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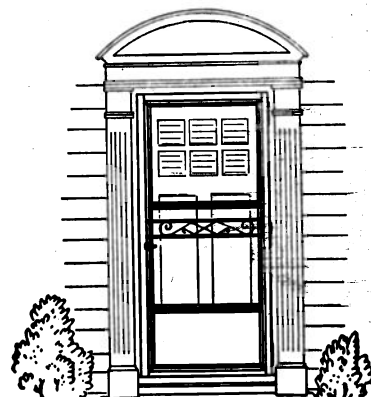
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Dear Sir:

Permit me to join Governor Alfred E. Driscoll and Attorney General Theodore D. Parsons in commending you for using the special highway safety articles.

New Jersey today has close to two million licensed drivers who must be constantly and continually reminded of their responsibilities to drive in safe and careful manner. We must, therefore, rely on the press of the State to reach these millions of operators, a service which to now has been most generously rendered.

In the interest of safety, believe me

WILLIAM J. DEARDEN,  
Acting Director.

Dear Editor:

I took our kids to the Museum of Natural History in New York last Sunday. It was a very interesting trip and more parents ought to take their kids.

Your story about the Paterson Museum made me decide to take my children to the Paterson Museum, too.

Yours sincerely,

PHILIP BENNETT.



Shoppers at Quackenbush's Department Store paused to hear Christmas carols and hymns sung by the Quackenbush Glee Club. This was the opening program in a series of concerts held annually by Quackenbush's. Salespeople, office workers, stock people and executives left the routine of their daily jobs to sing on the grand staircase on Quackenbush's main floor. Miss Evelyn Menton, lyric soprano, directs the group which is accompanied by Edgar Kendall. Both are employees of the store.



Typical of the activities of the Old Timers was this gathering at which a check for \$1,000 was presented to the Passaic County Elks Cerebral Palsy Center. In the picture are: Mayor-elect Lester F. Titus, Herman Singer, Alfred R. Cozzolino, County Clerk Floyd E. Jones, Dr. Joseph S. De Rose, J. Leo Slater, Steven Heller, Fred Huber, Michael Maletta, Thomas Casapulla, Anthony Conti, Jackie McFayden, Michael Kulik, Dom Trowse, David Whitehead, Joseph Proctor, Hope Brophy, Walter Jamieson, Lester Birchall, and Anthony Marino.

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# IS THERE A BOY IN YOUR CHRISTMAS TREE?

**Y.M.C.A. Service Club Operates  
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This is a question that is asked of the people in Passaic County each year at this time. But it is more than just a mere question. It is a challenge, a challenge asked by the Paterson Y's Men's Club, the service club of the YMCA.

The Y's Men's Club is part of an international organization for wherever there is a YMCA, there is also a service club dedicated to the creed of the YMCA which is symbolized by its red triangle

denoting the work of the Y in developing young men and boys in body, mind and spirit.

Following in the precepts of this world-wide organization, the Paterson Y's Men's Club each year for the past thirteen years, has selected for itself a project which enables the members to assist deserving young people according to their individual needs.

This project is the sale of Christmas trees. Every dollar realized by the Club is set aside for their work in helping

those less fortunate boys and young men who for one reason or another do not have the advantages that every youngster should have.

Last year the money realized from tree sales aided many wonderful and worthwhile projects.

Physical examinations for 176 needy boys resulting in 14 major operations, 18 minor operations, and 10 eye glasses.

Contribution to Dining Hall at YMCA Camp Site.

Buses to transport less privileged boys to big league ball games.

15 needy boys given period at "Y" camp.

Trophies to winners of all-around athletic contest.

Awards and dinner to high school co-ed group.

The site of the Y's Men's Club tree stand is at McLean Boulevard and Ninth Avenue, on property made available to them by the Weny Bros. and Storms Construction Co. Many willing hands make light the work and assure: a fairly successful venture.

There are no salaried people at the Christmas Tree stand. All the cutting, trimming, stacking and selling of trees is done by volunteer members of the Club. Most of them are busy professional people. Yet these busy men take time out from their many other responsibilities to sell the trees because they are imbued with an earnest and conscientious desire to help needy boys.

This year the need for funds is greater than ever before. Members of the club urge Christmas tree buyers to visit their stand.



Volunteer "salesmen" at the Y's Men's Club ready and waiting for customers. They are, left to right, first row: Fred Vreeland, Jr., Carlton Lee, George A. Breur, James Grayson, and Lou Muller, Jr.; second row: Art McGeest, Ambrose Donnelly, J. Winzer Brown, John Piekema, Al Hochberg, Lou Muller, Sr., and Charles E. Bower.



## JUST A ... *Column of Comment*

Is it significant that Jake Breslin and Bill Durkin are seen so often in so many different places with Hizzoner-Elect?

They say that—Charlie Scanlan, Titus' campaign manager, will be named a water commissioner.

Vince Duffy's spite action against De Vita is not sitting too well with a great number of people. Tom Brino should not be the goat irrespective of what transpired between Duffy and De Vita.

Titus will definitely name Joseph Manley to the Board of Education and he will become president of that body.

The Paterson postmastership will soon be available. Mayor De Vita would love that spot. Its acceptance, however, precludes all political activity. Can Mike overcome the urge?

Norman Tattersall should brush up on his arithmetic if he wants to practice economy in the Sheriff's Office.

Lawrence Kramer, who was on the Board of Public Works under Furrey, and Democrat Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes Crangle are reported slated for appointment to the Works Board by Titus.

Police Commissioner Robert Wegner stayed away from the meeting, which was supposed to see the lame duck promotions, accidentally on purpose, according to rumor. They say the promotions were supposed to go through.

It is rumored that the Republicans took a picture of the city steamroller working on private property on Twenty-third Avenue for use in the campaign. They didn't use it when they found out how the owner stood in the election.

### CHAIR RENTALS

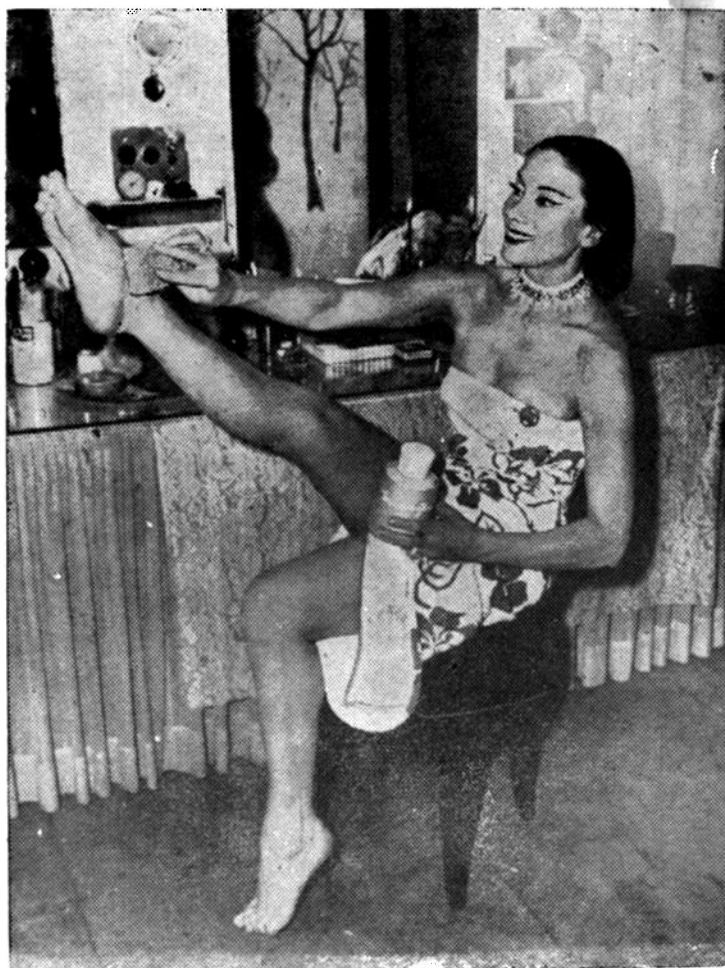
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Mayor Michael U. DeVita, center, in doorway of new County Bank and Trust Company branch at East Thirtieth Street, about to cut ribbon at opening ceremonies. Left is G. H. Schmitz, manager of the new branch, and at right is C. Kenneth Fuller, president of the County Bank and Trust Co.



Making up for her performance in "The King and I" on Broadway is a two-hour job for its star, Dorothy Sarnoff.

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## *Lip Service*

"I am too young to be considered dead."

Mayor Michael U. De Vita.

"I think that Gil McDougald will be the outstanding athlete of 1952."

Jimmy Powers,  
Sports Commentator.

"Our opinions of each other are quite clear."

Joseph Masiello,  
Exec. Sec'y Republican Party  
to Mayor De Vita.

"Management is complacent, it doesn't want to be bothered or annoyed."

Nelson Stamler,  
Deputy Attorney General.

"We need a central 'think' agency to sit in constant deliberation over the whole of peace-making."

Bernard Baruch.

"I have no regrets. I feel that I have reached the stage where I can no longer produce for my club, my manager, my teammates and my fans."

Joe Di Maggio.

"I feel confident if you give the same support that you gave Bill Brokaw this will be another good year for the Chamber of Commerce."

William F. Johnson,  
Newly-elected president.

"If you make a motion I'm walking out and you can have the meeting all by yourself."

John V. Hinchliffe, Passaic  
Valley Water Commissioner

"There is a general letdown of morals in Passaic County. Yes, to a point where it is dangerous. If the condition continues, the expense of law enforcement will be prohibitive."

Lawrence Dimoni,  
Assistant Prosecutor.

"I probably could sign a pro contract and make a lot of quick cash. That's not for me. I don't want to live a fast life. I want a quiet, normal life."

Dick Kazmaier,  
Princeton's all-American.





J. Palmer Murphy

# TELEVISION SERVICE CAN BE RELIABLE

By J. PALMER MURPHY, Executive Secretary, Radio and Television Servicemen of New Jersey

(PART TWO)

"There is hardly anything in the world that some men cannot make a little worse, and sell a little cheaper, and people who consider price only are this man's lawful prey."

That statement by John Ruskin is certainly true of the television industry, not only in the manufacture of sets, but in service.

Those people who consider price only in purchasing a television set will probably find that they have deprived themselves of a great deal of pleasure, and may end up spending more than they saved for aspirin. So even before we go further into the subject of TV service, it would be well to inject some warning to use care in purchasing a set in the first place.

If you are buying a nationally advertised brand TV set, make sure that the manufacturer's name appears on the set. Check for a serial number or other identification. Be certain that you are getting the set you think you are getting.

If you are set on purchasing a set whose manufacturer you are not familiar with, then know your dealer. There are very good sets manufactured locally, or custom built, or sold under a dealer's own name. There are also some pretty poor sets of doubtful make palmed off on the public under guise of bargains. It may cost a little more to buy a set from a reliable store, but no reputable merchant could afford to carry sub-standard sets. Very often, too, the cost is no greater. Remember, too, that a reliable dealer wants to keep you as a satisfied customer, and will make sure that you get satisfactory service on your set, and will follow up if necessary to make sure that you are

satisfied with the operation of your TV.

A guarantee should come with your set. This is provided by the manufacturer and protects you in case any part should prove defective under normal use within a reasonable period. Do not confuse the manufacturer's guarantee (or warranty) with your service contract. Those are two separate and distinct papers.

Your manufacturer's guarantee covers only the replacement of parts which are defective, and is for a limited period only, such as 30, 60, or 90 days. A few manufacturers now do give a one year guarantee, but this is unusual, the common guarantee being for 60 or 90 days. Check their guarantee carefully before purchasing your set. A good warranty should start from the time you purchase the set—not from the time the set was manufactured, but unfortunately, many warranties are not written that way. Make sure your set has a serial number, because the guarantee is not good if the serial number has been removed. The guarantee does not cover any labor, or the operation of the set as a whole—just defective parts.

Sometimes the salesman tells you that the company will make good on certain things not covered by the guarantee. Sometimes he guarantees certain performance. Get all such assurances in writing before you buy. His oral promise may be good, but perhaps when you go back to get him to make good on those promises, he has taken another job someplace else and no one in the store knows what he told you. Any special conditions of sale must be in writing to be good.

Once you have decided on a set, and

purchased it, you must decide whether or not you want a service contract or not, and who you want to install the set. Most retailers give you a choice of buying with or without contracts. A few dealers insist on including the contract with the purchase. They do this to make sure that your set performs in a satisfactory manner; they fear that you will try to fix it yourself without proper knowledge, or that you will get an unreliable service man—in which cases your set might not work, and you would be unhappy about the store from which you purchased it, or condemn the company which manufactured it.

Where the manufacturer's guarantee protects you against defective parts, a service contract takes care of the cost of obtaining and installing the new part, as well as protecting you against certain other difficulties. The guarantee primarily covers parts; the service contract primarily covers labor. Usually contracts are for a year.

A first year service contract includes installation where necessary. While the original installation under the contract covers the antenna, the service contract generally does not cover the antenna other than the original installation. Read your contract through before you buy it; don't assume that it covers everything, for no service contract does. You'll be more satisfied if you know in advance what you can expect from your contract. The provisions make sense, and it is to your advantage to know them before you buy. Second year contracts, and for subsequent years, are much the same as first year contracts, except that no installation work is necessary.

(Continued next week)



# EDITORIALS

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## GENERAL EISENHOWER

It must be obvious to even the most politically naive that General Eisenhower has decided to make himself available for the Republican nomination for President.

This is made most clear when Eisenhower permits men like Senator Duff of Pennsylvania, and other Republican leaders to start campaigning in behalf of his candidacy.

Men like Eisenhower would not permit Duff and others to embarrass themselves by working in his behalf unless he meant to be a candidate. And certainly one word from the general would end any campaigning at this point.

Eisenhower definitely intends to make himself a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket. He apparently chose the Republican ticket by his silent acceptance of Senator Duff's support. At no time did he give any encouragement to any Democrat either through word or other means.

Eisenhower's willingness to run is tantamount to obtaining the nomination. Taft, Warren or any other Republican hopeful cannot possibly buck the popular general. And the Republicans, desperate to win the presidential election, will select Ike as their candidate no matter what.

And this means that they will not even take into consideration whether or not Eisenhower plans to adopt their program. Their program will be whatever the general decides.

President Truman, who has refused to reveal his intention in regards to another term, will probably decide against running if Eisenhower is the candidate of the Republicans. Rumor hath it that the general told the presi-

dent of his plans when he last visited these shores.

President Truman, like everybody else, must feel that he can't possibly win against the popular general. He might think he can beat anyone else—and on this we agree—but the combination of Ike and the possible desire for a change would be tough competition. The President isn't going to allow himself to go down to defeat this late in his political career. He'll choose to retire undefeated at this point.

Concerning Eisenhower and his views, we believe a great number of liberals

who originally supported him are going to be sadly disappointed when the general gets around to expressing himself on domestic matters.

Ike has been consistently on the side of the liberals in his thinking on international affairs, but he has never really revealed his ideas on domestic problems.

His choice of the Republican party is the greatest tip-off on his views along these lines. The second has been some recent speeches that came as a shock to liberals and labor leaders.

No matter what, however, if Eisenhower will be the next president, let us hope he makes a better chief executive than previous military men have.

## CHARITY FOR ALL

With the help of President Truman, the nine-week-old son of a Navy technician was flown to Washington from Key West in a White House courier plane for a brain operation on which his only chance for survival hung.

This is a very commendable act on the part of the President. It is typical, too, of the reaction of most Americans who willingly give aid in times of hardship and distress for others.

The sad part about this feeling, however, is the fact that as a nation we are prone to help only when the condition has been dramatized for us.

The business man, who fights vigorously any plan to eliminate the slums because he will have to pay more taxes, gladly contributes several hundred dollars to help the family whose home has been destroyed by flood or fire.

This trait in our nature, oftentimes, is

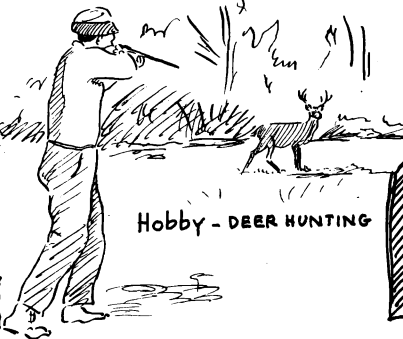
motivated by the personal publicity the giver might feel he gains through his act. But many times the donor receives and expects no recognition whatsoever.

We might excuse the business man on the basis that he doesn't want to be forced to pay out money in taxes to clear the slums, but he is most willing to give when he can make the decision himself.

This is a childish viewpoint, if true. He should want to give, basically, because he is in a financial position to do so and there is a need for his money. Whether or not it is taken in taxes, or given willingly, is unimportant. The important thing is that those who can should help those who need.

The solution might be in dramatizing the plight of the masses as we do the plight of individuals. This can be done if it is the only means whereby we can get help for the unfortunate.

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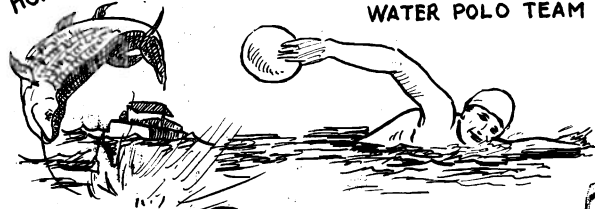


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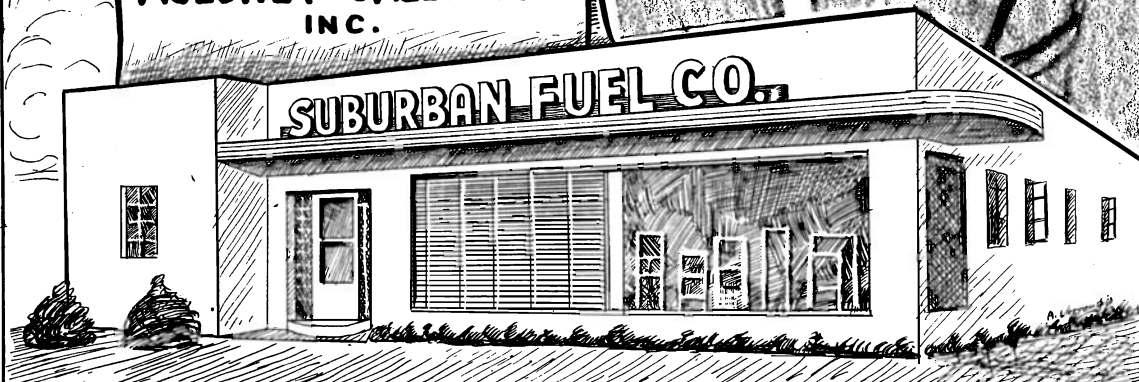
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**FRED VERHAGEN**



# THE *Chronicle* of the Week

President Arthur J. Sullivan of the Passaic County Park Commission and other officers were re-elected at the annual meeting in Lambert's Castle. Sullivan, a resident of Clifton, was given his fourteenth consecutive term.

The First National Bank and Trust Company declared a dividend of \$1.50 per share which is payable January 2 to holders of record as of the close of business December 19, 1951. The announcement was made by F. Raymond Peterson, chairman of the board.

The Board of Education agreed upon a four-point program which will lead to an increase in teachers' salaries. Included in the plan are establishment of an "equivalent credits program," an across the board bonus, an across the board increase next year, and revision of the salary guide.

Robert Wannamaker, 42, of Caldwell, shot and killed himself by accident on opening day of New Jersey's hunting season when he apparently tried to pull a loaded shotgun out the rear seat of his car.

The North Jersey District Water Supply Commission adopted a 1952 operating budget of \$593,865 which is \$72,452 less than the current budget. Chairman William P. Furrey said a \$55,406 surplus would be split among the eight partner towns.

William E. Brokaw, president of the Greater Paterson Chamber of Commerce, in an article in the *Morning Call* urged business men to join the organization for the betterment of the greater Paterson area.

Carl Holderman was re-elected president of the State CIO Council by a whopping majority. He was opposed for the first time since he took office seven years ago by Richard F. Ryan, financial secretary of Local 906, United Auto Workers.

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Fire caused considerable damage to the Stag Grill, operated by Louise Turner at 23 Bank Street. The blaze was believed caused by an overheated stove pipe.

Mrs. Emma L. Conlon, first woman member of the Paterson Board of Finance, has been named winner of the 1951 Outstanding Citizen Trophy of the Paterson Dux Club. She will be honored at their annual dinner on January 19.

Carl Van Winter, Sr., 45, president of the Pompton Lakes Board of Education and an official of the DuPont Cap Works at Pompton lakes, died of a heart attack.

Walter S. Morris, member of the Board of Public Works, was appointed temporary manager of the new Ellison Street parking site by the Paterson Parking Authority.

Court Clerk Saul Lippman was out of Barnert Hospital after undergoing an examination for a spinal disorder. He was treated by Dr. Abraham S. Effron.

James P. Walsh, retired assistant superintendent of mails at the Paterson Post Office, died in Jacksonville, Fla., where he had been staying since August.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fiory, of 92 East Thirty-seventh Street, reported to police the theft of \$500 in cash and furs valued at \$2,700 from her home.

## TOYS

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# A STREET THAT ISN'T A STREET . . .

## "Lower" Main Street Is Really a Section of Paterson

Stroll down Paterson's Broad Main Street toward Broadway and you suddenly come to a street, only half as wide, but which in reality is a continuation of the wider street. This is fabulous "Lower" Main Street.

Confined to approximately four short blocks, Lower Main Street has really come to mean a section of Paterson with as much renown as Dublin, Riverside and the Eastside.

The differences are that Lower Main Street is very much smaller and has become one of this city's most heavily trafficked shopping centers. In fact, there are many shoppers, including out-of-towners, who never shop elsewhere in the city..

Merchants on the street like to think of it as a "department store" street, maintaining that buyers can obtain any type of merchandise they desire in one of several of the stores along the street.

This is almost a truism for Lower Main Street boasts of shoe stores, furniture stores, a drug store, a variety store, jewelry stores and even food stores as well as a restaurant.

Businesswise, the merchants along Lower Main are very promotional minded, not only for their individual stores, but for the street. There is probably no other group of the retailers in the city that equals them in promoting their street.

Your stroll down Main Street today would lead you directly to a huge lighted sign that stretches across Lower Main Street where it meets Broadway. Offering a gay Christmas greeting, the colorful lights mark the entrance to a street that has been touched with enchantment for the holiday season.

Traditional floral decorations in red and green vie with the bright Christmas lights in creating a veritable holiday fairyland along the entire street. Christmas music, piped from the tops of buildings, covers the street like a blanket.

This is typical of the many promotions that merchants of Lower Main Street undertake to make their street a better place to shop. Backbone of these promotions is the Lower Main Street Merchants Association.

Organized in 1949 by Robert Le Vine, son of Samuel "Uncle Sam Shoes" Le Vine, the association has grown since then until it now has a membership of fifty-two merchants out of a possible fifty-four. It has paid dividends not only in profits for the members but in making the street a specialized shopping center.

One of the high points of their program is the arrangement whereby shoppers are refunded the cost of parking their cars in any parking lot in the city. Another is the ethics committee which

acts in the fashion of a local Better Business Bureau to maintain the street's good reputation.

And though the association was formed mainly to increase business for the merchants on the street, it has been responsible for many activities that were more in the realm of mutual help for one another. There is an air of friendly competition among the merchants for each knows he can depend upon the other in an emergency.

Merchants everywhere can look for guidance to them in learning the meaning of the true spirit of competition in the best American tradition.

Present officers are Oscar Barnett, president; Morris Fishman, vice-president; Nathan Neiman, secretary; and Nat Raskin, treasurer.



The lights go on for the holidays on Lower Main Street. Mayor DeVita does the switching and is watched by, left to right, first row, Samuel M. (Uncle Sam) Le Vine, committee chairman; Nat Raskin, treasurer; Morris Fishman, vice-president; J. Palmer Murphy, executive secretary of the Chamber of Commerce distribution division; Nat Neiman, secretary; second row: Edwin J. MacEwan, executive vice-president of the Chamber; Maury Goldstein, president of the distribution division; Goody Adrian, promotion chairman of the association; and William Brokaw, president of the Chamber.





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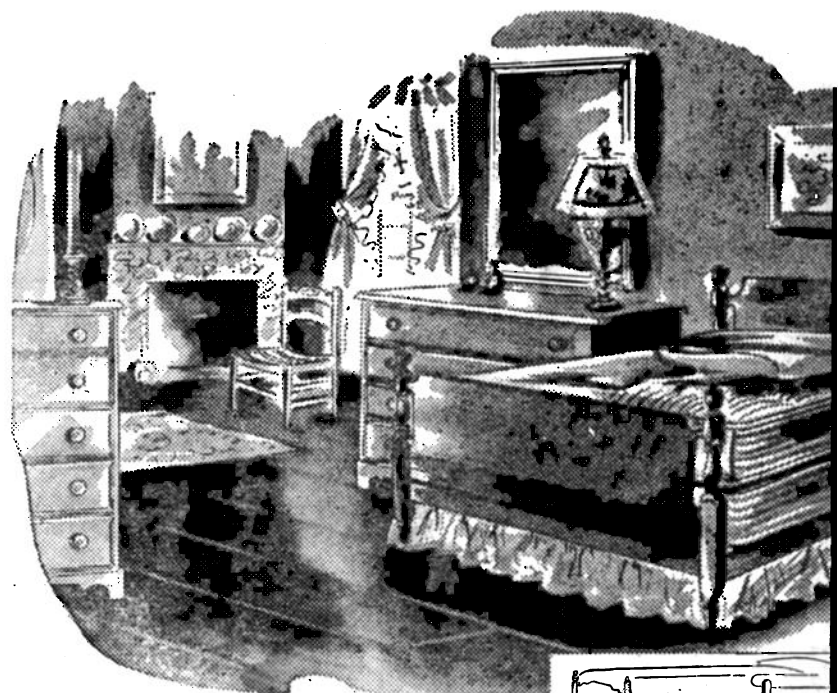
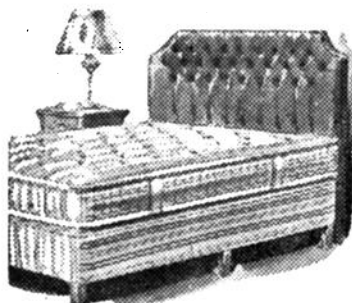
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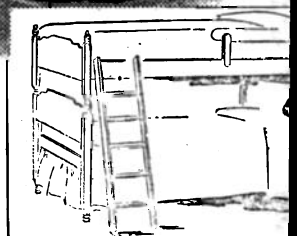
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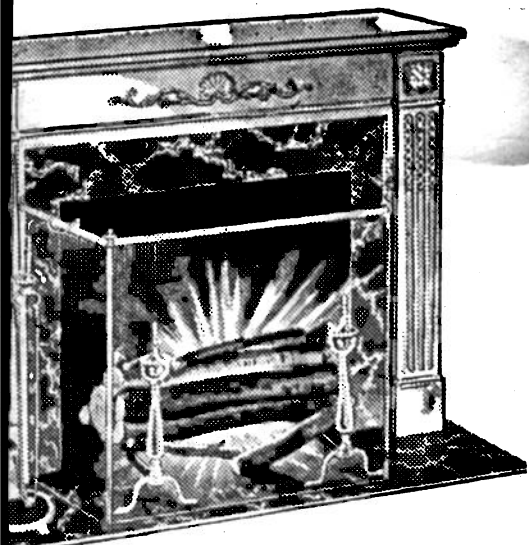
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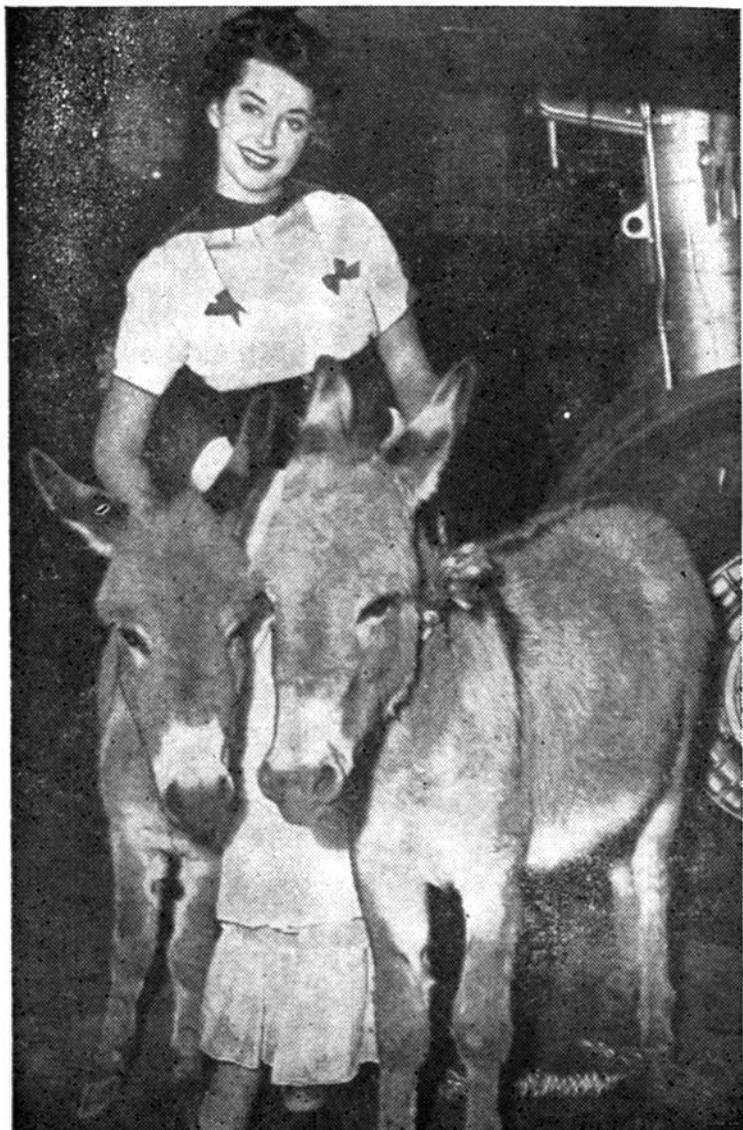
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Moose say so long to one of their members. Above, left to right, Richard "Tiny" Barrington, Past Noble North Moose, Newark Lodge 237; Abe Marcus, Deputy North Moose, Passaic; Ben Y. Vaughn, Fellow and secretary Paterson lodge. Second row: Andrew Militello, governor Paterson lodge; Andrew "Pop" Anderson, honored member; Robert Berthold, past governor, Paterson lodge. "Pop" Anderson is leaving for Moosehaven, Fla.



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# Christmas Activities In the State



New Jersey will resemble a giant brilliantly decorated Christmas tree during the next two weeks. Christmas lighting displays, pageants, and other Yuletide activities throughout the State will highlight the holiday season for visitors and residents, reports Commissioner Charles R. Erdman, Jr., of the New Jersey Department of Conservation and Economic Development.

Tree and house lighting displays will be main attractions for vacationers along the Jersey Shore.

Hotels, stores, city buildings, and private residences in Atlantic City will be decked out in their brightest colors during Christmas lighting competitions. Several hotels in this and other shore communities are planning tours of these areas, so that guests may view the elaborate displays. Other features of the pre-Christmas season in Atlantic City include the distribution of presents to children at various hotels, and public skating and weekly hockey games in Convention Hall, on the boardwalk.

Asbury Park, northern neighbor of Atlantic City, has already begun Christmas festivities with its own city-wide lighting competition. A Christmas program and Christmas Concert will be held on December 16, at Convention Hall. Three days later, on the 19th, Santa will distribute presents to the children in the "Hall".

In the North Jersey lakeland region,

the Dover Recreation Commission will stage its annual Yuletide Decoration Contest for private homes. Silver dollars and certificates will be awarded to winners. As in similar competitions in other Jersey towns, the three main classifications for judging will be the house, the grounds, and the house and grounds combined. More than 100 homes in the Dover area are expected to enter the contest.

A large, illuminated Christmas tree, set up in the Dover Park about two weeks before Christmas by the Dover Lions' Club, will be a focal point of the town's display of colored lights. Other local organizations adding to the holiday spirit include the Order of Moose and the American Legion, which will hold Christmas parties on December 23.

Nearby Newton will augment its colorful Yuletide program by having Santa ride into town on a sleigh, about a week before Christmas, to distribute presents to children.

The town's lighting ceremony will be touched off when the switch is thrown to illuminate hundreds of colored lights concentrated in the park. The male chorus of the local Elks' Club is scheduled to sing carols during the lighting ceremony.

Rutgers University, Princeton University, Panzer College and other Jersey institutions of higher learning will feature special Christmas programs, ex-

pected to set the trend for schools throughout the Garden State.

Centenary Junior College, at Hackettstown, will present a Yuletide program typical of school activities to be held all over the State. The students will offer a double program, one on the afternoon of December 16, and one on the evening of December 18. A special Christmas Vesper Service, on the 16th, will be a pageant type affair, under the direction of Dr. Victor G. Mills, Dean of Religion. It is sponsored by the Guild, a student organization.

On the evening of the 18th, the students will stage their traditional caroling through the street of Hackettstown.

Secondary school activities at Hackettstown will include the Hackettstown High School's annual Christmas Concert, set for Friday (December 14th) in the auditorium. Under the auspices of the school's vocal and instrumental music department, the concert will feature carols and popular music by a 125-member choral group and a 72-piece orchestra.

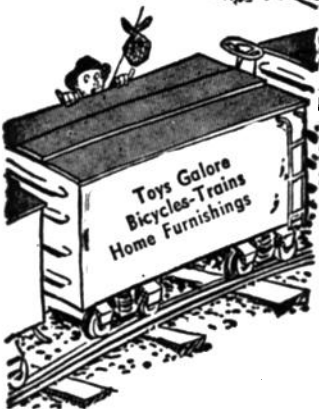
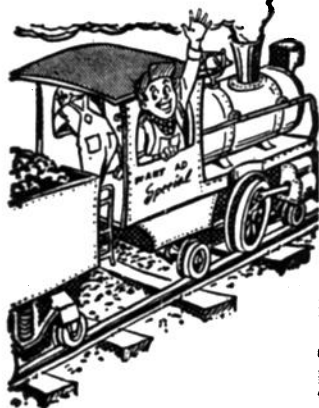
"Ave Maria" will highlight numbers by the choral group, under the direction of Miss Catherine Ervy, Director of Vocal Music, while the orchestra, under the direction of Samuel J. Barr, Director of Instrumental Music, will feature the Rosenkavalier Waltzes of Strauss, Cole Porter's "Begin the Beguine", and three Leroy Anerson numbers.



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Arrangements have been completed for the Textile Foremen's Guild annual Christmas dinner party to be held at the Casa Mana in Teaneck, next Saturday, Dec. 22, at 7:30 p.m.

The committee has limited the amount of tickets to be sold in order to avoid confusion.

The Entertainment Bureau of America has been engaged to produce a show which will be studied with top-flight stars of stage and television fame.

Program follows: Distribution of gifts to the ladies by Santa Claus; full course dinner served; show: master of ceremonies, Jeanette Hacket Revue, Jack Malon, comedy magician; Hibbert Byrd and LaRue, dance team; The Scatrolas, and two big surprise star acts.

The committee: Louis Munson, chairman; Vincent Frappolli, honorary chairman; ticket committee: J. L. Rainey, Anthony Scarmuzzo, Nick Chevance; ad committee: Ed. J. Stelpstra, Al VanDyke, Oscar Padula; entertainment committee: Frank Centrelli, Angelo Campana, Allen Buglione;



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Dear Santa:

There's a persistent report circulating around Paterson that you're going to town in the wee sma' hours of the morning of the 25th of this month. On behalf of all the chimney-sweeps in this area, Thanks a lot!

It will be nice hearing from you and things being as they are, you're always welcome. However, since you only make one trip a year—and since exchanges are out—we thought we'd ease matters for you by drawing up a list of what you might bring for some of the figures on the sports beat in the Paterson sector. Read it and sleep—until December 25th.

**Central High School** — A winning football team.

**Scotty Robb** — A Word Series umpire's assignment, certainly deserved.

**Paterson Football Fans** — A pro club in league competition again.

**Paterson Basketball Fans** — Ditto.

**Abe Kashey** — Some more of that youth tonic which keeps him wrestling to big gates at an age when most competitors grapple only with social security and slippers.

**Ralph Di Lullo** — A pennant for the Detroit Tigers' farm club he pilots.

**Frank Bronowicz** — A few matches

to keep the wolf from throwing him for a fall.

**Bill Daly** — A world's heavyweight champion, including the U.S.A. besides England.

**Tex Pelte** — A few "old-time" pay-days.

**Larry Doby** — A fat batting average hopping over the .333 mark.

**Benny Borgmann** — A big basketball season in the win column for his Muhlenberg College varsity team.

**This area's baseball talent-hunting lads:** The same Mr. Borgmann, Ben Zimmerman, Ben Marmo, et als — A bagful of outstanding young players.

**The Dover Soccer Team** — A few more championships to make it an even hundred.

**Henny Rumana** — A state title for his Eastside High School football team.

(To avoid a special trip, Mr. Rumana also would appreciate your dropping off a state championship for the Eastside basketball team, too.)

**Tom Voorhees** — All the victories you can spare for his appearances on the Georgetown University track squad.

**Danny O'Connell** — A big league job.

**Dr. Fred J. Crescente** — Just a little spare time to sharpen his golf and bowling.

**George Jacobus** — Thirty-five more years of pro golfing, but a little easier than the first 35.

**Golfers at the Passaic County Course** — Nine additional holes.

**Al Sherman**, former coach of the Paterson Panthers and now backfield coach of the New York Football Giants — The National League crown.

**Abe J. Greene** — Some more world's championship fights in New Jersey.

**Vince Martinez** — A flock of wins even higher than the impressive string of ring triumphs scored this past year.

**Fitzie Pruden** — Less eye-cuts and bigger cuts of the major fights.

**Walt Jamieson and Joe Passero** — All the boys you can spare for their "Little League" baseball.

**The Old Timers Athletic Association** — More "working" members.

**Gerard Debaets** — Six day bike racing making a comeback.

**All of Paterson's Sport Followers** — Revived interest in all competition here.

**Our Staff** — Plenty of sports to write.

That's about all for now, Santa — and don't take any wooden chimneys.

Yours sincerely,

THE CHRONICLE.



# The Spirit of Christmas Receiving

By CARL HUNTER

I've thought and thought but I don't seem to get anywhere concerning my Christmas gift list this year. No matter how hard I try I can't seem to figure out what gifts I want people to give me.

Lots of people have trouble each Christmas in making out their list of gifts for friends and relatives. I've very wisely learned to avoid that problem by limiting my gifts to two people. And very smartly I give them both the same thing—this year I've decided on two lovely hot water bottles in a luscious pink.

Giving both of them the same gift prevents a lot of rancor and controversy. Neither one can accuse me of favoritism. I'm sure they'll both be very happy with their gifts and think of me fondly on long, cold winter nights.

It was shocking to me to notice that each year the number of gifts I receive grows smaller and smaller. I have never thought once of cutting down on my list of two.

I often wonder what is happening to these people who cut me off their list. What has happened to that true Christmas spirit that says it is better to give than receive? I'm quite willing to abide by my part of the bargain by receiving; why don't they give?

This is somewhat typical of the evils that have befallen our Christmas season. Everyone should know that it is the spirit of giving that counts and not the cost of the gift.

Several years ago I gave a friend of mine the most beautiful toupee you ever saw. There was as much of my heart in this gift as if I had given him a new Cadillac. And yet my friend acted as if he would have preferred the Cadillac.

His attitude was all the more surprising to me since he was completely bald and really needed a toupee. I know he would never have gone out to buy himself one because he told me so several times.

This toupee covered a fairly large portion of his bald head besides contrasting very beautifully with his own hair so I was doubly surprised at his viewpoint. In fact, it was a very expensive toupee—even though I had been able to obtain it at a great bargain—because the lass in the Salvation Army second-hand store told me it had once belonged to a famous singer whose name she preferred to keep secret.

The problem of what to give whom, or if, can be a big headache at Christmas time. There are basically two types of gifts—practical and impractical.

Impractical gifts are the most popular as they are the types of things that the recipient wouldn't ever buy in his right mind. They include fancy coffee makers of various kinds from glass ones, that break when you look at them hard, to electric ones, that perk coffee only when you don't have company; silent butlers that play a little tune when you open the lid, off key; sterling silver olive picks that

work only on stuffed olives; and sets of salt and pepper shakers with cork stoppers that fall into the soup when you attempt to extract salt or pepper from the stopped up holes.

Practical gifts are things that your mother convinces you you should buy for your brother because why should you waste money on something he doesn't need. These include things like sweaters, underwear, shoe horns, cook books, pots and pans, towels, rugs, clothes line cord, brooms, etc. Gifts of this type are greeted with fake enthusiasm by the recipient who wishes now that he had stuck you with something practical, too, instead of the moose's head to hang on the wall of your den.

There is an art to accepting a Christmas gift which many people fail to realize. Lots of people, especially women, rip the gift out of the giver's hands, glare at it with a poker face that would be the envy of a Mississippi River steamboat gambler, and immediately try to track down the price tag.

This is absolutely the wrong thing to do as the price tag is only very rarely left on the gift by accident. This only happens if the gift is very expensive when the giver pretends with horror that he forgot to take the price tag off. So if our woman friends should find the price tag, she is going to be disappointed anyway when she discovers this high price. She was certain the giver didn't spend a nickle more than half of what she spent on her gift for him.

The only way to accept a gift is to wax enthusiastic about its beauty, quality and value in use to you. This can be accomplished in various ways. If you want to appear very excited—and mean it—it is acceptable to wave the gift about gaily, and, at the same time, jump up and down for joy, while you yell happily.

If you wish to achieve the same result—but don't meant it—you can go through the same motions, but drop the gift to the floor so that it breaks into many pieces. This will place doubt in the mind of the giver as to whether or not you did it on purpose. But he will always remember that you appeared enthusiastic. You've made your impression and rid yourself of the awful thing at one fell swoop.

The only other way to receive a Christmas gift is with a grunt. This can have variations in tone that indicates from complete hatred of the gift to a feeling of I didn't expect any better. Nevertheless, you have put nothing in so many words so the giver can't really argue with your attitude.

One final word. Always buy gifts that look twice as costly as the amount you paid for them. This way you make a terrific impression with a gift that falls apart as soon as you leave. And you must remember to leave quickly.



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Miss Marilyn Bouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bouse, 371 E. 18th Street, Paterson, and Edward J. Steenstra, U.S.N., of North Haledon, were joined in wedlock.

# The Woman's Viewpoint

By DEE GREENE

Friends of mine recently sold their house and took an apartment. When they bought the house a few years ago, it was with the idea of living in it for many years to come, if not until the end of their days on earth.

Their decision to sell came as a surprise to most of their friends. All of us knew they were not in financial difficulties and, as far as we could determine, the whole family was well pleased with the place.

When I inquired concerning their decision, I learned that my facts had been correct to a great degree. All of them were very happy with the house and preferred it to apartment dwelling. The fly in the ointment was the husband.

He liked everything about the house except the idea of mowing the lawn, fixing the cellar door, building additional book cases, etc. He just wasn't the handyman type of person and, what's more, didn't care to be.

After the initial arguments between mother and daddy which got them nowhere, they decided to solve everything by hiring someone to do the work. This proved unsatisfactory for it was impossible to hire someone to do simple chores without paying an amount all out of proportion to its value. Many times, a man couldn't be hired for love or money.

Anyone who owns his own home knows how necessary it is for the husband to perform many, many chores. My friends decided to sell their home and move into an apartment when they saw

how impossible the situation had become because of the husband's attitude.

There was little bitterness on the part of the rest of the family inasmuch as they felt that father had a right to his viewpoint. He was a good provider, pleasant and agreeable company and all the other things you wish for in a man. If he didn't wish or like to spend his time being a handyman, he was within his rights.

This situation leads to the question of just how much work the husband should be expected to perform around the house. There isn't any doubt that he should help on many things, but there is a point at which he must be permitted time to do things he likes.

Many wives wait impatiently for their husbands to come home in the evening or for the weekend so that they can toss the work into his lap. A popular idea is to push the children on to him on the theory that mother has had them on her neck all week long.

This is right and mother deserves a rest from the children. But the husband has been working all week, too. If he takes over the children evenings and weekends, when is his time off?

Of course, many, many husbands do not help their wives ever. They abide by the complete set of rules that says that woman's place is in the home—hiding behind this cliché to excuse themselves from doing anything.

There is always the happy medium that can be fair to both husband and wife. Neither one should be enburdened more than the other. Both should consider all of the problems of the other.

## FAVORITE RECIPES

### BAKED FISH, ITALIAN

- 3 pounds fillet of flounder or cod
- 1 cup chopped onion
- 1 cup chopped celery
- ½ cup chopped parsley
- ½ teaspoon pepper
- 1½ teaspoons salt
- ½ teaspoon thyme
- ½ cup olive oil or vegetable cooking oil
- 2 (8-ounce) cans tomato sauce
- 1 cup water

Wash fish. Arrange in baking pan. Mix onion, celery, parsley, pepper, salt, thyme, oil, tomato sauce and water.

Pour over fish. Bake uncovered in moderate oven (350 degrees F.)

for 1 hour or until done. Makes 6 servings.

### TOMATO OMELET

- 4 tablespoons chopped onion
- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 (8-ounce) can Hunt's Tomato Sauce
- ¾ cup cooked mixed vegetables
- 1 6-egg omelet

Saute onion in butter or margarine until tender. Add Hunt's Tomato Sauce and vegetables. Simmer 10 minutes. Cook omelet as desired. When done, pour sauce over half the omelet. Fold over other half. Serve hot. Makes 4 servings.

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11:00  
2—Margaret Arlen  
4—McCarthy Cooking  
5—Kathy Norris Show  
11:30  
2—Strike It Rich Show  
4—Date in Manhattan  
7—Dennis James Show  
12:00  
2—"The Egg and I"  
4—Ruth Lyons Club  
5—Meet Your Neighbor  
7—Langford-Ameche Show  
9—Movie Short  
13—Coffee Club  
12:15  
2—Love of Life—Drama

5—Noontime News  
12:30  
2—Search for Tomorrow  
4—Date in Manhattan  
5—Take the Break  
9—Screening the World  
12:45  
2—Steve Allen Show  
9—Feature Length Movie  
1:00  
4—Eve Hunter Show  
5—Johnny Olsen Show  
7—Jessie's Notebook  
9—Feature Film  
1:30  
2—Garry Moore Show  
5—Ethel Thorsen  
7—The Fitzgeralds  
13—Shop-Look-Cook  
2:00  
4—Feature Length Movie  
7—Market Melodies  
9—TV Tel. Game  
11—Calling All Women  
13—Early Bid Matinee  
2:15  
7—Market Melodies  
2:30  
2—First Hundred Years  
9—Nose for News  
9—Letter to Lee  
11—Ted Steel Show

2:45  
2—Bride and Groom  
9—Barbara Welles  
3:00  
2—Mike and Buff  
4—"Miss Susan"—Serial  
7—Club Matinee  
9—Sally Smart's Kitchen  
3:15  
4—Here's Looking at You  
3:30  
2—Mel Torme Show  
4—Bert Parks  
4—Bill Goodwin Show  
7—Nancy Craig Time  
9—Movie  
13—Musical Jackpot  
4:00  
2—Homemaker Exchange  
4—Kate Smith Hour  
7—Hollywood Movie Time  
13—Western Movie  
4:30  
2—Movie  
9—Bess Myerson Show  
5:00  
4—Hawkins Falls—Serial  
7—Saddle Pal Club  
9—Buster Crabbe Show  
13—Junior Frolics  
5:15  
4—Gabby Hayes  
9—Buster Crabbe

5—Drama  
7—"Other Lands & Places"  
11—Hockey  
9:30  
5—Plainclothesman  
7—The Marshall Plan  
13—Evangel Hour  
10:00  
2—Celebrity Time  
4—Red Skelton Show  
5—They Stand Accused  
7—Billy Graham  
13—Hour of Mystery  
10:30  
2—What's My Line?  
4—Leave It To The Girls  
7—Youth On the March  
9—Dance to Fame, Contest  
11—Feature Movie  
10:40  
11—Telepix Newsreel  
11:00  
2—News  
4—Sun. Nite Playhouse  
5—Story Theater—Drama  
7—Latin Carnival  
9—Tenpin Stars  
13—Stardust Theater  
11:15  
2—Late Show

9—News & Boxing  
9:30  
2—It's News To Me  
4—Robert Montgomery  
7—"In Our Time", Film  
10:00  
2—Studio One  
7—Bill Gwynn Show  
13—Western Film  
10:30  
4—Boston Blackie  
7—Studs Place  
11:00  
2—Chronoscope  
4—Feature Film  
5—Ring the Bell  
7—Nightcap News  
9—Movie Short  
11—Night Owl Theater  
13—Stardust Theater  
11:15  
2—News—A. Jackson  
11:30  
2—Late Show—Movie

10:00  
2—Danger—Mystery  
4—Amateur Hour, T. Mack  
5—Hands of Destiny  
10:30  
2—Roller Derby Review  
5—Documentary Film  
7—Actor's Hotel  
9—College Football  
11:00  
2—News—A. Jackson  
4—Nick Kenny Show  
5—Ring the Bell  
7—Nightcap News  
11—Night Owl Theater  
13—Stardust Theater  
11:15  
2—Late Show

## WEDNESDAY

5:30  
4—Howdy Doodie  
11—Six-Gun Playhouse  
13—Adventure Film  
5:50  
13—News  
5:55  
5—News  
6:00  
2—U.N. Assembly, Film  
4—Rootie Kazootie Show  
5—Magic Cottage  
9—Merry Mailmen  
13—Hollywood Playhouse  
6:15  
4—Seeling Is Believing  
6:30  
2—The Early Show  
4—Tex and Jinx  
5—Bob Dixon Show  
7—Space Cadet—Play  
9—Stan Lomax, Sports  
11—Newsreel; Weather  
6:45  
7—Film Shorts; M. McNeil  
9—News  
11—Jimmy Powers, Sports  
6:55  
4—Weather

## TUESDAY

5:30  
2—Laugh Time  
4—Howdy Doodie  
11—Six-Gun Playhouse  
13—Adventure Theater  
6:00  
2—UN General Assembly  
4—Rootie Kazootie  
5—Magic Cottage  
9—Merry Mailman  
11—Western Film Theater  
13—Hollywood Playhouse  
6:15  
4—Seeling Is Believing  
6:30  
2—The Early Show  
4—Tex and Jinx  
5—Bob Dixon Show  
7—Wild Bill Hickok  
9—Star Sports  
11—News  
6:45  
4—Weather  
9—News—John Wingate  
11—Jimmy Powers—Sports  
7:00  
4—Kukla, Fran & Ollie  
5—Captain Video  
7—News—John Daly  
9—"Skull and Crown", Film  
11—News  
13—Western Prairie Theat.

7:00  
4—Bob and Ray  
7—Candid Camera  
11—Movie  
7:30  
2—News  
4—V. Blaine & Pinky Lee  
5—Bob Haymes Show  
7—Chance of a Lifetime  
9—Football Program  
13—Western Prairie Theat.  
7:45  
2—Perry Como Show  
4—News, John C. Swayze  
8:00  
2—Arthur Godfrey Show  
4—Kate Smith Show  
5—Adventure Playhouse  
7—Paul Dixon Show  
9—Film  
13—Junior Town Meeting  
8:15  
11—Viz Quiz  
8:30  
11—Brundidge Crime Rep.  
8:45  
13—Basketball  
9:00  
2—Strike It Rich, Quiz  
4—Kraft Playhouse  
5—Famous Jury Trials  
7—Don McNeil TV Club  
9—News  
11—Hockey  
13—Feature Film  
9:05  
9—College Basketball

## MONDAY

5:30  
4—Howdy Doodie  
11—Six-Gun Playhouse  
13—Adventure Playhouse  
6:00  
2—U.N. Assembly  
4—Rootie Kazootie  
5—Magic Cottage  
9—Merry Mailman  
13—Hollywood Playhouse  
6:15  
4—Seeling Is Believing  
6:30  
2—The Early Show  
4—New York Close-Up  
7—Space Cadet  
9—Star Sports  
11—News  
6:45  
4—Weather  
7—What's Playing  
9—News—Wingate  
11—Jimmy Powers  
7:00  
4—Kukla, Fran & Ollie  
5—Captain Video  
7—News—John Daly  
9—"Fighting Hero"  
13—Prairie Theater  
7:15  
4—Bob and Ray  
7—Candid Camera  
11—Movie Time  
7:30  
2—News  
4—Those Two  
5—Date on Broadway  
7—Hollywood Screen Test  
9—Press Conference  
7:45  
2—Perry Como  
4—News Program  
8:00  
2—Lux Theater  
4—Paul Winchell Show  
5—Pentagon, Washington  
7—Amazing Mr. Malone  
9—Silver Screen Theater  
13—Television Council  
8:30  
2—Godfrey Scouts  
4—Voice of Firestone  
5—Johns Hopkins Review  
7—Life Begins at 80  
13—"My Old, Ken. Home"  
9:00  
2—"I Love Lucy"  
4—Lights Out—Drama  
5—Wrestling  
7—You Asked For It

## SUNDAY

9:45 A. M.  
4—Child. Theatre—Film  
10:00  
4—Fighting Marines  
10:30  
4—Children's Hour  
10:55  
11—TV Chapel  
11:30  
4—Magic Clown—Tricks  
5—Adventure Theater  
7—Enchanted Well—Play  
11:45  
4—You Are an Artist  
12:00  
4—Author Meets Critic  
7—Ranger Joe—Variety  
13—Film Highlights  
12:15  
7—Magic Screen  
12:30  
4—Mind Your Manners  
5—Flying Tigers  
7—Faith for Today  
13—Marie Moser's Starlets  
1:00  
4—Religious Film

5—Feature Length Movie  
11—Family Theater  
13—Junior Carnival  
1:30  
4—American Inventory  
2:00  
4—Battle Report  
13—Chalky and Giant  
2:30  
4—American Forum  
11—Kids Movie Theater  
13—Feature Film  
3:00  
2—UN Assembly—Film  
4—Fairmeadows, U.S.A.  
9—Italian Movie  
3:30  
2—See It Now—Film News  
4—Juvenile Jury  
4:00  
2—Lamp Unto My Feet  
4—Meet the Press  
5—Sunday Matinee  
13—Western Film  
4:30  
2—What In World  
4—Zoo Parade  
7—Space Patrol  
9—Movie

5:30  
2—Man of  
4—Gabby Hayes  
7—Super Circus—Acts  
13—Junior Carnival  
5:30  
2—Sunday News  
4—Sky King Theater  
13—Kid Boxing  
5:45  
2—Sarah Churchill  
6:00  
2—"Out There"  
4—Hopalong Cassidy  
5—Documentary Theater  
7—Horizons—Premiere  
9—"Miracle On Main St."  
11—East Side, West Side  
13—Hollywood Playhouse  
6:30  
2—Star of Family  
5—Georgetown U. Forum  
7—The Ruggles  
11—News  
7:00  
2—Gene Autry Western  
4—Chesterfield Sound Off  
5—Stage Entrance  
7—Paul Whiteman Revue  
13—Western Movie  
7:30  
2—Jack Benny  
4—Young Mr. Bobbin  
5—Manhattan Playhouse  
7—Eilery Queen  
9—News  
11—Opera Cameos  
7:45  
9—Tiny Fairbanks  
8:00  
2—Toast of the Town  
4—Comedy Hour  
7—King's Crossroads  
9—Movies, Double Feature  
13—Feature Film  
9:00  
2—Fred Waring Show  
4—Television Playhouse

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10:15  
13—Western Film  
10:30  
4—To be announced  
10:40  
11—Newsreel; News  
10:45  
2—Sports Program  
10:55  
11—Weather Report  
11:00  
2—Chronoscope  
4—Feature Film  
5—Hal Tunis, Quiz  
7—News  
9—Film Short  
11—Night Owl Theater  
13—Stardust Theater  
11:10  
7—Short Story Theater  
11:15  
2—News  
11:25  
7—Sports of the Night  
11:30  
2—The Late Show  
12:00  
4—Mary Kay Show  
7—Candid Camera  
12:15  
7—UN Xmas Club  
13—News  
12:30  
11—News

## THURSDAY

5:30  
2—Laugh Time  
4—Howdy Doody  
11—Sax-Gun Playhouse  
13—Railroad Club  
5:55  
5—News  
6:00  
2—U.N. Assembly, Film  
4—Rootie Kazootie  
5—Magic Cottage  
9—Merry Mailmen  
13—Feature Film  
6:15  
4—Seeing Is Believing  
6:30  
2—The Early Show  
4—Tex and Jinx  
5—Bob Dixon Show  
7—'Wild Bill Hickok', Film  
9—Stan Lomax, Sports  
11—News; Weather  
6:45  
9—News  
11—Jimmy Powers, Sports  
6:55  
4—Weather  
7:00  
4—Kukla, Fran & Ollie  
5—Captain Video  
7—News, John Daly  
9—Nelly Golette Show  
11—News  
13—Movie  
7:15  
4—Bob and Ray  
7—Solo Drama  
9—Wildlife Unlimited  
11—Movie  
7:30  
2—News  
4—Dinah Shore Show  
5—Date On Broadway  
7—Lone Ranger  
9—Football Film  
7:45  
2—Stork Club  
4—News, John C. Swayze  
8:00  
2—Burns and Allen  
4—Groucho Marx, Quiz  
5—This Is Music  
7—Stop the Music  
9—Movie  
13—Home & Garden Prog  
8:15  
11—Viz Quiz  
8:30  
2—Amos 'n Andy  
4—Treasury Men in Action  
5—Headline Clues  
11—Symphony  
13—Tempest Tossed  
8:45  
13—Film Shorts  
9:00  
2—Alan Young Show  
4—James Melton Show  
5—Shadow of the Cloak  
7—Herb Shriner Show  
9—News  
13—'Borrowed Hero'  
9:05  
9—Boxing  
9:30  
2—Big Town  
5—Public Prosecutor  
7—Gruen Guild Playhouse  
11—Basketball  
10:00  
2—Racket Squad  
4—Martin Kane  
5—Movie  
7—Paul Dixon Show  
13—Movie  
10:30  
2—Crime Photographer  
4—Foreign Intrigue  
5—Man About Music  
7—Earl Wrightson Show  
10:45  
5—Film Shorts  
7—Carmel Myers Show

10:55  
11—Telepix Newsreel  
11:00  
2—News  
4—Quick On the Draw  
5—Hal Tunis, Quiz  
7—News  
9—Movie Short  
13—Movie  
11:15  
2—Late Show—Movie  
11:30  
4—Feature Film  
5—News  
9—Film Short  
12:30  
2—Late Show  
4—Mary Kay Show  
11—News

## FRIDAY

5:30  
4—Howdy Doody  
13—Adventure Film  
5:55  
5—News  
6:00  
2—U.N. Assembly, Film  
4—Rootie Kazootie  
5—Magic Cottage  
9—Merry Mailmen  
13—Feature Film  
6:15  
4—Seeing Is Believing  
5—Film  
6:30  
2—The Early Show  
4—Tex and Jinx  
5—Bob Dixon Show  
7—Space Cadet, Play  
9—Stan Lomax, Sports  
11—Newsreel; Weather  
6:45  
7—Film Shorts; M. McNeil  
9—News  
11—Jimmy Powers, Sports  
6:55  
4—Weather  
7:00  
4—Kukla, Fran & Ollie  
5—Captain Video  
7—News, John Daly  
9—Between the Lines  
11—News  
13—Movie  
7:15  
4—Bob and Ray  
7—Candid Camera  
11—Movie  
7:30  
2—News  
4—Viv. Blaine & Pinky Lee  
5—Dick Tracy  
7—Say It With Acting  
9—Juvenile Jury  
7:45  
2—Perry Como Show  
4—News, John C. Swayze

## SATURDAY

9:30  
4—Film Shorts  
10:00  
4—Western Film  
5—Western Film  
7—Stu Erwin Show  
10:30  
7—Hollywood Jr. Circus  
10:50  
2—News and Prevues  
11:00  
2—Baird Puppets  
4—Children's Film  
5—Kids and Company  
7—Foodini the Great  
11:30  
2—Smilin' Ed McConnell  
4—Star Time, Child. Prog.  
5—Film Shorts  
7—A Date With Judy  
12:00  
2—The Big Top  
4—Roo's Kazootie  
7—Betty Crocker Show  
13—Comedy Corner  
12:30  
7—City Hospital, Drama  
13—Rate the Record  
1:00  
2—Movie  
13—Italian Cooking Prog.  
1:30  
9—Screening the World  
2:00  
9—Italian Play  
11—Kid's Movie Theater  
13—Early Bird Matinee  
2:30  
9—Italian Movie  
3:30  
9—Movie  
13—Women Wrestlers  
4:00  
13—Western Film  
4:30  
11—Prize Performance  
5:00  
9—Italian Movie  
11—Junior Chances  
13—Junior Frolics  
5:30  
2—Feature Film  
4—Nature of Things  
7—Musical Film  
11—Western Movie  
6:00  
2—All Around the Town  
4—'Saturday Stagecoach'  
5—Movie  
7—Dell O'Dell Show  
13—Uncle Win Story Hour  
6:30  
7—Norman Brokenchire  
9—Movie  
11—Film Short  
13—Adventure Theater  
6:40  
11—Weather  
6:45  
2—News  
11—Jimmy Powers, Sports  
7:00  
2—Sammy Kaye Show  
4—Assembly  
5—Fred Robbins Show  
7—The Ruggles  
13—Western Movie  
7:15  
11—Movie  
7:30  
2—Beat the Clock  
4—One Man's Family  
5—Pet Shop  
7:45  
9—Movie  
8:00  
2—Ken Murray Show  
4—All Star Revue  
5—Movie  
7—P. Whiteman Teen Club  
13—Federal Affairs  
8:10  
11—Viz Quiz  
8:15  
11—Film  
8:30  
13—Basketball  
8:45  
9—Film Shorts  
11—Film Shorts  
9:00  
2—Faye Emerson  
4—Show of Shows  
7—Feature Film  
9:15  
9—Boxing  
9:30  
5—Wrestling  
11—Basketball  
10:00  
2—Songs For Sale  
7—Sport On Parade  
10:15  
13—Western Films  
10:30  
4—Your Hit Parade  
7—Sports Camera  
10:45  
7—Candid Camera  
11:00  
2—News  
4—News  
7—Religious Hymns  
9—Film Short  
13—Movie  
11:15  
2—Late Show—Movie  
4—Movie  
11—Movie  
11:30  
7—Film Shorts  
12:30  
2—Late Late Show  
5—News

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# One kind of music

By MARY FRANCES MORGAN

"THAT aircraft layout for page six is canned," Barrows glowered at Libby, who stood five feet two of very delectable cubhood across the editorial desk of the Daily Times.

"Now, look—we've got to scare up something to substitute and the likeliest bet is an interview with that screwy Merrick dame, who's honeymooning over at the Wesley House with the pet she picked up on a tennis court, somewhere—before the flowers on her last husband's grave had wilted. You've been yapping for a chance. Well, here it is, with bells on."

For a minute, Libby couldn't speak. Six weeks of blushing unseen behind a desk, and suddenly this. "You don't mean—Marta Merrick?"

Barrows tried to look patient. She wasn't the first recruit from State U who'd have swapped the Pulitzer prize for a whack at Hollywood celebrities.

"Better stop drooling," he said, "it's no two-step to get cozy with La Merrick. It'll take some slick doing to land on the same floor with her. Now, listen: Merrick doesn't rate slush, see? She's fresh news mainly because she went out and bit herself a dog. When a woman mops up being married to a big shot like Herzog, then picks orange blossoms with a nobody not much older'n her kids, she's the best dish this side of Stalin for a roasting. So beat it," he chipped off a smile, "and don't come back till you bring home the coffee!"

Arrived, still breathless, at the Wesley House, Libby walked irresolutely toward the desk. It seemed ridiculous to be nervous. There was no doubt that what news value still lingered about the glamorous Marta had a distinct odor to it.

She flashed her press card at the clerk, in the quick, casual way she'd noticed the oldsters do it and she inquired, "Is Marta Merrick in?"

"To you, Miss I wouldn't know. That's your little red tank," the clerk said, but he nodded toward a tall young man across the lobby. "Wouldn't hurt to ask her secretary."

Libby moved woodenly toward the young man. He would doubtless be the buffer type, absently gracious, anonymously charming. "I'm from the Daily Times," she told him. "Is Miss Merrick in?"

"Sorry, no," he said. But he smiled at her, a nice, ready smile, tilted boyishly at the corners. Her courage edged up a notch.

"Then could I," she said, "just until I get to see her, I mean, ask — you a very few questions?"

He looked at her, then. She was a cute, eager youngster, in a soft blue dress, red hair feather-edged, blue eyes pleading. He evidently liked what he saw.

"Over a—very few cocktails?" he suggested. "I was just about to get under way with a solitary celebration. I lost my job this A.M."

"Oh, I am sorry. I'd heard she was a hard-hearted something. What could you expect?"

He frowned. "Did I say anything like that? Well, did I?"

"She fired you, didn't she? I was only trying to be sympathetic. Should I have said 'Congratulations, how lovely?'"

"Maybe," he said, "on account of if she hadn't fired me, I'd have quit, anyway. Got a date with my whiskered Uncle Sam. Look, the truth of the whole matter is, I'm—"

He paused. "You're what, exactly?"

He took her arm and grinned. "I'm thirsty, that's all."

Over a dim-lit table near the bar, he told her to call him Howdy. "I hate throwing wet blankets around this way," he said, "but



don't count on that interview. Merrick is finished with reporters. Wouldn't surprise me if she just settles for being a very plain Mrs. from now on. So help me, she's that happy."

"Happy?" Libby echoes, astonished.

"People have been known to be happy, even when they didn't marry celebrities," Howdy pointed out, stiffly. "Or—hadn't you heard about things like that?"

When they were dancing, moments later, he held her a little closer, and said:

"I'm apt to be at loose ends for a while, here, and if you aren't too busy every night, maybe we 'uns could well—" smiling down at her, "could we?"

She let it dangle. "Right now," she said, "I'm all over grim. If I don't get that interview—"

"You won't," he said, back at their table. "But, strictly off the record, how would you like me to give you the real story of Marta Merrick?"

"Oh, everyone knows," Libby said. "She married, first when she was about seventeen. And she had two children, and it wasn't until after her husband died that she went to Hollywood—"

"Check. And it wasn't until one day when this big fellow, Herzog, saw her, that she rated footprints outside Grauman's. In no time at all she wasn't just a star. She was Mrs. Herzog, and was that somep'n! The old boy was a great one to corner the spotlight, and he knew box office when he saw it. But that's about all he really liked about her. And when she sent for her kids, he most especially didn't like them. They were pretty ornery little hicks, so the story goes, wanted to go back to Grandma. But Grandma died, and Herzog was stuck with them. Marta was distressed as all get-out, but by that time she only worked on the strings that Herzog pulled.

"Herzog would probably have been proud enough if either of the kids had had a spark of talent. But they were Main Street special. Not even a long eyelash between 'em. And Marta — well, Marta thought they were handed down from above."

"Naturally," Libby said, "why shouldn't she?"

"Everybody in the know claimed that it was Herzog who planned that stunt of kidnapping the girl. Nothing happened, except the kid was scared silly. A swell publicity story followed: But that was when Marta started really hating him. He sent the kids to the country, about then. Big house, full of servants and teachers and the publicity went merrily on. And Marta went on making faces for the camera, and jumping when he said 'Jump,' and when she got in bed at night, praying he'd die."

"So—" Libby put in, "she fell in love with one of the teachers in the big house. Really in love. Is that it?"

Howdy nodded. "Yeh, a nobody—who didn't know anything except how to teach her children to laugh again, and Marta how to be a human being, instead of a beautiful puppet, afraid to laugh, for fear of wrinkles, afraid of love—for another fear. But you didn't come out for that angle, did you? On the level, now, weren't you sent for a fresh dish of the old potatoes? A great star, her lustre dimming, has settled for beer, after champagne cocktails.' With a new twist, you hope—come on, weren't you?"

"I— well, you know how it is, Howdy. When you work for some papers, you have to make the kind of music they ask for, and—"

"Sure, sure, I know."

Libby pushed aside her glass. "I don't believe I was cut out for this job of mine. I'd better leave the rest to—" she smiled, "them as can do it."

"Good! Now finish that drink," and I'll take you up to see Marta."

Libby sat very still. This was the chance she'd been wanting. A by-line, no matter what, was a by-line.

Their eyes met, hers and Howdy's, and somehow she knew, then.

"Howdy, you started to tell me something before we came to the bar. You stopped as if—as if—"

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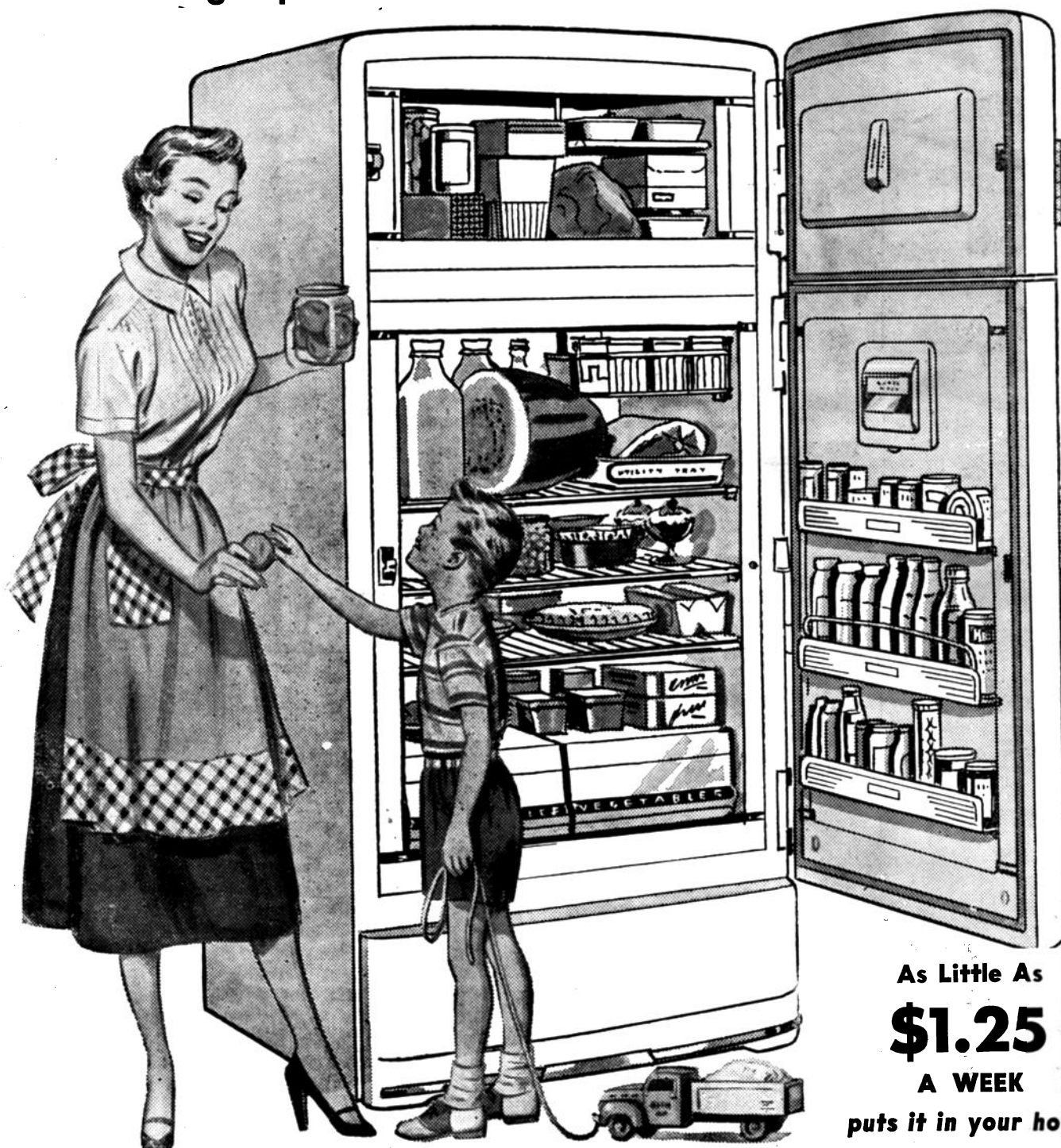


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