

TODAY and TOMORROW

WEATHER . . . what to do
The lowest temperatures in years have been forecast as up in the East. In my home town the thermometer crept down to 14 below and chilled up in the bath. Steam-heated city folks think such cold is terrible. They have forgotten how to wear wool.

There is nothing authentic about cold weather for most folks in regions where it prevails. Its principal drawback is that it makes the automobile useless. The old reliable horse and the span of oxen come into their own in New England winters.

An occasional frostbite doesn't worry rural folk who have "lived up" for the winter, with plenty of salt pork and cider in the cellar and furry beds of hick and oak in the woodshed. If they can't get out to the movies, and the R.F.D. carrier is delayed by snowdrifts, they can at least gossip with the neighbors over the telephone. That's the way our ancestors lived for three hundred years in America, and we are just as resistant as they were, if we only thought so.

PLANS . . . for economy

I hear a lot of talk about a "planned economy" for the United States. I have observed the planned economy of Italy at first hand. I have read about the planned economy of Russia and Mr. Hitler's effort to introduce something of the sort in Germany. The general idea, as applied to the United States, leaves me cold.

Every imaginative man has at times thought of or been impressed by the idea that everybody would cooperate for the common good. It would be, but it isn't. The only way any sort of planned economy can be imposed on any people is by force, as the examples I have mentioned indicate.

As long as great groups of people disagree with the plan, or have other plans of their own, there isn't any way to put any national plan into effect except by force. I haven't heard anyone suggest that, and I am sure that Americans will never tolerate methods which have worked in other countries. We'll continue to "muddle through" as individuals.

MAPS . . . from the air

I never knew what my farm looked like until a few months ago, when one of my wealthier neighbors who owns a great deal more land than I do, and wanted to develop part of it for summer homes, engaged an aerial photographer to map the whole township from the air. He gave a print to our village public library, where it is about the most interesting display.

There is only one way to find out just what each farm has on it, and that is by an aerial photographer. So the Federal Government proposes to map great farm areas that way, as a part of its domestic allotment program. It may have other effects, also. In one Connecticut town a few years ago an aerial map disclosed a dozen or more houses and buildings which had been overlooked by the tax assessors!

Anyway, air maps are quicker and cheaper and far more comprehensive than any other method of surveying, and I look for their general adoption.

PRESIDENT . . . the office

"Black Sam" Francisco, who was the steward of the President's household when George Washington lived in Cherry Street, New York, before the national capital was moved to the District of Columbia, paid no attention to the General's remonstrances against the luxury of the Presidential table.

"He may discharge me, he may kill me if he will, but while he is President of the United States, and I have the honor to be his steward, his establishment shall be supplied with the best of everything the whole country can afford," said Sam.

I have frequently said, by word of mouth and in print, that we in America are losing respect for the office of President. We do not pay the President a big enough salary; France pays hers three times as much and demands far less of him. I think it is one of the weaknesses of a democracy that we think of the man, rather than the office he holds. As a man no one is entitled to more respect than another of equal character; but I would like to see the President, as such, held in such high respect that, by reflection, the Government of which he is the head is looked up to, rather than held in contempt.

LINDBERGH . . . and wife

The more I see and read about Col. Lindbergh and his wife, the less respect I have for the horde of notoriety-seekers who get their names and pictures in print so frequently and who try to cash in on the publicity which their antics bring them. Most of them

Repeat Blues



HOLLYWOOD Harry Frank (above) mourns the passing of prohibition. Eleven years ago he got an idea, invented \$2,000 in a collection of old liquor bottles, sent them to the picture studios at \$5 per day and grossed \$231,000 before repeal came along.

are completely lacking in the qualities which, taken together, make up what is called character. My principal grievance is that silly people are so widely misled into admiration for mere notoriety, that children grow up thinking show more important, percentages than serious intelligent men and women. That, of course, has always been true of human nature, a fact which accounts for the ease with which show gets themselves elected to public office and the difficulty the honest men of character had to face if they were less political.

Lindbergh and his wife are figures, the best figures in the world. They do not pose in public when they can avoid it, and they do not talk for publication about anything but their work, and not much about that. I have the greatest admiration for these two young Americans and rank them far above almost everybody else whose name goes into the papers.

EXAMINATIONS FOR SOCIAL ECONOMISTS

The United States Civil Service Commission will accept applications until February 1, for positions of Associate Social Economist and Assistant Social Economist in the Children's Bureau, Department of Labor.

The entrance salary for Associate Social Economist is \$2,344 a year, and for Assistant Social Economist \$1,644 a year, less a deduction of not to exceed 15 per cent as a measure of economy and a retirement deduction of 1 1/2 per cent.

DUTIES

The duties of these positions are as follows: Associate Social Economist: Under general direction to have charge of the development and extension of the registration of social statistics, the compilation and interpretation of such statistics, and the preparation of monthly and annual summaries, technical reports and other articles.

Assistant Social Economist: Under general direction to conduct research or field investigation relative to industrial conditions affecting the employment and industrial welfare of minors or in the administration of laws in this field; to cooperate with State and municipal officials in promoting the industrial welfare of minors; and to write technical reports based on such research or investigation.

Subjects and Weights—Candidates will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on the following subjects which will have the relative weights indicated:

Subjects	Weights
1. Education and experience	70
2. Thesis or publication (to be filed with application)	30
Total	100

All States except Delaware, Iowa, Maryland, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, and the District of Columbia have received less than their share of appointments in the apportioned departmental service at Washington.

Full information may be obtained from Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners, at Washington, D. C., or at the post office in this city.

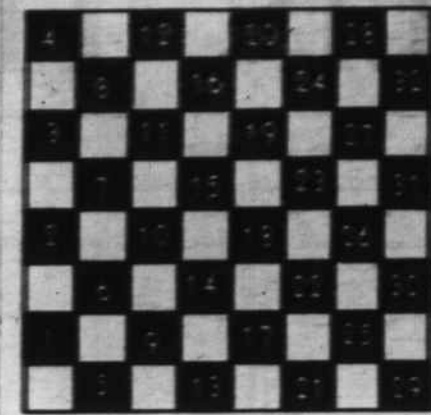
ATLANTA SUNDAY AMERICAN TO PUBLISH UNCENSORED WAR PICTURES

Atlanta, Ga.—The Atlanta Sunday American announces the publication in its next three issues of a series of uncensored photographs of scenes of the world war. There will be from three to five full pages of these war pictures in each issue.

The original photographs were made under fire, during actual combat and the scenes they depict are almost unbelievable. They show war as it was—with all of its suffering and its horror. Every individual and every organization should see these remarkable pictures.

The first pictures will appear in the Atlanta Sunday American, dated Jan. 21st. Others follow in the issues of Jan. 28th and Feb. 4th. Order the Atlanta Sunday American through your local agent or ask for it at your news stand or drug store dealer. Adv. 1-19-11

HERE IS THE SOLUTION



The above board is numbered to help you make the right moves.

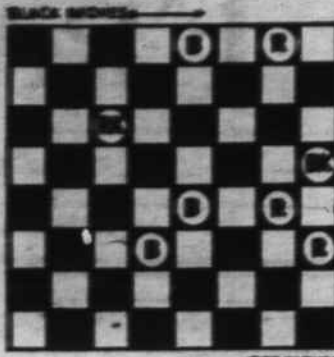
First Move, Red: 11 to 15

First Move, Black: jump 31 to 22

Second Move, Red: 30 to 25

Second Move, Black: jump 22 to 29

Third Move, Red: jump 15 to 22



1—means a black checker
2—means a red checker
3E—means a black king
3R—means a red king

Arrange the checkers as above and they will be exactly the same as shown on the calendar.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By Charles E. Dunn

Jesus Begins His Ministry
Lesson for Jan. 21st. Matt. 4:12-25
Golden Text: Matt. 4:17

The lesson presents the Master as preacher, surgeon, and healer. As a preacher He proclaimed the same message heralded by John, "Repent!" The word literally means "Change your mind." We are to cultivate a new point of view, to cherish a different outlook, a new vision.

As a recruiter He summoned to His side four men of varied capacity and outlook. The first and most important of these was Simon Peter, the leader of the Twelve.

The second recruit was Andrew, Peter's brother. He is the commonplace, unheralded hero of the gospel record, the quiet, unobtrusive helper who seldom appears in the swirl of drama of Jesus' career. So far as we know, he had no special gifts. Apparently he performed no miracle. Neither did he found a church. And yet this one-talented man used his interior endowment with rare sweetness and nobility.

The other two new disciples were James and John, the "Sons of Thunder." With Peter they enjoyed a special intimacy with the Master. They were men of similar spirit, who journeyed together when the Twelve were sent out two by two to preach the Kingdom of God. James, because his life ended with an early martyrdom, did not reach the distinction of his brother. But he was a devoted soul. Of course, is given a special place of preeminence as "the disciple whom Jesus loved."

As healer, we find the Master overwhelmed by a host of pathetic sufferers, the victims of both physical and mental ailments.

Evening Classes

Evening classes in cotton production have been started by farmers in Justice and Seven Paths Communities under the direction of J. B. Litchfield, Agriculture teacher at Edward Best High School. The Justice group in meeting at the school building. Arthur Strickland's store furnishes the meeting place at Seven Paths.

The meetings started at Justice last Wednesday night and at Seven Paths Friday night. They will continue for a period of ten weeks. The meetings are open to all farmers interested in cotton production.

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Science says Today use a LIQUID Laxative

If you want to GET RID of Constipation worries—

Any hospital offers evidence of the harm done by harsh laxatives that drain the system, weaken the bowels, and in some cases even affect the liver and kidneys.

A doctor will tell you that the wisest choice of laxatives is a common cause of chronic constipation.

Fortunately, the public is fast returning to the use of laxatives in liquid form.

A properly prepared liquid laxative brings a perfect movement. There is no discomfort at the time and no weakness after. You don't have to take "a double dose" a day or two later.

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