Women's Page

The date of the meeting of congress has been changed from the first Monday in December to Jan. 1. As the first of the year came on Tuesday the assembling of that august body took place on Wednesday last.

'The August body,' we say when they are all grouped together, when the spectators in the galleries look down upon their heads. many many of them being bald, but taking them individually, some of them are very far from imposing looking. Senator Long, of Louisianna for instance, otherwise 'the King Fish.' He comes strutting into the senate Chamber, very conscious looking and takes a look at the gallaries to see if the spectators are looking at him. His record so far has not been very admirable.

There is Senator Robinson, the majority leader of the Senate. He looks as though he were cut out for a farmer, but he seems very much on the job and is generally admired by all.

One of the observed of all observers is Senator Glass of Va. Not at all because he is imposing looking for he very strongly resembles a bantam rooster as he is so small and fiery; but because he is so true to his convictions and puts love of country, far above his personal interests. He is a sound money man and often comes in opposition to the administration in many of its policies.

Senator Harrison of Mississippi is also one to be reckoned with, with his hair showing a bald spot and a decided bay window. He seems to be quite an orator, though some of his critics have accused him of being ungrammatical but when a man waxes eloquent that is rather a small thing.

Mrs. Caraway our first woman Senator, is from Arkansas where she was elected to take her husband's place. She is rather a demure looking woman, and when not busy with legislation, loves to work out cross word puzzles, a very fitting thng for a Senator to do when she is not interested ni the various debates that float around her.

There are two blind senators, Shool and Senator Gore, the latter being on the Democratic side, while his opponent is a strong Republican.

They both come in the Senate guided by a page, and it is very evident that they are intent upon their job as no eye service is here to distract them.

There is an old saying, 'He is little but he is loud.' This can readily be said of Senator Lafollette. He seems to be a very thoughtful man, and his voice is very often heard in protest against passing some measure, or earnestly supporting some legislation that he approves.

Although he sits on the Republican side of the Senate, he is generally known as an Independent. Senator King from Utah moves about the room like an eagle, he is often cartooned as one. His colleague Senator Smoot, Republican, lost out in the last election and it is hard to imagine the Senate with out him, as he was in constant evidence on the finance committees. Senator Copeland of New York is always known by wearing a red carnation in his button hole and while not very tall, has a good size girth, and an abundance of hair that few of the other senators are blessed with. Senator Byrd of Pa., has taken the place of the one time Senator Swanson, who is now Secretary of the Navy.

It is said of the Byrd family that they are all rare birds and high fliers, as his brother Richard has proved. We hope we shall hear further from this senator of Virginia.

The South has not generally been able in recent years to send her best men to the senate, owing largely to the political condition and when we see South Carolina, that mountain of pride, sending such men as Senator Blease, and Louisiana, the creole state, represented by the King Fish when such as Calhoun and Davis stood out in the Senate we can readily say, 'How hath the mighty fallen.'

There are so many interesting men and people gathered at Washington now, and I suspect you will hear some more of this interesting body of men, and also of the opposite side the House which always reminds one of a disorderly school.

But these are our legislators and we must abide by the laws they make, no matter how we regard them.

Mrs. Roosevelt the President's mother took upon herself to visit the hospitals of Baltimore on last Wednesday. Consequently there is little doing at large police forces to manage the crowds, and preparing teas for the great lady.

One has said of Mrs. Roosevelt. 'There is not a lazy bone in her body'. There sureily does not seem to be.

The Road To Better Health

CANCER STATISTICS

By DR. WILLIAM J SCHOLES

PART 1

It is estimated that 120,000 persons in the United States die of cancer each year. And since the average duration of the disease is a little over two years, approximattly 300,000 cases of carcinoma are to be found at all times.

Early Recognition the Only Hope

The majority of these people suspect that there is something seriously wrong with them, but they go on living in a fool's paradise until they are beyond the reach of medical aid. Or, they fritter away valuable time with this or that 'cure' until it is too late for surgical procedures to extirpate the growth.

It is easy to understand the psychology back of most people's attitude to the subject. They prefer going on hoping that perhaps 'it' is not cancer to having an examination and finding out that 'it' is cancer. For which they can scarcely be blamed. I can think of any number of thinks I would prefer being told to receiving the information that I have cancer.

How much more sensible, however, to go to a competent physician at the frst signal of trouble and have a thorough examination. After all, the chance is only one out of ten that it is cancer. And where the disease is diagnosed early the chance of eradicating it is far greater. Still more sensible is it to have a physical examinaton every three months. I am convinced that if every woman past the age of 45 would receive a pelvic examination every three months cases of cancer of the uterus could be cut in half inside of three years. because it would be found sufficiently early to permit of its successfuleradication. As it is, at the present time nine out of ten cases are inoperable on first examination by a physician.

The Age Factor In Cancer

If an automobile does not bounce off a man's head or some other accident or disease terminate his sojourn on his little ball before he is fifty-five, he then faces one chance in eight that he will develop cancer. At that, his chances are beter than a woman gets, which is one out of fve. Here, as in some other contingencies, women do not get as fair a break as men. For example, three times as many women die of cancer between the ages of thirty five and forty fve, while during the next decade, forty five to fifty five, twice as many women die of cancer.

Takng both sexes into account, one out of every ten persons who live to be forty is doomed to die of cancer. If this disease could be wiped out entirely the average span of life would be tremendously increased, as ninety five per cent of all deaths from cancer occur after the age of thirty five years.

Hints for the Household

FOR FEBRUARY

By BETTY WEBSTER

Wouldn't it be rather amusing to celebrate Abraham Lincoln's birthday with a 'pickaninny party'? Ask the guests to dress as colored mammies and 'Uncle Toms.' Decorate the house with balls of cotton.

After all have arrived, it would be amusing to play a game of 'inventions.' Give each one a list of inventors and ask them to write the names of their inventions in a corresponding list. A time limt can be named and a prize awarded for the best lst. A guessing game of civil war songs would also furnish amusement.

A table decorated with white cotton and white refreshments would carry out the idea of the party.

DO YOU KNOW THAT:

1. Buttons will not be torn off so easily when clothes are put through a wringer—if the buttons are folded inside the garment?
2. Grenadine curtains will look fresher and stay clean longer if they are starched slightly when washed?
3. Masquisette curtans ought to be dry cleaned because washing causes the threads to 'bunch'?
4. Usng a vacuum cleaner on rugs prevents the dust from collecting beneath them?
5. Spots can be removed from mohair covered furniture by washing with milk?
6. Christmas tree lights can be used effectively for decoratinga room or table for any entertanment during the year?
7. Festooned about the dining room and using red and white bulbs the lights make a charming setting for a valentine party?
8. By using round, red bulbs and placing them in clusters on a small branch of a tree an amusing cherry tree centerpiece can be made for the Washington's Birthday table?
9. Red, white and blue bulbs piercing the corresponding colors of a paper flag will add to the glory of a Lincoln's Brthday party?
10. A single cluster of vari-colored bulbs hanging from the center of the ceiling gives an unusually attractive light for dancing?

RECIPES

Beef and Mushroom Croquettes

1 1-2 cups of chopped cooked beef
1-2 cup of sauteed mushroomes
1-2 cup of soft bread crumbs

Mix and add enough thick sauce, made from beef or mushroom stock. to make a soft mixture, but one that can be handled when cool. Season to taste, cool and shape into croquettes. Fry in deep, hot fat.

Tasty Chicken

2 cups of cooked chicken, chopped with livers and giblets
1 cup of gravy or stock
12 cup of boiled rice
2 tablespoons of chopped green pepper.

Mix ingredients and season to taste; cook slowly for ten or fifteen minutes. Thicken if necessary and serve with crisp hot toast sticks. Garnish with parsley.

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WORTON

There seems to be an epidemic of flu or grippe in our community. Those on the sick list are: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith, Mrs. William Knight, Robert Knight, Mrs. S. J. Lee, Mrs. John Duyer, Mrs. George Williams, Mr. W. A. Joiner, Mrs. Henry Rasin.

Miss Louise Wolf, of Baltimore, visited her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rash several days this week.

Miss Virginia Jewell, student nurse at Church Home Hospital, Baltimore, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jewell during the holiday. While at home she was given a surprise party.

Miss Ann Matthews, of Palmyra, and Billy Beck Matthews, of University of Md., were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Matthews last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ford, of Chestertown, entertained the following at dinner Sunday: Mrs. Margaret Duyer, Mrs. Blanche Loiler and son, John Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crew and daughter, Thelma, of North East, Mr. and Mrs. William Knight, and Mr. and Mrs. John Dwyer.

Miss Harriett Clark entertained her many friends at a party at her home near here Thursday evening.

We are glad to hear Mrs. Henrietta Rasin is improved and was able to accompany Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rouse to Aberdeen Saturday for a visit.

Mr. Barney R. Cooper, Mrs. Reginald Cooper, Betty Hadaway and George Rasin, Jr., spent Monday in Wilmington and Middletown.

Hilda and Hazel Mason were given a party by their parents, Monday evening at their home near here.

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If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas bloats up your stomach. You have a thick, bad taste and your breath is foul, skin often breaks out in blemishes. Your head aches and you feel down and out. Your whole system is poisoned.

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LOUISE M. STRONG

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 22nd day of June, 1935, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under our hands this 18th day of December, 1934.

HARRIETT I. WATKINS,
ERNEST H. STRONG,
d22-4t. Administrators.

WORLD WIDE WINGED WORDS



New York . . . Bell telephone users now have at their disposal a total of 84,000 miles of radio telephone circuits reaching almost every section of the globe. From the United States extend four telephone circuits to England, nine to South and Central America, one each to Bermuda, the Bahamas, Hawaii, and the Philippines. These transoceanic telephone lines connect at London with wire circuits to more than 20 European countries and with radio or wire and radio telephone circuits to Australia, Siam, the Dutch East Indies, Egypt, Palestine, South Africa and India. Transocean telephone service was inaugurated January 7, 1927, between New York and London.

Johannesburg, South Africa . . . This modern city of 350,000 inhabitants is fast becoming "telephonically minded," according to Telephony. Last year four telephone central offices with a capacity of 11,800 telephone lines were installed. This year an order was placed for a dial operated central office equipped with an ultimate capacity of 10,000 telephone lines. Orders were also placed for equipment for 1,500 lines for extensions to equipment now in service. Six telephone offices were installed in 1932 with an ultimate capacity of 25,000 telephone lines.

Lincoln, Nebraska . . . A recent survey among 500 housewives served by the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company showed that 94 per cent of them utilized the yellow-paged section of the telephone directory for business calls and for buying purposes, according to Telephony.

INITIAL TELEPHONE LINE IN WASHINGTON DESCRIBED

Telephone service in Washington was first operated by private lines connecting various governmental departments, stores and warehouses and in a few cases the places of business and the residences of owners of these establishments. The first of these private lines connected the Government Printing Office and the Capitol. This line enabled members of Congress to order extra copies of their speeches and other documents with more dispatch, according to Frank Hall Childs of Pacific Palisades, Calif., in a recent letter to the Washington Evening Star.

Mr. Childs was employed in the office of the chief clerk of the printing office in the winter of 1877-78. The telephone, he says, had just come into use and he was designated to answer calls at the printing office end and to ring up the Capitol as occasion necessitated. This telephone line was gradually extended to other government departments, but always with the primary objective of facilitating inquiries in printing. Private lines were superseded by an exchange system December 1, 1878.

Mr. Childs' description of the use of the telephone and some of the prominent people interested in its operation, who were visitors at his office follows:

Needing a word to describe a telephonic message, I coined the word "telepheme" from the Greek, tele, far, and pheme, speaking. It was a very convenient word, I thought and still think, and although it crept into the dictionaries it did not "persist."

The telephone was then exceedingly crude. The receiver was also the transmitter, being transferred from ear to mouth alternately, so that it was not uncommon for two persons to be speaking at the same time without being aware that neither was listening. Conversation was very indistinct, and to make the situation worse, the telephone wire had been strung on telegraph poles so that the induction from the telegraph wires caused the telephemes to be mixed with the dots and dashes of telegrams. Calls were made by turning a crank and pushing a button. One ring called the Capitol and two rings the Printing Office.

Ideas regarding the telephone were exceedingly hazy. One quite intelligent man supposed the wire was hollow—that is, that the telephone was merely an elongated speaking tube. Another thought the message was transmitted by ordinary vibration, so that it could be heard by attaching a string to the wire. It took a trial of his theory to convince him of his error.

As the telephone was such a novelty at that time, many persons visited the office merely to see and hear it. Callers for that purpose would probably average half a dozen a day. In such cases I would call the Capitol and ask the clerk there to speak to the caller. The exclamations of astonishment at hearing the human voice at such a distance were quite amusing, and especially if the hearer happened to know the speaker and recognized the voice. One of the callers was Phineas T. Barnum, and I had the pleasure of showing this great exhibitor of freaks a curiosity which he had never seen.

Two C. & P. Telephone Men Among Six Awarded Medals



Vail medalists—(Left to right, top): Robert M. Brooks, Mrs. Margaret Beauchamp Grant, Charles R. Lane. (Bottom): Mrs. Charity Blackburn, Manly A. Norlin and Mrs. Mary S. Gould.

Robert M. Brooks and Charles R. Lane, combinationmen of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore City, are two of the six employees of the Bell System and connecting companies awarded silver Vail medals and checks of $250 each for noteworthy public service by the Theodore N. Vail memorial fund.

For the first time since the establishment of this fund in 1920, group employees were awarded special plaques. Plaques awarded the employees of the Southern California Telephone Company at Los Angeles and the Associated Telephone Company, Limited, at Long Beach, California, read: "Awarded to employees by the Theodore N. Vail Memorial Fund in recognition of their skill, courage and devotion to duty, in performing acts of noteworthy public service, following the earthquake on March 10, 1933."

Awards made to Brooks and Lane, telephone repairmen at Baltimore, came as a result of their activities in rescuing marooned people along the Chesapeake Bay during the severe storm of August 23, 1933. The citation accompanying these awards reads in part: "For courage, resourcefulness and effective action in rescuing a group of women and children under flood conditions."

Employees, in addition to Combinationmen Brooks and Lane, who were rewarded for meritorious acts, include: Mrs. Mary S. Gould, Englishtown, N. J., agent of the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company; Mrs. Margaret Beauchamp Grant, Dover, Del., night operator in charge, the Diamond State Telephone Company; Manly A. Norlin, district plant chief, Independence, Kansas, of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company; and Mrs. Charity Blackburn, Port Isabel, Texas, agency chief operator of the Rio Grande Valley Telephone Company.

Mrs. Gould aided in the restoration of telephone service disrupted by a severe electrical storm by driving six miles to a nearby town in the early hours of the morning to inform officials of the damage done. Mrs. Grant gave special service to railroad officials in connection with a serious passenger train wreck, while Plant Chief Norlin rendered first aid assistance to injured occupants of a passenger plane following a crash.

Mrs. Blackburn, from her switchboard, gave warning of a hurricane that did great damage to the surrounding territory. She stayed at her switchboard until she was ordered to leave by Coast Guard officers. Immediately after leaving the building the roof was blown off, but the equipment was not seriously damaged at the time, so she took steps to protect it from further harm which aided in the restoration of telephone service much more promptly than would have otherwise been possible.

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....LAURA LILLIAN STRONG .... late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 8th day of June, 1934, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under our hands this 4th day of December, 1934.

HERBERT E. PERKINS, Executor.

NOTICE OF RESERVATION OF NATURAL OYSTER BARS FOR CONSERVATION PURPOSES

In pursuance of the authority vested in the undersigned by law, notice is hereby given that from January 1, 1935, to March 15, 1935, both dates inclusive, all the natural oyster bars included in the area hereinafter mention are reserved for Conservation purposes, as set forth in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 72, Section 161:

All that area at the Head of Chesapeake Bay, northerly of a line beginning on the eastern side of the cut-off channel at Nun Buoy No. 10 K which is about seven-eighths of a mile northwest of Seven Foot Knool Lighthouse, and running in an easterly direction through Red Spar Buoy No. 8 on the range of the Craighill Light, and continuing past Fish Stakes Buoy (a white and black spar marked "7 B") to Hodges Bar Buoy Red Spar No. 2, and including Man O'War Shoals, Millers Island, Tea Table, Gales Lumps, Mitchells Bluff, Tolchester Lumps, Coal Lump, Deep Shoal, Phoenix Shoal and Hodges in its entirety or any bar, bars or lumps lying to the northward of said line.

All persons are hereby warned not to catch or disturb oysters on such reserved area between the dates above mentioned under penalty provided for in Section 156 of said Article 72.

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