

earned breather.

on his saddle pillow.

So deep was his sleep that the sun

was high the next morning when he

awoke. As soon as he had prepared his breakfast and watered El Cielo

at a nearby pool, he was again in saddle. Steadily he rode on, heading

for Deep Water Valley. He had ridden all day, keeping to

the obscure trails in the more moun-

tainous sections, without meeting a

soul, when late in the afternoon he

was brought to the alert by a crash-

ing in the brush. Swiftly his hand

a glimpse of a rider in the brush

A ragged figure broke out of cover and rode toward him. One

small hand was held high in

"Hello, Senor Caballero Rojo!"

Juanita de Cuevas looked weary,

"Didn't Padre Vincente gei my

"So he said," Juanita said calmly.

letter?" Valdez said. "Thought I

wrote him to keep you at the mis-

"And most certainly he got your letter. But when he told me-I

didn't argue with him, senor. I ac-

cepted the room he had prepared for

me, and I left during the night. That

"You shouldn't have done that,

Juanita," Valdez said soberly. "I've told you the outlaw trail is no place

(To be Continued)

To Know What's What

the pamphlet called "Consumers

News" distributed through the Con-

sumer Branch, Wartime Prices and

National presidents of women's

organizations who have inaugurated the new Canadian Assoc. of Con-

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Since the C.A.C. is self-support

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Consumers Want

Trade Board.

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is better than to argue with a

greeting.

to his side.

went to his gun butt, as he caught

Then he relaxed and his hand fell

Chapter XVI: Conroy's attempt to cheat in the poker game is exposed by the Mexican. A gun duel follows and Michael once more finds himself surrounded by desperate henchmen.

Chapter XVII The gambler's pasty face took on "You're crazy!" he shouted

"There is no-"Wc'l, what about that informa-tion I want?" Valdez snarled. ticked away with great speed." There was a hurried shuffling toward the doors as the other men took heed of that. This fighting fool might not be bluffing. The saloon was quickly emptied, and Valdez and Conroy were alone. Valdez' eyes shot to the loud-tick-

ing clock on the wall. "Your time's up, Conroy," he Even as he swung into the sadget the drop on him. He started El Cielo toward the swinging doors. One of his guns whipped up in an squarely in the oil reservoir at the back of the big swinging lamp as

Conroy scrambled back madly. The light swaved back and forth, Another shot rang out, and the connection at the ceiling was severed. With a resounding explothe big lamp hit the floor. Glass tinkled, there was a hiss and a roar, as the spilled oil caught the flames and burst into a sheet of burning color that in a breath of time spread across the floor. Conroy, who up until that mo ment had himself thought that Valdez was running a bluff in order

cut off any chance of his reaching the "Get him, men, as he comes through the door!" Conroy howled, as he battered at the sash in a desperate effort to get out of the rapidly burning place.

to force information from him, dashed for the window. Valdez had

Shouts and roars from outside answered him as some of his hench men raced toward the doorway where Michael Valdez, still inside, was silhouetted against the rising

But Valdez was ready for that move, too. Instead of racing El Cielo through the door, he whirled his mount and gave a sharp com mand. The horse leaped through the sheet of flame as Valdez pour ping the other lamps to the floor. Flames were leaping up the walls

now, and the blazing oil from the exploded lamp behind the bar burst liquor bottles. Blue flames, coursing here and there with searching tongues, spread swiftly, to make the Palace Saloon a roaring furnace. With a defiant shout Michael Valdez rode full tilt through the rear door. He found himself in a dead-end alley, and turned along it between two buildings, heading to

One swift glance at the alley though, and he knew that Flash Conroy, who was now out of the burning saloon, and Conroy's co-horts were all ready for battle. They were at the mouth of the alley with the whole area covered. Men with cocked guns were awaiting Valdez's

A crackling hail of lead poured into the alley from the guns of the holed-up men searching for him with gunfire. Then Valdez took his and only chance of getting out of the trap alive. The next instan he was racing through the rain of fire, with both his own guns blazing. As he hit the street, one swift glance picked out Conroy, in the shadow of a general store on the other side of the street, his six gun

blazing steadily.

Valdez downed the gambler neatly and cooly with one well placed

"Number two!" Valdez gritted as El Cielo tore down the dusty street toward the sanctuary of the moun-

Valdez cast a swift glance backward, but with the death of their boss, Conroy's fighting force had

To Be Sure

way in the home? "Well, she writes up week ahead."

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Youngest and Tiniest-Third in the pony class, winsome Mary May Ruth, four-and-a-half years old, was youngest competitor in the horse show at the Royal Winter Fair. She is seen with her small black pony, Dainty. Mary comes from Omemee, Ont.

Your Handwriting and You Alex S. Arnott

Idealism Shown In Handwriting

"Dear Mr. Arnot," writes Miss P. A., "will you please analyse my handwriting as you so ably did for my sister. I am very fond of poetry and would like to know if my handwriting reveals talent along thes

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reaching higher, ever upward. The fineness of the script, the slope the letter "i," and other handwriting ness and feeling for spiritual environ ment. The spaciousness and general appearance of the writing indicates a very practical nature with good enthusiasm, ability and ambition. This writing is an excellent ex ample of a person with ability for

services must be financed by fees. es the cha time "Consumers News".

In the current drive for members, a human

descriptive expression of poetry.

Anyone wishing a more complet analysis please send self-addressed stamped envelope to Box B, room 421, 73 Adelaide St. West, Toronto. There is no charge for this service.

Teacher: "Tommy, how many nake a few?" Tommy: "Three or four." "How many make a dozen?" "How many make a million

Sunday School Lesson as he wrote to the church By Rev. R. Barclay Warren found at Phillipi, "I thank your fellowship in the gos Christian Fellowship the first day until now." A to

GOLDEN TEXT- I thank my God -for your fellowship in the from the first day until now Phil's

Three personalities, Gaius, Diot phes, and Demetrius are vividly set forth in John's third letter. To Gaius the letter is addressed. The saluta-tion is unique. "Beloved I pray that all may go well with you and that you may keep well, as I know it i well with your soul." Let us ask ourselves, "What would be the state of my affairs and of my health if were as the state of my soul? Gaius was noted for his hospitality tinerant missionaries and evangelists who were labouring for the sake of Jesus were objects of his generous care. He was probably man of considerable means and he used it to the glory of God. He was an exemplary character in the com-

Diotrephes loved to have the pre eminence. He might be called the church boss. He would not receive John or the travelling brethren, and cast out of the church those who didn't agree with him. The editor o a church paper published an artion "Diotrephes, the church boss He promptly received letters from twenty-three persons demanding tha their papers be immediately stopped They were very indignant over what each termed, "the personal attack made upon me in your paper." All of which proved that Diotrephes is

Denietrius was probably the beare of the letter. He was commended to Gaius as a man of truth and of good report of all who knew him. The church is made up of individuals of varied types. There is the occasional demagogue of Diotrephes. But there are so many good people. Among the true disciples of Jesus Christ there is a closer fellow

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Orange Salads these orange salads with a essing made by blending cheese with lemon juice igh to make a creamy con

ered container.

Pace mound of cranberry jelly lettuce bed. Circle with crange For slicing, choose navel hey have no seeds and

Orange Salad Piquant 9 orange slices on bd. Top with 5 or 6 small cheese to which adish has been added.

opped celery, unpeeled ts of apple, orange sections and ked dressing or a littl se. Serve on lettuce.

t-Minute Gift For Children



mple way, have your caror your handy husband) large blocks about six by one and one-half. Pile them on covered with gay red and your three or four year be delighted, and spend happy hours with them. Inthis is the type block s favor for small tots, since easy to handle at an age rdination hasn't been high-

ou'd like to remember in

paint an old tin bread box red and green stripes, or with gay Christmas paper fill with all sorts of small such as the small fry like: Jack-straws, darts, mar-It will take on the form re chest in their eager . . .

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This is a fine way to . the tiny children colors mparable to the peg-boards pools can be made with

Hopeless Case active young Govern

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The Winter Fair

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Truseman of N.B. who took part

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MOPSY by GLADYS PARKER

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By BARRY MURKAR Parents have been blamed a good | class, Joy Patterson of Calgary who brought her horse down from the west to participate. Margaret Patterson of Manitoba helped judge poultry and of course local Junior Farmers were in on the show too. Makes Good On The Farm

A young man by the name of Dave Clark, 18, left the city two ributing factor years ago to take up farming. Working on a farm at Milton, he Why is so enthused with the work he some of the vows that nothing will make him go back to the life of the white collar and flashy cravat. In his programmes they do, when they could sponsor something that is ntertaining, educational and insecond year of this work he won the championship of the Halton County Junior Farmer's Calf Club, Crime stories, chillers and thrilwhich we think is a fine record. lers have no place on the air, in my opinion. After listening to such Dave knows that farming is a hard a programme a kid can go off to life, and means long hours of toil, d in a state of jitters or with but his aim is to make farming a

real business and a paying bus ness-and it looks as if he is on the way.
TEEN-TOWN REPORTERS Parry Sound — Audrey Harris — The House of Zues and the House of these programmes lately and what we heard was a lot of bosh Atlas, recently sponsored a dance, taking over the Fri.-Nite ants for a good night-mare. How The hall was decorated by mem

many of these programmes are there? We don't know, but these there? We don't know, but these are what we hav heard during the past week: The Shadow, The Hermit The Clock Inner Senstum mit, The Clock, Inner Sanctum, white of the Zues added much to the scene. Prizes and refreshments were also project. The boys and gals left off their old duds and really slicked p. The prizes for eli-mination dances, flash light daneniles get their crimey ideas from these programmes — and yet a good honest firm will pay the "shot" to ha e them put on the air. I don't mean to bite into the way another writer makes his living — but we feel that there living, who is dishipped a writer living, who is dishipped and hostesses, but they ficial hosts and hostesses, but they really wanted a good time . (1

> Athletic Society for sports equip-Please! Please! Please! Once more we ask the corres pondents for this column to print

The money raised went to the

all names appearing in their copy People like to see their name print The Royal Winter Fair, the major attraction of the year for the ed correctly and we would hate to see the n me of Joe Doe come country boys and gals, has made out as Joe Shmoe, so in the futur its debut and departed for another please try to remember this and season. The dailies were full of it will cut our errors down to a stories and pictures of prize winminimum. Many thanks, gang, fo ners and contestants, many of your continued efforts. them being of the younger set. Among them we noticed a group of young ladics who were involved * in judging cattle no less. Many

Assurance Plus "Does your wife have her ow "Well, she writes up her di a week ahead."

It would be interesting to really | is an electric refrigerator. And, oh dear, how I was hoping that next

know which created the greater stir last week - Princess Elizaeth's wedding or Canada's "austerty" program. Personally I thought money - money that shouldn't have been spent with Britain lacking so many of the necessities of life, and hey wouldn't listen to the broadtast for that reason. I don't think eople who have that opinion know ery much about real hardship. It is easy to criticize under those circum tances. Naturally people who are nungry want food for the body but they also crave food for the soul -

Princess Elizabeth's wedding gave British people - and many Canadians - colourful heart-warmng romance - that is, food for the oul. Listening to that broadcast did omething to a person - one was onscious of a tightening in the roat. One forgot the bride was England's future queen - at the moment she was just another girl, marrying the man she loved. And that, I think, was also the feeling behind the cheering crowds on that memorable day. Elizabeth not only symbolized the British throne she symbolized Romance. I am sure ere were many persons in England who went back to their homes that day, ate an insufficient and unin-teresting meal with less resentment because of that little bit of colour that had come into their lives. And

after all, if the Princess had been married in a cotton dress, would it have added one ounce to the aver age person's ration?

And now, what about Canada's austerity program. That is not so easy to figure out, is it? Personally I think the description "austerity" is a travesty of the word and almos an insult to people who really know what austerity means. On the other hand it is a little early yet to really appreciate what the outcome will be. It will probably affect the farming class less than urban citizens but even in the country it may have unforeseen repercussions. I know it has brought a sudden end to one

CHRONICLES OF GINGER FARM

summer I might be spared that ever-lasting running upstairs and down with food to and from the ne counter-balanced the other.

I suppose it is hard for some people to understand the British out a refrigerator a little longer out a refrigerator a little longer out a refrigerator a little longer dollars to get one. One gets used to disappointments these days. Las Royal Winter Fair, then Partne inflamation just about closed or e, and I had a touch of neuralgia that little outing was cancelled By Saturday night Partner was i hockey match - the fact that the little consolation. Then on Sunday physical discomforts more easily.

morning Daughter came home for the rest of the week-end — and that helped still more. Well, it looks as if winter is trying to pay us a visit at last. So far we haven't done too badly. Son Bob has got all his ploughing done and the worst is over insofar as our new highway is concerned. It will b walk down the road now mean carrying about ten pounds of clay along on each shoe. That is hardly onducive to comfort. Torricelli invented the first baro

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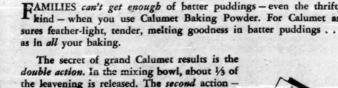
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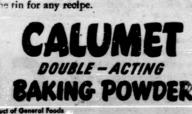
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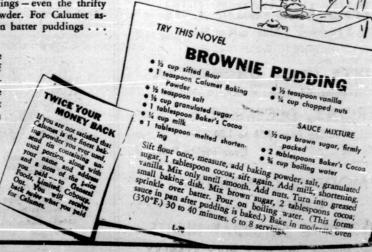
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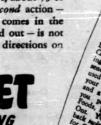
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