

"Biff" Tells a Love Story

PICKING his way slowly through the massed humanity crowding toward the... "Come on, Biff, get on with it," interrupted Walsh impatiently.

"So, you're a fighter, eh?" Pete says. "Yeah, and good one," says the kid.

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Young Mothers, who are around a dark-haired girl, a sleeping baby tucked in carefully between pillows at the head of the bed.

good. Him and Sally is livin' on their own now because Pete's been pullin' down some good pots for him and I know personal that Pete ain't takin' any cut, leastwise not much.

"Well, then, he's a cocky punk and he ain't against stoppin' once in a while, now the dough's comin' in. But I guess when a kid's got to be thinkin' he's really somethin' special."

"I tell you, he's just like a case of the mumps or the gallopin' measles, a little while sick and you're good again. But that Sally can take it, she's no player, and she keeps smilin'."

Woman's World Learn Lessons of Unity, Balance, Making a Workbench Simplified If You Want Attractive Rooms

By Etta Haly

ARE YOU like the friend of mine who said recently, "I know I'm a good housekeeper, but somehow my rooms always look cluttered and somehow just spiss being neat."

"If you could look into her home," you would understand just what she meant. Her curtains were freshly laundered and the rugs were lint-free and there was no film of dust on anything, but there was something about the room that just missed neatness.

In the first place, there was too much in the room. She has too much furniture and this destroys the impression of balance and unity which we like. It's disturbing to feel you can't breathe or move in a room.

Interior decorators tell us that the first thing they would do to a room is to remove all the objects and pieces of furniture that were not needed. After you have decided just what you need in the room, decide on the arrangement. In furnishing a room, this means that several pieces may be arranged so that two or three people can sit down and be comfortably close enough to

You Build It... The pattern for making this handy workbench can be had at the reduced price of 10¢ per copy from the author.

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"It was after midnight when he reached the hotel at which the new champion and his entourage were stopping. At the door of the hotel, he saw no sign of Mothers. He sought out the boy's manager, Pete Milay, Billy in the role of lavish host."

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the kid and soon he hands him a fist.

"Pete tells the kid to go out and buy him and Sally a big steak and to come around tomorrow with his fightin' tags and he'll see what the kid's got. And Pete sticks the kid in there with a old warhorse named Estrella. The kid, considerin' he ain't been eatin' so good, does okay and Pete holds him."

"We get our first peek at Sally when Pete moves her and the kid over to Pete's hotel. Pete tells the kid to go to the gym every day and for me to work with him."

"Well, as I say, we get our first peek at Sally, and boy, she's somethin'! She ain't got only looks but she's got somethin' else. I don't know what. Anyways, I go for Sally big — don't get me wrong, mister, my cousin, days is long gone and she's a rale kid. Well, them two kids, eatin' regular again with Pete payin', bloom like a couple hot peppers. The kid, considerin' he ain't been eatin' so good, does okay and Pete holds him."

"It ain't long before the kid's moved up to semi-finals and then final spot, because, as I say, he's

little while sick and you're good again. But that Sally can take it, she's no player, and she keeps smilin'."

"Well," he resumed, "the kid starts a good round with a show gal. I talk to him."

"Listen, knob-heads," he says, "you're keepin' out this." He tells me a lot more about him and this show gal gettin' married after he wins the title and gives Sally the

"NEXT day I tell Pete all our words head over for the gym when Spot's workin' out. Pete quizzes him and all he gets for his trouble is

"I go around to see Sally next day to see if she knows anything about this marriage business. I poke around a little while and then quiz her if she's heard anything about Spot and this show gal. Well, she starts cryin' and I feel like a sucker. I don't know what to do and just stand there sayin', 'there, there, like I heard a mother one day about cryin' babies. It don't do much good. Sally cryin' ain't no kid. That kinda cryin' don't need no sound effects, it goes deep. Pretty soon she says she's gonna' back home. And she does, leavin' a note for the punk."

"He goes around a couple days sour-pussed. I don't hear a word from Sally for weeks and I don't think the punk has neither, but Pete goes around with a wise look and I get a hunch he knows somethin'."

"The kid has changed some. He ain't so cocky no more and he seldom goes out at night. One night just before we're leavin' for the trainin' camp where the kid's gonna' get some for the final elimination bout, I'm in his room helpin' him pack."

"It ain't long and the phone buzzes. The kid's near it and picks it up. He says, 'I ain't here,' and I knock on the door and dummy my opens it. A dame is there. I figure she's my show gal and I'm right. She steps over to the kid. 'Honey,' she says, 'you ain't seen me lately.' The kid jumps up and packs. Then she says he ain't gonna' see her no more."

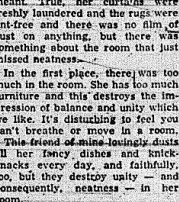
"Then the fireworks begin. That dame gives him the trimmin' and when she's in his gear she leaves a water bottle at the kid's head and stalks out. He ducks and the bottle goes against the wall. During the ruckus I duck into a corner. I see mad dames work before."

"It's two or three days later when I see Pete at the camp. I tell him about the show and he looks at me kinda funny and says now's the time to tell him and maybe he'll all over me. I don't catch the girl's name, but I tell him she's the dame who's alone over to the house with Pete. The kid's restin' when me and Pete come into the room. Pete says, 'Spot, I got some news for you, news from Sally.' The kid sits up sudden like and he gets kinda white, but he don't say nothin' and he looks at Pete. 'Sally,' Pete says, 'I gonna have a baby. Just like that.'"

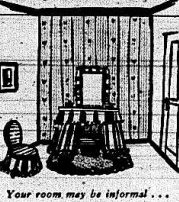
"The kid jumps up outta the bed and he starts to cry. I think he's kinda like him then, even though he's actin' sissy. Pete," he says, 'I go to go to her! I gotta'.' "Pete says she's got a couple days off. So the kid goes home to see Sally. You never see such a changed guy when he comes back. He's leavin' again and he's happy and he even gets friendly with me and I kinda like it. Now, seein' he ain't the smartest no more."

Adds Grace to Room

This barrel chair with its graceful curves and head-board nail trim on its curved-back adds a restful note to that corner of living room or den.



When you decide to buy fabrics, consider first of the colors you have in the room. In this include the colors of your woodwork as well as that of your furniture, upholstery, rugs, walls and lamps.



Your room may be informal...

conversation. You can do this with a couch, coffee table and two chairs — and a table.

Then be sure to arrange the furniture so that there is ample room for getting to doors, and that large big pieces of furniture do not crowd out the smaller pieces.

Choose Fabrics That Harmonize With Place... You know that the texture of fabrics helps to carry out the ideas you want to express in your room.

One of your best sources to see what things go well together is to visit a store that carries a wide line of fabrics.

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CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Clues include: 1 Demure, 2 Burning, 3 Light bulb, 4 Girl's name, 5 Tricks, 14 Inlet, 15 Vest, 16 Treasures, 17 Existence, 18 Landed, 21 Teutonic deity, 22 On the summit of, 23 Tennis stroke, 24 Means of egress, 31 To catch, 32 Licenses, 34 Roman gods, 35 Grief, 36 Snare, 37 Article, 38 One's attendants, 41 Consumed, 42 To mope, 43 Desert, 44 To urge on, 45 Compass, 46 Dash, 49 To address, 50 He who walks up to Pete, catapult, 57 Cry of disapproval, 58 Surprised, 60 Fear, mingled with reverence, 61 The self, 62 Meaning, 63 To place, 64 Vertical, 65 Small explosive charge, 66 One's heart, 67 Harem, 68 Sweet potato, 69 Russian inland sea, 70 Ancient fortress, 71 Like a, 72 Female ruff, 73 Berr, 74 French three months, 75 Literary, 76 Ova, 77 Fourth wife of Henry VIII, 78 Man's nickname, 79 Ship's record, 80 Sacred game, 81 Prior, 82 Fuel, 83 Female sheep, 84 To soak, 85 Upon, 86 Answer to Puzzle Number 62, 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100 101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108 109 110 111 112 113 114 115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122 123 124 125 126 127 128 129 130 131 132 133 134 135 136 137 138 139 140 141 142 143 144 145 146 147 148 149 150 151 152 153 154 155 156 157 158 159 160 161 162 163 164 165 166 167 168 169 170 171 172 173 174 175 176 177 178 179 180 181 182 183 184 185 186 187 188 189 190 191 192 193 194 195 196 197 198 199 200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207 208 209 210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217 218 219 220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227 228 229 230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237 238 239 240 241 242 243 244 245 246 247 248 249 250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257 258 259 260 261 262 263 264 265 266 267 268 269 270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277 278 279 280 281 282 283 284 285 286 287 288 289 290 291 292 293 294 295 296 297 298 299 300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307 308 309 310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317 318 319 320 321 322 323 324 325 326 327 328 329 330 331 332 333 334 335 336 337 338 339 340 341 342 343 344 345 346 347 348 349 350 351 352 353 354 355 356 357 358 359 360 361 362 363 364 365 366 367 368 369 370 371 372 373 374 375 376 377 378 379 380 381 382 383 384 385 386 387 388 389 390 391 392 393 394 395 396 397 398 399 400 401 402 403 404 405 406 407 408 409 410 411 412 413 414 415 416 417 418 419 420 421 422 423 424 425 426 427 428 429 430 431 432 433 434 435 436 437 438 439 440 441 442 443 444 445 446 447 448 449 450 451 452 453 454 455 456 457 458 459 460 461 462 463 464 465 466 467 468 469 470 471 472 473 474 475 476 477 478 479 480 481 482 483 484 485 486 487 488 489 490 491 492 493 494 495 496 497 498 499 500 501 502 503 504 505 506 507 508 509 510 511 512 513 514 515 516 517 518 519 520 521 522 523 524 525 526 527 528 529 530 531 532 533 534 535 536 537 538 539 540 541 542 543 544 545 546 547 548 549 550 551 552 553 554 555 556 557 558 559 560 561 562 563 564 565 566 567 568 569 570 571 572 573 574 575 576 577 578 579 580 581 582 583 584 585 586 587 588 589 590 591 592 593 594 595 596 597 598 599 600 601 602 603 604 605 606 607 608 609 610 611 612 613 614 615 616 617 618 619 620 621 622 623 624 625 626 627 628 629 630 631 632 633 634 635 636 637 638 639 640 641 642 643 644 645 646 647 648 649 650 651 652 653 654 655 656 657 658 659 660 661 662 663 664 665 666 667 668 669 670 671 672 673 674 675 676 677 678 679 680 681 682 683 684 685 686 687 688 689 690 691 692 693 694 695 696 697 698 699 700 701 702 703 704 705 706 707 708 709 710 711 712 713 714 715 716 717 718 719 720 721 722 723 724 725 726 727 728 729 730 731 732 733 734 735 736 737 738 739 740 741 742 743 744 745 746 747 748 749 750 751 752 753 754 755 756 757 758 759 760 761 762 763 764 765 766 767 768 769 770 771 772 773 774 775 776 777 778 779 780 781 782 783 784 785 786 787 788 789 790 791 792 793 794 795 796 797 798 799 800 801 802 803 804 805 806 807 808 809 810 811 812 813 814 815 816 817 818 819 820 821 822 823 824 825 826 827 828 829 830 831 832 833 834 835 836 837 838 839 840 841 842 843 844 845 846 847 848 849 850 851 852 853 854 855 856 857 858 859 860 861 862 863 864 865 866 867 868 869 870 871 872 873 874 875 876 877 878 879 880 881 882 883 884 885 886 887 888 889 890 891 892 893 894 895 896 897 898 899 900 901 902 903 904 905 906 907 908 909 910 911 912 913 914 915 916 917 918 919 920 921 922 923 924 925 926 927 928 929 930 931 932 933 934 935 936 937 938 939 940 941 942 943 944 945 946 947 948 949 950 951 952 953 954 955 956 957 958 959 960 961 962 963 964 965 966 967 968 969 970 971 972 973 974 975 976 977 978 979 980 981 982 983 984 985 986 987 988 989 990 991 992 993 994 995 996 997 998 999 1000

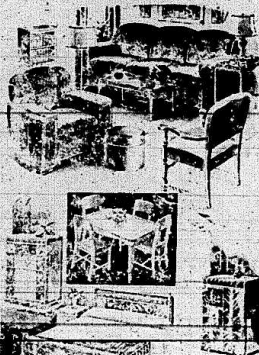
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Homes still are in great demand and more and more are needed as the housing shortage continues to be most acute.

We urge you to inspect this property before day of sale and invite our attendance on SATURDAY, JANUARY 10th, AT 1:30 P.M.

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Brodhead

Mrs. G. B. Carson has been very ill since Sunday...

Miss Shirley Carson returned to her home in Hazard Sunday after spending the holidays with her grandmother...

We are glad to report Mrs. Betty Newland able to be out after a very serious illness...

Arch Albright is reported very ill in Stamford hospital. Billy Cass was in London Sunday.

Mrs. S. T. Proctor, Mrs. C. C. Cox, Master Sigmund Hartin Proctor and Master Gary Cox, were guests of Mrs. M. H. Barnes and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McNeil and family, Eugene of Louisville visited relatives and friends here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McNeil returned to Ft. Lewis, Wash. after spending Christmas and New Years with their parents...

Miss Anna Carol Pike is visiting her friends, Misses Ellen and Frances Baker, in Hazard...

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hodre were here from Louisville over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McNeil...

Miss George Brown of Quill was the week-end guest of Miss E. E. Evans...

Mrs. Laura Johnson and Mrs. Eric Pike were given from Carlin Tuesday with friends...

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McNeil have returned from a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Gaines and daughters in Savannah, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Francisco in Orlando, Fla.

Charles Ray Osborne and two friends of Hazard, Mr. and Mrs. Webb New Year evening. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. B. Parnett...

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver and Finley Abney were in Berea and Lexington last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McNeil returned home after a visit in Ohio and Indiana.

Mr. H. H. Abney of Low Gap is spending the week-end with his family at Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Jenkins are spending their vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McNeil...

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Peakin returned to their home in Hazard Sunday after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Watson.

4-H CLUB HOLDS MEETING. The Mt. Vernon 4-H Club held its regular meeting Friday, December 10...

Mount Vernon

"WHERE THE BOONIE WAY JOINS THE DIXIE" MT. VERNON KENTUCKY THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 1948

Mr. Vernon Defeats Hazel Green 53-48

Last Tuesday night the Mt. Vernon Red Devils defeated the Hazel Green Bullfrogs 53-48...

The Little Red Devils also won their 10th game in eleven starts by defeating the Hazel Green "B" team 28-17...

In the Bourbonville Invitational Tournament the Red Devils knocked off the mighty regarded Middleboro team 29-26 but fell to the Knox Central team 47-28...

Friday night the Red Devils travel to Williamsburg to try for their eleventh victory. The game will be played on Friday night, Jan. 13...

CAVIN BINGHAM ELECTED TO NATIONAL ANGLUS ASSN. Calvin Bingham of Level Green, Ky. has been elected to membership in the American Angulus-Brothers Association...

Crooked Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Shell of Hamilton, O., spent part of last week here at Poplar Gap...

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen of Kentucky, and Mr. Clyde Van Hinkle of Richmond, Ind., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McNeil...

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FIRE DEPARTMENT CALLED TO MULLINS RESIDENCE

The local Fire Department answered the call to the residence of Jack Mullins about 10:30 a.m. Tuesday...

CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES. Sunday Services January 11, 1948. Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m. Sermon Topic: "The Last Commandments"

Poplar Gap. Mr. Matt Singleton is slowly improving of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McGuire were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Virgil Abney and Mr. Abney at Roundstone last week-end.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bontle Aiken last week. The baby girl named Caroline. The mother is not doing so well.

Mr. Frank Bond returned to his work in Hamilton, Ky., last week after spending the holidays here with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Carter, and Mrs. A. H. Higgins of Richmond, Ind., has returned to his work after being with homefolks here for a few days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Vansant a baby daughter, Miss Vansant, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey McGuire of Corbin were guests of relatives in Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Shell and Mrs. A. H. Higgins of Richmond, Ind., returned to their home at Hamilton, O., after spending the holidays with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Higgins has started the building of a new dwelling house on the Nathan bond piece.

Mr. and Mrs. Singletor left for Richmond, Ind., Sunday to seek employment there.

U.S. 27 LANCASTER TO CINCINNATI. Construction of U.S. 27 from Lancaster to Cincinnati is to be completed in 1948.

MURPHY, CARTER, MESSEY & SUTTON AUCTION SALES. January 9th at 10:00 A.M. C. E. Peck, Auctioneer.

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STATE BRIEFS

A helicopter occupied by men from Buffalo, N. Y., was forced to land Monday afternoon on the 100-foot Harlan highway near Pine Mountain.

Governor Earle C. Clement Monday appointed Dr. James W. Manning executive commissioner of finance and then announced that H. Clyde Reves will be named revenue commissioner sometime this week.

The suspension of Police Chief George Gugel was decided Monday by Mayor E. Desker. In a resolution presented at the first session of the new City Commission.

Lexington's "Battle of City Hall" entered the counterattack Monday with each side apparently in a deadlock.

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LOGAN D. BRYANT NAMED ON COMMERCE DEPT. ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Mr. Logan D. Bryant, of Bryant Bros., has been appointed a member of the committee for the U. S. Department of Commerce, U. S. Representative from Mount Vernon and has spent his entire business career here as dealer in automobiles, trucks, tires, farm and home mechanical equipment, etc.

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SHOOTING AT HIGHWAY SIGNS

Amateur marksmen are "shooting up" Kentucky's highway safety and direction signs at a rate of 12,000 a year, causing the state an unnecessary expense of at least \$50,000 annually.

The signs, made by prison labor at the Kentucky State Reformatory, cost an average of \$2.50 each, the maintenance director said.

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Circuit Court to Begin Here Monday

The January term of Circuit Court will open here Monday at 9 a.m. with Judge R. C. Carter of Somerset on the bench.

Following is a list of Jurors: Grand Jurors: Murphy Martin, John Kincaid, Colson Stevens, Ned McFone, Arthur Payne, Mrs. Alice Brown, W. Smith, Delbert Neely, Gar Mink, Robert Doty, Hardin, Northorn, Sherman, Sargent, S. R. Frazier, M. Howard, James Thomas, Walter Bradley, W. W. Anglin, John A. Brown, George Long, Homer Hale, Robert Chastain, Edward Burton, Nathan Clark and W. R. Coffey.

On Christmas day, 1868, President Johnson issued a pardon to all who had taken part in the session.

MASONIC LODGE TO INSALL OFFICERS. The Masonic Lodge of Mt. Vernon will meet tonight to install the following officers for the new year: Master, George Owens; Senior Warden, Harry D. Mullins; Junior Warden, Bill Coffey; Secretary, R. B. Kenzie; Treasurer, John W. Griffin; Senior Deacon, John Cox; Junior Deacon, Ray Rickard; Chaplain, John Galt; and Jack DeBorde, Jr., and Trustees, Oscar Hilton, W. I. Davis and D. Henderson.

These officers were elected at last meeting of the lodge and will be installed in the meeting tonight. Other officials will be named by the new roster at this meeting.

John Adams was the last member of the Federalist party in this county. President of the United States.

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RUSSIAN ROULETTE

Russian roulette, in case you do not know, is an interesting game. In this game the player takes a revolver, removes the bullets except one, puts the gun to his temple and pulls the trigger.

If luck works well the gambler lives. If late loads of the bomb explode and the player dies, he loses.

In Washington last month a group of friends had a demonstration of Russian roulette. The pistol fired and he was rushed to the hospital.

We can't recommend this exciting game. A man silly enough to make the test deserves a bullet in the brain.

County Agents Notes

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Scaffold Case

We are having some real winter weather in this section. The most snow we have had here in many years.

Moving seems to be the order of the day in this community. C. H. Cole has moved to his new home at foot of Scaffold Case.

Brothers have moved to the home they purchased at Todd Dale. Marvin Brown farm, Eld Miller has moved to Bob Brooks place.

Johnny Todd who has been spending the holidays with his parents has returned to New London, Ohio.

Mrs. Lucy Reynolds and son, Danny, who has been spending Christmas with her parents, has returned to Cincinnati.

C. B. Todd has gone to Richmond, Ind., to find employment. He will be 30 years old on Big Hill brought for the Macedonia Church was a great improvement for the church.

When appointed to the Union Oklahoma that a population of more than twenty-one other states.

William B. Wilson of Pennsylvania a former coal miner was the first Secretary of Labor of the United States.

ATTENTION FARMERS

It is now time to file in the A.A. Office reports on the 1947 production. Practically carried out on your farms. In order to save time we suggest that farmers make an effort to have their reports filed by the end of the month.

"I know that you have worked hard to bring this about, and I am happy that you have succeeded."

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Truman Signs GOP Inflation Bill, Labels It 'Feeble and Inadequate'; 1947 Fire Loss History's Highest

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This column is prepared in these columns, for the purpose of presenting to you a news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



Under attack by fire, the fire department headquarters after flames had found their way into a building which is the headquarters of the fire department.

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board pointed out that two years of the German air war against Great Britain cost only an estimated 400 million dollars in property damage.

There were 28 such major fires in 1946, 29 in 1945 and 29 in 1944.

Next in importance from the standpoint of major destructions were the Maine forest fires, where property loss at Bar Harbor alone was estimated at 8 million dollars.

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SELF-DEFENSE: Tojo's Plea

Defiant and with a trace of the old arrogance, Gen. Hideki Tojo Japan's wartime premier, entered a 70,000-word plea of "self-defense" before the military tribunal in Tokyo where he is on trial as a war criminal.

ARCTIC: Ter Planes

Arctic areas took their place more firmly as a region of vast military importance when the United States announced the establishment of a full U. S. jet fighter squadron in Alaska.

FIRE LOSS: Greatest

With the great toll of the Texas City explosion heading the list, fires and related disasters in 1947 cost the United States almost 70 billion dollars in 1947, the national board of fire underwriters said in its year-end report.

BABY RATIONING Europe's Population Too Dense for Resources

For her own good, Europe should look no time in attempting to establish a favorable ratio of population to its food resources, observes Guy Irving Burch, director of the population reference bureau.

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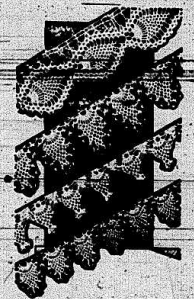
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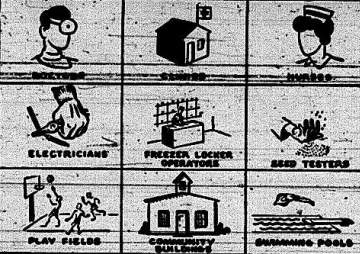
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Rural America Is on Threshold Of Many Revolutionary Changes

By EARLE HITCH
Retired by WNU Features

(Editor's Note: First in a series of articles on the vital problems and opportunities of small town and rural America.)

Almost like clicking a switch, rural America has been snapped into a new age. It is the era of big-scale, scientific agricultural production. Farming is undergoing revolutionary changes. As a consequence there is a shifting and shuffling in rural occupations. The new farming demands fewer workers. But it wants more mechanical skills, more capital and more business brains.

Industry is decentralizing. Branches of big plants are getting away from the congestion of cities. More small shops and mills are springing up in rural environments. This, too, is changing the character of rural employment. As machines displace labor in farming, new rural occupations will have to be created. Otherwise local population losses are inevitable.

Therefore, the people who live in the country today need, and will have, a new kind of community. The new community must be more than a place for trade. It must be the center of the whole country roundabout, as much devoted to matters of health, recreation and social good, as to matters of business.

New Outlook Demanded. To keep pace with these changing conditions, the small towns will have to get new shapes and new life. They must be able to meet the needs of their particular surroundings. They need re-designing to make their activities suited to the new rural life that is developing.

The country itself is becoming "civilized." That is, country people are as civic conscious and as socially alert as city people. They have new expectations. Their towns must be able to meet these expectations. These towns must reconsider their reasons for being. The towns that recognize this will find ways for more community usefulness. Those that act back and with no regard for the future will be left from.

These are the conclusions of those who are watching the trends over rural America. That is why the years just ahead promise to be an era of activity in rural community planning.

For the small towns which bear themselves bravely in a larger world, the city, the rural communities have a chance to "come back." They need not be content with obstacles. What they need is to come alive. To shake themselves and take hope.

That's the opinion of leaders in the rural life movement among whom are Eugene Smathers, who has developed a model plan at Big Lake, Texas; Dr. Burt Crowder, who directed the Montana rural study for Rockefeller foundation; P. E. Baker, social scientist of University of Maryland; and Manning L. G. Liggett, secretary of National Catholic Rural Life conference.

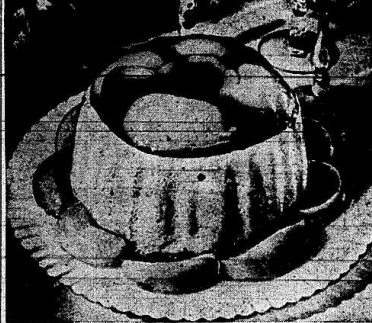
Pioneer in Program. Important pioneering has been done in rural community reorganization. The lead is actually demonstrating what can be done has been taken by the Catholic and Protestant churches, which have established missions for social work in several rural communities, and by the American Friends Service committee, which has community projects in Pennsylvania and South Carolina. Surveys and studies have been made by the Rockefeller foundation, by various farm bureau federations, the farmers' union, the national grange, some of the agricultural colleges and the U. S. department of agriculture.

Taken together, these surveys and inquiries show what is needed and just what is going toward filling the needs.

Navy to Close Historic Arms Dump

IONA ISLAND, N. Y. — After 47 years as a prime link in the chain of American sea defenses, Iona Island, nestled in the scenic land of Big Apple, will soon be closed. The navy has offered its ammunition dump on the island for rent, preferably for conversion to manufacturing, laboratory or industrial use. The island's 123 acres do not permit further expansion and modern safety requirements in the handling of high explosives are difficult to maintain here, the navy explained in announcing the rental plan.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS



Don't Forget Salads in Winter Meals

(See recipes below.)

Cold Weather Salads

Just because you don't have a garden full of green things outside your window is no reason for you to neglect salads in cool weather. There's an abundance of material on the market for refreshing and delightful salads. We like to recommend salad because they add texture and contrast to the meal, but most important, of all, because many fresh and uncooked foods may be combined into them. And why is so important to have fresh things? Because the vitamins and mineral riches are not cooked out of them, and we get more than ever in winter.

You can add bits of meat and cheese to vegetable salads and serve them with a piping hot cup of soup, or a hot lunch, for example, will be complete and well balanced.

Luncheon Salad. (Serves 4 or 5)
1 cup green beans, cooked or canned
1 cup carrot strips, cooked
1 cup celery strips
1/2 cup french dressina
1 hard-cooked egg
1 head of lettuce
1 cup ham, cut in strips
Marinate green beans, carrots and celery firm and unmoist on salad cooked eggs on bed of lettuce with vegetables. Sprinkle with sliver of ham and serve.

Sauerkraut and Beet Salad. (Serves 6 to 8)
1 package lemon-flavored gelatin
1/2 cup cold water
1 cup sauerkraut, chopped
1 cup beets, cooked and cubed
Soak gelatin in cold water. Drain sauerkraut and save juice. Add enough water to make 1 1/2 cups. Heat and add to dissolved gelatin. Add sauerkraut and beets. Pour into molds rinsed in cold water. Chill until firm and unmold on salad greens. Serve with mayonnaise.

Mixed Vegetable Salad. (Serves 6 to 8)
1 cup cauliflower, cooked
1 cup green beans, cooked
1/2 cup french dressing
1/2 to 2 lettuce cups
1 1/2 teaspoons anchovies
Marinate vegetables in french dressing. Toss in anchovies and mix lightly. Fill lettuce cups and garnish with radishes and sprouts leaves, if desired.

Here are other vegetable salad combinations you'll find handy for quick-reference these days:
Shredded carrots, chopped celery, sliced apples and preserved ginger.
Grated carrots, sliced celery, cooked lima beans and a dash of onion juice.
Cabbage, celery and green stuffed slices.
Green beans, cooked, with sliced hard-cooked eggs and strips of pimiento.

Lima beans, cooked and marinated with vinegar and sliced lemon slices.
Shredded cabbage, apples and radishes.
The fruit salad parade for winter is just as exciting and colorful as that of vegetables. Start of course.

LYNN SAYS: Save Vitamin Values With These Tips

Use fresh vegetables, cook quickly, cover tightly, use little water and then serve immediately. Never let cheese get too moist, drain it well, or it will become moldy. Never cook it too rapidly or it will become stringy. Refrigerate and cover foods in which you have milk to prevent souring, vitamin loss and the odors absorbing from other foods.

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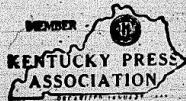
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FIRST CATCH YOUR DOCTOR

Proponents of compulsory health insurance have made extravagant claims and promises which, in the view of experts, are impossible of fulfillment. For example, it has been said that the Wagner-Murray-Dingell bill would make possible a complete physical examination each year for everyone covered. Yet, if our 125,000 practicing physicians were each to spend their full working time of 2,000 hours a year on physicals for all the people, they would have less than 2 hours to devote to each person—and there wouldn't be a single physician available to help the sick!

New Zealand's compulsory medical system is an example of unfulfilled promises. As Marjorie Shearon has written, "New Zealand finally said to its people in effect, 'If you can find a doctor who will treat you on the terms laid down by the social insurance law, we will foot the bill. But it was a case of first catch your doctor.'"

The whole drive for cradle to the grave "social security" seems to be based on exaggerations. The extremists visualize a world in which a beneficent government will take care of every conceivable human problem. What isn't pointed out is that this must involve the creation of a gigantic bureaucracy, blanketing every section of the nation with an insatiable appetite for tax money. And, in the case of medicine, political domination of the profession would certainly not make for progress. It would, on the other hand, make for deterioration of standards.

This country has a lesser medical care problem than any comparable nation. It is being gradually solved by voluntary means. Political medicine isn't the answer.

SEEING THE LIGHT

The Orleans County Monitor, of Barton, Vermont, recently ran an editorial on the electric power situation in its area, under the caption, "Credit Where Credit is Due." In part, it said: "Private initiative, private capital private en-

terprise is what has saved Vermont from the greatest electric tragedy in history. . . . Most of what we have is due to private enterprise and not to a half dozen municipal and one or two cooperative electric enterprises. . . . We have sometimes wondered if Northern Vermont would not be better served with electric energy today had the municipal plants never come into being. . . . They have, by their hindered private enterprise from much greater development than would otherwise have been the case.

What is true of a New England region on which the cost yet felt the impact of Federal socialization of electric power is even more true of other sections of the country. The Pacific Northwest is a prime case. Powers that in Oregon and Washington and the same reason is that the government plants effectively stopped private electrical progress years ago, and the states are now dependent on the politicians in Washington for appropriations. By contrast, private utilities have done an almost flawless job in supplying the need in the greatest industrial centers, such as Detroit, Pittsburgh and New York, where the government hasn't blocked their work.

The Vermont editor touched on a sore spot in the American economy. Private enterprise does the job when it is given the "go" signal. But it can't compete with socialized, tax-free government monopolies which are paid for by all the taxpayers.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Citizens Bank OF BRODHEAD, KENTUCKY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1947.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	175,309.72
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	583,474.63
Loans and discounts (including 77.12 overdrafts)	167,397.48
Bank premises owned \$3,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$500.00	4,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	930,181.83

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	817,701.22
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	49,585.30
Deposits of United States Government, (including postal savings)	402.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions. Other deposits (certified and officers checks, etc.)	12,750.87
TOTAL DEPOSITS \$1,844,656.10	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	884,656.10

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	20,000.00
Surplus	15,000.00
Undivided profits	5,325.73
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	58,200.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	98,525.73
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	930,181.83

This bank's capital consists of 50 shares first preferred stock with total par value of \$5,000.00, total retirable value \$5,000.00; and 150 shares common stock with total par value of \$15,000.00.

I, R. C. Anderson, Cashier, of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true; and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. C. ANDERSON, A. M. HIATT O. R. CASS, W. H. ANDERSON, DIRECTORS.

State of Kentucky, County of Rockcastle, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1948, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

D. H. GRAY, Notary Public

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Our city council can and should pass a few ordinances to remedy these conditions and then see that they are enforced. You can be sure that the larger and more progressive towns of this state and others have such regulations for the protection of their local tradesmen.

County Agents Notes

(Continued from page 1)

Information on Kentucky churches, published by the University of Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station, says there are approximately 1,400,000 church members, and 7,600 churches in the state. . . .

Church membership ranges from less than 10 percent of the population in some sections of Kentucky to over 60 percent in other sections. The lowest membership is in southeastern counties and the highest in north-central counties. Church attendance relative to membership, however, is higher in the former counties than in the latter, according to the report, which was written by Dr. Harold F. Kaufman, rural sociologist.

Eighty-five religious bodies reported one or more churches in Kentucky. Twenty of them account for 85 percent of the church membership, and the

two largest, Southern Baptist and Sunday Schools had an in-Catholic account for half excess of 20% in attendance of the membership. . . . The average size of churches were 60 and 35 new in the Bluegrass region. . . .

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CATTLE—Receipts, 542; steers, \$5.90 @ 28.50; heifers, \$14 @ 28.50; best baby beefs, \$23.10 @ 27.50; other baby beefs, \$19 @ 22.50; cows, \$11.80 @ 20.35; cows and calves, \$124 @ 27.5; milk cows, \$99 @ 18.00; bulls, \$17.50 @ 21; stock bulls, \$81 @ 134 a head; stock cattle, \$28 @ 83 a head.

HOGS—Receipts, 388; packers, \$17.25; mediums, \$26.50; heavies, \$27; lights, \$28; sows, \$20.10 @ 25; sows and pigs, \$20; best shotwts, \$23.75 @ 25.30; others, \$18.10 @ 22.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4; no quotations.

CALVES—Receipts, 102; tops, \$38; seconds and butchers, \$27.75; heavies, \$37 down; common and medium, \$16 @ 30.

HORSES AND MULES—Receipts, 8; no quotations.

Garrard County Stockyards

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These receiving prizes were: Miss Georgia Griffith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Crenshaw; Miss M. C. Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clark; Miss M. C. Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clark; Miss M. C. Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lutz entertained at their home in the city. The party was given in honor of the New Year's eve. The party was given in honor of the New Year's eve. The party was given in honor of the New Year's eve.

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Double Wedding Ceremony. The double wedding of Miss Hazel V. Todd daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Todd, Remo to Mr. Harold C. Todd, and Miss Becca and Miss Becca M. Lantz daughter of Mrs. J. S. Lantz, Remo to Mr. John W. St. Clair, Mt. Vernon, was solemnized in the Methodist Church, Mt. Vernon, on Wednesday, December 31, 1947 in the Danforth Chapel with the Rev. O. B. Byrum, pastor of the Baptist church officiating in the double ring ceremony.

The altar was decorated with white tapers and white gladiolus.

Miss Lantz was attired in a gray ermine dress trimmed in rhinestones with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of red roses.

Miss Todd's dress was of white wool trimmed in white satin with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of red roses.

A reception for the immediate families of the four young people was held in the Elmside room immediately following the ceremony.

After a short wedding trip to Cincinnati Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair will make their home in Mt. Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Coffey in Berea.

Mrs. H. T. Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of Latonia was wedding guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis and Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Maggard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy R. Peyton and son of Lexington were the weekend guests of Mr. Peyton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Peyton.

Mr. Roy King has returned home after a three weeks visit with relatives in Irvine.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bullock have returned home after a two weeks visit with relatives in Cincinnati.

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Elizabeth Taylor - George Murphy - S. Z. Sakall - Mary Astor
CYNTHIA
Children 5c Adults 30c

SATURDAY - JAN. 17
Jack Lenord
SWING THE WESTERN WAY
Children 5c Adults 30c

visit with relatives here.

Mr. H. T. Nicely has returned to his home in Atlanta, Ga. after a weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fain of Covington are visiting his mother, Mrs. Fain at Pine Hill.

Misses Ollie Reynolds and Jean McHenry were in Richmond Saturday.

NOTICE TO ALL DOG OWNERS
We now have a supply of Dog Tags. It is required by the State Law that all owners must license their dogs. So please come in and get your Dog Tags. D. G. Glenn, Sheriff, Rockcastle County, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

Miss Ruby Riddle returned to Lexington Sunday after spending the holidays with Mrs. J. R. W. Riddle and family and Mr. and Mrs. Willis McKenzie.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mullins of Mobile, Ala. and Mrs. Geo. Whitte and children of Cincinnati, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. T. J. Nicely and daughter, Nell Wanda, were in London Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Cox and children. Miss Sue Hilton has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Bagley Sigmond of London and daughter, Doris, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hust and daughter of Bardonia were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Anglin and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robinson Sunday.

Mr. Henry Nicely and Miss Nell Wanda Nicely accompanied their brother, L. Lewis Nicely to Lexington Friday where he left for Davton, O. to report for duty after a two weeks leave.

Mrs. Elizabeth Anglin and Miss Noja Husiner of Eastern State Teachers College were weekend guests of Mrs. W. W. Anglin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rexroth of Somerset passed through here Saturday enroute home from their honeymoon. They stopped and visited with her aunt, Mrs. May Nicely. Mrs. Rexroth was nee Miss Georgia, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gentry of Quail.

Mrs. R. H. Gentry, Sr. left Saturday for Statesville, N. C. to visit with a relative who is critically ill.

Marine Corporal Robert Wayne Cummins who has been stationed in Japan for the past two and one half years spent a two months furlough at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummins and returned to camp at Paris Island, South Carolina last Sunday.

and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Casey at Emelice.

Mrs. Rose Catherine Fred has returned home after a two weeks visit with relatives in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. Arthur Hamilton of Detroit, Mich. is home on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hamilton.

Mr. Clark Brown has returned home after a weeks visit with his parents in Shelbyville.

Mr. R. B. Bader of Camp Lejeune, N. C. and James Soatt, daughter of Mansfield, O. were dinner guests of Mrs. F. Lee Bell at Pine Hill Christmas day.

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SATURDAY - JAN. 10
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Also: Cartoon and Serial.

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U. S. Government Bonds	849,800.00
Municipal Bonds	15,000.00
Banking House	3,400.00
Furniture & Fixtures	900.00
Cash & Due From Banks	533,736.82
	\$2,073,710.38
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	60,000.00
Surplus	40,000.00
Undivided Profits	9,342.93
Deposits	1,964,367.45
	\$2,073,710.38

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B. P. Mitchell	Assistant Cashier
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J. H. Wolf	E. E. Bullock
N. M. Smock	

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Mrs. Willie Logsdon and Mrs. Gillis Brown spent last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawrence.

A beautiful dinner was served in honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Taylor at their home by their children on New Year's evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Corvin Reynolds and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Taylor and son, Mr. Clyde Taylor and daughter, Mrs. Lala Taylor and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godby. Two sons Gene, who is in the Navy and Austin, whose wife is ill were unable to be there. All reported a nice time.

Mr. Arnold Taylor who is in the U.S. Navy at Great Lakes writes home he is liking it fine.

Mrs. Jim Adams is ill at this writing.

Mrs. Willie Logsdon and Mrs. Gillis Brown spent at Russell Albright Wednesday.

The earliest American dictionary was one published by Noah Webster in 1804.

visit with relatives here.

Mr. H. T. Nicely has returned to his home in Atlanta, Ga. after a weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fain of Covington are visiting his mother, Mrs. Fain at Pine Hill.

Misses Ollie Reynolds and Jean McHenry were in Richmond Saturday.

NOTICE TO ALL DOG OWNERS
We now have a supply of Dog Tags. It is required by the State Law that all owners must license their dogs. So please come in and get your Dog Tags. D. G. Glenn, Sheriff, Rockcastle County, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

Miss Ruby Riddle returned to Lexington Sunday after spending the holidays with Mrs. J. R. W. Riddle and family and Mr. and Mrs. Willis McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mullins of Mobile, Ala. and Mrs. Geo. Whitte and children of Cincinnati, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. T. J. Nicely and daughter, Nell Wanda, were in London Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Cox and children. Miss Sue Hilton has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Bagley Sigmond of London and daughter, Doris, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hust and daughter of Bardonia were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Anglin and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robinson Sunday.

Mr. Henry Nicely and Miss Nell Wanda Nicely accompanied their brother, L. Lewis Nicely to Lexington Friday where he left for Davton, O. to report for duty after a two weeks leave.

Mrs. Elizabeth Anglin and Miss Noja Husiner of Eastern State Teachers College were weekend guests of Mrs. W. W. Anglin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rexroth of Somerset passed through here Saturday enroute home from their honeymoon. They stopped and visited with her aunt, Mrs. May Nicely. Mrs. Rexroth was nee Miss Georgia, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gentry of Quail.

Mrs. R. H. Gentry, Sr. left Saturday for Statesville, N. C. to visit with a relative who is critically ill.

Marine Corporal Robert Wayne Cummins who has been stationed in Japan for the past two and one half years spent a two months furlough at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummins and returned to camp at Paris Island, South Carolina last Sunday.