Your Health and It's Care

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WE'RE ONLY FOOLING

Familiar item in the news: Jon Q. Fella the w.k. so and so collapsed last evening while at dinner with friends. Dr. Fonda Publicity stated that Mr. Fella's attack was due to acute indigestion.

Dr. Brady

In the same category is this one, from a reader's letter: My friend called a doctor who said she has chronic appendictis. Later in a check-up at the hospital no such trouble was found. Still later when she had more pain and called the doctor he told her just to take an aspirin or an ice cream soda. He said it was chronic appendicitis and he didn't need to examine her again, that she needed to be built up with tonics so she could have her appendix removed.

My own interpretation of Mr. Fella's acute indigestion is that Dr. Fonda Publicity is only fooling—just whom he is fooling I cannot say, but I hope it is the reporter or the public, Not Mr. Fella. I'd hate to be in Mr. Fella's place if the attending physician seriously attributes my illness or collapse to "indigestion."

After all, even if your food remains wholly undigested for hours or days, or remains in the stomach long after it should have passed along into the duodenum, or undergoes prolonged fermentation and so produces the normal or ordinary amount of gas, or excites secretion of more than the ordinary or normal amount of acid gastric juice or excessively acid gastric juice, still the very worst effect will be some temporary discomfort. If you have real pain, or any real embarrassment of heart action or breathing or in fact any "attack" or distress severe enough to call for medical emergency relief, you may as well realize there is something seriously wrong and it isn't just upset digestion or something that doesn't "agree" or anything so simple as that. Here I must leave you to worry about it. I can only assure you that any "attack" which amounts to more than temporary discomfort is NOT just "indigestion".

As for chronic appendicitis, there is still some division of opinion about this rather cryptic diagnosis, some good doctors maintaing that it can happen. But if you are asking me, not telling me, I say that I would not fool along with any such notion myself if I were the patient. Too many cases of alleged "Chronic appendicitis" have been opened by mistake. One may have repeated attacks of acute appendicitis, whether the first attack is so diagnosed or not, but in my opinion a diagnosis of chronic appendicitis of indefinite or gradual onset, without the history of one or more acute attacks and intervals of comparative freedom from trouble, is always questionable.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

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Answer—Perhaps a drugstore in your city has the emergency outfit with instructions for its use by anybody. The anti-venom is supplied at a nominal charge, to be carried in the emergency kit, and the package is returnable if not used.

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5:45—Night News Wire
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Time Shown is PWT.

Sunday

5:00 p. m.—Charlie McCarthy, NBC; Mediation Board, MBS.
5:30 p. m.—Eddie Bracken Show NBC; Art Baker, CBS; Jerry Wayne, BN.
5:45 p. m.—Gabriel Heatter, MBS.
5:55 p. m.—Bob Trout News, CBS.
6:00 p. m.—Merry-Go-Round, NBC; Walter Winchell, BN; Radio Reader's Digest, CBS; Steel Horizons, MBS.
6:15 p. m.—Louella Parsons, BN.
6:30 p. m.—Star Theater, CBS; American Album of Familiar Music, NBC; Cedric Foster, MBS.
6:45 p. m.—Jimmie Fidler, BN; Dorothy Thompson, MBS.
7:00 p. m.—Hour of Charm, NBC; Take It or Leave It, CBS; The Life of Riley, BN.
7:15 p. m.—Helen Hayes, MBS.
7:30 p. m.—Fannie Brice, CBS; Comedy Theater, NBC; One foot in Heaven, BN.
8:00 p. m.—Chapel Services, BN; Crime Doctor, CBS; Great Gildersleeve, NBC.
8:15 p. m.—Raymond Moley, BN; 8:25 p. m.—Song of the Week, CBS.
8:30 p. m.—Symphony Hour, NBC; Quiz Kids, BN; Blondie, CBS; Murder Is My Hobby, MBS.
9:00 p. m.—Bill Lance, CBS; Glen Hardy, MBS; Sam Hayes, News, BN.
9:15 p. m.—Rex Miller, MBS.
9:30 p. m.—Jack Benny, NBC; Shorty Sherock Orchestra, CBS.
10:00 p. m.—News, NBC; In Focus, BN; Air Force Time, MBS; University Explorer, BN.
10:30 p. m.—Music America Loves Best, NBC.
10:45 p. m.—Orchestra, BN.
11:00 p. m.—News, BN; St. Francis Orch, NBC; Sinfoinetta, MBS.

Monday

5:00 p. m.—OK for Release, NBC; Terry and Pirates, BN; News, MBS; This Man Named Jordan, CBS.
5:15 p. m.—Dick Tracy, BN; Superman, MBS; Betty and Bob, NBC.
5:30 p. m.—Voice of Firestone, NBC; Harry Flannery, News, CBS; Jack Armstrong, BN; Tom Mix, MBS.
5:45 p. m.—News, CBS; Captain Midnight, BN; Night News Wire, MBS.
6:00 p. m.—Hoagy Carmichael, NBC; Lux Theater, CBS; News, BN; Gabriel Heatter, MBS.
6:30 p. m.—Information Please, NBC; Spotlight Bands, BN.
6:45—The Better Half, MBS.
7:00 p. m.—Screen Guild Players, CBS; Guy Lumbardo Orch., BN; Contented Hour, NBC.
7:15 p. m.—Lowell Thomas, MBS.
7:30 p. m.—Dr. I. Q., NBC; Thanks to the Yanks, CBS; Lone Ranger, MBS; Sumner Welles, BN.
8:00 p. m.—Supper Club, NBC; Jack Kirkwood, CBS; Ted Malone, BN.
8:15 p. m.—Hedda Hopper, CBS; Lum and Abner, BN; Fleetwood Lawton, NBC.
8:30 p. m.—Cavalcade of America, NBC; Michael Shane, MBS; Hawthorne House, BN; Burns and Allen, CBS.
9:00 p. m.—Blind Date, BN; News, Glenn Hardy, MBS; The Whistler, CBS; Telephone Hour, NBC.
9:30 p. m.—Vox Pop, CBS; Tomorrow's World, NBC; Green Hornet, BN.
10:00 p. m.—News, NBC; Fulton Lewis, MBS; Carlson and the News, BN.
10:15 p. m.—Sherlock Holmes, MBS; On Our Bandstand, NBC.
10:30 p. m.—Sweetheart Swingtime, NBC; Finneman's Nite Club, BN.
11:00 p. m.—News, BN; Orchestra, NBC.

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IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS BEGUN

An extensive program of city street improvement was begun Thursday with work starting on the traffic bottleneck at the Oakdale, King and Eighth streets intersections. According to Frank H. Rogers, city superintendent, the program will be financed by the city's share of gasoline taxes, amounting to $15,000.

In certain sections of the city curbs will be installed at the expense of property owners, in conection with this work.

Rogers stated that due to the shortage of dust laying oil, the city is providing calcium chloride for gravel streets, free of charge.

In connection with city improvements work has been carried on for the past three months on a new 36-inch tile storm drain on North Riverside avenue. The state highway department has installed a new culvert under the highway. This new work replaced a drainage system, which has been in existence for some time and which has proved entirely inadequate, Rogers said. The new drain will abate several hundred feet of open ditch.

Conference Stamp Supply Is Delayed

Information was received Saturday from the Post Office Department by Postmaster Frank DeSouza that due to modification of the design of the five-cent United Nations Conference Commemorative Stamp, the production at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing was delayed so that it was possible to supply this stamp only to the San Francisco post office by April 25, the first day of sale at that office.

Shipments of the United Nations stamp will be expedited as much as possible but it will be approximately two weeks before all post office requisitions can be filled and stamps place on sale locally, Mr. DeSouza added.

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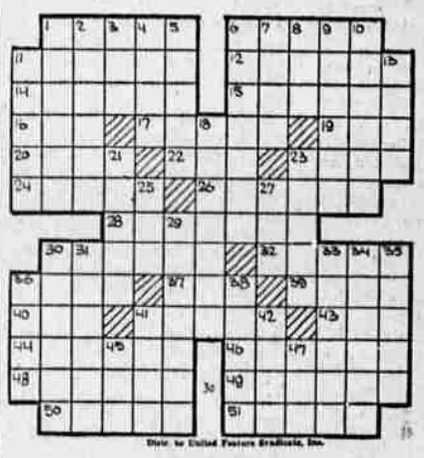
1—Incline
6—Went on hands and knees
11—Steps over fence
12—Hitch-hiking fish
14—Remedy for sprains
15—Church festival
16—Clean cotton
17—African village
19—Label
20—Maintain
22—Movie stage
23—Reject
24—Bristles
26—Ropewalk
28—Lanced
30—Meal
32—Wanderer
36—Edible seeds
37—Plant
39—Mention
40—Exclamations
41—French revolutionist
43—A beverage
44—Day of week
46—Sports fan
48—Not strong
49—Up to date
50—Trapped
51—Snow vehicles



DOWN

1—Attempt
2—Kind of bird
3—Mr. Baba
4—Giraffe's claim to fame
5—Russian autocrat
6—Maker
7—Actual
8—German river
9—Worker in clay
10—Pact
11—Folk tales
13—Jason's ship
18—Instrument for purifying water
21—Scratches
22—Relating to Hindu holy books
25—Mineral spring
27—Hanger
29—Endeavored
30—Mourn
31—Simpler
33—Filled with small holes
34—Guides
35—Desire
36—Blow
38—Applies heat
41—Man
42—Implement
45—British honorary title
47—Lyric poem

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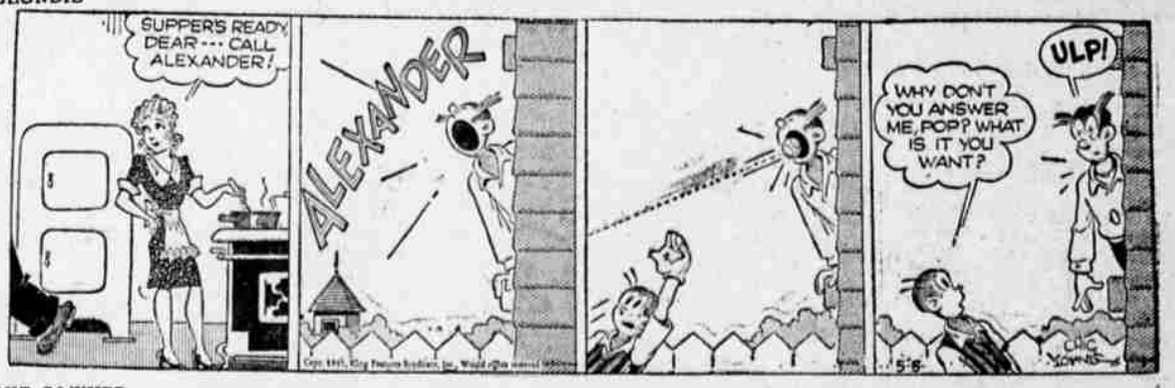

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