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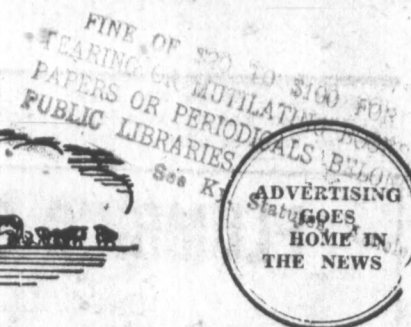
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Bryant, University Ky. Coach, Speaker At Football Banquet

Rotary Club Host to Annual Feast Held at Carr Institute

Paul Bryant, head coach of the University of Kentucky, was the principal speaker at the annual football banquet held last Friday at the Carr Institute cafeteria under the auspices of the Fulton Rotary Club. The occasion was arranged in honor of the 1946 edition of the Fulton High football team.

Billy Mac Bone and Tip Nelms, called the "best pair of ends in the state" by Supt. Lawrence Holland, were announced as co-captains of the Bulldog team next year.

Coach Bryant said that he was proud of the record made by the Bulldogs this season, and congratulated Coaches Goranflo and Carter upon their efforts to produce an outstanding team.

The speaker urged Kentucky schools to go farther in their physical education program, and said that the younger boys in junior high should be reached. Following his talk the coach showed a film of the Kentucky-Marquette game.

Lettermen announced were: Seniors: Hunter Whitesell, Pal Boaz, Jerre Lowe, Don Samons, Ray Steele, Lloyd Grymes, Jack Browder, Dick Meacham, Danny Beard, Billy Murphy, Billy Joe Forrest.

Juniors: Bone, Nelms, Read Holland, Royce Bynum, Billy Joe Speight, Curtis Craven. Sophomores: Leon Mann, Jimmy Hodge and Aubrey Glasco.

Freshmen: Jimmy Ruddle and Hubert Stone.

Coach Carter gave a brief resume of the 1946 games. He said that the team will lose the starting backfield next year, and that means another backfield will have to be built.

Supt. Holland introduced the football queen, Betty Davis; the senior cheer leader, Joan McCollum; Miss Mary Royster, FHS faculty member; Bill Browning, Yewell Harrison, Wilson Gantt and Noble J. Gregory, Congressman of the First District.

Hunter Whitesell, Clyde Williams and J. E. Fall Jr. were guests of the Rotarians.

STONE HEADS OBION COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Cecil Stone, prominent Obion county farmer, was elected as the new president of the Obion County Farm Bureau last Saturday during a meeting of the directors. He succeeds Fenner Heathcock, who served as president for the past three years. Heathcock was named as the state vice president recently.

Herman Wood was named as secretary of the Obion county farm group, and Mr. Heathcock as the vice president.

NEW PHONE BOOKS DISTRIBUTED IN FULTON

The new telephone directory is out, with many changes in listings, and other information for the public. F. H. Riddle, manager for the Southern Belle Telephone Company here states that about 2,796 new phone books have been distributed.

The new directory has a green cover to distinguish it from the old gray covered directory.

Telephone patrons are urged to make full use of the new directory in order to avoid mistakes and delay.

BULLDOGS LOSE TO WICKLIFFE CAGERS

The Wickliffe Tigers staged a rally in the last half, which the Fulton Bulldogs failed to stop, and won over the local team 41-38 in the first game of the season on the local court last Friday night.

The Wickliffe second team also defeated the Fulton Pups 23-14.

Wickliffe has lost only game to Sharpe out of nine starts this season. Fulton led 22-20 at the half, but poor shots at the basket cost them the game.

Water Supply Here Now Free Of Germs Pickering Reports

Chlorine Used in Water Twice A Week To Prevent Pollution

The water supply for the city of Fulton is now free of pollution according to recent tests by the state department of health, R. C. Pickering, chairman of the water works committee for the city council, points out. Water samples of November 21, 22, 23 and 29 were said to be free of contamination.

The city's water supply has been chlorinated periodically for several weeks, Mr. Pickering said.

One-third of the samples of the local water supply tested during the past two years contained germs and pollution, Dr. Paul Peterson of the state department of health recently stated in a talk before the Fulton Rotary club.

CITY BUSES ARE NOW OPERATING IN FULTON

Buses of the Fulton Bus Company are now making regular rounds in Fulton. These buses have regular routes and stopping places, and they also stop on signal to pick-up and discharge passengers, according to Harry Wayne Shupe, owner of the bus franchise in the city of Fulton.

SOUTH FULTON CAGERS WALLUP DIXIE TWICE

South Fulton Red Devils added their third scalp to the museum VP their third scalp to the record by defeating Dixie 34-21 last Friday night. They had already met and defeated Obion and Hornbeak.

The Angels, the scintillating girls team, won over Dixie 33-21 to cap their second victory.

DEATHS

MRS. MARY BAUGHMAN
Mrs. Mary Frances Baughman, a native of Fulton, passed away on Nov. at Phoenix, Ariz. Funeral services were held at Edwards Bros. Colonial Mortuary, Los Angeles, Calif., Thursday, Nov. 14 with Dr. Robt. P. Schuler officiating. Special music furnished by Edwards Bros. Colonial Singers. Interment was at Inglewood Park cemetery.

Mary Frances was the daughter of Claud and Emma West, the father having preceded her in death Oct. 4, 1935.

She leaves her husband; mother, one brother, Claude A. West.

She was a member of the First Methodist church of Fulton.

Her passing has brought sadness to many hearts for her sweet sunny disposition and high ideals won her many friends.

She has answered the Master's call, and entered into that higher life. Nature carried her soul gently over the river where those who have gone before stand waiting in glad expectations.

Beyond the sunset she has gone to rest a little while, leaving memories of loving words and the sweetness of her smile.

She was a niece of Mrs. J. H. Roberson of Fulton and Mrs. Jas. L. White of Los Angeles, Calif.

WILLIAM H. SMITH

William H. Smith, 72, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Smith, died at the Weakley County hospital in Martin Friday morning after a long illness. Funeral services were held at Walker's Chapel Saturday afternoon by Rev. A. D. Seratt and interment was in a nearby cemetery.

He leaves his companion; five sons, Cloyce, R. C., Elbridge and Bertie, all of Chicago, and Nelson of Latham; two daughters, Mrs. Horton Nanney of Latham and Mrs. Margie Hendrickson of Chicago; 11 grandchildren and one great grandson; one sister, Mrs. Homer Brundige of Dresden.

Be faithful over home relations; they lead to higher joys: obey the Golden Rule for human life, and it will spare you much bitterness.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Tranquil pleasures last the longest; we are not fitted to bear long the burden of great joys. Bovee.

Ky. Farm Bureau Stands In Fourteenth Place

With its largest membership in history, 37,170, the Kentucky Farm Bureau stands in fourteenth place among the 44 state Farm Bureaus in the nation, says an announcement released this week by J. E. Stanford, Louisville, executive secretary.

This is an increase of 7,807 over the preceding year. The total membership is scattered through 102 counties of the state, with only counties in the eastern mountain section being unorganized. However, a number of these are now making an effort to organize.

At the annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau Federation which opened in San Francisco, Dec. 9, Kentucky accepted a membership quota of 40,000 for 1947. This is for the national fiscal year which ended Nov. 30.

At the annual meeting of the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation, to be held Jan. 8-10 in Louisville, the various county organizations will set up their quotas for 1947. The total of these may exceed the total national quota. Although the fiscal year of the state organization does not end until Dec. 31, it is expected that the difference in totals between the two periods will be negligible.

Some major changes have been made in the procedure of the state annual convention. Among them is starting the general session at 9:30 a. m., the first morning, which will be Wednesday, Jan. 8, instead of at 1:00 p. m. in the afternoon. The resolutions will be presented to the voting delegates on the afternoon of the second day instead of the last morning.

Also five of the commodity conferences will be held the afternoon of the first day (Wednesday, Jan. 8) beginning at 1:30 p. m. and continuing until 4:30. At 4:30 p. m. the tobacco conference will open.

Mr. Stanford says he expects the largest crowd in the history of the organization to attend the January meeting. He warned that reservations for those expecting to attend should be made early.

TB SEAL DRIVE HAS NETTED \$350 ALREADY

Although complete results of the TB Christmas Seal drive will not be known until next week, better than \$350 has already been subscribed by local citizens. The drive is sponsored by the Young Men's Business Club.

YMBC HELD DINNER MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT

A barbecue dinner meeting was enjoyed by members of the Young Men's Business Club Tuesday night. Dan Henry, Adrian McDade and Edward Benedict were admitted as new members.

The club voted to refer plans for a New Year's Dance to the entertainment committee composed of Carter Olive, Happy Hogan, Bill Hainline, Elvis Babb, Lloyd Bone, Frank Wiggins and Leon Fields.

It was decided that the regular second December meeting be cancelled.

W. ED HEATHCOTT

W. Ed Heathcott, 76, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Heathcott, died at his home in Union City, Dec. 3. Funeral services were held at his son's home, 120 Norman-st., Fulton on Thursday of last week by the Rev. Walter Michke and interment followed at Chapel Hill.

He leaves his four sons, Smith and Jeff of Detroit, Noah of London, Ark., Ellis of Fulton; two sisters, and one step sister, Mrs. J. A. Murchison of Montgomery, Ala., and Mrs. L. R. Jackson of St. Louis, Mrs. Ed Parker of Duke-don; fifteen grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

He married Miss Nannie Smith and seven children were born. One son and his companion preceded him in death. He later married Mrs. Etta Bowers who also preceded him in death.

Farm Expenses May Be Higher In 1947

Farm expenses may be higher than ever next year, according to the annual outlook report of the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

"In fact," says the report, "when farm cost items are considered in relation to income, 1947 is likely to produce the highest relative costs since the beginning of World War II."

"Farmers probably will pay higher farm wage rates in 1947 than in 1946, and because of increased employment of farm labor the total wage bill will be higher. However, production per worker is also likely to increase, making the unit cost for labor similar to 1946. Costs of operating farm tractors, trucks, and automobiles in 1947 are expected to be about 15 percent higher than in 1946. Slight increases in the costs for other farm machinery are in prospect and further price increases for most items of new equipment are likely."

"The average cost for feed in 1947 probably will stay near the levels reached in late 1946, but costs of high protein feeds will be higher in 1947. Seed costs are likely to continue high because of demand from devastated countries."

"Costs for fertilizer will show a slight increase, but in spite of this fact fertilizer will remain as one of the cheaper sources of feed through increasing yields of feed grains, hay and pasture. Costs of lumber, containers, and farm supplies are expected to be somewhat higher in 1947 than at present."

"Interest costs probably will level out or increase but slightly next year. Taxes on property, payable in 1947 probably will be higher because of increased levies in 1946. Wide gaps between insured value and replacement costs will also prompt many farmers to obtain more insurance."

"The over-all result could easily mean lower net returns to the operator and family for their labor and investment, and the situation calls for careful and judicious spending in 1947. Total cash costs can be lowered by reducing production, but reduced production usually results in a higher unit cost and an even greater reduction in net income."

"The situation appears to call for maintaining production while bending every effort toward reducing unit costs. Special attention should be given to paying off debts, avoidance of contracting new debts, increased efficiency in use of labor and machinery, obtaining higher yields while cultivating fewer acres, development of manual skills, especially mechanical ones, avoid hiring services, and growing more of the feed fed on the farm."

WILLIAM McDADE OPENS FURNITURE STORE HERE

A new firm has opened its doors at 202 Church-st. and will be known as the McDade Furniture Co. William McDade is the proprietor.

Young McDade is well known in this vicinity, having been employed as a fireman with the Illinois Central Railroad for the past five years. He was also associated with Olive & Leonard, furniture dealers, in Mayfield.

Previously he was connected with his brother, Maxwell McDade in construction work.

Mr. and Mrs. McDade reside at 108 Pearl-st. and have two daughters, Millicent 6, and Betty 4.

BROTHER OF MRS. AIKIN DIES IN BELLFONTAINE, O.

Mrs. C. E. Aikin of South Fulton received a telegram Thursday that her brother, Chas. DeLong, passed away at his home in Bellfontaine, Ohio, Dec. 11. Mrs. Aikin recently visited him on her way home from Indiana, but was unable to attend the funeral.

FOR RENT — Furnished room. Billy Bradley, 501 W. State Line, after 4:30 p. m. 3tp

Charles E. Adams Elected Head Cayce Farm Group

Charles E. Adams was elected president of the Cayce Community Farm Bureau at their annual election and banquet held at Cayce school Thursday night, December 5; Samuel E. Holly, vice president and W. H. Harrison was re-elected secretary and treasurer. There were at least 160 present, and everyone enjoyed the nice supper prepared by the Cayce and Rush Creek Homemakers.

Mr. G. P. Summers from the University of Kentucky, was the principal speaker and spoke on the future outlook for agriculture, which was very appropriate for the occasion. Others who were out of the community visitors and made short, interesting talks were: Chas. E. Wright, president of the Fulton County Farm Bureau; Roy Bard, president of the Palestine Community, and Mrs. Binford; Jno. B. Watts, county agent; Mrs. Chas. E. Adams, home demonstration agent; J. B. McGehee, county secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. McGehee.

The membership report was given by Mr. Gehee and the progress made by the different communities also compared, and expressed his usual optimistic views of the final results in obtaining more than the total county quota.

The Rev. Clegg of the Cayce circuit, gave the invocation.

C. A. Binford Re-Elected President Crutchfield Farm Bureau Group

C. A. Binford was re-elected by acclamation as president of the Crutchfield Community Farm Bureau at their annual election and banquet held at the Crutchfield school on Wednesday night, Dec. 4. Neal Little, vice president and J. R. Elliott, secretary-treasurer, were also re-elected by acclamation.

The largest attendance according to their membership attended this meeting of any community, which averaged better than 80 percent of their old membership present.

Mr. Perry Summers from the University of Kentucky, was scheduled to be the principal speaker but through some misunderstanding, failed to make his appointment. However, there were others who made short talks as follows: John B. Watts, county agent; Chas. E. Wright, county farm bureau president; Roy Bard, president of Palestine community; Margaret Adams, home demonstration agent, and J. B. McGehee, county secretary and treasurer; Mrs. J. B. McGehee and Charles E. Adams.

Mr. McGehee gave the membership standing of the various community in the county and again praised the Crutchfield community for making such good progress toward reaching their 1947 goal.

The Crutchfield Homemakers prepared a wonderful supper and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves.

RADIO CONTEST WINNERS ANNOUNCED BY LOWE

The radio contest held over station WENK of Union City and sponsored by the Fulton Electric and Furniture Co., closed Saturday December 7th, Ernest Lowe stated this week.

Four of Mrs. R. S. Matthews piano and voice pupils won first, second, fourth and fifth places in the contest, the winners being Susie Lee Clement, first, \$20; Gilbert Sisters, second, \$15; Gene Vancil, fourth \$5; Lottie B. Bellew, fifth, \$2.50.

Third place in the contest was won by Elise Dodson and her accompanist, Paula June Hornsby, pupils of Miss Mary Attebery of Hickman and their prize was \$10.

The contest proved very much of a drawing card for the radio station and the sponsors, Fulton Electric and Furniture Co., and Mr. Lowe was well pleased with the reception given his program.

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Farmers Optimistic About 1947; Not So Sure About Prices In 1948

Farmers, for the most part, are optimistic about prices for most farm commodities during 1947 but are hesitant about predictions for 1948, if recent actions taken by six commodity committees and the legislative committee of the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation can be taken as an indication.

Some of the most important points considered by the committees included the difficult situation confronting burley growers on surplus production and unsatisfactory marketing conditions, the wide variance of prices on manufactured milk, effective support prices on livestock, state funds to match Federal funds on agricultural marketing and production research, Government grading services, marketing quality eggs, rural roads and communication services.

Many county recommendations covered these same points. Most important among others was a recommendation to change the Federation's convention date so that it would precede the annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau and regular Legislature sessions.

With the exception of tobacco, each commodity committee on dairy livestock, field crops, poultry and fruits and vegetables, and the legislative committee during the past few days held its final pre-convention session, as a part of the long process of drafting the Federation's annual program. The tobacco committee voted to hold its final session during the Christmas holidays after the market had been open for three weeks.

The recommendations of each committee are to be submitted to the resolutions committee, which meets Nov. 25 and 26 in Louisville. This committee will consider recommendations from each county Farm Bureau, as well as from each commodity committee. From these suggestions a program will be drafted to be submitted to the voting delegates representing each county at the annual meeting, which is set for Jan. 8-10 in Louisville.

The Advisory Council of the Associated Women has also met. During its session the council acted as a resolutions committee and adopted a four-point program to be submitted to the Federation's Associated Women at their annual meeting, which is to be held Jan. 8 in Louisville.

Each county Farm Bureau is entitled to one voting delegate to the Women's session. However, as many as will come are urged to attend.

FIRES BRING OUT FIRE DEPARTMENT HERE

Minor fires were extinguished by the Fulton fire department last week end.

A panel truck belonging to Barney Finch caught on fire on the Mayfield highway and the fire truck was called.

A stove pipe fell down at the Elvis Myrick home, corner Sixth and Eddings, and some smoke damage was suffered.

An oil stove blaze was extinguished at the Raymond Pewitt home about three miles north of Fulton. The residence is occupied by Thomas Doty and family.

MASTER FARMER REED HAS ENTRY IN BOURBON BEEF SHOW DEC. 17-18

S. J. Reed, Samjo Farm, and recent Master Farmer, winner, has one entry in the \$5,000 Bourbon Beef Show to be held in Louisville at the Bourbon stock yards Dec. 17 and 18.

Major awards in the fat stock show are \$1,000 to be given for the grand champion, \$500 to the reserve champion, and \$1,000 for the grand champion carload of 15 head.

Other prizes in the fat stock show are for single animals, groups of five and carloads bring the total awards to \$5,000.

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RECEIPTS OF THE WEEK

A hearty and delicious dessert requiring only a small amount of sugar is baked Indian pudding with corn meal as its principal ingredient. The longer it is cooked at a low temperature, the better the flavor, according to Miss Florence Imlay, food specialist at the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

Baked Indian Pudding

- 1 cup corn meal
- 1-2 cup molasses
- 1-4 cup molasses
- 1-4 cup sugar
- 1-4 cup fat
- 1-4 teaspoon salt
- 1-4 teaspoon baking powder
- 2 eggs
- 6 cups hot milk
- 1 cup raisins

Combine the dry ingredients, then add the molasses, beaten eggs and half the hot milk. Heat to the boiling point on top of the stove, stirring frequently. Then pour into a well greased baking dish or casserole and bake in a slow oven, 275-300 degrees, for two and a half to three hours. Add the raisins one hour before removing from the oven.

Menu: Baked spareribs with sauer kraut, baked potatoes, fruit salad, rolls, butter and Indian pudding with cream.

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Wassail Bowl For Auld Lang Syne

The Wassail bowl goes around in Scotland—and elsewhere—at New Year's time.

The origin of the custom is really lost in antiquity. Saxon ancestors probably quaffed their ale from the polished skulls of defeated enemies, and the Rowena legend must be classified as "presumably fiction."

Rowena is reported to have offered her father's guest—Prince Vortigern—a bowl of wine with the salutation "Lord King, was-hael," literally, "To Your Health." Drinking the bowl with one draught, Vortigern fell in love with Rowena and they lived happily ever after.

Anyway, in time the bowl itself became an ornament of graceful design—decorated with branches of greenery which formed a canopy over the bowl. The mixture within was warm and included ale, sugar, spices, sweetened wine was added by hosts who could afford it, apples floated on top of the decoction, sometimes called "lamb's wool" or the "old man's beard." The poorer classes carried a bowl decorated with ribbons around the neighborhood, begging that it be filled, so hey, too, might enjoy the Wassail.



The custom of making short calls on New Year's Day was in full swing throughout America about 1900. Newspapers carried columns of "at home" notices specifying the hours during which visitors would be received. A succession of "open houses" and punch bowls sometimes minimized the courtesy accorded to hostesses—receptions were often "crashed" by bibulous strangers; hence, the publicly announced "open house" custom has fallen into decline and, New Year's calls now being exchanged only by intimates, the Wassail bowl goes 'round in private.

Mistletoe Distinct As Yule Decoration

Mistletoe, that distinctive Christmas green so common in many parts of America, is usually thought of as merely good holiday decoration or as a creator of open season on ladies fair for otherwise bashful swains.

Mistletoe did not always hold this position in our lives. The Druids called it "all-heal," and thought it held many miraculous virtues. The Scandinavians dedicated it to their goddess of love, Friga. Probably this goddess of love is responsible for the custom of kissing under the mistletoe.



The power to heal, to protect against sickness, to perform magic deeds—all these and more are the qualities ascribed to this plant in legends, traditions and even in ancient histories and literature.

Mistletoe is a parasite, which infests branches of various trees of both hardwood and conifers, but mainly on hardwoods. One species is found exclusively, however, on conifers.

Among the Celts and others mistletoe which grew from the oak was considered to have peculiar magical virtues not possessed by that from any other trees. Some even considered it so rare as to be only cut with a gold knife.

Another old tradition is that the mistletoe supplied the wood for the holy cross, as previous to that time it was a forest tree but after the crucifixion was condemned to exist only as a dwarf parasite.

Mistletoe was taken over into the Christian tradition in due course and dedicated to the Christ Child. An old rhyme reads:

The mistletoe bough
At our Christmas board
Shall hang to the honor
Of Christ our Lord.

Edible Manger In Ukraine Rituals

In the Ukraine an elaborate Christmas Eve supper breaks a 39-day fast during which no meat has been eaten. Twelve courses are served, one for each of the twelve Apostles: buckwheat and mushroom soup, pancakes in flax, prunes, fish, bread, and nuts are included in the menu.

An additional course of honey and porridge is also served: called Koutia, the dish represents the holy crib: the porridge represents the straw—as in the manger—and the Holy Infant is symbolized by honey and fruit: the honey is also considered symbolic of the spirit and blood of the Saviour.

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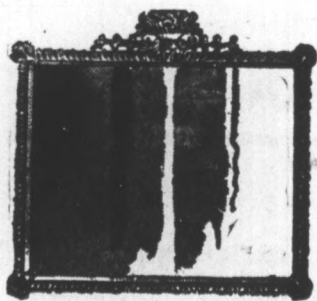
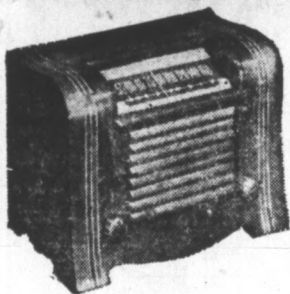
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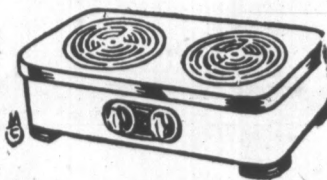
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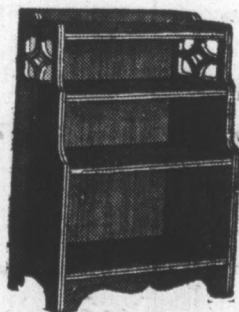
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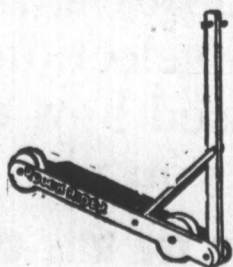
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ROUTE THREE

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Weems left Monday to visit Dr. M. P. Weems and wife of Jeffersonville, Ind. W. E. Weems and family of Louisville and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harp of Lexington. They are due this vacation and much needed rest and we say happy, good luck and happy motoring.

B. H. Lowry and family spent Sunday in Clinton visiting Mrs. Owen Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Birch Moon visited E. C. Lowry and wife Sunday night. Cecil Taylor and wife, Cloy Yates and family were in Paducah on business last Friday.

A new gravel road is to be started in this section soon which is badly needed and will be very much appreciated.

Elzo Foster and wife stopped in to see J. C. Foster Wednesday afternoon and to see Mrs. E. C. Lowry.

Bee Cole and family of Hickman visited Mrs. Andrew Williams Sunday.

Mesdames Dorothy, Dale Owens, Willa Mae Parrish and Mary Nell Gossom spent Friday with Mrs. Onie Lowry.

Mrs. Jack Olive and children spent Saturday with Mrs. E. C. Lowry.

Alvin Foster and son, Dean Williams and J. C. Foster delivered some tobacco to Paducah Friday. Sold for 24 1-2 to 27 cents lb.

Mrs. Alvin Foster, Mrs. Ophelia Jones and Jack Foster were in Union City Saturday.

Mr. Flippo was loaded with Christmas packages Saturday and one was for Mrs. G. W. Brann which is not to be opened until Christmas but Curocity killed a cat.

Mr. and Mrs. Oria Forrester and wife were guests of Alvin Foster and family Sunday.

Mrs. R. S. Gossom and Larry were dinner guests of Mrs. Herbert Butler Thursday of last week.

J. C. Foster killed a hog Monday.

East rest and be merry is his theory and Doc, the house cat, shares his opinion. He is a special favorite and weighs 15 lbs.

Elmer Cannon and wife visited P. J. Brann Sunday afternoon.

R. S. Gossom moves to his new home in Pilot Oak this week end.

Unfavorable weather starts the week off but everyone has a bin of coal but John L. Lewis—or does

he? He can keep warm from now on with worry, and who cares, he asked for it.

So long folks; Be with you all through the coming holidays.

PILOT OAK

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Green, Mr. and Mrs. John Yates took supper Thursday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Lowry.

Mr. and Mrs. John Yates accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greene home to Detroit for a short visit.

Mrs. Carrie Taylor was able to be out for church Sunday after being confined to her bed for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Vodie Rhodes of Water Valley took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Rhodes.

Word waws received here Sunday morning, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gibson, Paducah, of the arrival of a fine baby boy.

We had a fine service at the Baptist church Sunday morning. Rev. Tip Willis, our pastor, from Mayfield, filled the pulpit.

We are very glad that Mrs. Pernie Vincent is improving nicely. She was brought home from the Haws Clinic Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gossom and boys took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Lowry and Jimmie Allen.

Mrs. Lela Casey, Mrs. Maud Lamb and Miss Lillie Casey attended the kitchen shower given at the Guy Casey home Saturday afternoon for their daughter, Mrs. Lucille Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Yates is home on a furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Steward and children spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hainley.

Mrs. Ophelia Caldwell, Mrs. Alene Lowry, Mrs. Ellen Rowland and Miss Allie Rowland went to Mayfield Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cardwell visited Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Lowry Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Puckett and Sue from Lone Oak visited Mr. and Mrs. Lunsford Rowland Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Evelene Yates and Mrs. Alene Lowry visited Mrs. Mary Collins Saturday afternoon.

Kimble spent the night of Sept. 25 with E. Cates.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the lesson sermon which will be read in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, Dec. 15, 1946.

The Golden Text is: "As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about his people henceforth even for ever." (Ps. 125:2)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth and even for evermore." (Ps. 121:3)

Who bathes in worldly joys, swims in a world of fears.—Phineas Fletcher.



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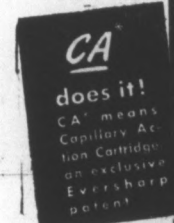
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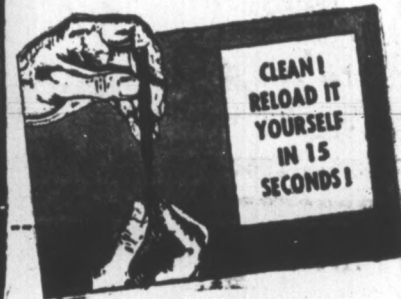
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THE AMERICAN WAY

SAME UNDER THE SKIN

It is a nasty habit of the Communists to smear all who have the temerity to express their dislike of Communism, with the tag "Fascist." To me that seems rather silly; it is very much like the pot calling the kettle black, because Communism is equally as odious as Fascism. On the surface they seem to be alike as two peas in a pod.

differ, but under the skin they are the same. The end result of both of these systems is Dictatorship and enslavement of the nation that makes the sad error of letting either Communism or Fascism fasten its paralyzing, devastating tentacles upon its economic, political, spiritual and social life.

An individual may board a Pennsylvania Railroad train at New York City and in due season arrive at Chicago. On the other hand, he may elect to travel on the New York Central, and likewise reach Chicago. In both cases, though he travels by different routes, he arrives at the same goal—Chicago. No insult to the Windy City is intended when I point out

that nations which travel either the Communist or Fascist route arrive at the same destination—Dictatorship.

Your correspondent has been one of those who repeatedly has expressed his contempt and intense dislike of Communism. It would have been in the nature of a miracle had he been spared the smear technique of the Reds. On many occasions they have labeled him "Fascist."

Even taking into account the perverted type of individuals making the accusation, it still rankles a bit. In my book, being dubbed "Fascist" is just as insulting as being called "Communist." One is as repugnant as the other—I see no difference.

The funny thing about this is that over the years I have been equally vociferous in denouncing Fascism. Repeatedly I have said: "There never has lived on this earth an individual or group of individuals who could be trusted with absolute power; there is not living now any individual or group of individuals who can be trusted with absolute power."

If the foregoing is not an anti-Fascist statement, then what in the world is it? Fascism requires the delegation of absolute power, voluntary or by force, to an individual or a group of individuals. How can any one be charged with harboring totalitarianism in his soul, who believes as do I, and has so often publicly—declared, that absolute power must never be granted to an individual or group?

My conviction that individuals cannot be trusted with individual power becomes stronger with each passing day. I have seen many a man of previous excellent reputation, destroyed by that intangible something that enters man's soul when he is vested with autocratic control over his fellow men. He may start out with every good intention to use those controls wisely and solely in the interests of his fellow humans, but sooner or later he inevitably abuses those controls, to the detriment and suffering of those controlled.

And so once again, I wish to reiterate in fact, indignantly to deny that I am a "Fascist" in thought.

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Welfare workers met with Mrs. Robert Doran. Fifteen members and one visitor were present. The house was called to order by Mrs. Rucker, vice president. Roll call answered by What Am I Thankful For. Devotional, Mrs. Roy Watts. A short business meeting was held. Plans were made for the Christmas dinner at the home of Mrs. Betty Watts, Dec. 18. Families are invited. Miss Walker was present. Sunshine gifts were presented, contests were held. Mrs. Roy Watts won one. A delicious luncheon was served at the noon hour. Adjourned to meet with Mrs. Betty Watts Dec. 18.

PERSONALS

Mr. Charles Aikin and wife of Columbus, Ohio, left for their home Saturday evening after a short visit with his brother and wife, the Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Aikin and his niece, Dr. Vera Cates and her family of South Fulton.

Mr. Aikin is an engineer in the Columbus office of a large manufacturing concern with factories in Ohio and Kansas.

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TERMS: CASH

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK

A casserole of macaroni and cheese, prepared early in the morning, will be a time saver for a busy housewife, as it may be popped into the oven when the rest of the meal is being prepared. As macaroni is a starchy food, it should not be served with potatoes, rice, noodles or hominy, as they also contain large amounts of starch, said food specialists at the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture Home Economics.

Macaroni and Cheese

3 cups cooked macaroni
1 1/2 cups grated cheese
2 cups of milk
3 tablespoons butter or oleo
3 tablespoons flour
3-4 teaspoon salt
1-4 cup pimento or green peper
buttered crumbs

Stir the macaroni into a large amount of boiling salted water and cook until done. Make a sauce of the milk, flour, butter and salt. Add cheese, then the macaroni and pimento. Use sufficient whitesauce so the mixture is moist, not dry. Place in a greased baking dish and cover with buttered crumbs. Bake in a moderate oven, 375 degrees for 45 minutes, or until brown.

Menu: Macaroni and cheese, baked squash, apple and celery salad, corn sticks, butter and blackberry cobbler.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our thanks to our many friends for the kind expressions of sympathy and flowers bestowed at the time of our recent bereavement. We shall always remember you with kindness.

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•Silo Simpkins Says

An unorganized farming operation has room for a lot of things—most of all, planning.

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Less than 20 percent of the people of the United States work on farms, a fact which a farmer readily accepts when he starts looking for good help.

Sally Simpkins says: She is not going to "pipe down" on home improvements until Silo puts in pipes to make the water do the running.

Just when prices of farm products will head downward is anybody's guess; but economists say that farmers may expect to pay higher prices next year for most of the things they have to buy.

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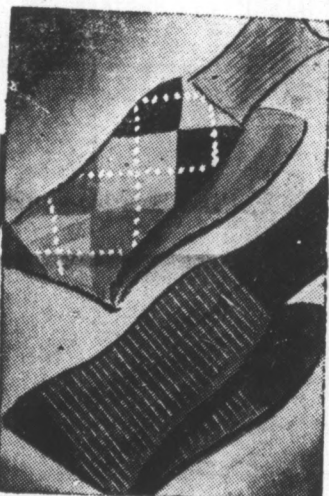
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Some men are born fools, as do men marriages couldn't make them that way.

Marriage is like taking pictures—you can't tell how they come out until they're developed.

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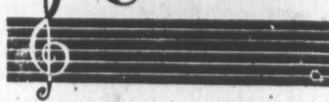
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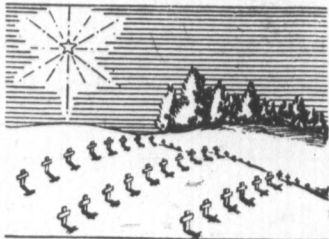
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Leading Carols



By LYN CONNELLY

A SONG which made its appearance in 1942 entitled "White Christmas," is in its fourth year and well on its way to permanent recognition as a Christmas favorite.



The amazing popularity of "White Christmas," as a yuletide song, reached its peak last year when a poll conducted to establish the favorite carol of servicemen revealed that 22 per cent of the votes went to this early war song written especially for the occasion by Irving Berlin, graduate of Tin Pan Alley.

The birth of the song was entirely by accident despite rumors to the contrary which attribute its conception to the war. Actually, it was composed in 1940. A Hollywood studio had an idea for a motion picture to be called "Holiday Inn," co-starring Fred Astaire and Bing Crosby. The theme of the picture was based on the holidays of the year and a song was needed to represent each holiday. Irving Berlin was contracted for the compositions. The picture, released in 1942, was synonymous with our second wartime Christmas, and in that year the song sold one million copies in four months. Although nothing is done on the part of the publishers to exploit the song, it automatically rings the register each year as the holiday season approaches. Berlin calls it his favorite song, with the exception of his "God Bless America" written during World War I. "It's difficult to predict a song's future," says Berlin, "but judging from its past, I would say 'White Christmas' has a very good chance of becoming a permanent song along with other Christmas carols."

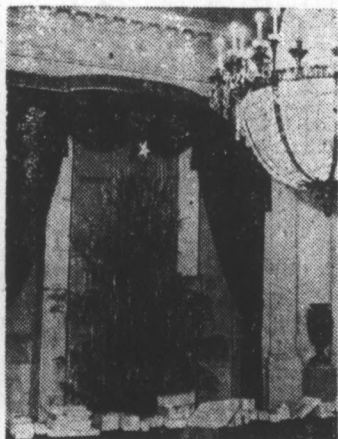
LITTLE OL' SANTA

The little ol' santa propped under our tree . . . is little the worse for wear . . . he's lost a leg and an arm, you see . . . but no one seems to care. Not that we're unsympathetic, rather, we are just a bit nostalgic.

Time was when our santa, bright and new, benignly welcomed Tommy and Sue . . . as they tiptoed downstairs to see . . . their presents spread beneath the tree . . . very early Christmas morning.

"The Tommy and Sue have outgrown their toys . . . and entwined their hearts with grown-up joys . . . that little ol' santa, propped under the tree, symbolizes Christmas—as Christmas ought to be . . . with toys for children, good will among men . . . on earth, Peace dawning."

Dorothea Waitzmann



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The White House Christmas tree in the East Room. Presents are for the children of White House employees.

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The Puritans disliked the celebration of Christmas, preferring their own celebration of Thanksgiving.

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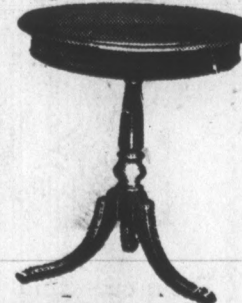
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Visiting preachers and singers will be invited to take part. Look for the program of coming weeks. Come and bring your folk.

J. T. Drace, Pastor.

TIDBITS

One of my graduate students has become very much interested in studying the places of some county where people have congregated since earlier times. Every county that we know would make a fascinating subject for study. A map showing the places and a paper indicating the rise and popularity of them would be a great addition to our knowledge of folk customs.

Springs everywhere have always been great centers of interest. Some of them because the water supply for the family, especially when they were located by or near a good house site. Others became quite early neighborhood places where picnics, where held or where a church grew up or where camps were held. Our Sulphur Springs, a little more than a mile from Fidelity, combined many things, for it was a place for camps and picnics and also was the location of our Methodist church until the threat of Kentucky Lake made it necessary to move the building to the village. In addition, it was the source of water supply in dry seasons after the cistern had given out and even the bored or dug wells might have shrunk. There we took our horses to water as it was much easier and more sanitary than an mere horse pond would have been. Platforms where speakings could be held and even crude benches remained from year to year until they rotted away. Confederate reunions, candidate speakings, neighborhood picnics young people's Sunday-afternoon gatherings all used the stand and the benches. The springs, as far as Fidelity neighborhood was concerned was an institution.

Some of these springs early became summer hotels of camping places. Nearly every county had one or two such, most of which have now ceased to be. But the old spring, probably choked up with weeds or bushes now, still puts out its water supply, quite reputable in appearance and giving to him of its former greatness. I have visited many such places, both while they were popular and after they had begun to decline. I have sometimes camped at or near some of the former great places that had completely disappeared but have still kept a memory in the community.

Places that became known to the sight-seer are also important in this study of folk gathering places. A bluff, a hilltop from which a great view is possible, a "lover's leap," a haunted spot associated with early history or tradition — all of these I have known and visited. Our Devil's Pulpit, near Fidelity, was a rock-crowned hill with a wide prospect; hence the visitors always were taken there. Pine Bluff, on the Tennessee River, now overlooking the Kentucky Lake, attracted many a picnic party from the earliest days and is today the site of some cabins of people who live in the county seat. Nearly every community that I have known has an authentic "lover's leap," with an impossible story attached. It might seem that self-destruction by rejected lovers was once more prevalent than now. Our haunted house, which I have told about elsewhere in this column, was always viewed by us and our visitors with a bit of light laughter, because we always saw it in broad daylight; just how we would have felt after nightfall I never tried to find out. Many a time I have self-consciously taken boys on walks with me in order to lead them by the tree on which a man was hanged by a mob long before I ever heard of Bowling Green. I have always heard that such a tree would die; nothing was said about how long it would take to accomplish this fact. Anyway, the haunted tree is dead, but I fear the illnesses incident to old age had more to do with its demise than any unpleasant association attached to it.

Wouldn't you like to have a map of your own county worked out in detail, showing all these gathering places and sights to show wide-eyed or skeptical visitors?

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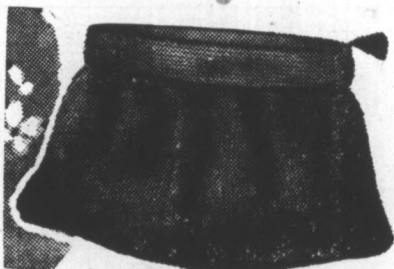


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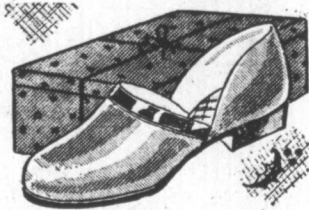
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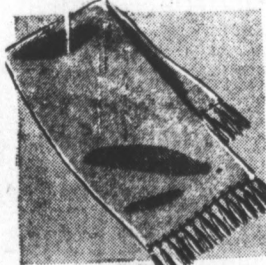
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A lot of people object to being called hypocrites. You can't blame them for being a bit sensitive about it.

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LATHAM

Mrs. Lorens Parker and Gary have been indisposed for the last few days with colds.

Mr. Ben Ivie was brought home from the Fulton hospital last week. He is some better but still quite weak.

Mr. Chess Morrison has suffered much for the past week with a broken shoulder. He was treated at Haws Memorial hospital last week.

The children of Bible Union are preparing a Christmas program to be presented on Friday afternoon about two o'clock and a Christmas tree afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foster are the proud parents of a new girl born Wednesday of last week. She will be called Reba Fay.

Mrs. Ethel Foster underwent an appendectomy at the Martin hospital last week. Last reports are that she is recovery nicely.

heJwww

Usually the loud mouth person uses his only means of attracting attention.

They buried the pedestrian the other day who held that the motorists are the ones that should dodge.

ORPHEUM

FULTON, KENTUCKY

FRIDAY-SATURDAY
WILD BILL ELLIOTT

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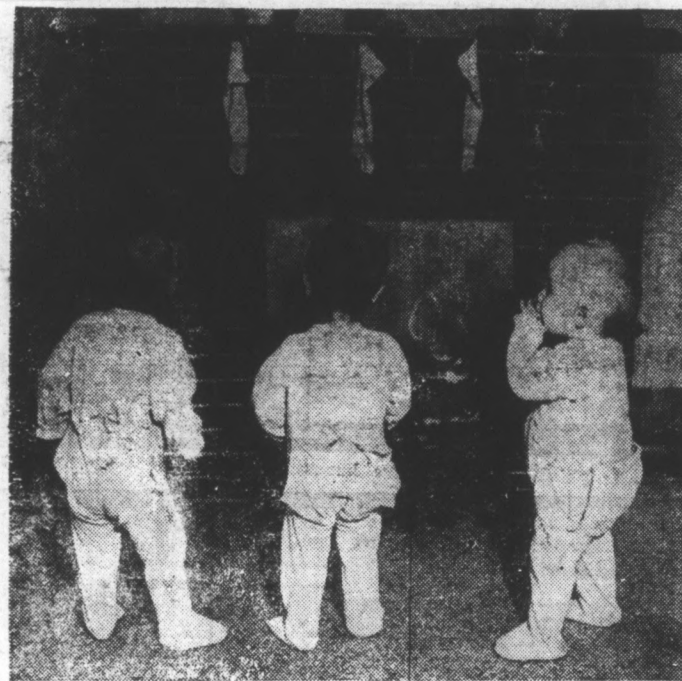
STAR OF THE EAST

Star of the East, that long ago
Brought wise men on their way
Where, angels singing to and fro,
The Child of Bethlehem lay—
Above the Syrian hill afar
Thou shinest out tonight, O Star!

Star of the East, the night were drear,
But for the tender grace
That with thy glory comes to cheer
Earth's loneliest, darkest place;
For by that charity we see
Where there is hope for all—and me.

Star of the East, show us the way
In wisdom undefiled
To seek that manger out and lay
Our gifts before the Child—
To bring our hearts and offer them
Unto our King in Bethlehem!

Eugene Field



WAITING FOR SANTA... They know that Santa will soon be around and are taking a last look before going to bed to see that everything is in order for him.

Bonchevalier and Tree of Humanity

The tale of Bonchevalier and the tree of humanity, told with minor variations throughout France and Germany, is one of the most charming of all the Christmas tree legends.

Bonchevalier was traveling through a dense forest once upon a Christmas Eve. In the distance one tall evergreen stood apart from all the others; it seemed aglow with lights and, from afar, a star appeared to rest among its topmost branches.

As he drew nearer, Bonchevalier saw that the tree was covered with candles—some standing upright and others inverted. The star at the top seemed to be the vision of a child whose beautiful head was surrounded by a pale amber halo.

Word spread through the village that Bonchevalier had seen a vision,

dreamed a dream, or perhaps experienced a phenomenon. The knight himself admitted that the whole thing seemed incredible; if it was a vision, he could not interpret it but he was absolutely certain he had seen it and his story was all ways the same.

Learned citizens of the community questioned him and shook their heads—so did everyone else except his mother.

The tree of humanity had been revealed to her son, she said proudly, and all the world would be blessed by his vision.

Indeed, Bonchevalier's vision symbolized the tree of humanity the candles represented persons the good ones standing upright; the bad ones inverted; and the child at the top was the infant Jesus who watches over all the world of humanity.



A successful office holder is one who can balance his mistakes with acceptable excuses.

The successful husband remembers that he isn't contrary; his wife is merely firm in her convictions.

If some people were as near perfect as they think others should be—wouldn't this be a swell old world?

If it's the little things in life, that count—we had better start saving our pennies.

ROCK SPRINGS

Little Sandra Hale spent the week end with Martha Kay Copelen.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Guyn visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Byrd Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ella Bell Guyn, Miss Ina Bellew and Mrs. Vera Byrd visited Mrs. Ella Veatch Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Byrd and Mr. and Mrs. Turney Byrd motored to Mayfield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kyle Moore and Judy spent awhile Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Guyn.

Mrs. Allie Newton is visiting relatives near Phillip, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Allen visited a while Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Pressie Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore and Miss Rachel Hardison visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Veatch Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Stallins and family a few days this week.

Mrs. Nora Copelen spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Willie Ruth McClanahan.

Several from this community attended the Farm Bureau supper held at Crutchfield school house on Wednesday night of last week.

Mrs. Lois Kearby and Mrs. Utha Elliott were in Union City one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmoore Copelen, Mrs. Nora Copelen and Martha Kay visited Mr. and Mrs. William Conner for a while Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. Herman Elliott still remains in the Fulton hospital, for she is not getting along so well.

Mrs. Ella Bell Guyn spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Elizabeth Conner.

Mrs. Ruby Hardison and children visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. LaVerne Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Copelen and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Prince of Pryorsburg were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmoore Copelen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown attended a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stallins of Crutchfield.

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INTERNATIONAL MONKEYSHINES

The United States is trying its level best to outlaw wars, and undoubtedly England is following the same course of procedure. But how can we ever arrange our agreements with Russia and her Red partners? No Americans, even pacifists, are willing to let Russia in on the secrets of the atomic bomb. The United Nations organization has been growing weaker instead of stronger and Washington is full of political seers and prophets who are losing hope that international relations will be improved or that future World Wars will be outlawed.

A committee of the Senate has been discussing and inquiring into the military government of Germany—and they have broken up in a row. Senator Ball of Minnesota has issued notice to the Senate that he will bring the issue to a head when the new Congress convenes in January.

THE PRESS CARRIES ON

Amid the disturbing economic strife that has been sweeping the country to an extent that seriously threatens our form of government, it is easy to overlook some of the most significant phases of labor-management deadlocks. A case in point is the strike of the Guild employees of the Philadelphia Record.

Despite being stripped of editorial, advertising, clerical and other Guild employees, The Record has been published daily, with circulation maintained and advertising increasing. The significance of this strike in the city where the American way of life had its very beginning lies in two particular points:

First, the Record's publisher, J. David Stern, always has been to

the forefront in espousing the cause of labor. He was one of the first to recognize the Guild. The Guild now is endeavoring to capitalize on this original support by depicting publisher Stern as a foe of labor. In other words, the Guild is turning on its own benefactor in an hour of desperation because of refusal of unreasonable demands.

Second, maintained circulation and advertising, with an increase in the latter, is more evidence of the strong public protest against existing methods of labor coercion picket lines and excessive demands on the part of unwise labor leaders. This support of The Record through both buying of the newspaper and advertising in the face of a Guild boycott indicates public opposition to union attempts to destroy the foundation on which our Nation stands.

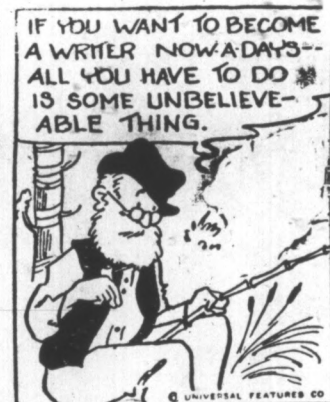
Liberty began in Philadelphia. Publisher Stern, in refusing Guild demands that might in time destroy the Record, and thus drive a nail in destruction of our freedom of the press and our freedom of the right to employ and the right to work, is helping to preserve that liberty.

JIM FARLEY TALKS SENSE

One of the interesting historical characters of the 1930's was James J. Farley, Postmaster General and chairman of the Democratic National Committee. Farley has just returned from a trip around the World, and according to this old-time statesman and philosopher there is no immediate prospect for resumption of international trade until the terms of World Peace are settled. He found political unrest, black markets and inflations everywhere. But everywhere there was a "strong desire for peace."

He said: "The sooner Russia joins in cooperating with the rest of the world the sooner world wide uncertainty now existing will be dispelled."

If we find it easy to misconstrue the actions of someone—it's usually because we dislike them.



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STRIKING AT STRIKES

Did you ever stop to think that the industrial warfare in our own country has been one of the most paralyzing series of attempts to weaken the strength of the United States?

The loss of the striking labor unions during six months of this year amounted to more than one billion dollars in wages. Most of their strikes were unnecessary and inexcusable. The strikes in steel, mining, electrical equipment, railroads, steamships and automobiles have amounted to billions of dollars. There is no way to estimate to what extent the strikes were responsible for the whirlwind rise of prices—say 50 per cent.

There is no way of successfully disputing a statement from the U. S. Chamber of Commerce which declared: "The hope of sound, enduring prosperity is a mirage unless we have an end to strikes which rip production to pieces and throttle strikes." Think that over.

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"MERRY-GO-ROUND" AS WAGES AND PRICES SOAR IN MAD WHIRL

In recent decades, and above all in recent years, an enormously exaggerated idea has grown up of what unions can do to improve the status of labor, and particularly to raise wages. These exaggerated notions are held not only by union leaders and union members themselves, but by men and women in all walks of life. The time has come for realistic stocktaking.

There has grown up in this country in recent years a vicious circle of events—If prices go up as fast as wages, there is still no point gained by labor unions for the workers. On the other hand, workers must pay their dues and fees, and many labor activities become mere rackets at the expense of the workers.

Higher pay often acts to raise prices so there is a corresponding reduction in purchasing power of all wages. Wages and prices have created a vicious "merry-go-round" that reacts against the economic

stability of the American family, and the nation as a whole.

PRESIDENT HUNTING FOR REDS

President Truman has created a six-man committee to make an investigation of Government Departments and to report to him in two

months the names of persons it discovers may be disloyal and of questionable political views that drift towards Communism.

The open question is why doesn't he ask the Federal Bureau of Investigation, J. Edgar Hoover could tell him the names of all of them.

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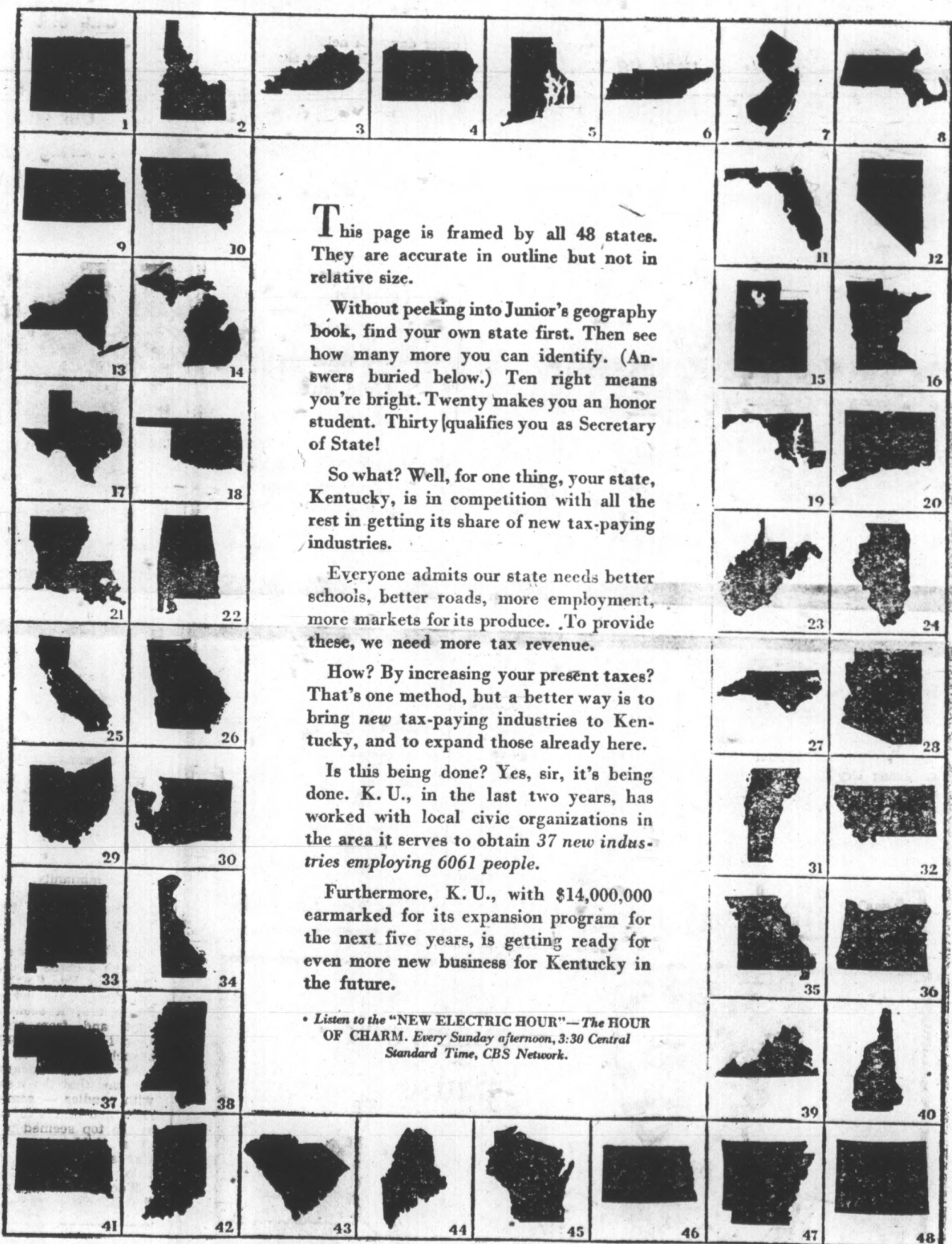
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Can you spot your state ...and how many more?



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Without peeking into Junior's geography book, find your own state first. Then see how many more you can identify. (Answers buried below.) Ten right means you're bright. Twenty makes you an honor student. Thirty qualifies you as Secretary of State!

So what? Well, for one thing, your state, Kentucky, is in competition with all the rest in getting its share of new tax-paying industries.

Everyone admits our state needs better schools, better roads, more employment, more markets for its produce. To provide these, we need more tax revenue.

How? By increasing your present taxes? That's one method, but a better way is to bring new tax-paying industries to Kentucky, and to expand those already here.

Is this being done? Yes, sir, it's being done. K. U., in the last two years, has worked with local civic organizations in the area it serves to obtain 37 new industries employing 6061 people.

Furthermore, K. U., with \$14,000,000 earmarked for its expansion program for the next five years, is getting ready for even more new business for Kentucky in the future.

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guests Sunday, Joanne and Laveria outcast.

Not by birth does one become a noble.

Through deeds it is that one becomes an outcast.

Through deeds it is that one becomes a noble.—Sutta.

Every man feels instinctively that all the beautiful sentiments in the world weigh less than a single lovely action.—James Russell Lowell.

Goodness and philanthropy begin with work and never stop working.

All that is worth reckoning is what we do, and the best of every thing is not too good, but is economy an driches.—Mary Baker Eddy.

I must do something to keep my

thoughts fresh and growing.

—James A. Garfield.

It is the little things well done that go to make up a successful an dtruly good life.—Theodore Roosevelt.

Let us decide honestly what we can do, and then do it with all our might.—Amelia D. Barr.

● Silo Simpkins Says

The tremendous annual fire loss is something to get steamed up about.

Thin indeed is the land that will not hold up under a good conservation program.

Giant oaks from little acorns grow—but if they are killed by forest fires.

Rat extermination week in November should bring about another form of feed shortage—cat feed.

If the fire toll continues to mount, the poem may be changed to read, "Woodman, share that tree."

Five hundred million dollars worth of food and property goes "down the rat hole" every year. So in November, Four-H Clubs members are urged to "go with their rat killing."

Answers

1. Dr. Clement C. Moore.
2. Dicken's "A Christmas Carol."
3. In Indian ocean, southwest of Java.
4. Irving Berlin.
5. Sweden.
6. Wassail bowl.
7. A cold Easter.
8. The Aztec Indian god, half bird, half snake, who took the place of Santa Claus in Mexico in 1930.
9. Christmas cactus.
10. "Silent Night."
11. Mass of Christ.
12. The remains were stolen in 1087 by merchants and re-interred at Bari.

A Volunteer Santa Speaks His Heart

"I know what it is to be a disappointed kid on Christmas morning—

"I always wanted a boat, but my folks were poor and I never got one—that's why I became Santa Claus, I guess.



Volunteers of America worker plays hostess to some of the organization's Santas.

"Working for the Volunteers of America, I've played Santa to thousands of youngsters during the last 16 years. I read a lot of minds, too, during the depression when people plodded past my cardboard chimney; folks are happy now and the carols, that gave them a far-away look while war almost blacked out the Christmas Spirit, make them smile and drop coins in the chimney.

"It's fun to have a part in the happy Christmases of so many youngsters. Most of those that I see come downtown with their mothers, and I try to get a nod of approval before I make any definite promises — kinda make sure the kids won't be disappointed.

"Just the same, I can't help thinking about the kids I never see who want dolls 'nd dishes, drums and sleds, picture books, skates, trains . . . and boats; what a lot of helpers Santa needs to see that all these things get to the right places at the right time!

"Wish we could be sure there will be no broken hearts this Christmas."

Real St. Nicholas Of 4th Century

St. Nicholas is popularly associated with Christmas and gift-giving presumably because once during his mortal existence he reportedly endowed three dowryless maidens with three purses of gold.

Historically—as the Archbishop of Myra, Nicholas was a member of the council of Nicaea. In 325 A. D., Constantine the Great called together the theologians of the Christian world in the first complete general council of the entire Christian church.

The council, assembled near Constantinople, and presided over by the still unbaptized Constantine, proclaimed the first exact definition of Christian teaching—as embodied in the Nicene Creed—and marks the beginning of Christianity as it is understood today.

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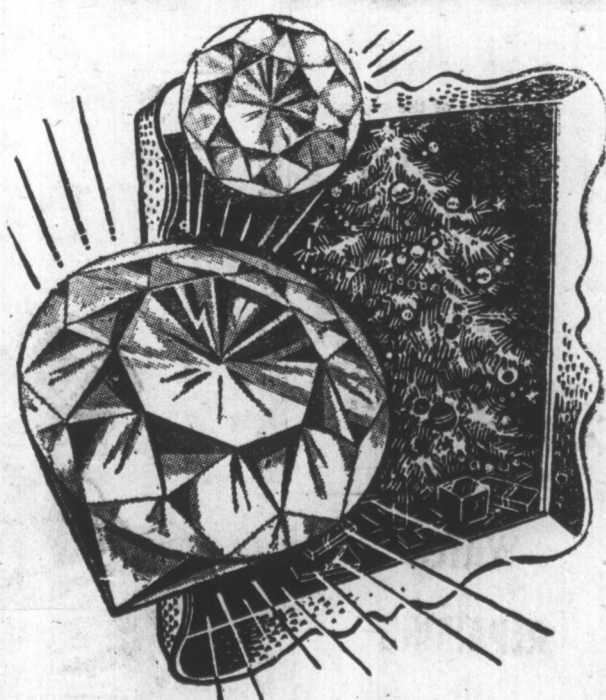
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In 1903, a Danish postal clerk—Einar Holboell, by name—conceived the idea of a voluntary tax on Christmas greeting cards which would benefit the underprivileged. Specifically, Holboell visualized establishment of a fund to build a hospital for tubercular children. The ministry granted Holboell permission to sell his seals at post offices and the Christmas Seal campaign was launched. In many countries, the seal campaign is conducted largely in co-operation with postal authorities and, in some instances, the seals are parts of special postage stamps.



The American Red Cross became interested in the project in 1907 and co-operated with the National Tuberculosis association. To strengthen the nation-wide campaign, the Red Cross and the Tuberculosis association jointly conducted the sale of the seals and, until 1919, the emblem of the Red Cross appeared on the seal.

In 1919, the double-barred cross, international emblem and trademark of the warfare against tuberculosis, was embodied in the design of the seal. In 1920, the Red Cross wished to devote its energies to the annual Roll Call and arrangements were made whereby the sale of the tuberculosis Christmas Seal is conducted exclusively by the Tuberculosis association.

If . . .

Children of Provence, France, reverently recite the following prayer before the Christmas cribs in that vicinity:

Little Jesus of the Crib—
Give us the virtues of those who surround you.

Make us as philosophical as the fisherman,

Carefree as the drummer,
Merry for exploring the world as the troubadour,

Eager for work as the bugler,
Patient as the spinner,

Kind as the ass,
Strong as the ox which keeps you warm.

Give us the sacred leisure of the hunter.

Give us also the desire of the Shepherd for earthly things,

The pride of the trade of the knife grinder and the weaver,

The song of the miller.

Give us the knowledge of the Magi,

The cheerfulness of the pigeon,

The impulsiveness of the cock,

The discretion of the snail,

The meekness of the lamb.

Give us the goodness of bread,

The tenderness of the wild boar,

The salt of the haddock,

The good humor of old wine,

The ardor of the candle,

The purity of a star.

Propriety of a few of the metaphors may be disputed, nevertheless, nostalgia prompts speculation regarding a world of humanity endowed with the virtues so earnestly and innocently enumerated by the little ones.

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1. Who wrote "The Night Before Christmas"?
2. What story contains the following: a miserly old man?
3. Where is Christmas island?
4. Who wrote "White Christmas"?
5. In what country was mistletoe first worn around the neck to prevent sickness?
6. What does the Saxon word "hael" or "be in health" mean in connection with a Christmas custom?
7. An old Christmas superstition starts "A warm Christmas means . . ." How does it end?
8. Who is Quetzalcoatl?
9. What plant, a thorny one, traditionally blooms only at Christmas time?
10. Until her death what song did Mme. Schumann-Heink always sing on Christmas Eve?
11. What is the literal meaning of "Christmas"?
12. Where are the remains of Good St. Nicholas of Myra buried?

Future Foretold By Drowsy Hens

Divinations were an important part of the Christmas festivities in Czarist Russia.

After a special family Christmas dinner, the girls of the household placed five piles of grain upon the kitchen floor: each pile was given a name, such as Hope, Ring, Money, Thread and Charcoal. A drowsy hen was fetched from the henhouse and allowed to walk around the kitchen floor and choose a pile of grain.

Obviously the hen's choice of Money meant wealth; Ring, foretold a wedding within a year; and Hope, promised the fulfillment of a wish or a long journey. If the sleepy chicken chose the grain designated as Thread, a life of toil was predicted for the marriageable maiden of the household; and Charcoal was considered an omen of death in the family.

Old songs were sung to accompany such goings-on, while the girls and women vied to devise complete stories based on the antics of the hen.

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Mrs. Frank Parrish is recovering nicely. Billie Parrish is ill with a severe cold. Walter Permenter is sick with a cold. Mrs. Permenter is some better. W. H. Finch is doing fine. Mrs. Roy Watts is not so well. Dan Taylor's arm is improving slowly.

Mrs. Marian Milam was carried home from the hospital Saturday. Mr. J. J. Clement spent Sunday afternoon with W. H. Finch. Mr. and Mrs. Boone Watkins spent Sunday with the W. H. Finches.

Beecher Finch and family came in the afternoon.

Mr. Ben Webb visited his wife and daughter at Chaffee, Mo., over the week end. Mrs. Webb is no better.

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Mrs. Ruth Finch spent a few hours with Mrs. Clara Oliver Friday, then she and Mrs. Oliver visited Mrs. Nettie Permenter.

Quite a few are attending the singing school at Belle City being taught by Bro. Holland who recently taught a class at Oak Grove. Tobacco sales at Mayfield have carried many of our citizens to Mayfield this week. Everything is scarce and high.

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EXECUTOR

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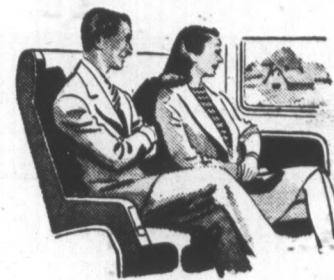
Guy Finch gathered his hybrid seed corn last week. It was trucked to Mr. Caldwell's seed corn house near Dixie where it will be prepared for sale. Mr. Caldwell has been handling seed corn for several years.

Gravel has been spread on the road running from the Parrish farm by the Oliver and Permenter farms to the Curt Muzzall farm.

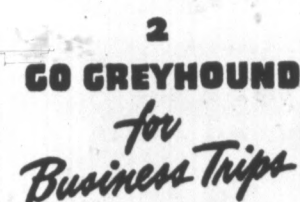
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