt. Baily noted that the Signal Corps is indebted to the Inter County Company for their most generous help in this unusual situation by lending every available assistance.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, IN CHANCERY

MYRTLE SKIPPER, joined by her husband, and next friend, C. A. SKIPPER; Plaintiffs.

vs.

J. C. BARROW, et al, Defendants.

ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION AND NOTICE TO APPEAR

To the defendants:

ALL PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST ROBERT J. BREWTON, (also known as R. J. Brewton) DECEASED:

GRACE L. SICKLES BREWTON, a widow, whose residence is unknown:

ALL PARTIES HAVING OR CLAIMING TO HAVE ANY RIGHT, TITLE OR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY HEREIN DESCRIBED:

You are hereby notified and required to file an appearance in this proceeding, on or before the rule day of the month of December, 1942, same being the 7th day of December, 1942, or else a decree pro confesso will be taken against you.

The nature of this suit is to foreclose the lien of State and County tax certificates and the description of the property proceeded against is as follows:

Lot 64, of Block 2, Sunset Beach subdivision, Sebring, Florida, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, pages 20 and 21, of the Public records of Highlands County, Florida.

This order and notice to appear shall be published in the Scenic Highlands Sun, a newspaper published in Highlands County, Florida, once during each week for four consecutive weeks.

Witness my hand and official seal this the 21st day of October, A. D. 1942.

H. T. PIETY, as Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for Highlands County, Florida.
By J. C. DeSHONG, Deputy Clerk.
(Seal)
Howard G. Livingston,
As Attorney for the Plaintiff.
Oct. 23, 30, Nov. 6, 13.

Cooks Cop New Promotions On Bomb Range

Purveyors of G. I. stews and brews were served with a delightful treat this week, when upon the recommendation of their Commanding Officer, Major H. R. Smith, they were promoted. All men receiving ratings are members of the Bombing & Gunnery Range Detachment.

TO BE SERGEANT

Cpl. Grady J. Cason.

TO BE CORPORALS

Pfc Constantino A. Casciano

Pfc. Robert C. Jamerson

TO BE PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

Pvt. Claude D. McMillan, Jr.

Pvt. Nathan Patterson

Kay Kyser, prominent orchestra leader, has made a special radio transcription for the Christmas Seal Campaign of the Highlands County Tuberculosis and Health Association.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Laws of 1933
IN THE COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA. IN PROBATE
Re Estate of:
ARIADNE R. ROBERTS, Deceased.

TO ALL CREDITORS, LEGATEES, DISTRIBUTEES AND ALL OTHER PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIM OR DEMAND AGAINST SAID ESTATE.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified, required and directed to present any claim or demand of any nature whatsoever, against the estate of Ariadne R. Roberts, deceased, late of Highlands County, Florida, to the Hon. Thos. A. McNicholas, County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the court house in Sebring, in said County and State, within eight (8) calendar months from the date of the first publication hereof.

You are further notified that such claim or demand must be presented in writing, contain the place of residence and post office address of the claimant and be sworn to by the claimant, his agent or attorney.

Date of first publication, Oct. 9, 1942.
M. R. McDONALD,
As Administrator with the will annexed of said Estate.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY.
IN RE
ADOPTION OF BETTY RUTH STORM BY CAPTAIN T. H. R. KEITH AND MARGARET B. KEITH
TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given of the intention of Captain T. H. R. Keith and Margaret B. Keith of Highlands County, State of Florida, to file a Petition with the Honorable Judge of the Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Highlands County, on the 23rd day of November, 1942, praying the said Court to grant and legalize the adoption of Betty Ruth Storm, a minor, whose age as of this date is 12 years and whose last place of residence is with said Petitioners, to-wit, Captain T. H. R. Keith and Margaret B. Keith, residing at 111 Crescent Drive, Sebring, Highlands County, Florida.

Dated at Sebring, Florida, this 22nd day of October, 1942.

T. H. R. KEITH, Capt. A. C.
MARGARET B. KEITH,
Petitioners.
F. T. Haskins,
Attorney for Petitioners.
Oct. 23-30 Nov. 6-13-20.

NOTICE TO APPEAR

TO: JEAN G. CAMPBELL, whose residence is 601 Quincy Street, Dorchester, Massachusetts:

You are hereby required to file your appearance in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, on or before December 7, 1942, that being Rule Day in said month, in that certain cause therein pending before the Honorable D. O. Rogers, Judge of Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Highlands County, in Chancery sitting, said cause being a suit for divorce and styled, James A. Campbell, plaintiff, vs. Jean G. Campbell, defendant.

Herein fail not or decree pro confesso will be entered against you and the cause will proceed ex parte.

This notice shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks in The Scenic Highlands Sun, Avon Park, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of said Court this 14th day of October, 1942.

(Seal).
H. T. PIETY, Clerk Circuit Court,
Highlands County, Florida.
By H. T. PIETY, Clerk.
Offices of F. T. Haskins
Of Counsel for plaintiff.
Oct. 16-23-30 Nov 6-13

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 165)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That S. R. Pickett, Avon Park, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 258, issued the 5th day of August, A. D. 1940, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

E½ of SW¼ of SW¼ of SE¼ Section 21, Twp. 33, S. Range 29 E. 5 Acres

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of F. A. Yeager.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door at 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 26th day of October, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy.
(Seal)
Oct. 30, Nov. 6 13, 20, 27

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re Estate of
G. P. Thayer.

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 30th day of October A. D. 1942, I shall apply to the Honorable T. A. McNicholas, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for my final discharge as Executrix of the estate of G. P. Thayer deceased. My final report and application for final discharge are now on file in the office of said Judge.

Dated Sept. 30 A. D. 1942.
NELLIE S. THAYER,
Executrix.
Oct. 2,10,17,24,31.

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR IN FINAL DISCHARGE
IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.
In re Estate of
ALEXANDER J. MAY, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that on the third day of November A. D. 1942, I shall apply to the Honorable Thos. A. McNicholas, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for my final discharge as Executor of the estate of Alexander J. May, deceased. My final report and application for final discharge are now on file in the office of said Judge.

Dated October 23, A. D. 1942.
S. F. LONGBOTTOM,
As Executor.
Oct. 23-30, Nov. 6, 13.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 165)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That Milford Dilley, Avon Park, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. [illegible], issued the 7th day of September, A. D. 1936, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lots 9 & 10, Block 9, Avon Park, Section 21, Twp. 33 S. Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate was issued in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 30th day of October, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
(Seal)
Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 165)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That J. D. Hodge, holder of Tax Certificate No. 97, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

S½ of Lot 16, Block 43, Avon Park, Section 22, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of W. C. Touchton.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 165)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That Townsend Sash, Door & Lumber Co., holder of Tax Certificate No. 59, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 11 S-D of Lots 5, 6, 15, Block 21, Avon Park, Section 22, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Mrs. R. L. Adams.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 4th day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 165)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That J. D. Hodge, holder of Tax Certificate No. 98, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

N½ of Lot 16, Block 42, Avon Park, Section 22, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of W. C. Touchton.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 165)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That J. D. Hodge, holder of Tax Certificate No. 196, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 11, block 4, Section 23, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East, 10 Acres.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 165)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That J. D. Hodge, holder of Tax Certificate No. 196, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 12, block 4, Section 23, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of December, 1942, which is the 7th day of December, 1942.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1942.

H. T. PIETY,
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Fla.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, Dec. 4

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Governor Gives Sheriff Long Clean Bill

Finds Nothing Wrong After Investigation

"I shall expect you to vigorously continue the campaign for the suppression of venereal disease with every legal means available to you," Governor Spessard L. Holland, informed Sheriff E. G. Long in a letter dated last Wednesday, in which he informed the sheriff that he had conducted several investigations of conditions in this county and found nothing wrong with the manner in which the sheriff had conducted his office.

Governor Holland stated in his letter that the recent investigation disclosed that the campaign against venereal disease had been seriously hampered in this county and "jeopardized by the confusion which had arisen as a result of the complaints" which his investigation disclosed were without foundation of fact.

Following is the full text of Governor Holland's letter to Sheriff Long.

Honorable E. G. Long,
Sheriff—Highlands County,
Sebring, Florida.
Dear Sheriff:

As you know, I received several weeks ago complaints against the conduct of the campaign in Highlands county for the supression of venereal disease, such campaign having been initiated by you officially for the protection of the military personnel stationed in your county and being a part of a statewide campaign to clean up the exceedingly bad conditions in our State which were shown, both by the statistics covering selectees and other citizens of the State entering the armed forces, and by the high incidence of venereal disease among personnel of the armed forces serving in our State. All of the complaints made had to do with the alleged improper conduct of the said campaign against venereal disease.

I have had several investigations made of this matter and I now have before me written reports thereon from Dr. Wilson T. Sowder, of the Division of Venereal Desease Control of the State Board of Health; from Dr. Paul J. Coughlin, Assistant Surgeon of the U. S. Public Health Service who is serving as Director of the Highlands-Glades county Health Department; and from Honorable L. Grady Burton, State Attorney. I have also had the situation checked with various outstanding citizens of your county and I have their comments thereon. I likewise have before me a letter from Major W. A. Gunter, U. S. Army Medical Corps, post surgeon at Hendricks Field, bearing upon what he terms the "diligence" and "good work" of the Sheriff's Office in pressing the campaign against venereal disease. I may add that the report of the State Attorney is based upon sworn testimony taken by him in which all available citizens who were mentioned to him as having information bearing on the complaints gave their versions of the situation.

During the progress of these investigations, I learned that the campaign for the supression of venereal disease was being jeopardized by the confusion which had arisen as the result of the complaints mentioned and in order that said campaign might proceed actively and without any letdown, I wired you on October 27 as follows:

"Am advised by State Attorney Burton and health officer Coughlin that campaign for supression of venereal disease and prostitution in your area greatly jeopardized by confusion of last two weeks. I expect campaign to be vigorously continued with every legal means available. Please advise all county and citizen enforcement officers, Dr. Coughlin, and surgeon at Hendricks Field of my request as expressed in this wire.'

The investigations have been carefully made and the reports seem to me to cover all aspects of the situation, and I see no occasion for continuing the investigation further. I beg to advise that I find no facts whatever, as a result of such investigations, which would either require or justify my taking any kind of executive action against you as Sheriff or against any other local official whose

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Terry Case Ends In Mistrial Second Time

Howard Terry, former state prison camp guard, is free under bond to await his third trial on a first degree murder charge resulting from the fatal beating of John McAuliffe, 25, convict from Orono, Me., at the Hicoria camp in February, 1940.

Terry's second trial last Thursday and Friday ended in a mistrial, as did his first trial in September. Setting of an early date for the third trial will be requested by the state.

Circuit Judge D. O. Rogers declared the mistrial when C. V. Crider, foreman, informed the court that the jury was unable to agree. A half hour earlier Crider advised the judge that the jurors were hopelessly deadlocked and that some of them felt that they should have the testimony of other witnesses. The court told the jury to deliberate only on the evidence presented them.

State Attorney L. Grady Burton was the prosecutor. Mark O'Quinn of Bartow was the court-appointed counsel for the defendant, whose former counsel entered the army after the first trial.

The state charged Terry with hitting and beating the convict, who died a month later at the state prison hospital. State witnesses included a truck driver and several trusties who testified they saw Terry administer the beating.

Taking the stand in his own defense, Terry denied beating McAuliffe, and claimed that he had been framed by the state witnesses. He also produced witnesses who testified that some of the state witnesses had beaten McAuliffe.

During a recess in Terry's trial Thursday, J. A. Robbs, another camp guard, who was indicted at the same time as Terry, entered a plea of nolo contendere and was adjudged guilty. The court sentenced him to a year in prison or a $400 fine. Robbs, who was charged with cruel and inhuman treatment of a prisoner at the DeSoto City Camp last March, paid the fine.

The jury: C. V. Crider, I. R. Titus, J. D. Bush, Jack Tyree and A. J. Tubbs, Sebring; B. A. Frizzell, R. Elder and J. A. Bost, Avon Park; Bert Crawford, Venus; M. E. Lanier, Brighton; J. R. Kelsey, Lake Placid, and Ceylon Carlton, Hicoria.

Veteran at 17 First To Join American Legion

Carl Edwin Cogdill, who was discharged from the Marine Corps on September 8, has returned from the wars, a veteran at 17, and the first ex-service man of World War II to join the American Legion here. A strapping young fellow, who had to "stoop a little" because of his 6 foot 3 height, and exaggerate his age when he enlisted, Cogdill received a medical discharge from the Marines. Reason was, he couldn't stand high altitude in the coast patrol, in which he flew as a gunner. He passed out once while in the air, and later did a fade away while on the ground, so he says the Marines agreed to let him come back home.

Cogdill is a grandson of William D. (Dad) Adams with whom he made his home until he was 12 years of age. He went to Chicago then to live with his parents, and last December 11 (four days after Pearl Harbor) he went into the Marines. He received his training at San Diego, California, and was sent to Hawaii, where he flew as a gunner in the coast patrol until his discharge. He is back now to make his home with his grandfather, and is employed at the Exchange packing house.

When he heard the American Legion had amended its constitution and was now taking in ex-service men of this war, he was the first to become a member of the local post.

S. S. Board Representative Here Nov. 25

A representative of the West Palm Beach Field Office of the Social Security Board will be in Avon Park, Wednesday, November 25, 1942. He will be stationed at the Post Office at 8:30 a. m.

Persons desiring information should call there at that time.

Bombing Range Highway Open In 90 Days

Railroad Enters Range This Week Government Job

Construction has started on the state highway leading from Avon Park to the Bombing Range, and the road is scheduled to be completed and open to traffic within 90 days, according to officials.

Following almost a straight line from Avon Park to the Range, little of the old road will be used for the new highway. Reduction in present mileage (new route is approximately three miles shorter) will lessen travel which, at present time is the main drawback to the road currently used.

BRIDGE AT ARBUCKLE LAKE

Entering the Range at Lake Arbuckle, the road crosses Arbuckle Creek over a new bridge. An old wooden, open type bridge which spans the creek was condemned last month. A Florida State Highway project, the contract for construction and paving was awarded W. L. Cobb Company. The Company recently completed Range roads and runways.

BUS LINE PUSHED

In conjunction with the Highway construction Col. Johnson noted that action is expected this month on proposed bus transportation to the Range. He is contacting various agencies with the hope that bus service is established prior to the opening of the paved highway.

G. I. IRON TACKED DOWN

The rail line, a G. I. project, nearing completion, enters the range this week. A gas locomotive has been ordered to shunt freight cars from the Atlantic Coast Line tracks to the Base and within two weeks time regular shipments of freight are time tabled for unloading here.

Beaver Patrol Boy Scout Wins Swimming Meet

The Beaver Patrol, Troop 57, Boy Scouts of America, won the swimming meet on Saturday, Nov. 14 at the Lotela Club pier, when they scored 24 points. The Pathfinders were second with 14 points, and the Panthers, third, with seven points. Glenn Whitcomb made the highest individual score with 13 points; Bill Stoll, second with 11 points, and Harold Reeder, third with eight points.

In the 50 yards free style, Glenn Whitcomb was first, time 36.4 seconds, Harold Reeder, second; Bill Stoll, third.

50 yards breast stroke: Glenn Whitcomb, first, time 17 seconds; Garth Spencer, second; Sammy Longbottom third.

50 yards back stroke: Bill Stoll, first, time 50.2 seconds; Sammy Longbottom, second; Ted Ward, third.

10 yards cross chest carry: Bill Stoll, first, time 17 seconds; Sammy Longbotton, second; Ted Ward, third.

Diving: Harold Reeder, first, 25 points; Glenn Whitcomb, second 23 points; Sammy Longbottom, third, 21 points.

LIEUT. ROGERS HERE ON VISIT

Second Lieut. Ralph Rogers arrived here Wednesday to spend several days leave with his family, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rogers. Lieut Rogers has completed his Officer's Training Course at Fort Monmouth, N. J., a signal corp camp, and was recently commissioned. He left Avon Park as a sergeant with Headquarters Battery, 56th F. A. Brigade.

ODEAN BISHOP LIKES TEXAS PEOPLE

A note from Miss Odean Bishop, formerly of Avon Park, who is now residing in Houston, Texas, in which she included her subscription to The Sun, says "I have a grand job here as bookkeeper in the City National Bank, one of the larger, faster growing banks here. I really enjoy my work and also the friendly people of Texas. Next to Florida, they are tops." Miss Bishop was formerly employed in the Barnett Bank of Avon Park.

Maj. Gen. Royce Here Sunday on Inspection Tour

Major General Ralph Royce, commanding general of the Southeast Army Air Forces Training Center, Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama, paid an official visit to the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy here Sunday. He was in the state on a tour of inspection of training schools. The general was guest of honor at a luncheon at Lodwick Inn at noon Sunday, attended by personnel and a few visitors from town.

Landlords Begin Registering Under Rent Control

Landlords began registering dwelling units on Monday of this week in all sections of Highlands county. So far, the registering is proceeding very smoothly but slowly. In Avon Park registration blanks and instructions may be secured at either the real estate offices of Walter Betts on Main Street, South of the Post Office or that of W. M. Beck, south of the bank.

It is very important that each registrant read the instructions very carefully before filling out the blanks; and also very important that the registrant secures the right blank, as for example, if you are a landlord and are renting, offering for rent or have rented a rooms in your own residence, be sure to obtain registration form No. DD6-D. These are the forms to be used exclusively for houses and other dwelling units noted in this paragraph.

It is understood that the rents to be registered must be those rents which were charged on March 1st, 1942 in Highlands County if the equipment and services have not been materially changed. That means that the rent as charged on November 1st, 1942, the effective date for the operation of this law in Highlands County, must be the same as on March 1st, 1942.

For example —if the rent was $32 per month on March 1st, 1942 and the rent since then has been increased to $38 per month, the maximum rent as of November 1st, 1942 is $32 monthly and not $38 per month. This amount is all that the tenant can pay for the same quarters he paid rent for on March 1st and this law further states that insofar as it affects the

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Navy Goes All Out in Midway Battle Picture

Your reporter has just returned from a preview of "The Battle of Midway," 30-minute short subject showing at the Park Theatre Sunday and Monday. The pictures are actual scenes of fighting, taken by official U. S. Photographers, of the smashing victory of the U. S. Navy against the Japs.

Taken in technicolor, the pictures show Jap planes attacking the island, hospital and chapel hit by bombs and burning, and large stores of oil burning with huge columns of black smoke. Bombs drop so close that they knock the camera out of focus. Anti-aircraft shoot down Jap planes which hurtle to earth trailing smoke, and the Navy goes all out, with the big guns roaring in the battle that cost the Japs 23 ships, 300 planes, and frustrated their invasion attempt.

Undoubtedly, the picture is the most thrilling film since the war started. It is a picture that everybody in town should see.

Masons Hosts Tuesday to School of Instruction

Poinciana Lodge No. 227 F. & A. M. was host on Tuesday to a school of instruction at the Masonic Temple, presided over by Wallace R. Cheeves, Newberry, Past Grand Master and Grand Representative of Grand Lodge. Among other grand officers attending were: George T. Taylor, Tampa, Most Worshipful Grand Master; Frank Thompson, Lakeland, Senior Grand Deacon; Sam Page, Winter Haven, District Deputy Grand Master; and Frank O'Beery, Tampa, Grand Marshal.

The school of instruction was an all-day session, with luncheon at noon and a banquet at night and was largely attended.

Thanksgiving Union Sevice At High School

Churches Will Sponsor Program Wednesday Eve

A large attendance is expected at the Community Thanksgiving Service which will be held in the High School Auditorium on Wednesday evening at 8 P. M. This is the first time that such a service has been held in the High School Auditorium and it is expected to meet with widespread public approval. The service is being sponsored by the Avon Park Ministerial Association.

An interesting program has been worked out and promises to be one in which the public will have an interest. The High School band will be present to play a medley of patriotic songs, and the various ministers of the community will take the different parts of the service. The Thanksgiving Proclamation will be read by acting mayor and mayor-elect E. A. Delaney.

The most interesting feature of the program will be the address which will be delivered by Chaplain T. P. Warfield of the Bombing Range. Chaplain Warfield has arrived at the Bombing Range only recently and this is his first public appearance in Avon Park. He formerly was pastor of a Baptist Church in Vermont.

The public is urged to support and attend this service.

Lee Distributes $813,000 in SAL Tax Payments

Writing the final chapter on a decade of hard fought litigation State Comptroller, J. M. Lee today in Tallahassee is signing checks distributing $813,926 to forty-two counties through which the Seaboard operates and another check for $37,591 for the State's portion of the proceeds of the victory won in the courts in the hardest fought battle to collect delinquent taxes in the history of Florida jurisprudence. This is the same case that Attorney General Tom Watson insisted that Comptroller comprise last spring with large discounts to the railroad. But Comptroller Lee refused and won his lawsuit.

Acceptance of the lower court's decrees—without further appeal—by the Seaboard followed the facts reaching President Legh R. Powell, of the railroad, as a result of a crusade by Florida's country weekly newspapers led by the St. Cloud Tribune and the Avon Park Sun to organize counties and State departments to divert all freight business to the Atlantic Coast Line until the Seaboard paid its taxes.

As soon as President Powell came to Florida and verified the facts being stressed by the newspapers, he promptly overruled subordinate tax officials of the road and ordered payment made as soon as final decrees could be worked up and the distribution compiled by auditors who have been busy day and night for sixty days. Norman S. Elliott, the new tax commissioner of the Seaboard delivered the $851,517 check covering delinquencies dating back to 1926 to Comptroller Lee today.

The Seaboard is paying the entire amount based upon decrees of the courts in which the State won not only the major point at issue (the method of assessment) but nine out of every ten of the minor points involving levies for questionable budgetary items — netting Highlands County $14,976.51.

The victory of the Comptroller aided by the counties who employed Keen & Allen, Tallahassee attorneys, to fight the involved case on their behalf, is especially notable, in that it will continue the present basis of assessment, while had the railroad won, it would have cut their taxes from a half to one third for all future time.

So the actual victor yruns into millions of dollars over a period of years ahead, benefitting every county in the State through which any railroads runs.

Sixteen Florida East Coast counties will receive their checks totalling approximately $120,000 for withheld delinquencies within the next thirty days.

What You Must Do To Qualify For Gasoline, Tires

Mileage rationing coming to Florida November 22 is designed to keep your car rolling by making your tires last. A vital part of the mileage rationing plan is regular inspection of everybody's tires.

You must have your tires inspected regularly by an official OPA inspector.He will be found at OPA Official Inspection Stations. Inquire at your Local Rationing Board for locations.

This is how the Tire Inspection Plan works:

1. Obtain a tire inspection form from your nearest garage or filling station which has been designated as Official Tire Inspector by the local Rationing Board. Your tire inspection record is attached to the tire record and application for basic mileage ration. On it you fill in serial numbers of all tires you own, whether mounted on your vehicle or not.

2. You will be denied mileage rations if you or anyone in your household owns any passenger tires (including scrap tires) not mounted on motor vehicles or equipment. You must sell or give such tires to the Government under the Idle Tire Purchase Plan.Mounted tires means tires on running wheels including one spare per motor vehicle..

3. The tire inspection record will be signed and returned to you if you have complied with the provisions above. You must keep the tire inspection record in your car at all times.

4. First tire inspection period is between December 1, 1942, and January 31, 1943, during which time all vehicles must have their tires inspected by an authorized OPA inspector.He may charge up to 25c per vehicle if no tires are removed.If he removes tires, he may charge 50c per tire. After January 31, A and basic-D drivers must have tires inspected every 4 months with inspections at least 60 days apart. B, C, and supplemental-D drivers must have tires inspected every 2 months with inspections at least 30 days apart.

5. The inspector will check the condition of your tires and the serial numbers. If serial numbers differ from those on your Record, he will inform the Local Rationing Board, unless you have been authorized to purchase another tire and you have part D of a Tire Certificate showing any tire serial number not shown on the Record. If tires are O. K., he will sign your Record. If he finds repairs to tires, tubes, or vehicle necessary for tire conservation, he will not sign the Record until you carry out his recommendations. If a tire is worn smooth, he may recommend a recap.In that case he must remove the tire from the wheel to complete the inspection.If your tire is not fit for recapping, he may recommend replacement.In all cases, he will report any evidence of tire abuse to the Local Board.

6. You apply to your Local Board for a Rationin gCertificate if the inspector recommends a recapping service for your tire, or a new or used tire or tube. These cannot be obtained, however, without a Rationing Certificate. If you have complied with all tire and gasoline regulations and the Rationing Board finds you are engible, it may issue a Certificate for recapping service or for the grade of tire which you are entitled.

Rationing Boards may deny you rubber and gasoline: If you do not have your Tire Inspection Record signed during every inspection period. If you abuse your tires and tubes. If you violate the 35 miles-per-hour speed limit. If the serial numbers on your tires are not the same as those on your Tire Inspection Record, unless you have been authorized to buy another tire and have Part D of a Tire Certification showin gany serial number not listed.

WHAT YOU CAN DO TO MAKE YOUR TIRES LAST

1. Drive, start, and stop slowly.
2. Take curves slowly .
3. Look out for bumps, including curbs.
4. Inflate tires properly at least once a week.
5. Keep wheels aligned.
6. Keep brakes adjusted.
7. Shift all tires every 5,000 miles.
8. Repair b reaks, cuts, and leaks promptly.
9. Straighten or replace bent rims

and

10. Share your rides!

If you need a recap for another

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Delaney Wins Mayoralty By Close Vote

To Be Sworn in As Soon As New Bonds Are Signed

E. A. Delaney won out in Tuesday's special city election, defeating C. E. Lanier for mayor by 57 votes. The results were: Delaney 436, Lanier 379.

Delaney, who has served as acting mayor since the death of the late Mayor Covington six weeks ago, will resign his office as president of the city council in a few days and will be sworn in as mayor. The formalities will be delayed long enough for Delaney to sign the new city refunding bonds, which have already been printed, and which require his signature before they can be issued.

The new issue also needs the signature of Louise B. Armstrong, city clerk, and H. T. Piety, clerk of the circuit court. They expect to go to Chicago some time next week to affix their signatures to the bonds. They will be accompanied by C. Parke Anderson, chairman of the finance committee. The trip to Chicago was arranged by R. E. Crummer & Company, which is issuing the bonds, all expenses of which are being borne by the company.

Tuesday's election brought out 823 voters out of a possible 1200, a good turnout, considering the fact that many voters are in the the service and working elsewhere.

Upon Delaney's resignation, the other four members of the council will elect his successor. At this time there is no indication as to who the fifth member will be.

Christmas Seal Campaign Opens Here Monday

The 36th annual nationwide Christmas Seal Sale, in which the Avon Park Tuberculosis Association will take part, will open Monday and continue until Christmas, according to Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, local chairman of the association.

The Christmas Seal Sale is the sole support of the National Tuberculosis Association and its 1700 affiliated associations throughout the United States, Canal Zone, Hawaii, Alaska and Puerto Rico.

Ninety-five per cent of the income from the Seal Sale remains in the state in which it is raised. Five percent goes to the National Association.

With tuberculosis already increasing in a number of overcrowded industrial areas in the United States, the nationwide goal for this year's sale has been set by the National Tuberculosis Association at $8,000,000.

This amount, the largest the associations have ever asked for, is necessary to carry on the expanded work planned throughout the country in an extensive effort to prevent a widespread and material wartime rise in tuberculosis.

If this amount is raised the program planned for 1943 can quickly go into operation.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The United States, for the first time since 1917, is facing a wartime rise in tuberculosis, and

WHEREAS, tuberculosis, the greatest disease enemy of persons between 15 and 45 years of age, is one of the greatest saboteurs in this country, and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that every individual in Avon Park learn and practice self-protection, and

WHEREAS, the Christmas Seal is one of our most valued and far-reaching traditions — a tradition that saves life, and

WHEREAS, the Highlands County Tuberculosis Association, in order to carry on its expanded program, must have the full support of the citizens of Avon Park

THEREFORE, I, E. A. DeLaney, Acting Mayor of Avon Park, do hereby call upon every man, woman, and child to contribute as generously as possible to the Christmas Seal Sale to the end that the so-far victorious campaign against tuberculosis may continue unabated throughout this city.

E. A. DeLaney,
Acting Mayor.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

U. S. French North African Campaign Aimed to Aid British Egyptian Drive In Annihilating All of Rommel's Army; AEF Operations Proceed on Schedule

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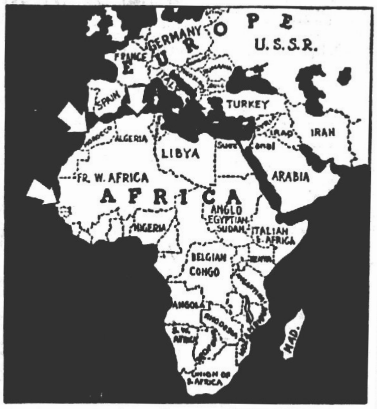


Arrows near top of map show general locations of American troop landings in opening the long-heralded second front. U. S. troops struck at Algiers and other key cities, carrying out operations at a speed even greater than anticipated.

FIRST BLOWS:
Gain Objectives

Even as the city of Algiers fell to attacking United States troops, official communiques from Allied North African headquarters announced new successes in the second front drive to forestall an Axis invasion of French territory.

The Algerian port of Oran was reported in American hands, as was near-by Arzew. The capitulation of Algiers, first announced by Vichy and later confirmed by Lieut. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower in North Africa, provided for American occupation of the city.

Before the city had surrendered, American combat teams and Rangers had captured two air fields in that area and a third near Oran. Possession of the airdromes will enable Allied forces to beat off Axis air attacks from Sicily and Sardinia and gives Mediterranean convoys much-needed aerial protection.

From Allied headquarters in Africa came word of heavy fighting from several French naval units and shore batteries at Algiers and Oran ports, but this was dealt with by British and American naval forces. Coastal defenses at Algiers, manned by Admiral Darlan's navy, sank two light Allied vessels in the harbor. Big guns from some of the greatest warships afloat put an end to the opposition.

VICHY:
Breaks Relations

Meanwhile, the government of Marshal Petain, chief of state in Vichy, France, broke relations with the United States. Pierre Laval, as chief of government, summoned S. Pinkney Tuck, U. S. charge d'affaires at Vichy, and informed him that relations between France and the United States were broken off.

Thus was ended a strong bond of friendship which had persevered for many decades and which lasted through almost a year of war between the United States and France's German conquerors.

At a Washington press conference Secretary of State Cordell Hull disclosed that the United States' relations with Vichy had served their purpose and that the United States no longer cares what attitude the Vichy government takes. He pointed out that the major reason for maintaining relations was to prepare for the drive into Africa. Past relations with Vichy aided the groundwork for that operation.

Petain took his action after talking to his highest advisers, including Laval and Gen. Maxime Weygand, former pro-consul for French North Africa. Early fragments of information reaching Vichy gave isolated reports of at least 10 American landings, air and sea bombardments and De Gaullist (Fighting French) uprisings. American forces were reported ashore in an area extending over about 650 miles of France's North African coast on the Atlantic and the Mediterranean from Casablanca to Algiers.

OPERATIONS:
'Proceeding Rapidly'

While Vichy evidenced its reluctance to believe battlefront reports, authoritative dispatches from American correspondents said that everywhere operations were proceeding rapidly.

Americans were quick to seize airfields in the region of Algiers and Oran. Veteran fighter pilots set their planes down on the fields immediately after ground forces overran the airports. The split-second timing was revealed when, in one case, American fighter planes coming in to land aided in the capture of the field at the last minute with a ground strafing attack which removed the last vestige of resistance.

The feat of one eager American combat force was reported in early communications. One of the few submarines which reached the convoy disabled a transport, packed with the combat force. Instead of waiting to be towed back to port by the destroyers, the army commander ordered his men to take to their assault boats, tiny, flat-bottomed craft designed only for short forays to landing beaches. With destroyers as an escort the strange armada sailed 120 miles through rough water to land at one of the many beachheads. The seasick soldiers stuck to their posts throughout the dangerous journey and achieved what was termed a feat without parallel in such an operation.

ROMMEL:
Distance Runner

The battered remnants of Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's African army had new worries. Pursued relentlessly by the British Eighth army, the arrival of American troops in Algeria launched a powerfully equipped spearhead of power at Rommel's back. The pincers appeared to be closing.

Official British announcements told how the Germans abandoned their Italian allies to capture or annihilation. A Cairo dispatch said that six entire Italian divisions have been captured complete with all their equipment. "It seems clear," said a British war bulletin, "that the Germans withdrew without attempting to extricate any of the Italian infantry formations."

The fleeing Axis armies already had left Mersa Matruh far behind. Halfaya (Hellfire) pass, a narrow defile leading into Libya's arid regions, loomed ahead. Even though the Nazis get through Halfaya pass, they are confronted with new obstacles. They have lost the bulk of their armored forces and most of their Italian support. They are a long way from home and face the possibility of being cut off. Should the battle be fought out in the Libyan desert, it will be possible for the British to flank the remainder of Rommel's men. This they could not do at El Alamein because of the sea on one side and the Qattara depression on the other.

HIGHLIGHTS . . *in the week's news*

HOROSHO—That was the word the Russians shouted through the streets of their towns and villages as they greeted the news of the American campaign opening up in Africa. "Horosho" in Russian is the equivalent of "swell."

KILLED—In Egypt, Peter Wood, son of Lord Halifax, British Ambassador to the U. S., was killed in action.

REVERSAL—Capt. Fred Eldridge, editor of The Roundup, newspaper for American forces in China, Burma and India, urged sarcastically that "all you guys sweating it out up in Assam and China start writing letters to the States and sending little packages of goodies to buck up home morale." He pointed to the "terrible" hardships of gas rationing and the $25,000 limit on salaries

INTER-UNION ROW:
Affects Detroit Firms

Because of alleged interference with their organizational efforts by members of the United Automobile Workers (CIO), 7,000 workers left their jobs in a half dozen Detroit war plants, suspending operations in the production of vital war materials.

The strike was Detroit's largest since Pearl Harbor. It was called off at the end of the first day after War Labor board intervention. In a single day it forced the shutdown of 15 Detroit factories.

The workers involved were members of the Mechanics Educational Society of America (Independent). Matthew Smith, M.E.S.A. president, described the work stoppages as a "labor holiday" designed to "see if there is any law and order in this town—if a man can join a labor union of his own choosing." Smith said the trouble started between his union and the U.A.W. when, several weeks ago, a group of M.E.S.A. officials called at the Briggs Manufacturing Co. to attempt to organize workers there. He said some U.A.W. members threw his men bodily from the plant.

MANPOWER:
And Production

There was much discussion throughout government, industry and labor circles regarding the advisability of increasing the number of hours in the standard American work-week.

General opinion seemed to be that to increase the standard number of hours from 40 to 48 was a good step but further than that few wanted to go.

President Roosevelt at his press conference disclosed some interesting data on the subject. He said that intelligence reports show that last spring the German government decided to greatly increase the work-week, especially in certain munitions plants where the number of weekly hours went up from 70 to 80. For about two months, Nazi production greatly increased but then began to slip until the time came when the output of the 70-to-80-hour work-week was actually less than the former 48-hour week.

Latest monthly reports of U. S. war production show that the nation's industrial machine continues to gain speed as it rolls along; munitions production was up 7 per cent over the month before; airplane production up 10 per cent; ordnance 7 per cent; navy and army vessels 22 per cent, merchant ships 10 per cent.

VOICE:
From a Beer Cellar

Speaking at the Loewenbrau beer cellar on the anniversary of his 1923 Munich putsch Adolf Hitler spouted loud and long about the latest developments in the U. S. drive into the French North African colonies. He declared that the landings there would "no more win the war than the British landings in France early in the conflict."

But while his words were strong and scornful there was evidence to indicate that the recent events in Africa had given him cause for concern. Said he: "We will prepare all counter blows as thoroughly as always, and they will come in due time."

He spent much of his speech in a review of the war and was careful to stress the fact that there would be no German capitulation as in 1918. He drew a parallel between himself and the kaiser, saying that: "The kaiser was a man who did not have strength to see things through . . ." But Hitler indicated that he would have more strength in the hour of crisis: "All the time from my boyhood I have kept the bad habit of having the last word."

ADOLF HITLER
"We will prepare counter blows."

Observers took the tone of his speech to mean that the trend of worrying noticed lately among German citizens had finally reached the stage where officials were inclined to counter with an answer—at least in words.

Hitler said that so far in this war 350,000 Germans had been killed. He admitted the going was tough but claimed that Stalingrad was in Nazi hands.

ITALY:
Double Trouble

News of the American landing brought further pessimism to an already unhappy Italy. The first official comment came when it was announced over Rome radio that ". . . the Italian people—for this attack is directed against us—is facing a terrible trial. The maximum effort of the adversary has been directed against us, but shall we bow down before the . . . weight of this foe without a struggle?"

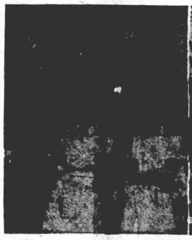
'Schools at War' Program To Help Smash Dictators

A national campaign is under way to enroll the nation's 32,000,000 school children in the war effort. This campaign, known as the "Schools at War" program, was launched by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt in Washington, D. C., recently. Speaking over a national radio hookup and before 4,000 District of Columbia school children, Mrs. Roosevelt urged the boys and girls of the nation to dedicate themselves to active participation in the war effort through this program.

Many of the Capital schools participated in the ceremonies which marked the opening of this notable campaign. These photos will furnish ideas for other schools that are anxious to enroll their pupils in the important work of doing their bit towards whipping the enemies of freedom.

A color guard composed of District of Columbia school boy cadets marches up Constitution avenue.

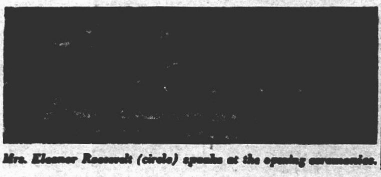
Scrap collection, another vital phase of school children's war activities, is the theme of this section of the Schools at War parade.



A healthy nation is a fighting nation, and the school children of America can do their bit by preaching and practicing the value of nutrition, as is being done by these school girls.

A regiment of cadets from a District of Columbia high school marches to the Treasury building for the ceremonies marking the opening of the "Schools at War" campaign.

The historical background of the country is portrayed here. The costumed youngsters represent the heritage for which we fight.



Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt (circle) speaks at the opening ceremonies.

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Financier of Victory

TODAY our newspapers are filled with patriotic appeals—through news stories, editorials, cartoons and display advertisements—urging us to "Buy Bonds! Buy War Bonds! Buy Victory Bonds!" All of which is nothing new. Financing a war by direct appeal to the individual citizen goes back even farther than 1917-18.

Back in the days of the Civil war, newspapers carried such items as these:

> A soldier in the Army of the Potomac sends to the subscription agent his surplus earnings with the remark, "If I fight hard enough, my bonds will be good." Another soldier said, "I am willing to trust Uncle Sam; if he is not good, nobody else is."

Besides such "readers" as the above, there were also display ads in the newspapers urging the public to buy bonds. The same message was carried to them in booklets, handbills and posters. And all of this was due mainly to the efforts of a patriotic banker, Jay Cooke.

Cooke began work a few hours after he read about the disaster which had befallen General MacDowell's army at Manassas in July, 1861. He sat down, scribbled a few lines on a piece of paper and set out to visit some of his fellow bankers in Philadelphia. Within two hours he had collected more than $2,000,000 to be advanced to the federal government in the form of a short term loan.

Although most people in the North, when the war began, thought it would be a short one, they were soon disillusioned. They soon realized, too, that it would be a costly one. During its first summer, expenditures rose to $1,000,000 a day. By the end of the year they had mounted to a million and a half a day. Upon Salmon P. Chase, secretary of the treasury, fell the burden of providing the money.

Congress authorized the treasury to issue three-year notes, bearing 7.3 per cent interest. Accompanied by Cooke, Chase went to New York to raise money upon the security of these notes. But the bankers there were timid about providing the money until Chase threatened to flood the country with unsecured paper. Then they agreed to enter a syndicate with bankers in Boston and Philadelphia to advance $50,000,000 to the treasury on the secretary's notes if he would appeal to the public to subscribe to them.

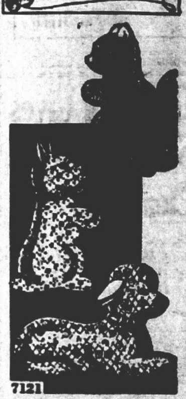
Cooke was named as one of a corps of 148 agents appointed to handle the issue of "seven-thirties" (so-called because they paid $7.30 interest yearly on $100). The Philadelphia banker went at it on a big scale. He bought a large amount of advertising space in the newspapers and kept the editors liberally supplied with "promotional copy." The treasury had allowed him $150 for advertising purposes but he spent many times that amount and paid for it out of his own pocket. When the selling campaign ended it was found that he had sold more than one-fifth of the entire bond issue.

The next year the treasury found that it was becoming increasingly difficult to finance the war. Military reverses suffered by the Union armies had shaken the public's faith in the government. Again Cooke was called in. He was placed in charge of a $513,000,000 issue of "five-twenties" (bonds bearing 6 per cent interest and payable after five and in not more than 20 years). It was then that Cooke's genius for publicizing the bond selling campaign proved itself even more than before.

This campaign was a success, as were his later campaigns—a "ten-forty" loan of $200,000,000 and a "seven-thirty" loan of $830,000,000. All in all, Cooke was responsible for raising more than $2,000,000,000 to finance the Union victory. As one historian has well said "these were the most remarkable feats of financiering known to history."

Methods of selling bonds which may be considered new and original today were used by Cooke in his operations. He devised a "pay roll deduction" plan and more than 1,000 employees of a Philadelphia railroad company subscribed to the bond issue under this plan. Cooke also persuaded many companies which had government contracts to accept bonds in part payment for their services and supplies. He enlisted the aid of stage stars to help publicize the bonds and encouraged newspapers to carry "box scores" showing the progress of the campaigns.

Things to do



7121

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Pattern 7121 contains transfer pattern of toys; instructions for making; materials needed; illustration of stitches. Send your order to:

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'Devil's Door'

Centuries ago many English churches had a "Devil's Door" near the front so that the master of evil could make a quick exit during a baptism when the sponsors "renounced him and all his works" in the name of the child, says Collier's. One such door still exists today in the church in Mullion Town on Lizard Head in Cornwall, England.

COLDS' MISERIES
PENETRO
For colds' coughs, nasal congestion, muscle aches get Penetro—modern medication in a mutton suet base. 25¢, double supply 35¢.

Joints on Hinges

One of the oddest tattooing jobs known was that done on a London gentleman a few years ago when he had a hinge with screws tattooed on every joint of his body.

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RHEUMATISM
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McNEIL'S MAGIC REMEDY
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BUNIONS
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Dr Scholl's Zino-pads

Facts of
ADVERTISING

• ADVERTISING represents the leadership of a nation. It points the way. We merely follow—follow to new heights of comfort, of convenience, of happiness.

As time goes on advertising is used more and more, and as it is used more we all profit more. It's the way advertising has—

of bringing a profit to everybody concerned, the consumer included

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON
Consolidated Features—WNU Release.

NEW YORK.—News of our participation in the Egyptian offensive against Rommel has not been highly personalized, but an occasional passing mention of Maj. Gen. Lewis H. Brereton makes up for the general lack of a dramatis personae. He's a whole cast of characters all by himself, as he commands our air co-operation in the attack—with the widest and readiest grin, one of the stiffest wallops and unquestionably the most flexible vocabulary in the army. He swears in four languages, with rare improvisation and in a rasping voice which is said to be miraculously effective in hopping up fighting men. He is the commander of the U.S.A. Middle Eastern air forces, transferred from India last July.

General Brereton Supplies Complete Dramatis Personae

One might call him the Larry MacPhail of the Army, as he is both zestful and exultant with a fight on, or the chance for a fight anywhere in the offing. He particularly seemed to enjoy commanding America's first offensive in the war in the Far East. That was on April 2. Heading the bombing mission from India to the Japanese-held Andaman Islands, he jockeyed his B-17 right into the thick of the fracas and by all accounts had the happiest day of his life, as the Japanese were given a handsome pasting.

He hit the road to glory after a stiff jolt. He had just been transferred to the command of Clark field in the Philippines when the Japanese came, with no time to get things air-shape. The blasting of his planes and men in the hopelessly uneven contest was terrific and General MacArthur, ordering no more sacrifices, sent him to Australia with his air force and then to India. From his new base, he swarmed all over the battle area, fighting with General Chennault's Flying Tigers and, all in all, made a magnificent comeback.

From Pittsburgh, he went to the Naval academy in 1907 and transferred to the signal corps, our fledgling air service, a year after his graduation in 1911. He fought in the air at Verdun, was shot down at St. Mihiel and came out of the war with the Distinguished Service cross, the Purple Heart, the Legion of Honor ribbon and the Croix de Guerre. Last September, in honor of his exploits in the Pacific, there was added to these the Distinguished Flying cross.

PAUL C. SMITH, quitting the OWI to join the marines, hits this enterprising outfit with a fast running start and should catch their cadence nicely. He is the young speed-ball newspaper careerist of San Francisco, a West coast marvel of the last few years, who not only supercharged the San Francisco Chronicle, as its general manager at the age of 29, but outshone many of the graybeards of the town in labor mediation, civic enterprise and battles for the public weal in general.

Halley's Comet of Newspaperdom Is New Leatherneck

He joined the OWI in December, 1941, and became chief of its news bureau last August. It was to be expected that he would join the marines. He saw many of the global aspects of this war long before it started. The marines go places, globally, and that's always his big idea.

Mr. Smith, the Halley's comet of recent newspaper decades, never went to college. From his take-off at Seattle, his home town, he worked in lumber camps, coal mines and on farms in the northern United States and Canada and later formulated and applied much of this experience in newspaper work.

In 1928, when he was 20 years old, he made a few cautious plays in the market, did well enough, and ventured into investment banking in San Francisco and New York. This turned him toward financial writing and his first connection with the San Francisco Chronicle. He became its financial editor and its general manager in 1937.

In 1938, Mr. Smith toured Europe with his friend Herbert Hoover, and returned, in March, with some ominous prophecies. He said war was surely coming "in from one to five years." The United States, he said, "will pay the price along with the rest of the world. It is no longer a question of whether or not we pay, but a simple question of how much." An interesting forecast in view of what the marines are paying in Guadalcanal. Mr. Smith was one of the few journalists who saw and reported what was happening in France.

Champ Bull Aids War Bond Rally

Royal Rothes, a 2,000-pound champion bull, faces the microphone to help rally war bond sales on his arrival from Scotland, and totals $25,475 in a 15-minute auction at the International Sales Pavilion at the Union Stock Yards, Chicago.

Assisting the breezy "auction" were Miss Dorothy Bruce, a member of the Scotch Kiltie band of the American Legion, and Miss Emily Kraim, secretary of the Polled Shorthorn society, at the right of Miss Bruce.

The famous royal champion of the big Perth, Scotland show, was flanked by Scotch Highlanders with pipe and Kilts and by American and British flags in the rally sponsored by the American Shorthorn Breeders' association upon his arrival in Chicago from Scotland on October 13.

In a statement from H. J. Gramlich, secretary of the association, he said: "Like the shot heard around the world, this single patriotic effort, in lieu of the usual International Livestock exposition, can lead the way for town and city prize cattle exhibits and bond rallies, to be held where state fairs have been cancelled.

"To produce more on the farm is just as vital a war effort as is top production in our factories. No other factor contributes greater assurance of future livestock progress than the acquisition of purebred bulls like this one to strengthen America's position as the world's nursery for improved livestock.

"This purebred bull is an example of the zeal and accomplishments of free people uniting to maintain quality and quantity of our food supply to guarantee the supply of meat for all our home folks and armed forces."

Royal Rothes, who is less than two years old, was brought to the United States from Scotland on the Cunard-Donaldson steamship, Empire Bittern, which left Glasgow about August 17, in a convoy of about 40 ships.

The sponsor of the bond sales, the American Shorthorn Breeders' association, bought $25,000 worth of war bonds, to help make the total more than three times the cost of the bull.

What to Do

By PHYLLIS BELMONT

Please give me some suggestions for a Kitchen Shower.

Answer—Cut your invitations out, in the shape of tea kettles or coffee pots, from red oilcloth, and print the invitation in black ink. Mail in large white envelopes, specifying that the shower is "kitchen ware."

If possible set your table in the kitchen, using dish towels for place mats. Arrange a center piece of two large sized strainers bound together with red bows to form a ball. Surround with small white flowers. Serve a salad in a wooden salad bowl, which will belong to the bride-to-be, and use as many of the gifts to serve the luncheon as you can. When the party is over the bride need only gather together all the things on the table for her gifts.

Ledger Syndicate—WNU Features.

Junior and Pop Join Army

NEW YORK.—George T. Howe Jr., 21, and his 45-year-old father were inducted into the army together, with the son remarking:

"Pop and I ought to make a good team. Gee, what if I get to be Pop's corporal!"

Said "Pop":

"We're tickled to death to go."

Said "Grandpop," George T. Howe, 68, who lives with his son and grandson:

"I wish I were a little younger—I'd join the navy."

IT WAS SAID BY:

1. Edna St. Vincent Millay: 1892-
2. Dorothy Parker: 1893-
3. Helen Hunt Jackson: 1831-1885.
4. Louisa May Alcott: 1832-1888.
5. Mary Abigail Dodge ("Gail Hamilton"): 1833-1896.

FUN FOR YOUR FAMILY

By MISS ABBIE CONDIT
National Recreation Association.

Now's the time to start wondering about your Christmas tree ornaments. Are you tired of the old trimmings, but can't afford new ones? Did you break some glass balls last year that can't be replaced? Then sit down with the family one of these crisp fall nights and make new trinkets. It's just as easy as that!

Have a berry gathering party in the nearby fields and put in a supply for your Christmas-craft sessions. Many different kinds of berries can be used—mountain ash, hawthorn, thorn apples, bittersweet, bayberry, high bush cranberry, barberry. Shellac the berries and before they are dry, thread them on a wire or string. They can be worked into many different ornaments—bells, stars, dolls, crosses, or garlands.

Popcorn strung on heavy thread and then braided makes a festive garland for a window or doorway as well as for the tree, especially if you have dipped the popcorn into bright red and green enamel. Multicolored popcorn kernels strung on wire will make intriguing little figurines and shapes for that bare spot in the upper branches.

To make popcorn balls, an old standby for Christmas decorations, simmer together ½ cup of corn syrup, ½ cup of molasses, ½ tablespoon of vinegar until it is thick enough to form a hard ball in cold water. Add to this a heaping spoon of butter and pour the mixture over the salted popcorn. When cool enough to handle, attach ribbon loops and mold into balls. Bright cellophane wrappings will add a bit of color to the balls.

Paper chains are simple to make by cutting tiny strips of colored paper about six or eight inches long and looping them into ovals. They are strung through one another before pasting the ends together. Nuts and nut shells make clever ornaments if they are dipped into enamel or gilt. Attach loops of thread to the nuts with plastic glue and hang on the nearest branch.

A box of fine soap flakes poured into a large bowl and mixed with a cup of water makes artificial snow that will last several days. Beat the mixture with an egg beater and pile the snow on top of the branches with your hands.

Tiny mirror decorations will add sparkle to your tree. Dig around in old drawers and purses for small mirrors, preferably those which reflect from both sides. If you must use the mirror from your best purse, it can be cleaned and returned when the tree comes down.

Cut bright silhouettes and scenes from Christmas cards and attach to the mirrors with cement or glue. A frill of old lace or paper dollies around the edge of the mirror gives the effect of an old greeting card. Attach a loop of string to the top of the mirror so it can be hung on the tree and make sure you hang the ornaments near colored light bulbs, where they will reflect the light.

Many products of woods and fields can be used on your tree. Burdocks, stuck together into balls and figures, have endless possibilities. Pine cones, milkweed pods, and small leaves or branches can be gilded, enameled or shellacked and hung on the tree or fashioned into wreaths and garlands.

And while you're thinking of Christmas, remember that no tree is complete without the old-fashioned candy cane. But give it a touch of added glamour this year with a perky crimson bow.

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WHO SAID THIS???

1. "Music my rampart, and my only one."
2. "Women and elephants never forget."
3. "Wounded vanity knows when it is mortally hurt; and limps off the field, piteous, all disguises thrown away. But pride carries its banner to the last."
4. "Resolved to take Fate by the throat and shake a living out of her."
5. "What's virtue in man can't be vice in a cat."

Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE

A minute here, a minute there, spent in caring for your skin builds up a real beauty defense! One minute, night and morning, spent in patting on a tiny amount of cream, eases the lines and dryness. An extra minute spent in blotting away excess lipstick gives you a well-groomed appearance. An extra minute used to wash the eyes with lotion defends beauty and good sight! One minute to blend rouge makes you look both pretty and natural!

Ledger Syndicate—WNU Features.

Give a Man a Gun He Can Shoot, Draftee Demands

ST. JOSEPH, MO.—Fireman Mack Hart and William Denver Owens watched a Negro approach, carrying a shotgun.

"Where are you going with that?" Hart called.

"Gonna answer my draft board call," the man replied, without stopping.

"But why a shotgun?"

"Ain't no army man gonna give me a gun I cain't shoot!"

Miss Muffet Didn't Know She Was 'Eating' for U. S. Victory

She Ate Her Curds and Whey, Thereby Helping Nation Dispose of Enormous Surplus Supply of Skimmed Milk

What little Miss Muffet didn't know about her humble fare of "curds and whey" would fill a big book.

Today, America's men of science are busy writing new chapters to that book.

Bringing Miss Muffet up to date: At the moment she was unceremoniously disturbed by the spider, she was unconsciously "doing her bit" for the United Nations—she was helping to dispose of the enormous skim milk surplus that was a difficult by-product problem for America's dairy industry right up to late 1941.

Skim Milk Surplus Disappears.

That dairy by-product problem has recently disappeared. America's fighting Allies in Europe and Asia are taking much of the surplus in the form of evaporated and powdered milk, and the textile, plastics and cosmetics industries now are large users of casein, or skim milk curds. Little Miss Muffet may eat her curds and wear them too, notes a National Geographic society bulletin.

A few short years ago the thought of a skim milk shortage was fantastic. Today the shortage is a reality as United States laboratories develop new products from casein. Casein is even being imported from Argentina.

Fiber From Milk Curds.

The idea of making a cloth fiber from milk is at least 40 years old but not until last year was an acceptable milk fiber produced for the textile industry. This fiber is made by chemically treating and heating casein to the consistency of honey. Then, as with rayon, it is forced through tiny holes from which it emerges in fine, gummy threads. Further treatment renders the fiber soft and luxurious. It resembles the fluff of the milkweed plant.

Fabrics for winter suits containing the milk fiber blended with wool and with rayon now are on the tailor's shelves. The fiber also is spun with cotton, mohair and fur. Stylists assert it adds "body" and "drape" to cloths in which it is blended. Somewhat more expensive than cotton or rayon, it is strong, takes and holds dyes well and withstands laundering.

Blankets, draperies and upholstery materials are being made of fabrics employing the milk fiber. Its first and most general use was in felt hat manufacture. Replacing Belgian and Polish rabbit fur for this purpose, it is said to have "taken the rabbit out of the hat."

AMERICA IN ACTION

TECHNICAL SCHOOL

The Army Air Forces Technical school, training radio operator-mechanics in the former Stevens and Congress hotels and the Coliseum of Chicago, is the newest installation of the Technical Training command. It is also the largest radio school in the country and one of a great number of schools operated by this command from headquarters at Knollwood Field, N. C.

It should be explained that the air forces consist of eight commands, each with a definite function to perform in the gigantic task of making our air forces the largest and most effective in the world.

Three of these commands are closely related. The first is the Air Service command, which decides on the models of planes to be used by the air forces. By constant research and study and comparison with the equipment of our Allies and enemies, this command provides the air forces with the latest designs and improvements. The Materiel command has charge of the purchase of planes decided upon by the Air Transport command, and the Proving Ground command tests the planes after delivery to see that they perform according to specification.

Three other commands are also closely related: the Air Transport command, which ferries planes, the Troop Carrier command, which ferries men, and the First Concentration command, whose function it is to supervise and complete the organization of air echelons, amalgamating them into groups for flight to theaters of war.

The remaining two commands are the Flying Training command, which trains pilots, navigators, bombardiers and gunners, and the Technical Training command, which trains all others having to do with airplane operation.

Because it takes an estimated ten men on the ground to keep one man aloft in a plane, the Technical Training command is by far the largest. It operates a large number of schools all over the United States for machinists, mechanics, propeller experts, armorers, welders, parachute riggers, meteorologists, and radio operators and mechanics.

The men studying at the Army Air Forces Technical school will all see combat duty. Every Flying Fortress has two radio operators in its crew. These men wear wings and are just as indispensable to the efficient operation of the plane as are the other members of the crew. Indeed one of these operators also handles a port-side machine gun. Other soldiers graduated from this school will see duty in flying fields on four continents. For no plane can start a task, proceed on a journey or land without the information transmitted by these men, who are the ears and voice of the air forces.

Gun Is Better Than Bond for This Man

COLUMBIA, S. C.—A selective service board here did not consider a $50 war bond quite so important.

A young man wrote that he felt he should be classified in 3-A as he was "buying a $50 war bond on the installment plan." He said also he was buying some defense stamps. He's now 1-A.

Draperies Made From Wood Cellulose Fine For Home Decorating

Science again has invaded the home, this time to beautify it with draperies made from pressed wood cellulose fibers.

These draperies, for sale on a nation-wide scale, are of water-fast construction. The material in them is not affected or harmed by rain or water.

With ordinary care each pair of these wood cellulose fiber drapes will give many months of service. Although they cannot be laundered or dry cleaned, they can be cleaned by merely wiping them with soft cloth.

For less than the dry cleaning cost of a pair of cloth drapes, these new fiber type can be replaced each season with fresh new designs and colors.

They are no more inflammable than the curtains or draperies you now have in your home. Ironing them is unnecessary. They drape beautifully and wrinkles disappear from them as soon as they are hung.

To alter them, either shortened or shaped, ordinary scissors do the job. By using a fine needle with long, loose stitches they can be easily hemmed.

Raise Red Cross Funds

MANCHESTER. — Farmers and other farm workers of Britain have raised $4,000,000 for the Red Cross in two years.

Notes of an Innocent Bystander:

The Magazines: Lieut. John Mason Brown takes a civilian wallop at Archibald Henderson, G. B. Shaw's biogger, in The Saturday Review. Henderson kept "I-ing" his way into the narrative, said Brown, until "what was supposed to be Shaw's life managed to become Mr. Henderson's scrapbook" . . . Irving Wallace quotes a couple of fabulous Hollywood shoestringers in Coronet on how they can make profitable flickers so fast. "Because," explained the quickie wizards, "we don't have to struggle through red tape, stooges and relatives" . . . Pearl Buck's story, "The Enemy," in Harper's reminds you what wonderful things can be done with words, if you have talent . . . Woollcott's brilliant story of a refugee in Reader's Digest points out that our first refugees were called Pilgrims—an observation that this dep't last-lined more than a year ago . . . Looky, you mag correspondents at the Fronts: We aren't panting to know how bumpy your plane rides are, or how ousylay your meals. Let's have something about the war and the warriors . . . Commenting on the news that three thousand dead Japs received medals from their gov't, Time observes: "The interesting thing was not that Japan had so many heroes, but that the heroes were dead." Punchy sarcasm.

The Front Pages: With a second front raging on African sands and a third front blazing on Guadalcanal, some editorialists are still whooping it up for a second front . . . Hanson Baldwin's lucid military essays about the Solomons, in the Times, are another glorious page of journalism's war reportage . . . As soon as the gazettes finished patting Congress for having the moxie to pass the 'teen age draft bill before the elections, Congressional monkey-wrench throwers made certain it would be deferred until after them . . . The editors have jumped to the defense of the AP in the gov't anti-trust action against the news service. They claim it threatens freedom of the press. Could be. But who tried to defend that freedom when the racing sheets were banned from the stands?

The Intelligentsia: Carl Sandburg's epic four-volume treatise of Lincoln and the Civil War has been digested into a single meaty volume, "Storm Over the Land" (Harcourt, Brace). It's a gold mine of historical knowledge . . . Two decades of Thomas Mann's wisdom have been put between covers in "Order of the Day" (Knopf). You don't have to be told that it contains a shining intelligence worth wrapping around your mind . . . Like the dress suit in "Tales of Manhattan," a passport strings together the arresting story of Ed Beattie's life as a UP foreign newsboy in "Freely to Pass" (Crowell) . . . The typewriters of foreign correspondents may be turning out oceans of books, but each performs a vital function—painting an important segment of the background for the global struggle.

Edward W. Beattie Jr., the United Press correspondent, whose new book, "Freely to Pass," is a click, tells this one . . . At the Munich conference there was a large bowl containing a lone goldfish on a table . . . Someone suggested that they all try to catch it . . . Daladier cautiously rolled up a starched cuff, put his hand into the water and made a grab, but the fish easily got away . . . Chamberlain tried to hook it with his umbrella handle and failed . . . Mussolini shot out his chin, put on his most awesome scowl and lunged with both paws. He almost got it . . . Hitler stepped up and started bailing out the water with a teacup . . . Soon there was only a little water left and the fish flopped around dismally on its side . . . "Grab him, grab him!" cried Benito.

"No," said Hitler, "first he must cry for help!"

Dewey got this telegram on his election: "Congratulations and all the other headaches that go with being a winner."

Judith Evelyn of "Angel Street" relays the latest draft fable. A near-sighted youngster with thick lensed specs was put in 1A.

"Didn't they examine your eyes?" asked a pal.

"No," he said, "they just counted 'em!"

Typewriter Ribbons: Ring Lardner: He looked at me like I was a side dish he hadn't ordered . . . Edith Wharton: A lady of energetic eyebrows . . . B. Alexander: Her wrinkles proved that time had dug in for a long stay . . . Margaret Bailey: She wore conviction like a well cut gown . . . Anne Parrish: A face as calm as custard . . . O. Henry: She gave him a well-manicured glance of a cultured lady . . . John G. Pollard: Geneology means tracing yourself back to people better than you are.

ASK ME ANOTHER ?

A General Quiz

The Questions

1. How much water does an inch of rain give to the acre?
2. What building is known as the "Cradle of Liberty"?
3. How many pairs of walking legs has a spider?
4. In court procedure, if a tales is issued, it means what?
5. A cross shaped like a plus sign is called what?
6. Croesus, the proverbial rich man, was king of what ancient country?
7. What President of the United States was once a sheriff?

The Answers

1. One hundred tons.
2. Faneuil Hall.
3. A spider has four pairs of walking legs.
4. Additional jurors are summoned.
5. A Greek cross.
6. Lydia.
7. Grover Cleveland was sheriff of Erie county, New York.

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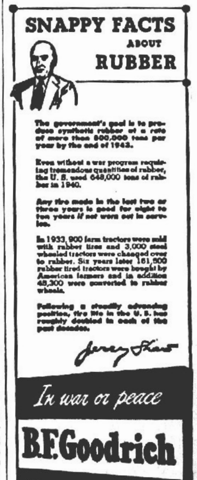
SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

The government's goal is to produce synthetic rubber at a rate of more than 800,000 tons per year by the end of 1943.

Even without a war program requiring tremendous quantities of rubber, the U. S. used 648,000 tons of rubber in 1940.

Any tire made in the last two or three years is good for eight to ten years if not worn out in service.

In 1933, 900 farm tractors were sold with rubber tires and 3,000 steel wheeled tractors were changed over to rubber. Six years later 161,900 rubber tired tractors were bought by American farmers and in addition 48,300 were converted to rubber wheels.

Following a steadily advancing position, tire life in the U. S. has roughly doubled in each of the past decades.

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FIRST IN RUBBER

Folks You Know . .

Mrs. Devon Reddick and son, Dickie, left Thursday night for Sopchoppy, Fla., where they will reside to be near Lieut. Reddick, who is stationed at Carrabelle. Mrs. Reddick and Dickie, recently arrived here from Hattiesburg, Miss., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin, and Lieut. Reddick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Reddick.

Donald John, radioman third class, United States Navy is here from Guantanamo, Cuba, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. John. Mrs. John and Donald were guests this week of the former's mother, Mrs. V. K. Dundon at her home in Sarasota.

Mrs. R. A. Gerrard returned home Monday from a visit of several weeks with her sister, Miss Selma Hjermstead in Louisville, Ky. Enroute home, she visited her husband in Charleston, S. C.

Marvin Reddick, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Reddick, has been transferred from Lincoln, Neb., to Chattanooga, Tenn., where he will begin his training as a cadet in the air corps.

Mrs. I. R. Morgan and attractive little daughter, Sandy of St. Petersburg, spent this week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Napier and son, John, returned to their home in Washington, D. C., on Thursday after spendin gsome time here at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stoll and two sons, Darwin and Bill left Sunday for Jacksonville, where they will make their home, and where Mr. Stoll is employed.

Sgt. Edward J. Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs.. C. A. Clark, who has been stationed at Camp Rooker, Ala., has been transferred to a camp in Mississippi.

Petty Seaman Leon Sheumaker of Norfolk, Va., is spending several days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sheumaker.

Harry Elwell, petty seaman, United States navy, is here from Norfolk, ,Va., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McKee Elwell.

Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood is spending the week-end in Tampa with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Booth Kirkwood.

Phillip Boardman, who recently enlisted in the navy, has been sent to Norfolk, Va., where he is petty officer, third class, in the postal department.

Miss Gloria Hughs, who is attending Florida State College for Women at Tallahassee, is spending the week end here at her home.

Mayor and Mrs. J. H. Talbot and son, Michael have rented the Jack Stoll residence, and are now making their home there.

Jack O. Witt, petty seaman, U. S. navy who is stationed at Norfolk, is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Witt

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Spatz and family have leased the J. A. Napier home on Sebring road, and will move there to reside.

Raymond Gerrard has gone to Charleston, S. C., where he is taking a pre-rador (radio) course at the Citadel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, who have spent the summer in Chicago, returned to Avon Park last Friday.

Mrs. C. F. Kenney has returned home from Washington, where she has been spending several weeks.

Lieut. Devon Reddick has been transferred from Hattiesburg, Miss., to Carrabelle, Florida.

C. A. Straubel arrived this week from Green Bay, Wis., to visit his father, H. A. Straubel.

So impressed were those attending the recent Ramie demonstration staged at the Landone Foundation in Winter Park last week that several prominent Florida agriculturists stated they intended to plant test plots of sufficient acreage to provide seed stock and determine possibilities in their respective sections of the state.

On motion of Charles A. Stewart of Lakeland, the Florida Citrus Commission last week lifted its ban on Sunday inspection of citrus fruits in packing houses, making possible the operation of such plants on Sunday as well as week days.

A. P. Ashby, Jr. of Jacksonville has resigned as assistant state auditor, it was announced last week by state Bryan Willis. Mr. Ashby will become director of the finance State Welfare Board.

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THANKS TO THE VOTERS OF AVON PARK

I deeply appreciate the vote given me in Tuesday's election, resulting in my election as Mayor of Avon Park.

It will be my pleasure to continue to work in harmony with the city council, and cooperate with all the people of this city for its betterment.

In these troublous times, much work lies ahead of all of us. We will win out if we all work together.

Please feel free to call on me to help.

Respectfully,
E. A. (Ed) DELANEY
Acting Mayor

Practical Christian Citizenship

(BY MRS. FRED STEVENS, GOOD CITIZENSHIP DEPARTMENT OF W. C. T. U.)

Christian Citizenship — what a privilege is ours to be not only citizens of these United States of America, but christians as well!

And, because we are christians ought not our citizenship to have a deeper, more meaningful significance than that just being citizens? What a wonderful thing it would be if we with Paul might truthfully say "I am a citizen of no mean city". After all our cities and towns are what we make or allow them to be, so perhaps it might be a good thing if we occasionally stopped and said, "What kind of a town would my town be—If all its citizens were just like me?"

The general laws governing our nation, state and community should be known. After the laws are known and understood they should be obeyed and not evaded, nor "winked at". Then while obeying the laws ourselves, we should help others to do likewise.

The prohibition law was not a failure. Its enforcement was a failure.

As christian citizens we are responsible for social and industrial conditions in our town, cities, and states.

A christian citizen should be interested in a clean press, and should insist it give unbiased facts to the public. It never does any harm, and sometimes its yield, splendid results to thank the press for a well—reported article or a good editorial!

Of course as a good christian citizen, you are opposed to bambling of all kinds, whether at a church fair where chances are sold on various articles, in your own home where games of chance are played for prizes, punchboards, slot machines, gambling or races or any kind of lotteries. Look up the law on this subject in your state.

A christian citizen must be active at election time. We live in a democracy and the continuation of our American way of life is in our own hands.

Rouse ye, christian citizens! Let us take our citizenship as a moral and spiritual responsibility of which we must render an account to our God.

Fish Story

CHICAGO, ILL. — The Western Electric Company has put goldfish to work in its big telephone manufacturing plant in Chicago. The company, long an advocate of "the right man for the right job" philosophy, believes that it has in Sadie, Reuben and Oscar three employees eminently suited to their assignment. The three members of the *carassius auratus* family work in the department concerned with the production of telephone switchboard lamps. Their job: to eat the minute plants (algae) which might otherwise cloud the windows of the tank used for testing sample solutions of the cellulose acetate that goes into switchboard lamp filament supports.

Before Sadie, Reuben and Oscar were called into service, the test tank clouded so frequently that ready observation was impeded. Each week the tank had to be drained, cleaned and refilled. Sadie, Reuben and Oscar go for algae like Lucius Beebe for caviar. Consequently the three little fishes were offered employment as window cleaners their services to be compensated by board and lodging. They told interviewers that they found their 12-gallon home a veritable palace in comparison to the abodes of less fortunate members of the family.

Humor aside, the goldfish are actually perfor[illegible]ng a time-saving service for t[illegible]e men and women who make the telephone.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Communion 8:00 a. m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon 11:00 a. m.
Confirmation and Sermon 8:00 p. m.

Richard I. Brown, vicar.

The Rt. Rev. John D. Wing, D. D., Bishop of the Episcopal Church in South Florida, will administer the apostolic rite of confirmation, and preach at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer on Sunday evening at eight.

Bishop Wing, who is one of the outstanding preachers in the Episcopal Church, is well known in Avon Park, having been a frequent visitor here in recent years, especially in connection with the Young Peoples Camp.

All residents of the community are cordially invited to attend this service.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Emmanuel S. Hedgebeth, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45.

Sunday Worship 11:00. Sermon subject: "For What Are We Thankful?"

Pilgrim Fellowship 7 P. M. at the Church Manse.

Due to the Community Thanksgiving Services, there will be no "Quiet Hour" Services next week.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

SOUL AND BODY" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, November 22.

The Golden Text is: "Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you?" (I Corinthian 3:16).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And what agreement hath the temple of God with idols? for ye are the temple of the living God; as God hath said, I will dwell in them, and walk in them; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people" (II Cor. 6:16).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Rightly understood, instead of possessing a sentient material form, man has a sensationless body; and God, the Soul of man and of all existence, being perpetual in His own individuality, harmony, and immortality, imparts and perpetuates these qualities in man.—through Mind, not matter (p.280:25-30).

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Hoyt Tatum, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.

Morning Worship 11:00 A. M., Sermon topic The Grace of Gratitude.

Evening Worship 8:00 P. M., Sermon topic, Each In His Place.

Instead of the regular mid-week service on Wednesday evening, November 25, we will join with the other churches of the community in a community wide Thanksgiving Service at the high school auditorium.

Florida records for prices for grass-fed steers were shattered at the Arcadia State Livestock Market last week, according to Manager John D. Kelly who as director of the state live stock markets visited every one in the state and is familiar with cattle price records. The steers averaged $98.07 each and average weight was 859 pounds.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

Like proverbial seekers of the "better mouse trap", a group of distinguished men of science, letters, business and industry, representing two continents, gathered from near and far in the quiet village of Winter Park last week to form an illustrious band of "pathbeaters".

Their destination was the modest and cosy vine-covered cottage of Brown Landone, author, scientist and friend of man. Long a student of agricultural, industrial and economic problems, this kindly and learned gentleman, intimate friend of the late Luther Burbank, had arrived at an answer to a problem of great import which had been troubling him for many years. In short he had assembled his "mouse trap" and issued invitations to a selected group to come and see it perform.

And they came, forty or more, despite the discomforts and restrictions of travel and the burden of their own vexing business problems.. They came to see and to learn, realizing that Landone was not the type to urge busy men of affairs to leave their work and neglect their interests for a wild goose chase.. He had promised to lift the current on new and vast horizons of great promise. s

Among the distinguished group were recognized agricultural leaders, industrial tycoons in the textile field, consulting industrial chemists, bankers, representatives of extensive Latin-American agricultrual and industrial interests, brokers, scientists, farmers and growers.

The amazing story Dr. Landone told was the story of Ramie, its unbelievable contribution to the advancement and welfare of mankind and civilization. He traced briefly the history of this fascinating plant that was known and used by ancient artisans long before Christ walked the earth. He exhibited a few of the amazing products manufactured from the bark, gum and fibers of this remarkable plant, textile as sheer and beautiful as the finest silk but four times as strong; weaves of others in varying stages of weight and texture, up to a resemblance of heavy canvass; from the thinnest cigarette wrapper to heavy papyrus, known to ancient Egypt; plastics of exquisite quality useful in the manufacture of anything from a thimble to a transport plane.

But this was not what those gathered there had come to hear. They were already familiar with the fabulous value of this wonderweed, and they also knew that the textile mills of the world were crying in vain for tons and tons and more tons of Ramie fiber. War industries needed it in unlimited quantities for the manufacture of parachutes, and countless other products. Plants dealing with plastics were eagerly bidding for the by-product represented in the bark. But what all this have to do with them and with the Americas more especially with Florida.

Briefly here is the story. the bulk of the Ramie produced in the world has long come from the Orient. Although the plant can be grown with equal success in certain favored locations in North, South and Central America, inability to compete with cheap labor of the Far East and with no successful method developed to mechanically prepare the products in the form demanded by the plants and mills, has alone stood in the way of the profitable commercial growing of this wealth producing crop.

Determined to find the answer Brown searched for 23 years, tested and experimented with 77 decorticating processes, none of which proved practical, and finally found the answer in an ingenious machine which the inventor has trademarked under the name of "Nanjer". In a process taking only five hours it converts the growing plant in the field, cut green, to the finished cleaned, uninjured long fibers demanded by the texitle people, and the shredded bark in the form most desired by manufacturers of plastics. After exhaustive tests and analyses, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and leading textile chemists and manufacturers pronounce it the only machine yet known that processes the fiber and bark without injury and in a form acceptable to the manufacturer.

Thus, with the one handicap to Ramie growing in Florida overcome by this machine, which is neither complicated nor costly, the farmers assured a marketable product with the demand unlimited, nothing stands in the way of Florida's becoming an extensive producer of this big money crop.

It would take a book to tell the whole fascinating story of Ramie, but after seeing this demonstration and talking with these men of authority, all of whom were favorably impressed, I am convinced that the day of Ramie has dawned in Florida, and the horizon it presents for increased agricultural and industrial wealth is unlimited.

I have arranged with Dr. Brown Landone to prepare a series of articles on the subject of Ramie growing in Florida, which will be released as an exclusive feature through the Florida News Service, for it is a story every Floridian should hear and it cannot be told in a single column.

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Lovely Tea on Wednesday at Jordan Home

Mrs. R. H. Jordan and Mrs. Walter S. Betts were hostesses at an afternoon tea from three until five oclock on Tuesday at the lovely home of the former, Highland Lakes. The affair was given for the benefit of the library department of the Women's club.

The colorful tones of autumn were accentuated in the floral arrangements in the living room, where bouquets of chrysanthemums and mandrain hat were used to clever advantage. The large picture window at one end of the living room, lent additional charm, and afforded a clear and beautiful view of the lake.

In the dining room, the table was overlaid with a handsome lace cloth and centered with a silver bowl filled with exquisite shell pink roses and gerberas, in pastel tints of yellow and pink. The silver tea service was at one end of the table and silver trays held black walnut dainities, and individual cake squares. Mrs. G. P. Thayer poured from three 'til four, and Mrs. John D. Raab, during the second hour. Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. H. C. Worden and Mrs. J. A. Johnson assisted in the dining room. Mrs. C. E. Lanier presided over the guest book.

The guests were privileged to view, during the delightfully informal afternoon, the wonderful collection of pitchers, which have been collected as a hobby by Mrs. Jordan, for a number of years. The assortment included many unusual sizes and shapes of pitchers in a variety of colorings, and among them were a number of handsome oriental vases that Mrs. Jordan acquired while abroad.

Nineteen books were donated to the library at this time, and a generous contribution was made toward the library fund.

Among the guests who called during the designated hours were Mrs. W. M. Reck, Mrs E. O. Knight, Mrs. Hoyt Tatum, Mrs. Walter S. Martin, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. E. L. Dalls, Mrs. B. T. Durrance, Mrs. J. F. Kirk, Mrs. Paul L. Rumpsa, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. George F. Johnson, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. J. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Chas F. Catlin, Mrs. C. P. Turner, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Lloyd H. Ellis, Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. Wm. Bates, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson.

Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb, Mrs. J. C. Wing, Mrs. B. G. Williams, Mrs. J. H. Baldwin, Mrs. C. Madeira, Mrs. Harry Chioffe, Mrs. Nellie Trishmer, Mrs. W. A. Roberts, Mrs. W. D. Croft, Mrs. Fred Stevens, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. H. R. Smith, Mrs. Roy Selma, Mrs. W. D. Bunton, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. Alexander Gilmour, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. R. G. Wood, Mrs. John O. Neikerts, Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann, Mrs. L. H. Park, Mrs. Max Wild, Mrs. T. D. Wells, Mrs. R. I. Mayeack, and Mrs. J. D. Raab.

Mrs. Lois R. Bruce and L. Berkowitz Married Saturday

Mrs. Lois Rish Bruce and Lee Berkowitz, both of Avon Park, were united in marriage at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, Nov. 14 at the parsonage of the First Baptist Church in Sebring. The Rev. R. C. Floyd, pastor of the church, officiated in the present of relatives and a few close friends. The double ring ceremony was used.

The bride was attired in an attractive black two-piece suit, trimmed in gold, with which she wore matching accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of American Beauty roses with gold leaves.

The bride's only attendant was her matron of honor, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis. She wore an afternoon frock of green and black floral jersey with black accessories.

The bride's step-father, W. L. Frazier, attended the groom as best man.

Other guests present were Mrs. W. L. Frazier, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Vera Garner.

The bride is a former resident of Avon Park, and graduated from high school here with high honors in 1930. She has recently returned to make her home here.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Berowitz of Flemington, N. J. He had made his home here for the past several months, where he is employed as a civilian instructor at Lodwick Aviation Military Academy.

After the ceremony, the couple left for a short wedding trip to St. Petersburg, after which they will return to Avon Park to reside.

Circle Luncheon at Johnson Home on Tuesday

Mrs. J. Arthur Johnson and Mrs. Chas. F. Catlin were hostesses Tuesday at the home of the former on Lake Tulane, at which time they entertained memebers of the Raab circle of the W. S. C. S., of the First Methodist Church and several additional guests.

The daintily appointed luncheon was served from the dining table, which was centered with an attractive arrangement of yellow alamanders. The guests were seated at small tables. Mrs. Raab, circle chairman, presided at a business meeting in the afternoon.

Those enjoying the luncheon and meeting included Mrs. J. D. Raab, Miss Furlow Anderson, Mrs. W. S. Rawlings, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, Mrs. I. W. Chandler, Mrs. Ray Young, Mrs. A. A. Cobb, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. W. A. Thomas, Mrs. B. F. Willson, Mrs. A. E. Hollingsworth, Mrs. Hoyt Tatum, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. E. E. Murray, and the two hostesses, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Catlin.

Two Are Hostesses at Club Party Monday Evening

Mrs. Katherine Bristol and Mrs. C. A. Clark were hostesses at the home of the former on Monday evening, at a delightful party, when they entertained members of the B. P. W. club. Chrysanthemums, in artistic arrangement formed the decorations in the party rooms.

Bridge was the diversion of the evening, in which high score was made by Mrs. Phillip Boardman, and second high by Miss Mattie Tompkins. Both prizes were Defense Stamps.

After the games, the hostesses served delicious refreshments of apple pie and coffee to those presents who were Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mrs. H. C. Bigbie, Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Miss Kate Tompkins, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, and Miss Margaretha Vogt.

Bombing Range Needs Instruments For Orchestra

The Sun is asked to make an appeal to the general public for band instruments for the Bombing and Gunnery Range. There are a number of musicians at the base, it is stated, and with the proper instruments, a good orchestra could be organized.

The instruments especially needed immediately are drums and a basso viol. However, any donations will be appreciated. Anyone having instruments they wish to donate, please contact Lt. Lionel H. Russell, special service officer, General Bombing Range, Avon Park.

Miss Green Hostess to Sans Souci Club on Tuesday

Miss Elizabeth Green was hostess to members of the Sans Souci club and additional friends at a lovely party at the Customer's room of the F. P. S. company on Tuesday evening. Potted plants lent an autumnal touch to the spacious room.

The V for victory motif was cleverly emphasized in the tallies, scorepads and other bridge appointments. High score prize for the evening was won by Mrs. Raymond Dilley, second high, by Miss Millie Pearson, and Miss Marie Anderson received the guest high award. The hostess served dainty refreshments of iced drinks and cocktail crackers.

Those enjoying the party included Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Sara Browning, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Miss Mildred Myers, Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mrs. John Bunting, Miss Iva Phillips, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Mrs. Harold Rowe, Miss Verna

Methodist Circle Meets at Hut Tuesday Afternoon

The Jackson Circle of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church met at the Hut on Tuesday afternoon for the business and program meeting. Mrs. Harry Jackson and Mrs. Floyd Hougaboom were hostesses for the afternoon.

Mrs. Jackson led the devotional and presided over the business session, and Mrs. Hoyt Tatum closed the meeting with prayer.

During the social hour, dainty refreshments of cheese crackers, doughnuts and coffee were served to those present who were Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. T. H. Hughs, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. Walter S. Martin, Mrs. Hoyt Tatum, Mrs. C. O. McGhin, and Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood.

Garden Club Met Friday Afternoon

The November meeting of the Garden club was held last Friday at the Customer's room of the Florida Public Service company. Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, president, presided.

Plans were discussed for interviewing the city council, in regard to cooperating in planting and otherwise improving the section of the mall, in which the band stand is located. The next meeting will be held Friday, Dec. 11.

WORKERS NEEDED AT RANGE

Anyone interested in employment at the Bombing Range is asked to write Lt. Otis Cutler, c/o Avon Park Range, and arrange for interview.

Salmon and Rice Make Meal in a Trice

WITH shortages making the food news—here's good news! Canned salmon, says the Agricultural Marketing Administration, will be available (but no tuna); the domestic rice crop appears plentiful—and that's as good a reason as any for combining the two in the real mayonnaise-made top-of-the-stove quick meal pictured in the illustration. Its secret is its sauce, made with real mayonnaise—freshly pressed vegetable oils and eggs, spices and vinegar without starchy fillers—and here's how to do it without further ado:

SALMON RICE QUICKIE

½ cup real mayonnaise
½ cup chili sauce
¾ teasp. salt
½ cup milk
1-lb. can salmon
¾ cup drained, cooked peas
2½ cups steamed hot rice

Combine real mayonnaise, chili sauce, and salt in top part of double boiler. Gradually add milk, stirring after each addition until smooth. Cook over boiling water 5 minutes, stirring frequently. Break salmon into pieces and add to mixture, mixing lightly with fork; add peas. Heat about 15 minutes, stirring occasionally. If overcooked sauce will curdle. Serve immediately in ring of steamed rice. Makes 6 servings.

Variations:

1. Use ⅔ cup real mayonnaise in place of ½ cup real mayonnaise and ½ cup chili sauce; proceed with preparation of sauce as directed. Use ½ cup sliced stuffed olives and ½ cup sliced sweet pickles in place of peas; add just before pouring into rice ring.

2. Substitute ½ cup tomato catsup for ½ cup chili sauce in above recipe. Proceed as directed, using ½ cup sliced mushrooms and ½ cup cooked lima beans in place of peas.

3. Use ⅔ cup real mayonnaise in place of ½ cup mayonnaise and ½ cup chili sauce in above recipe. Add ½ teasp. thyme, ⅛ teasp. allspice and ⅛ teasp. ground cloves with salt. Proceed as directed, using ½ cup diced celery and 4 tbsps. chopped green pepper, which have been sauteed in vitaminized margarine until tender, in place of the peas.

Births

Sgt. and Mrs. Sam W. Luce of Monroe, La., announce the arrival of a baby son, weighing seven pounds and three ounces, who arrived Monday, Nov. 2. The young man has been named Jan Franklin. Mrs. Luce was Miss Josephine Sherertz before her marriage, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sherertz, Avon Park.

Baptist W. M. S. Has Program Meeting Monday

Circle one was in charge of the program meeting of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church, held at the church on Monday afternoon. Mrs. A. J. Turner led the meeting, the program being based on the cooperative prayer of Southern Baptists. Those taking part on the program were Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. A. J. Turner, Mrs. J. E. Crosby, Mrs. H. A. Bishop, Mrs. Bob Hutchison, and Mrs. E. C. Wever.

Bridge Party at Hartt Home Thursday Evening

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt was decorated with arrangements of chrysanthemums and other fall garden flowers on Thursday evening, when they entertained their club, and additional friends at bridge.

Punch was enjoyed during the three progressions, and dainty refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served after the games. High score prize for the evening was won by Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber; and second high, was given to Mrs. E. G. Todd and D. G. Perry. The awards were Defense Stamps.

Club members and guests who were so delightfully entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Hartt on this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, D. G. Perry, Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, T. A. McNicholas, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Betts.

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Theremometers will be tested for the growers of the Southern Ridge District by the Federal-State Horticultural Protection Service on Monday, Nov. 23, 1942.

This is a free service and all growers are urged to take advantage of it. Grove thmometers should be tested annually due to the tendency for their accuracy to vary because of "curing" of the glass. This will be the only testing date this season.

Each thermometer should be tagged at the end opposite the bulb end, with the owner's name and address written in pencil. The thermometers should be transported in an upright position with the bulb end down to prevent separations in the alcohol column.

All possible precautions will be taken during testing, but the Federal-State Horticultural Protection Service will assume no responsibility for breakage or loss of thermometers.

Thermometers may be left at any of the depots listed below not later than the time indicated after each location. They will be returned not later than late Monday afternoon.

Dundee Pharmacy, Dundee, 9:30 a. m.; Ridge Drug Store, Lake Wales, 10:00 a. m.; McCallister Grocery, Babson Park, 10:30 a. m.; Rexall Drug Store, Frostproof, 11:00 a. m.; Touchton's Drug Store, Avon Park, 11:30 a.m.; County Agent's Office, Sebring, 12:00 noon.

OSCAR N. NORMAN,
Assistant Meterologist,
Field Manager of Ridge.

Mrs. Patterson Is Hostess to Club on Thursday

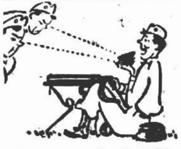
Mrs. S. G. Patterson entertained members of the Trump It club at a delightful dessert bridge at her home on Thursday. The rooms were decorated with colorful arrangements of chrysanthemums and roses to emphasize a fall motif.

A tempting dessert course, consisting of lemon pie and coffee, was served before the games.

High score prize for the afternoon a box of stationery, was given to Mrs. J. C. DeShong, and second high, a scrap book, was won by Mrs. J. B. Francis.

Those enjoying the party included Mrs. James A. Davis, Mrs. Virgil Hall, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. J. B. Francis, Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, and Mrs. Devon Reddick.

Private Jones



"They shall not pass"—not until Private Jones finishes his cake. His best girl made it with RUMFORD—the baking powder that helps even a novice to turn out delicious cakes. FREE: Victory booklet of sugarless recipes! Help conserve. Write today. Rumford Baking Powder, Box B8, Rumford, Rhode Island.

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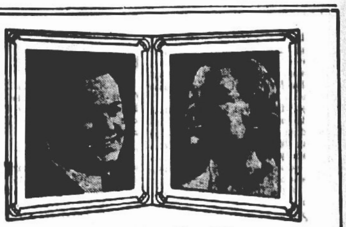
Mulberry Wins From Red Devils By 20-14 Score

Mulberry won its Ridge conference homecoming game in Mulberry last Friday night, coming from behind to defeat Avon Park's Red Devils 20 to 14.

Berquist scored Mulberry's first touchdown in the first quarter from the 18 yard line. In the second quarter, Lawhon scored for the Devils, and in the third Lawhon passed to Smith for another touch. berry tied the score in the final period on Berquist's touchdown, then won the game when Hunt took a pass from Berquist for a touchdown.

The Red Devils play Sebring here tonight.

Line-up for the Mulberry game: Vilkaitis, le; Harris, lt; Varnas, lg; Mathis, c; Collins, rg; Skipper, rt; Locke, re; Rutledge, qb; Smith, lh; Lawhon, rh (Captain); Hunt, fb; Sub: Gribble.



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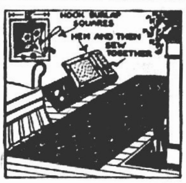
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Twelve-inch squares of burlap overcast around the edge made the foundation pieces. Patterns for the repeat design were cut from paper and the burlap was marked by drawing around these with wax crayon. Loops of fabric strips were drawn through with a steel rug hook. Red was used for the curved lines shown at the upper left. Tones of brown for the flower and gray for the cherry background. Mixed colors for the rest of the design.

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NOTE: Mrs. Spears has prepared a special pattern for the rug in today's sketch with detailed directions for beginners. So, even if you have never made a hooked rug, you can start now making squares for a rug of any size you wish. Book 7 in the series of homemaking booklets contains 31 of these sketches with instruction text; also descriptions of the series. Send your order to:

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By VIRGINIA VALE
Released by Western Newspaper Union.

MARSHA HUNT has learned how to find a movie actress in a big city. Recently she and Ann Rutherford were both in New York, and both on personal business trips, so they hadn't given the M-G-M office their addresses. So, though they wanted to meet, they couldn't locate each other. The day before returning to Hollywood for "The Human Comedy," Marsha, besieged by fans asking for autographs, asked one if he knew where Ann was staying. "Sure—right on the floor above you!" he replied.

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And, speaking of autographs—Virginia Weidler's new picture, "The Youngest Profession," is about them. In it William Powell will appear as himself; he's Virginia's screen idol, and her efforts to get his autograph lead to a series of hilarious situations.

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Success Story: In 1940 Margaret Hayes was voted the best artists' model, then the best photographers' model. She's made some pictures—had the feminine lead in "In Old Colorado" and a featured role in "New York Town," and Goldwyn picked her for a principal supporting role in "They Got Me Covered." Now she's in New York for three radio shows and a Broadway stage production!

MARGARET HAYES

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Dick Powell teaches a class in navigation between his scenes in "True to Life" at Paramount. He's an expert yachtsman, and some of the younger members of the company who are preparing themselves for flying and marine service in the war asked him to do it.

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Neither Claudette Colbert nor Rudy Vallee cares for eggs in the raw—but for a scene in "The Palm Beach Story" they each were to swallow three "prairie oysters," concoctions of raw eggs, worcestershire sauce, etc. The property man promised to fix up something that would look like the genuine article but avoid the raw egg difficulty. He did—but the substitute was apricots in root beer!

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It looks as if Warner's "Air Force" might turn into one of these star-maker pictures. John Garfield and Harry Carey are the only time-tested stars of the production; the youngsters of whom Director Howard Hawks has hopes are Gig Young, John Ridgely, Arthur Kennedy, Charles Drake, Ray Montgomery, Ward Wood and James Brown. The first two have an edge on the others.

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Arch Oboler, writer-producer of the weekly show "Lights Out," has a new book of radio plays, "Plays for Americans." As he's a top-notch writer for radio, aspirants can't do better than get a copy and study it. Sponsored by the Association for Education by Radio, the plays, through agreement with Oboler, are available to any group free of royalties for the duration of the war.

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Jack Pearl used to sign his name to letters, and beneath it "World's Greatest Liar." Now it's changed to "World's Second Greatest Liar." In explanation Jack says, "I couldn't be champ with Adolf around." Phil Baker ends notes with "Bye-bye. Buy bonds!"

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Brenda Marshall and Osa Massen, of "Background to Danger," each has a parent in a country occupied by the Axis. Miss Massen's mother, sister and brother are in Denmark. Miss Marshall's father was managing a plantation in Negros when the Japs moved in.

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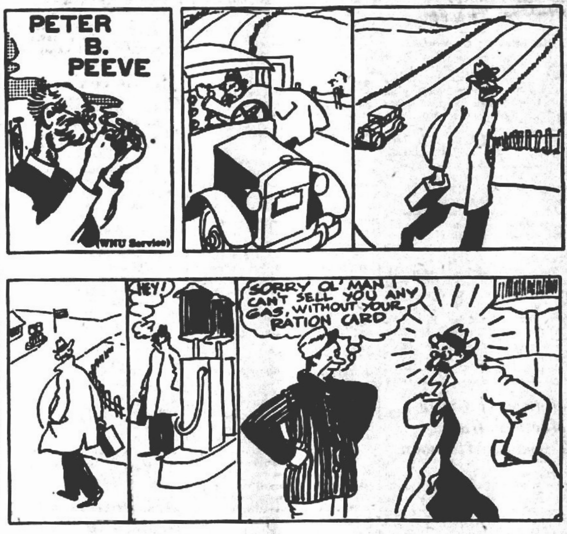
ODDS AND ENDS—Ida Lupino is probably the only stage or screen star who was born during an air raid—it happened in London during a Zeppelin raid, in World War I . . . George Raft has been dickering for a motorcycle; Warner Bros. isn't keen about his riding one, but he's got to have some way of getting to the studio . . . He's working in "Background for Danger": if there's anything in a name the motorcycle ought to help get him in the mood . . . Judith Anderson has learned that the ambulance she donated to the British army is being used in Bristol; her brother, with the British forces, told her.

OUR COMIC SECTION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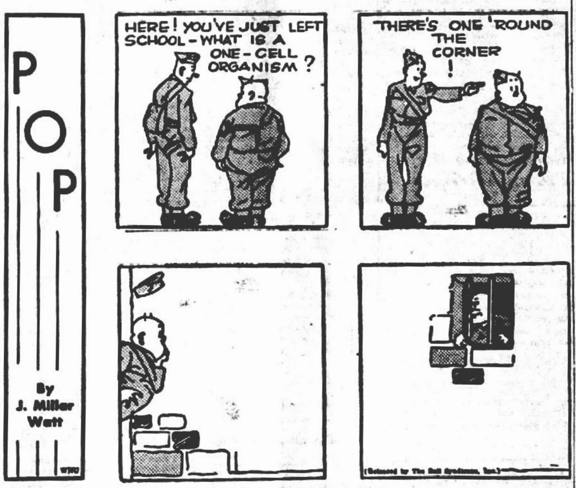
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THERE'S ONE 'ROUND THE CORNER!
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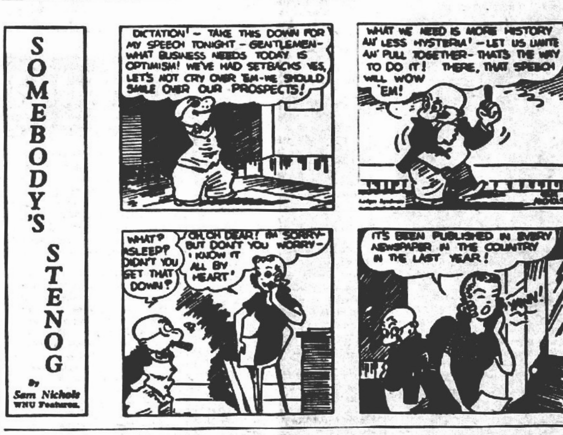
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WNU Features.
DICTATION! - TAKE THIS DOWN FOR MY SPEECH TONIGHT - GENTLEMEN - WHAT BUSINESS NEEDS TODAY IS OPTIMISM! WE'VE HAD SETBACKS YES, LET'S NOT CRY OVER 'EM - WE SHOULD SMILE OVER OUR PROSPECTS!
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OH, OH DEAR! I'M SORRY - BUT DON'T YOU WORRY - I KNOW IT ALL BY HEART!
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AUNTIE SPEAKS

Newly engaged Mary took the lucky man to interview, and be interviewed by, her Aunt Jane.

At a convenient moment Mary asked proudly:

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"Mary, my dear," said the old lady, who believed in speaking her mind, "I'd sooner feed him for lunch than for life."

SAFE SIDE

Doctor—Your mother-in-law's condition is very serious.

Henpeck—Get down to cases, Doc. Am I to fear the best or hope for the worst?

OH, DEAR!

A little Scotch girl was taken by her father to an old-fashioned church for the first time. She stared for a while at the old Highland minister, shut up in a box pulpit, thumping the Bible and waving his arms about.

Then, unable to stand it any longer, she whispered in a frightened voice: "Father, what'll we dae if he gets oot?"

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Reviewed by
CARTER FIELD

Bureau Chiefs' Pretense At Being Essential . . . Save $1,000,000,000 a Year?

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WASHINGTON.—There are two fundamental difficulties in accomplishing governmental economy in non-war activities. These explain just why the recommendations of the senate appropriations sub-committee have not been heeded by the administration.

One of these is the human desire on the part of each government official to retain his own importance—to preserve not only his job but his prospects for advancement. This sort of thing is not confined to the government service, of course. It is rampant in business.

There human nature operates on precisely the same pattern. The larger the corporation, the more chance the individual "cheater" has of getting away with it. A haystack hides more needles than a molehill.

In a corporation there is at least an incentive for somebody to discover the waste. It is the much reviled, among the liberals, profit motive. Even a lowly minority stockholder is apt to discover the waste of his money, and to sound off about it. Then there are officers of the corporation who will get credit from their boards of directors by pointing out how the savings could be effected.

There is a trace of the latter in government. But not very much. For example it is almost unthinkable that the studies made by Senator Harry F. Byrd of Virginia would have passed unnoticed if the investigation he had conducted had been into the expenditures of the American Telephone company.

Mere publication of Byrd's reports would have stirred up such a hornet's nest among the minority stockholders that action by the high officials would have been virtually compulsory.

Business of Government

But in this business of government, unfortunately, there do not seem to be any minority stockholders. All of us taxpayers actually are comparable to the minority stockholders of a big corporation, of course, but we are not "profit conscious" in the way most minority stockholders are.

The best example of pure waste of man power and government money is the department of agriculture, which is proceeding full steam with all the divisions which formerly were created to prevent surpluses in the staple crops, in other words to curtail production in order to prevent price declines.

It is true that in wheat and some other staples there are large surpluses at present. But the idea of making surveys and paying farmers not to grow needed foodstuffs in view of the war situation, plus the situation everybody knows will exist the moment war is over—that of feeding a starved world—is one that would not appeal to a grammar school child IF—there were no human elements involved. That is where the man who wants to preserve his own importance comes in.

The second element is always with us—the desire to reform everybody else. Granted that this is an essential part of government in ordinary times are the activities of hundreds of department of justice lawyers and clerks trying to reform the Associated Press, and the Aluminum company, to mention just two pending cases, necessary now? Couldn't they be postponed until we are not so terribly busy with something more important?

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Zealous to Save Government Money?

If President Roosevelt had a lieutenant, say one he trusted as much as Harry Hopkins, who would be as zealous in trying to save government money on nonessential, nonmilitary items as Henry Morgenthau is in trying to devise new taxes, you and you and you would have to pay one billion dollars less taxes next year and every year after that.

Different persons might differ as to the total results, naturally, but probably no disinterested investigator would place the amount at less than one billion dollars. And we mean one thousand million dollars.

They say one cannot visualize a billion dollars. True. But any grammar school boy or girl can add items to that amount, whether they comprehend the total or not.

One of the ablest men in the country recently estimated that efficiency would be increased, and he was thinking of the war agencies, by a reduction of 70 per cent in the clerical personnel. This particular man had not been interested in the non-war activities.

In some of them there should be a 100 per cent reduction, because the work a few of them are doing there is not only the waste of the salaries, typewriters, stationery and free mail perquisites, not to mention the man power, but the work done is actually harmful to the war effort.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Sweet biscuit will not rise properly if too much sugar is used.

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Chamois gloves will retain their color if washed in water in which the peel of two oranges has been boiled.

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To keep a bowl steady while using a beater or mixer, set it on a cloth on the table.

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To clean out a burnt pan add one teaspoon of soda to each cup of water needed to fill the pan, cover and simmer 30 minutes.

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Mirrors, framed to harmonize with the other furnishings, can be used to brighten dark corners in hallways, bedrooms and even living rooms.

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Should a glass or bottle fall to the floor and break, wipe up the area with a wet, crumpled newspaper. The small particles of broken glass will catch and stick to the wet paper.

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When you put on your clothes, remember the labor of the weaver; when you eat your daily bread, think of the hardships of the husbandman.—Chinese Proverbs.

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SING A SONG OF KITCHEN THRIFT
SINK YOUR DIMES IN WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

ACE IN THE HOLE

by JACKSON GREGORY

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CHAPTER I

Old Early Bill Cole knew full well in the fullness of his years that his days, held by some filled with iniquity and general hell-raising, were numbered and his sands were running fast. He had known for six months and with a sort of devilish flicker of glee in all that he did, had gone about making the final arrangements. He was a rare old lone eagle and in him was a stripe of Satan a yard wide, at infrequent times something almost saintlike, and on many a joyous occasion a dash of Santa Claus.

"Even if I got to die like other fool folks," he consoled himself, "I'm going to get me my mite of fun out of it! Hell's bells, yes, sir!"

With his preparations pretty well in order, Early Bill Cole of the King Cole Ranch still estimated that his course had a few weeks to run, but that was before this particular morning had blossomed in shining gold out of the pleasantly cool, shadowy dawn. It was always his habit to be astir before the new day. He had no great fondness for the night time. The things he loved with all that wild old heart of his were the good earth and green things growing, and the earliest hours with the last stars winking out rather like the twinkle in his old, hard, steely blue eyes, and the little dawn breeze and the sunup and the glorious unfolding. And of late he was up and out of his enormous old adobe ranch house each morning earlier than was even his habit. He didn't want folks to see him and realize what he was up to. For each day he was telling some part of his wide spread acres, the whole of his world, a last adios.

For many the year he had inhabited all alone the ancient, picturesque adobe building which long before his days had been the home of the Spanish-California Estradas.

At first, being younger and even wilder then than at the end, he had always had a house full, and very colorful accounts of proceedings under the red tiled roof and within the thick white earthen walls leaked out. But now, no. A quarter of a mile from the old adobe, beyond a big grove of cottonwoods, were outbuildings, stables and corrals and barns and quarters for hired hands. His latter years he wanted to be alone, like an old wolf, except when he himself went out in quest of company.

Thus, this morning, he should be sure of going about whatever his own business might be, with no fear of a spying eye. He stepped along under the fading stars with his horny thumbs hooked into his cartridge belt, his battered old black hat pushed far back on his thatch of white hair, his high-heeled boots stepping briskly. He was darned if he'd crawl about like an old man, seen or unseen.

The house was on a gently bosomed site with big oaks all about it; to the west, miles away, towered the mountains; between the house and the mountains were little rippling green hills where many a tall pine and many a tight clump of young pines grew. He walked toward the nearest hill with the three nobly tall pines on its crest. Here was a place of vantage well above the slopes where chaparral and manzanita wove themselves into thickets for rabbits to hide in.

It was still half dark when he came to the one pine which, with no one in the least suspecting it, he had loved with a deep, still, fragrantly romantic love for nearly forty years. There was a reason, locked away in his own heart. In the half dark, and with no eyes to see, he pulled off his hat and looked up at the one star, still bright, laughing down at him through the branches. He put his long, thin, sinewy arms as far as he could about the tree. He pressed his grizzled cheek against the bark, so rough yet to his feeling so tenderly soft—

Then a rifle shot, clear and vicious, cracked through the still loveliness of the hour, and old Early Bill Cole felt a stab of pain. For a moment he clung to the pine tree, gripping it tight for support. Then, quick and erect, he stepped free of it and as he did so dragged both of his old guns, almost as old and worn and deadly as himself, up from their loose leathers.

His shrewd old wintry eyes barely discerned a puff of smoke like a wisp of vanishing mist hanging above the thicket where a fiercer animal than brush rabbits was hiding this morning. And not waiting for any sure target he started blazing away with both guns. What amazed him was that no second shot was winged his way.

So still was the hour that small sounds carried far and distinct; he heard a man crashing his way through the bushes, and prayed through clenched teeth for a fair sight of him. None was afforded however until his assailant, having run to a horse tethered under the crown of the slope, went up into the saddle. The distance was great, the light none too good; Early Bill leaned against his old pine and steadied himself and was very deliberate about his next shot. And then, with a catch in his throat, he laughed; there were times when the old man could laugh like a wolf snarling.

He had come within an inch or two of shooting the other man through the head; he had shot his hat off! That's what made Early Bill, contending with the pain of a bullet in him, laugh. The man threw up his hand and by a lucky chance caught his hat in the air—and then departed like something shot out of a gun.

Early Bill holstered his weapons, set his long, lean back against his tree and cursed, and when old Bill Cole cursed in such rage as now his words would have drawn rapt attention from a congress of mule skinners. What made him mad wasn't so much having a man try to dry gulch him; hell's bells, he had been used for a target more than once in his stretch of years. But that a man should sneak up on him and hide and spy on him when he thought himself alone with memories and an old pine—

It was a wickedly wrathful Early Bill Cole making his staggering, lurching way back to the house. The return over the brief distance which had taken him some few minutes required a tortuous hour. He got his door open, got halfway into his living room and fainted.

After a time—it must have been upward of an hour, for the sun was glancing in at his windows—he heaved himself up, moved shakily to a big chair, slumped down with a grunt and closed his eyes. Presently he stiffened will and body together and got his shirt open. He had lost a lot of blood that he could not afford to lose. The wound was through his side, down low through the lower ribs. Lucky, he judged, that he hadn't already bled to death.

Then quick and erect, he stepped free of it.

Without getting up he ripped off his shirt and with badly shaking hands contrived a bandage of sorts. Then, half swooning, he sat for a long time, feeling light headed yet as grim of determination as he always was to get the better of a bad deal. Finally he rose and made his way like a drunken man to the door opening upon the old Spanish patio whence he could look down to the cottonwood grove just beyond which the outbuildings were. He saw a faint smudge of smoke above the tree tops. He filled his lungs and tried to yell; he snorted, though feebly, in disgust as the result. He dragged out his guns; there was a shot left in one, two in the other. He fired all three shots, spacing them, and let the guns slip out of his hands. Then he sat down on the old green bench to wait. Though the earlier shots had evidently gone unheard, the distance now was less and the hour later, and he had hopes.

It was one of his Mexican hands, young Gaucho Ortega, who came slouching up the slope, wondering what was afoot, and found him.

"For the love of God!" cried the boy in his native tongue.

Old Bill licked his lips and beckoned the boy closer.

"Get on a horse, Gaucho," he said thickly, "and ride into town. Tell Doc Joe I want him real bad. Now, wait a shake! Darn you, can't you stand still until a man finishes? Then you find the Judge. I want him, too."

"Si, si, Senor!" cried the excited boy. "I'll ride Slim Jim, and I'll go like the wind! But, Senor! The first thing, I must get you to bed!"

"Look you, Gaucho," said the old Bill, of a sudden patient, taking into consideration the boy's youth and excitability, "if I've got to cash in, I can do it standing up. And if I'm going to live, what the heck would I want a bed for? Now get out of here." A wry grin twisted his hard old lips, and he added, "I'll be here when you get back."

The little town of Bald Eagle, squatting untidily in its place in the sun with the cattle country lying to the south and southwest, and the hectic mining country in the broken lands to the north, was as lively as any cricket most nights and many a gala afternoon, but profoundly somnolent before what was conventionally termed first drink time. This morning you wouldn't have seen a horse tied to any of the hitching rails, nor a puff of dust in the road not playfully stirred up by the half-hearted morning breeze, nor would you have heard anywhere the echoing thump and jingle of spurred boots on the crazy wooden sidewalks. But on the porch of the Bald Eagle Hotel two old men sat in their rocking chairs and smoked their after breakfast stogies and looked with mild, complacent eyes across all that was to be seen of their town's stark ugliness.

These were the two men for whom Early Bill had sent. They were alike in many respects and in some were like old Bill Cole himself, though they never could measure up to his stature.. Younger than Bill, they were, too, by some few years. "Doc Joe," who had been christened Joseph Daniel Dodge; the "Judge," for the other, Bald Eagle's one and only lawyer at the moment, banker besides, and christened Arthur Henry Pope. Like old Bill, though some inches below his six foot two, they were lean and wiry and gray. Doc Joe was as bald as a door knob, the Judge's glinting white hair was long like a mane and both wore fashionable flowing white mustaches. One an old bachelor, the other a widower for so many years that it was as though he, too, had never known a home life, they lived at the hotel, had their three meals together, and did their porch-sitting in the two chairs which the community conceded were their particular property by right of homesteading.

They were sitting brooding, smoking ruminantly and digesting their hearty breakfasts when the Mexican boy from the King Cole Ranch came racing into town. He saw them as he turned into Main Street, and began yelling at them before they could hear a word that he said.

"Hmf!" grunted Doc Joe. "Something must have bit him."

"It's that half-breed from Early Bill Cole's place," the Judge said, with his shaggy brows perked up. "And he's riding old Bill's favorite saddle horse. Must be something wrong, Joe. Else Bill wouldn't let any breed that ever lived fork Slim Jim."

Gaucho slung himself out of the saddle and poured out his story in a deluge of words. The two old men didn't stir, didn't say a thing until he had finished. Then Doc Joe said quietly, "Take it easy, Gaucho. Now tell me—" And this time he got the essentials. He and the Judge regarded each other with poker faces, and for a time no one spoke. Gaucho, jerking about, started to tell the whole thing over when Doc Joe interrupted him.

"Here's four bits, kid," he said. "You go buy yourself a drink. You'll want to let your horse blow ten minutes. Then you ride back to the ranch and tell your boss that we're coming. Pronto, kid."

"Si, Senor," said Gaucho and touched his hat and moved away.

And still the two old men sat as still as the ancient hills behind Bald Eagle. They didn't look at each other again.

The Judge cleared his throat; sounded as though some of that dust had settled in it. He tossed his cigar away, only half-smoked though it was, and gnawed off a hunk of his plug cut.

"Looks like the old buzzard must be in pretty bad shape, and knows it," he offered. "Well, the old fool didn't have much longer to live anyhow. I always told him I'd outlive him; fact is, we've got a bet on it."

"I know," muttered Doc Joe. He looked his cigar over carefully, but instead of throwing it away started chewing it. "Same with him and me; we've got a bet. Five hundred, like yours."

Then he did stand up and hurl his cigar clean across the street.

"I'll go bet my little old black poison bag," he said cheerily. "You better fetch pen and ink and papers and any other legal junk a dying man might want." Then he let out a whoop, calling back Gaucho Ortega who had progressed only as far as the near-by saloon door. "Get along first to the livery stable, Gaucho. Tell Luke to let me have those two young grays to a light buckboard."

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Speaking Sports

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WHEN the Brooklyn Dodgers signed Branch Rickey to a five-year contract as general manager, the club secured the services of one of the most powerful men in baseball.

Mr. Rickey has an uncanny knack of judging men. He is a polished orator graduate lawyer, churchman and holder of numerous degrees. He has properly been called the father of the "chain store" system of using smaller clubs as a recruiting ground for young players.

In addition, Mr. Rickey is no stuffed shirt. He still works as hard to achieve success as when he was teaching country school in the hills of southern Ohio.

Rickey coached baseball at the University of Michigan during the seasons of 1912 and 1913. He "discovered" such stars as George Sisler and Johnny Lavan for the St. Louis Browns. At the urging of owner Robert Lee Hedges, he became a part-time scout for the St. Louis Americans and finally came to the front office as secretary. He became manager of the Browns in 1916.

Named President

The following year a group of St. Louis men bought the Cardinals. Rickey was named president and field manager and remained at this job until 1934 when he was made general manager of the extensive Cardinal system he helped create.

Rickey liked to get his ball players young—preferably at the age of 16 or 17—and bring them up in the Cardinal's farm organization. The system paid dividends—not only in strong Cardinal teams, but in direct profits.

Through their chain system the Cards developed more players than they could use and there was a ready market for them. Quite a few National league stars were trained in the chain store system and then sold to a rival club.

BRANCH RICKEY

While quite a few managers are good judges of a new player's ability, seemingly fewer of them can sense the first signs that a star player is slipping. Rickey had an unerring instinct in this regard. He sold players who appeared to be at their peak but who, in his judgment, were starting the long trip downhill.

Memorable Deals

The Cubs bought Dizzy Dean from him for $185,000 in a deal which will be long remembered in Chicago. Diz was through and didn't take long to prove it. Joe Medwick went to the Dodgers for $100,000 and several players. Brooklyn doesn't have much to say concerning that particular investment. Johnny Mize went to the Giants for another $100,000. The Cards still won the pennant.

Rickey pointed out that "The Cardinals offer the real challenge in this Brooklyn job. They will be hurt by the draft comparatively less than any other team in the majors. I know they can bring 11 major-league pitchers, four catchers, their whole infield plus Ray Sanders, the extra first baseman, and at least six outfielders to camp. All those men are married and are fathers. They are hurt most in the outfield where they've lost Enos Slaughter. Terry Moore also is unmarried."

It is obvious that changes will be made in Brooklyn. Rickey also remarked that "The alarming thing about the Dodgers is the number of 10-year men on the team. The direction and rapidity of their descent over the last 40 days of the season is cause for concern in planning for 1943. And yet, it is a fine team . . . and, while most of the players are veterans, they are competitive veterans and know how to fight. But I have always said that it is a bigger mistake to hold on to a mediocre player too long than to let go of a good one too soon."

Rickey's actions through the years prove that he means that last very logical statement.

Professor Rickey

Mr. Rickey is a man of strong beliefs. He looks like a college professor and once was. He taught at Allegheny college in western Pennsylvania before reporting to the Browns in 1905. A graduate of Ohio Wesleyan, he later became a trustee for that institution. Active in church circles, he would not, for years, attend a Sunday game. He even turned over his managerial chores to one of his assistants on the Sabbath. Unquestionably it will be quite a change from the MacPhail regime.

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Hippety-Hop Over the Globe

By Beverly Smith

(WNU Feature—Through special arrangement with American Magazine)

I landed this afternoon at an airport in Maryland. Where do you think I was last night? In Iceland. And yesterday morning I was in London.

That's the way the U. S. Army Air Transport command plays hippety-hop with global geography.

Primary jobs of the Air Transport command are: first, to take planes as they roll off factory assembly lines and fly them to army airfields in the U. S. A. or to the fighting fronts anywhere in the world; second, to pick up vital loads of men and materials, which cannot wait for surface ships, and fly them to the point where they are wanted, anywhere in the world. Simply a world-wide air delivery service, combined with a world-wide flying freight and passenger service. Sounds simple, doesn't it? But it isn't.

After spending weeks talking with its mechanics and high officers, its pilots, navigators, and weathermen, I still find trouble describing the Air Transport command. It grows literally faster than you can write. Already it is larger than all the pre-war air lines of the world combined. Already Brig. Gen. Harold L. George, in command, looks forward to the day when it will be ten times its present size.

But it isn't the size; it's the importance to our war effort. Not long ago, in an inaccessible part of Alaska, an important military hospital was burned to the ground. An SOS was sent to the command. Material and equipment were flown in. Within 36 hours a 24-bed emergency hospital was set up and operating. This freighting operation would have taken weeks with surface transportation.

Planes Versus Ships.

"But how," I wondered, "do transport charges, with even the latest model air transport plane, carrying only 20 tons, compare with those of a ship carrying 6,000 tons?"

Here, the Air Transport command, with its world-wide operations, is proving out a new tonnage-mile arithmetic. For example, take 80 cargo planes 5 tons each. That makes 400 tons. In one month those cargo planes can make 15 trips each, while the merchant ship is making one trip. Fifteen times 400 equals 6,000. Thus, 80 such modern cargo planes can do the work of one big merchant ship. And the planes don't have to worry about submarines.

Of course, the ton-mileage cost of plane freight is still far above that of ship freight, but it is creeping down. Mass production of the big sky-trucks is just getting well under way: costs will go steadily down; efficiencies and pay-loads are going steadily up. The point where valuable express freight may find cargo planes cheaper than railroads, trucks, or ships is coming into sight. And then?

It's a Small World.

Yes, the world is making one of its swift changes under our very eyes, as it did when Fulton's first steamboat chugged up the Hudson, or when the golden spike was driven into the first transcontinental railroad, or when auto pioneers began tinkering with mass-production assembly lines.

Little over a year ago, this terrestrial child prodigy was set up under the name of the Ferrying Command by a presidential order directing the army to help speed up delivery of lease-lend planes to Britain. It started with two officers and a clerk. On June 9, 1941, an army pilot took off from a factory with a new plane and delivered it to the British in Montreal.

The events of December 7 boosted the infant command to world dimensions. American production of armaments and planes reached record levels. American production, we agreed, would win the war.

Recently I passed some time at a great Air Transport command field in the eastern part of the United States. A year ago this land was a potato patch. Now it is criss-crossed with runways each over a mile long.

Barracks have been built, hotels brought into service, to house the fliers and maintenance men. Dispersed about the field, as far as the eye can reach, are heavy bombers, light bombers, big transport planes. Some have just come in, others are about to take off. Tank trucks rumble about feeding fuel into the planes, while mechanics give the final checkover before the planes leave for Persia or Chungking, or Russia, England, or Alaska.

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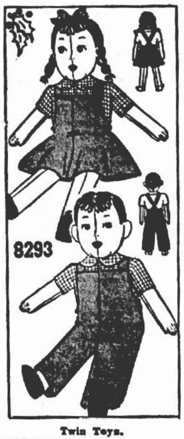

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During the progress of a lawsuit, a witness was cross-examined regarding the habits and character of the defendant.

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"Well, sir, it's this way—"

"Will you kindly answer the question asked?" struck in the irascible lawyer.

"Well, sir, I was going to say it's this way: I don't want to do the defendant an injustice, and I won't go so far as to say he's lazy exactly; but if it required any voluntary work on his part to digest his food, he'd die from lack of nourishment."

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