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The PRAYER FOR TODAY FROM The Upper Room

EDITORIALS

Unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace. (Isaiah 9:6.)

PRAYER: Our gracious Lord, we pray that the time may be drawing near when we shall lift up our eyes and see the messenger bringing good tidings of peace The world is weary of living under and armed truce Help us individually to live in a Christlike manner so the peace may prevail among men. In Jesus' name. Amen.

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ZEROING IN ON WINTER

(NEA Editorial)

GET set for a rough winter.

That's the latest weather advisory, straight from the squirrel's mouth.

And if you say "Nuts!" you've got the message. That's the key word in the long-range forecast.

Even before the Old Farmer's Almanac is off the press, our furry friends are squirreling away acorns like crazy—sure sign of a long, hard winter if you belong to the squirrel school of meteorology.

Furthermore, the acorns themselves are extra big—another sure-fire omen.

Still skeptical? Then consider the fact that groundhogs are gorging themselves to three times their normal size, fuzzy caterpillars are extra fuzzy, hornets' nests are closing up to shut out wintry winds, fish are diving deep for winter-proof water, and even dogs are growing extra coats to meet what's coming.

If you don't like acorns, it would be prudent to invest in longies, put an extra shot of anti-freeze in the car, check the snow shovel and weatherstrip the windows and doors.

Fifty million squirrels can't be wrong.

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IT DIDN'T WORK

LAST summer the National Education Association launched a nationwide program to get "drop-outs" back into school.

Help was given to this drive by President Kennedy's announcement that he was allocating $250,000 from his emergency fund to the U. S. Office of Education for grants to schools for assistance in getting youngsters back into the classrooms

The money went to 63 towns in 23 states and the District of Columbia. Recently a check was made by the Associated Press to see how this crash program was working.

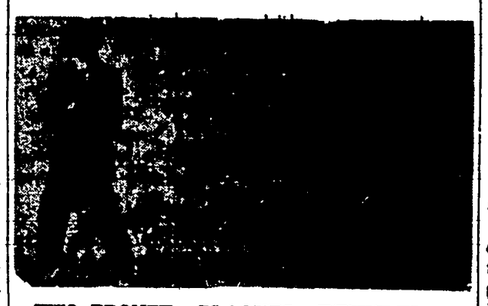
G. K. Hodenfield of the AP says it appears to be a national flop. The drop-outs who went back are dropping out again and for the same reasons—failure, frustration, and boredom. Daniel Schreiber, Director of the Education Association's project, is quoted as saying, "Unless there are radical changes in the programs offered these young people, 90% of the drop-outs will drop out again by the end of the first semester."

It's an amazing thing to realize that between January 1 and September 1, 1963, most of them in the January-June period, 600,000 students left school. It is estimated that 75,000 were lured back this fall. The crash program, as they called it, was not likely to succeed, for the simple reason that the forces which drive a youngster to quit school begin operating as soon as he enters the First Grade

The record shows that the drop-outs include students who have limited ability, are emotionally unstable because of broken homes, experience failure, frustration, and dislike of school at any age.

It is not likely that students who have dropped out can be induced to come back with more of the same. Failure to find work will send a few back to the classrooms, but for the great majority the schools must take a new look at the youngsters who leave and try to figure out some sort of a program which will be more pleasant for the reluctant youngsters to accept.

—J.H.S.



TWO BRONZE PLAQUES, INTENDED TO be installed on the Block House replica, have come to light again, this time in a vault of the Nebraska City Federal Savings and Loan Association recently vacated by the Chamber of Commerce

Nebraska Citians 25 years ago contributed to the reconstruction of the Block House. The donations were made in the names of pioneers, who were to have been memorialized in bronze.

Two of the plaques were completed by the late Robert Kregel and apparently that is as far as the project went. The two plaques contained names C. M. Aldrich through E. D. McCallum. The names of the others probably never were put in bronze although that was the plan of the late Bill Utterback, who sparked the project.

FOR years the plaques lay in the Utterback insurance office; when it changed hands, the Chamber of Commerce took over the bronze and now that office has been moved with the plaques left behind.

The Savings and Loan is about to move, too, for wholesale remodeling of its building. Now the plaques are in the custody of The News-Press If the names of the other pioneers from M through Z were available we could finish the job, but we have no idea where the records of this laudable project are.

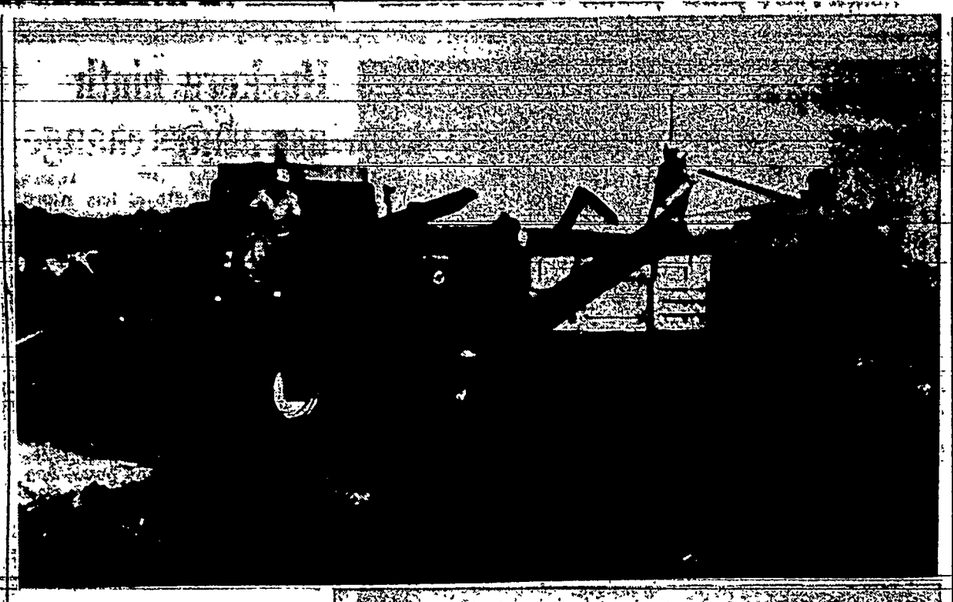
THE Savings and Loan remodeling job, by the way, will be extensive so the business is moving to the former Otoe County National bank building for the next few months

Partitions are to be moved, the ceiling will be lowered, new windows and doors will be installed, offices will be carpeted and other improvements made to improve working facilities for an institution that has grown by more than 1000 per cent in the past 20 years.



Lots of people die of gas—some inhale it and some step on it.

A.R.S



Neighbors harvested the corn crop on the Lee Crouse farm a mile south of the Baker school recently.

Mr Crouse died when he was buried under shelled corn in a bin on the farm. Mrs Crouse sustained a foot injury recently in a farm accident.

Neighbors and other friends equipped with about 15 pickers and picker-shellers and other equipment harvested the corn and took it to an elevator.

The buck ends here . . . .

By Ivan D. E. Beaumont

Robert Taylor and his wife created a lot of spectator interest at the University football game and, according to Bob Marvin of Beatrice who was seated near the actor, "everybody stood up to look."

Our family had a similar experience a few years ago when we attended motorcycle races in Los Angeles. Lee Marvin, at that time of "M-Squad," was seated in front of us.

The actor is a motorcycle enthusiast. He didn't attract the attention of spectators like Mr Taylor, perhaps, because his attendance at those type of races was not uncommon.

He was friendly to the folks who did say hello to him and appeared pleased to sign autographs. Publicity is the heart of show business.

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Small fry joke

Once there were three little ink spots and they were crying

Someone came along and said, "Why are you crying?"

One little ink spot said, "Our mother is in the pen and we don't know how long the sentence is."

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Franking privileges for elected representatives may be a fine thing, but when call girls start showing up on the taxpayers' payrolls, then I think we ought to be a little frank with elected representatives.

Regardless of whether you approve or disapprove, it does make for good reading, doesn't it?

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A group of the boys discussing Mayor Dawson's recent comment that Nebraska City has more booze joints per capita than Chicago resulted in one patriotic gesture:

"We've got a long way to go to beat Paul," one of the fellows said as he was gassed up at Virgie's.

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It seems strange what with all the wealth and prosperity that exists today, that Otoe county should have to shell out $25,000 a month in welfare aid. If the amount is any indication, I'd sure hate to be around when things really got tough.

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Chief Kermit Robinson, the Navy recruiter, will not be transferred to another station as had been previously announced Chief R. A. Ferguson was named for Chief Robinson's successor, but the change was changed again and the Nebraska City man will stay put until July when his tour will be completed.

The Nebraska City chief has 10 years of service in the Navy and plans to "ship" again with hopes of being assigned to Pearl Harbor, considered by all sailors as "choice duty."

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Understand the Chamber's public relations and tourism committee had to turn down a caravan of trailers and campers who wanted to spend two days and nights at Nebraska City.

Nebraska City just does not have facilities for 3,000 overnight travelers, the committee said, but thanks for inquiring.

These trailer and camper travelers move in very large numbers. They've been featured in newspapers and magazines for their combined trips.

U.S. acts to block spying

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The United States today clamped new travel restrictions on Communist diplomats from Eastern Europe to prevent spying.

Certain areas of the United States now will be closed to travel by these diplomats, as they have been for Soviet officials since 1955.

The purpose is to prevent the satellite nation diplomats from gathering inteligence data for the Russians by touring U.S. defense areas which are barred to Soviet officials.

Representatives of the embassies of Poland, Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, Romania, and Hungary were summoned to the State Department one by one and informed of the new rules.

Meantime, the department was overhauling the map of U. S. areas closed to Russian travelers. The map, a patchwork of "closed" cities, counties and states, will still place some 26 per cent of the country off-limits. But the geographic areas will be different.

The State Department was expected to announce the new regulations shortly.

Chadron man is shot to death

CHADRON (UPI)—A Chadron man was found shot to death in his car in a trailer court at the west edge of Chadron Monday night.

He was Robert L Niles, 24

Dawes County Atty. Bevin Bump said an investigation was being conducted into the death. Sheriffs' officials would not comment

Niles died from a wound in the right temple

The Chadron Rescue Squad was called shortly after 10 p m

Norfolk bar is robbed of $680

NORFOLK (UPI) — Burglars Monday night entered the Stockman's Bar here and fled with approximately $680 from a safe and cash register.

Entry was gained through a basement window.

The bar is owned by Jim Hupp of Norfolk

Authorities said the safe was opened and about $600 taken from it. The remainder was taken from an unlocked cash register

Attempt to escape halted

LEAVENWORTH, Kan (UPI) —Two convicts attempted to escape from the federal penitentiary today by using a ladder to climb over a 40-foot wall. They were halted at the top of the wall when a guard shot one of them in the legs.

Jacobson new Ak-Sar-Ben head

OMAHA (UPI)—A.F. Jacobson, president of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Co., has been elected president of Ak-Sar-Ben.

General Hodge dies

WASHINGTON (UPI)— Four-star Gen. John R. Hodge, 73, one of the outstanding U.S. ground commanders of the Pacific campaign during World War II, died early today at Walter Reed Hospital.

HOW TIME FLIES

FORTY YEARS AGO
—1923—

Thirty gallons of wine was confiscated in a raid on the Nebraska City home where a party was in progress ...E.E. South advertised 30 by 3½ inch Lee Cord tires for $9.25 each. .... Funeral services were held at St. Benedict's church for Casper Sand with Rev J.F Kramer officiating .... H L. Stein, new Burlington roadmaster, moved to Nebraska City.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
—1938—

Harry Morgan and Jack Gillin were pictured with the East Fourth Corso bridge which "went out." .... Wm G. Utterback was the principal speaker at the Armstice Day program at Syracuse .... Pearl Covert was pictured with one of his White King pigeons .... John C. Miller was named recipient of the Rotary club's community service award ... Ray Thurman was elected county clerk. ...The Nazi government fined German Jews $400,600,000 and barred them from every gainful profession and occupation.

TEN YEARS AGO
—1953—

Funeral services were held for Victor Karl Butz of Nebraska City....Floyd McKim. Rotary program chairman, presented Roy Ojers, Varro Tyler and Charles Gude in an Armistice Day program. Janet Cook, Nehawka, and 24 other high school girls were ready to compete for Apple Bowl queen

Regular Meeting Talmage School Board of Education

Talmage, Nebraska
November 9, 1963

The Talmage Board of Education met on Monday, November 4, 1963 and approved the following bills

Badberg Garage	$173 58
Central Sci Co	6.87
Cummins Type Co	5 25
Educator's Progress Serv.	31.07
Filmstrip-of-the-month Clubs	66.00
Follett Pub. Co.	4.15
Gaylord Bros. Inc	6.30
Hammond & Stephens	23 91
Life World Library	5.90
Lincoln Tel. & Tel.	26.25
Chas E Merrill Bks	43 96
Missouri-Kansas Chem. Co.	45.10
Nathaniel Dame & Co	92.14
Pioneer Pub Co.	11 27
Reader's Digest Assoc	10 43
Scott, Foresman & Co.	284 02
Silver Burdett Co.	4.09
School Specialty Co.	758 12
Marvin Schacht	12 90
Talmage Hatchery	36 80
Mrs. Mary E Teten	12 00
Uni. Extension Division	5 00
Uni Pub Co	7 40
Village of Talmage	84 80
Vollertsen Garage	87 63
J. Weston Walch	3 20
Winkelhake Ins	117.52

Willard Brehm,
Secretary

Birkman auto hit from rear

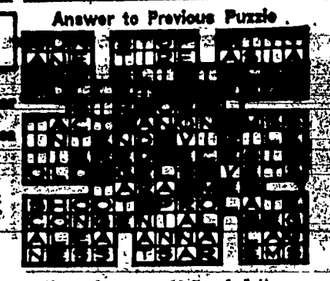
An automobile stopped at the Eighth street and First corso light by George Birkman Monday night was struck from behind by a car driven by James S. Reed, 19. Only damage was to the bumper of the Birkman car but the driver was advised by police to see a doctor after he complained of an injured neck.

Reed said he didn't see the other car until too late to stop.

Public relations—The Chamber's public relations and tourism committee will meet Wednesday at 7 a.m., at Petty's.

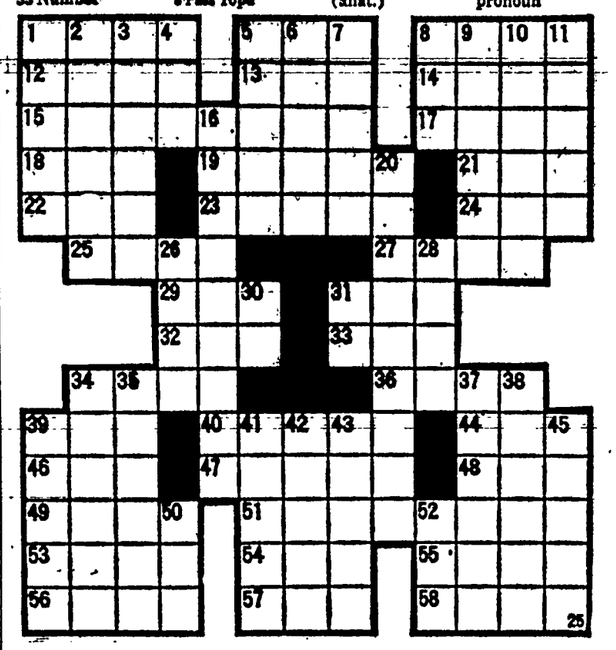
Fictional

Answer to Previous Puzzle



ACROSS
1 "Mad Hatter"
5 Irving character
8 Hardy heroine
12 Sea eagle
13 Of wine (comb. form)
14 Pearl Buck heroine
15 Shakespearean exiled duke
17 State
18 Impost
19 Quits (coll.)
21 Vestment
23 Office: Naval Intelligence (ab.)
23 Thread (comb. form)
24 Danger signal
25 Thump (Scot.)
27 Culture medium
29 Female swan
31 Lifetime
32 Antelope
33 Number
35 Ere
36 Beverage
40 Asia Minor area
44 Poisoned
46 Bitter
47 Austere
48 Winglike part
49 Amazon River cetacean
51 Wrestling maneuver
53 Machine gun (Brit.)
54 Doctor of Education (ab.)
56 Vehemence
56 Conservative
57 Grain
58 Slave

DOWN
1 Fine (comb. form)
2 Business trip
3 Oxygen deficiency
4 Legal point
5 Pass rope through
6 Against the action (law)
7 Hindu city
8 Also
9 Saudi Arabian city
10 Seaman
11 Social climbers
16 Thackery character
20 Theater employe
26 Ascend
28 Abrupt bend (anat.)
30 Greek letter
31 Presence in
34 Rough shed
35 Less difficult
37 Scabbard trimmings
38 Persian hookah
39 Dickens' hero
41 Different
42 Poverty-stricken
43 Turkish decree
45 Italian poet
50 Some
52 Personal pronoun



THE ALMANAC

By United Press International

Today is Tuesday, Nov. 12, the 316th day of 1963 with 49 to follow.

The moon is approaching its new phase.

The evening stars are Jupiter and Saturn.

On this day in history:

In 1920, Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis was appointed the first "czar" of big league baseball.

In 1927, Joseph Stalin became the dictator of the Communist party in the Soviet Union as Leon Trotsky was expelled from the party.

In 1948, the war crimes tribunal in Japan sentenced former Premier Tojo and six colleagues to die by hanging

In 1951, the International Monetary Fund gave Iran an $8 million loan to meet the financial crisis caused by the loss of oil revenues.

A thought for the day—American poet Robert Frost said: "Most of the change we think we see in life is due to truths being in and out of favor."

Cambodia will refuse U.S. aid

PNOMPENH, Cambodia (UPI) — Prince Norodom Sihanouk today announced Cambodia will renounce U.S. aid by the end of 1963.

He said American troops will be withdrawn, but they will not be replaced by other foreign troops.

Prince Norodom told a news conference that "By this measure we will be poorer but more independent."

Court refuses to halt inquiry

MOBILE, Ala. (UPI) — A federal judge today denied a government request that an Alabama county be restrained from calling Justice Department attorneys as witnesses in an investigation of the use of a department-rented car to Negro leader Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

It's cold!

NEW YORK (UPI)—The lowest temperature reported to the U S Weather Bureau this morning, excluding Alaska and Hawaii, was 14 degrees at Broadus, Mont., and Moorcroft, Wyo. Monday's high was 90 degrees at Imperial and Thermal, Calif clubs

Charges Sukarno aided by planes

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Rep. Oliver P. Bolton, R-Ohio, charged today that Indonesia was using late model U.S. transport planes to drop troops and supplies along the Malaysian border

Bolton accused the administration of furthering the "avaricious territorial dreams" of Indonesia's President Sukarno by permitting shipment of spare parts for the Lockheed C130 planes

"There is evidence to suggest that these aircraft would be grounded within about six months time if all future export licenses for spare parts and engines were, as a matter of policy, disapproved," Bolton said.

The Ohio Republican described the U.S planes as the Indonesian Air Forces' "most potent military punch." He said they represented one of the most serious threats to the future independence of Malaysia.

Indonesia has staunchly opposed the creation of Malaysia, a federation comprised of the former British territories of Malaya, Singapore, North Borneo and Sarawak.

Turtles do not have teeth, but their jaws have horny edges that can cut hard substances.

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PALMYRA

Mrs. John Doty

Mr & Mrs Cecil Powers were guests of their children, Mr & Mrs Ronald Powers of Lincoln, Mr & Mrs Dick Powers of Palmyra, and Mr & Mrs John Stilwell, Jr., of Unadilla, at a 35th wedding anniversary dinner party, October 27 at the Ulbrick Cafe in Nebraska City.

Mrs Ed Baldwin has recently returned from a visit in the home of her son and family, Mr & Mrs Aubrey Baldwin, in Maryland.

Mr & Mrs James Brinson were deer hunting in the northwest area the past week end. Mary Hart spent that time with the children.

Mrs Mayme Malone, of Lincoln, is a guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs Mary Frederick this week.

Mr & Mrs Harold Cockerham have moved into apartment in the [illegible] home. Mr Cockerham is employed by Peterson

A number of Palmyra friends attended the funeral services Wednesday held for Jess Wall, of Eagle, held in the Eagle Methodist church Burial was in the Eagle cemetery

Mrs Verney Bolz was a Sunday supper guest in the home of Mr & Mrs Max Bolz

Mrs Ratie Rudge observed her 86th birthday November 2 Mrs Violet Josephson is assisting in the home of Mrs Rudge

Mr & Mrs John Smith (Lorna Read) of Shelton, recently visited Clyde Read, patient in St. Elizabeth hospital, in Lincoln. Mr Smith has returned home, while Mrs Smith remained here for a longer visit in the homes of her brothers, Ross and Clyde Read, and Howard Read in Lincoln.

Mrs Daryl Lamb is the new secretary of Palmyra Schools. She succeeds Miss Sue Holmes who recently resigned.

Clyde Read who has been seriously ill in St. Elizabeth hospital, in Lincoln, is reported making satisfactory recovery. He was removed, Monday, from the Intensive Care section at the hospital.

A large crowd attended the Presbyterian church supper and bazaar held Saturday night

Mr Beatrice Klietsch took her sister, Miss Yola Lamb to her home in Sioux City recently after a visit here with relatives Miss Lamb sustained a severe shoulder injury sometime ago and was placed in a cast. The cast has been removed. Miss Lamb is teacher in the Sioux City schools.

Palmyra Legion and Auxiliary will hold the regular meetings on November 14 because of Thanksgiving. Mrs John Donovon and Mrs Ray Gardner will be the auxiliary hostesses. Tarlatan men for the Veterans hospital will be made.

The members of the Junior class of Palmyra High school will present the class play, "No boys Allowed," on the evenings of November 15 and 16. They enjoyed a Halloween party recently at the W. J. Beecham home.

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