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**GOLDEN GLEAMS**  
In whatever terms people may praise us, they never teach us anything new.—George Herbert.

They that value not praise will never do anything worthy of praise.—Thomas Fuller.

He who loves praise, loves temptation.—Thomas Wilson.

Praise undeserved is scandal in disguise.—Alexander Pope.

Among the smaller duties of life I hardly know any one more important than that of not praising where praise is not due.—Sydney Smith.

Praises of the unworthy are robberies of the deserving.—S. T. Coleridge.

**Washington Notes**

**PALOMAR EYE**  
The 200-inch telescope atop Palomar Mountain began its official work to extend man's reach into space on June 3rd, the date of its dedication. The gigantic "eye," will put at our disposal eight times the volume of space previously available for study. The Rockefeller Foundation to date has given \$6,500,000 for the construction of the telescope, together with all the buildings and equipment necessary to render it as effective as possible.

**'49 INAUGURAL**  
Congress is already getting ready for the 1949 inaugural next January 20, having passed three inaugural resolutions, the most important of which, perhaps, concerns the necessary financing of the construction of stands and platforms, etc., which, altogether, is expected to total approximately \$37,100.

**DEBT DEDUCTION**  
Secretary of the Treasury John W. Snyder, in a speech in Atlantic City, declared that the national debt had been reduced by nearly \$28,000,000,000 since 1946 but "the combination of tax reduction and increased expenditure probably spells the end of debt reduction from budget surplus during the next year."

**WRIGHTS**  
In order to give full recognition to the inventors of the airplane, United States Navy records have been changed to honor the memory of both Wilbur and Orville Wright in the name of the carrier of U. S. S. Wright.

**INCOME-SAVINGS**  
Incomes of individuals during the first quarter of 1948 rolled up to a record annual rate of \$209,200,000,000. Taxes, however, were biting into that at a rate of \$23,000,000,000, but nearly seven per cent, or \$12,900,000,000 of after-tax income, was being saved.

**STATES ADVERTISE**  
Believing that "it pays to advertise," forty-five states are spending \$5,160,000 for that purpose during this fiscal year, lauding their industrial, agricultural and recreational advantages. New York leads all states with \$826,000 appropriated for this purpose. Washington is second, with \$820,000 and Florida third with \$385,000.

Adequate farm labor is reported available in the southeastern part of the State, but many other sections report a scarcity of labor.

**FIRE IN ALARM BOX**  
Philadelphia, Pa.—Answering a fire-alarm, fire-fighters were amazed to find the fire located, of all places, in a fire-alarm box. The blaze started from a short circuit in the electrical wiring.

**\$1,120 IN RAG BUNDLES**  
San Jose, Calif.—In the room of Miss Agnes Mary Means, who died on May 10, police found two hundred small rag bundles, secreted in old magazines, in light fixtures and in furniture. In the "bundles" they found \$1,120.

**GETS SERMON-SUPPLY**  
Memphis, Tenn.—It was a disappointed and surprised thief who stole a brief case belonging to Rev. John Maddox recently. The brief case held a three-year collection of sermons.

**LUCKY TWO**  
Ross, Ind.—Elmer Lemmon and William Basiger escaped serious injury when their car turned over, crashed into a ditch and landed with the rear end resting up high against a telephone pole.

**SWIMMER AT ONE**  
Los Angeles, Calif.—Although he is only one year old, Dennis McShane has already gone to work. Starting swimming at the age of five months and trained by a swimming coach at nine months, Dennis has appeared in one movie and is scheduled to start work in another soon. Although he cannot walk, he can swim across a 30-foot pool and dive from a regulation diving board.

**WATER SETS CAR AFIRE**  
Twin Falls, Idaho—When the car driven by Mrs. Leota Craner had a collision, it fell into a small irrigation canal. The water forced gasoline out of the tank and carried it under the car where the damaged wiring ignited it. The car was badly burned.

**TEACHER DIES IN STRAPPING**  
Hopeman, England—While strapping three girl pupils across the palms for playing hockey, George Adams, 63-year-old school headmaster, suffered a fatal heart attack.

**CURIOSITY HURTS**  
Syracuse, N. Y.—The next time, James Nuzzo will not be so curious. Curiosity caused the boy to stick his hand into a popcorn-vending machine in a theatre and resulting injuries caused him to have to be taken to a hospital for treatment.

**182 DESCENDANTS**  
East Rainelle, W. Va.—Daniel Rupert Pitsenbarger, 89, who died recently, left 182 direct descendants—five sons, five daughters, 64 grandchildren and 108 great-great-grandchildren.

**"FATHER OF THE YEAR"**  
New York—Drew Pearson, radio commentator and columnist, has been selected as the "Father of the Year," by the National Father's Day Committee. Pearson, originator of the "Friendship Train" which collected food for European relief, was selected "in recognition of his fight for democracy throughout the world." Father's Day will be observed on Sunday, June 20th.

**DIONNE QUINTS 14**  
Callender, Ont.—Tempus fugit. The Dionne quintuplets celebrated their 14th birthday on May 28. Yvonne, who weighed the most at birth, still leads the rest at 130 pounds, while Marie, the tiniest at birth, is still the tiniest, at 110 pounds and 4 feet 11 inches.

**STAMP-WISE ROBBERS**  
New York—Thieves who know their stamps raided the office of the New York Stamp Company and stole stamps valued between \$70,000 and \$80,000. Of the seven safes holding valuable stamps, the thieves selected the two containing the most valuable.

**DETECTOR FINDS \$4,750,000**  
Paris, France—A metal detector at Avignon is reported to have discovered treasure worth one billion francs (\$4,750,000), which is said to have been hidden seven years ago. An Italian named Pozzi watched unseen while two men buried a large chest in the woods in 1941. He tried in vain to carry it away alone but before he could arrange for its removal, he was carried away to jail for ten years. He told a fellow prisoner, about to be released, about it and, with the use of a detector, located the treasure. Police are holding the treasure and Pozzi is still in the prison hospital.

**FLYING COWBOY?**  
Cornell, Ill.—When ten head of cattle became missing on Fred Greenman's farm, a general search was made. In the meantime, Greenman's son rented an airplane and flew over the area, spotting the cattle about three miles from the Greenman farm.

**FIRST ON FCC**  
At her desk in her New York office, Miss Frieda B. Henneck receives congratulations on her appointment to the Federal Communications Commission. She was nominated by the President as the first woman to be named to the agency.

**Official Election Returns Given**  
Raleigh—The State Board of Elections released Saturday the total but unofficial primary vote for seven State offices and that for the short and long terms of the U. S. Senate.

Raymond C. Maxwell, secretary of the board, in releasing the figures, pointed out that the full State Board will meet next Tuesday and issue complete official returns for all the races.

The total, unofficial count for the State's 100 counties:

For Senate (short term) J. Melville Broughton, 206,505; William B. Umstead, 188,420.

Senate, long or regular term, Broughton, 207,971; Umstead, 183,865.

For Governor: Charles M. Johnson, 169,428; W. Kerr Scott, 161,393; R. Mayne Albright, 76,281; Oscar Barker, 10,869; Olla Ray Boyd, 2,111; and W. F. Stanley Sr., 2,428.

For Lieutenant Governor: H. P. Taylor, 237,798; Dan Tompkins, 103,495.

For Secretary of State: Thad Eure, 257,168; John T. Armstrong, 103,048.

For State Auditor: Henry L. Bridges, 192,170; Charles W. Miller, 128,546.

For State Treasurer: James B. Vogler, 122,528; Brandon P. Hodges, 180,188; Z. W. Frazzelle, 36,152.

For Secretary of Labor: Forrest H. Shuford, 207,512; Donald Boone Sherrill, 119,835.

For Commissioner of Agriculture (Republican race): Watt H. Gragg, 9,729; G. L. Willard, 5,254.

**PIANO RECITAL**  
Mrs. Ruth Rankin Rutherford, of Dallas, Texas, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Rankin of Boone, and a noted pianist, will appear in concert at the College Auditorium, Saturday June 12, at 8 o'clock, in the first lyceum number of the summer school series. The public is cordially invited as guests of the college.

**\$50,000 "JUNK"**  
Hollywood—A waiter in a night club picked up a brooch, stuck it in his pocket and promptly forgot about it, thinking it was a piece of inexpensive costume jewelry. The "junk" happened to be a \$50,000 276 baguette diamond brooch which Joan Crawford lost in the night club. Questioned by detectives, the man produced the brooch, saying, "I thought it was junk."

Hogan beats Mike Turnesa, 7 and 6, to regain P. G. A. title.

**NOTICE OF SALE**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the power of sale contained in a deed of trust executed by S. H. Coffey and his wife, Pauline Coffey, to the undersigned Trustee, dated January 15, 1948, and recorded in Book of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust No. 28, page 371, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Avery County, N. C., and recorded in Book of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust No. 51, page 23, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Watauga County, N. C., default having been made in the payment of the debt secured thereby and the holder of said debt having demanded that the undersigned Trustee exercise said power of sale, and sell the property thereby conveyed, as provided in said deed of trust.

**THEREFORE**, on Saturday, the 13th day of July, 1948, at Twelve O'clock Noon, at the Court House door of Avery County, N. C., at Newland in said County, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following property:

All and every, the rights, privileges, easements, rights of way and property in, of and concerning the cutting and removal of the merchantable timber on the lands of Fred B. Blair on Beech Mountain in the County of Avery and Watauga, State of North Carolina, conveyed to S. H. Coffey by Fred B. Blair and his wife, Louise Blair by deed dated January 10, 1948 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Avery County and Watauga County, N. C., reference to which deed is hereby specifically made for a further description of said rights, privileges, easements, rights of way and property.

This, the 8th day of June, 1948.  
JOE G. ADAMS,  
Trustee

**BRIEF NEWS**

Wong forms new Chinese Cabinet; he is Minister of Defense.

Blue Cross chief sees voluntary health plan on 3-year trail.

Presbyterian curb put on ex-pastors performing weddings.

Stock trading in May heaviest on N. Y. Exchange since '33.

Drain of ERP on economy this year is discounted.

Calling of bonds in May sets fourteen-year low.

German racist hate found turning to Negro or Russian.

Russians ignore Wallace work-claim hybrid corn glory.

Stratemeyer warns United States is a "rich prize."

Fourth of families will overspend, says Federal Reserve.

Mexico and U. S. act to revise 1942 trade treaty.

Jet motors now certified for use in commercial airplanes.

Purchasing agents find business outlook "favorable."

Occupation forces in Austria are being cut down.

Methodists oppose use of public funds for religious schools.

U. S. Army in Germany bars scrap shipments to U. S.

India is using American "know-how" to build chemical plant.

Abdullah of Trans-Jordan hailed as "King of Jerusalem."

Wallace convention to be held in Philadelphia July 23-25.

Henderson forecasts 2 to 3 per cent rise in living cost.

Western Europe reluctant to buy Polish coal; prefer U. S.

Emphasis on war fears decried by Kinkaid.

German management in Ruhr is accused of sabotage.

Soviet drive to collectivize farms lags in Satellite areas.

Capital-gains tax on non-resident alien trade asked.

**PIPELINE**  
A 1,840-mile pipeline, to carry natural gas in large quantities from the Gulf Coast to the New York metropolitan area and other Middle Atlantic points, has been approved by the Federal Power Commission. The pipeline, to be built at a cost of more than \$151,000,000, is expected to be ready for operation by the fall of 1950.

**FAMILY-DEFICITS**  
At least one out of every four American families will probably overspend its income this year, according to analysts of the Federal Reserve Board. The conclusion is based on the Board's survey of consumer finances which showed that Americans plan to keep on spending freely for new homes and goods, using their credit or savings, if necessary.

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**MARKETING with Marjorie**

Between graduations, engagements and weddings, June is one of the most "entertaining" months in the year. So today I'm going to give you a few suggestions to help you give everyday fare a party air.

**PRE-WEDDING RING**  
Giving a luncheon in honor of a bride-to-be? Then I can't think of a more appropriate main course than a rice ring filled with chicken a la king... or a better way to make one than with SUNNYFIELD RICE. This fine rice from the A&P cooks up as white as a wedding gown and as light as a honeymooner's heart. For a perfect union, combine 4 cups (cooked) with one of these: 1/4 cup minced parsley, 1 cup cooked peas or 1/2 cup sliced mushrooms.

**POST-WEDDING CAKE**  
When you're entertaining newlyweds who are still up in the clouds, make them feel at home by serving cloud-light JANE PARKER ANGEL FOOD RING! This heavenly cake is so luscious they'll think it's fresh from your own oven... instead of A&P's. But if you want to add a personal touch, cover the top and sides with the fluffy frosting I'm going to give you the recipe for right now.

**ENTICING ICING**  
Boil 1/2 cup A&P's ANN PAGE SYRUP until small amount dropped in cold water forms a soft ball (238° F.). Gradually pour hot syrup over 1 stiffly beaten egg white, beating constantly. Beat until spreading consistency, and add 1 tsp. A&P's ANN PAGE VANILLA EXTRACT.

**IN THE PINK**  
Is your guest of honor a sweet girl graduate? Serve a salad that looks as rosy as her future! To make it, pare a whole honeydew melon, cut a slice from end, remove seeds, and scoop out center portion. Fill cavity with A&P's S P A B K L E STRAWBERRY G E L A T I N prepared according to package directions, and chill till gelatin is firm. Soften 6 ounces of cream cheese slightly with milk, add a few drops of red vegetable coloring, and frost entire outside of melon. Stud with strawberry halves, slice and serve on greens.

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