



LYING IN BED at Houston, Tex., home, Walter Williams, 116, one of two surviving Confederate veterans of Civil War, receives first federal pension check from Jack D. Powell, U. S. Veterans Bureau. At right is Mrs. W. M. Bowles, Williams' daughter. New law aids such veterans.

# Family Council

Roberta L.: My father is ruining my life.

Mrs. F. L.: I don't know how to change his ways.

Roberta L.: What can a girl of 17 do to make her father understand that he could ruin her life and others in the family as well by his antisocial attitudes?

My father just plain don't like people. He is very grouchy and never smiles at people and has never made any friends. He is so unfriendly that sometimes my friends have asked me, "Why doesn't your father like me?" How can I explain he acts like that to everyone?

The worst of it is that I don't make friends easily myself and I feel if my parents had friends I could be friends with their children.

I have only had a few dates in my whole life and I don't know what will become of me if things go on this way. Sometimes I feel there is no use in living if you are going to be old maid.

Mrs. F. L.: I have had a long, hard struggle with my husband trying to change his ways. I used to be a very social person myself, but gave up when it just became impossible for the two of us to go out socially and to entertain friends like normal couples.

Roberta's problem is terrible and she has taken to crying constantly about it. I have tried to reason with my husband, explaining he is ruining her life, but I can't seem to make a dent in him. My husband loves the children, but just ignores me or says it's nonsense when I point out to him the harm he is doing.

He retreats into his shell behind the papers or in front of the TV set every night and says everyone should do what he likes best.

The rest of the family can just go hang as far as he is concerned.

The Council: It is doubtful whether pleading and constant arguments have ever changed anybody. Certainly, they are unlikely to change a mature man who states flatly he has no intention of changing.

Roberta and her mother should recognize, however, that Roberta's problem is somewhat separate and is not as strongly influenced by Mr. F. L.'s behavior as they believe.

Roberta's concern about winning friends and a husband is a normal teen-age anxiety. It is a problem she alone will have to solve, and she should realize that even teen-agers with very friendly fathers and parents who have an active social life suffer from this anxiety. They simply go to work at solving the problem as well as they can.

In America the best of fathers do not find dates and husbands for their daughters. The few who attempt to do so usually meet with failure because the majority of young men resent pressure of this kind from their seniors.

Mrs. F. L. seems to be encouraging her daughter to place blame for her failure on her father. Possibly Mrs. F. L. is trying to use this situation as a weapon against her husband.

But she is doing Roberta a great disservice. As long as the girl can put the blame on somebody else she will not go about solving her problem. Her tears deserve little sympathy and should not be encouraged.

Roberta should be told in no uncertain terms that she must dry her eyes, screw up her courage and get out and rustle up those friends. If she learns to make herself well liked, her friends won't notice her father very much.

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## Raincoat Travels Farther Than Owner

Harrisburg, Pa. (UPI)—Carl A. Carbone, a drug salesman, travels a great deal—but not as much or as far as his raincoat. Carbone makes it a practice of picking up hitch-hiking servicemen, and, when it's raining, of loaning them his raincoat. He has never failed to have it returned, either by mail or express.

"The raincoat has been sent from India, Hong Kong and other places around the world," he said, "but it always comes back. I shall keep loaning it out."

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### STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars. To develop message for Friday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

ARIES	MAR. 21-31	1. Get	31. Ance	61. Become
APR. 21-30	2. Old	32. Yourself	62. See	62. See
47-51-59	3. Visit	33. Who	63. On	63. On
63-70-82-88	4. You	34. Or	64. Plan	64. Plan
MAY 21-31	5. Differences	35. An	65. Plan	65. Plan
37-46-53-62	6. Times	36. But	66. Work	66. Work
68-73-85-90	7. The	37. You	67. Work	67. Work
JUNE 21-30	8. Well	38. Accept	68. Money	68. Money
13-21-35-44	9. Could	39. Sign	69. Submit	69. Submit
54-57-72	10. Planned	40. Travel	70. Increasing	70. Increasing
JULY 21-31	11. Moves	41. Has	71. Conclude	71. Conclude
23-28-42-48	12. Sick	42. Involve	72. Troubles	72. Troubles
54-57-72	13. Look	43. Financially	73. Picture	73. Picture
AUG. 21-31	14. Do	44. Increased	74. Next	74. Next
1-10-22-29	15. Write	45. Contracts	75. Of	75. Of
34-41-47	16. Well	46. Can	76. Invitations	76. Invitations
54-57-72	17. Of	47. Concentrate	77. Vacation	77. Vacation
LEO	18. Design	48. You	78. Manuscripts	78. Manuscripts
APR. 21-30	19. Send	49. On	79. News	79. News
1-10-22-29	20. Advertise	50. Don't	80. Out	80. Out
34-41-47	21. For	51. New	81. Of	81. Of
54-57-72	22. For	52. Followers	82. Your	82. Your
VIRGO	23. Discard	53. Now	83. New	83. New
AUG. 21-31	24. May	54. In	84. Trouble	84. Trouble
1-10-22-29	25. May	55. Flow	85. Income	85. Income
34-41-47	26. May	56. Income	86. Well	86. Well
54-57-72	27. Someone	57. His	87. Meaning	87. Meaning
SEP. 21-30	28. Or	58. Changes	88. May	88. May
1-10-22-29	29. Or	59. Take	89. Now	89. Now
34-41-47	30. Or	60. Source	90. Clearly	90. Clearly
54-57-72	31. Good	61. Adverse	91. Neutral	91. Neutral

## The Medical Roundup

Phlebitis means an inflammation of the veins, usually of one leg and thigh. The commonest form of a bad phlebitis is the so-called "milk leg" which comes to some women right after they have given birth to a child. This is particularly likely to happen to women who are overweight. Perhaps during parturition the big veins in the pelvis are bruised a bit, or they are influenced in some way so that the blood tends to clot in them and to plug them up.

Then, for the rest of a woman's life, she has a tendency for the leg to swell, especially in hot weather, or when she is on her feet a great deal. Often she has to wear a tight elastic stocking or an elastic bandage. Fortunately, phlebitis seldom flares up again in a bad form. Usually, the person has just the one bad attack.

In other cases, a phlebitis will follow an abdominal operation. Apparently, the blood develops too strong a tendency to clot, or perhaps there are some rough places inside the veins. We doctors do not understand the disease as well as we would like to.

Today, in some hospitals, patients who are operated on are given a daily dose of a drug like Dicumarol, which lowers the tendency of the blood to clot, and thus greatly lessens the tendency of the patient to get a phlebitis.

Fortunately, in many cases, after a phlebitis has caused the large vein in one thigh to become practically closed up, channels open through the clot, and eventually enough blood gets through so that the person can walk well enough.

For a while after the person has had a phlebitis, it helps greatly to keep the mattress at the foot of the bed raised on a bolster. With the leg raised, the blood in the foot and leg can more easily flow back toward the heart, and, as a result, the swelling that comes during each day clears up each night.

Transplanting Cornea For some time it has been possible to take a person, the front "windows" or corneas of whose eyes are badly scarred and frosted, and make a little clear window with the help of a piece of cornea taken from someone who died, and perhaps left his eyes to an eye bank. Now, Dr. Nicholas G. Georgiade, of Duke University, reports that corneas can be preserved for at least three months. This should help greatly.

Dr. Alvarez hopes his read-

Cat Will Fight To Enjoy Television

Cranston, R.I. (UPI)—Somewhere in this city there's a cat who's addicted to television. And woe unto the man who tries to cut off the feline's source of entertainment.

Raymond J. McDole, 60, did try, and he wound up being treated for severe bites and scratches.

Seems that McDole was sitting at home, watching TV, when the yellow cat strayed in and joined him. McDole tried to eject the uninvited guest—and Tom turned on him.

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## Strange As It Seems

By ELSIE WIX

THE WORKING PURCHASE! THE INDIANS AGREED TO LET WILLIAM PENN HAVE LAND EXTENDING AS FAR AS A MAN COULD WALK IN 3 DAYS... PENN USED ONLY HALF OF IT, BUT A LATER GOVERNOR HIRED THE FASTEST MEN HE COULD FIND, ONE OF WHOM COVERED 86 MILES IN 1 1/2 DAYS...

TO PRESERVE VALUABLE BACTERIAL CULTURES TO BE USED IN BRITAIN AS A VACCINE IN COMBATING BRUCELLOSIS, A CATTLE DISEASE, DR. C. K. MINGHILL, OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, USED THE WARMTH OF HIS BODY TO KEEP THE DEADLY GERMS ALIVE

TEMPERATURES OF 35° BELOW ZERO DURING HIS FLIGHT TO ENGLAND, NECESSITATED CARRYING THE GERMS UNDER HIS FLYING SUIT!

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

ACROSS

- 1-Fuss
- 2-Consumption
- 3-British baby carriage
- 4-Vacation
- 5-Hinder
- 6-Lifted
- 7-Near
- 8-Polite
- 9-Prefixed: down
- 10-King of Bashan
- 11-Chair
- 12-Possessive pronoun
- 13-Snare
- 14-Devoiced
- 15-Stalk
- 16-Parent (colloq.)
- 17-Crowds together
- 18-Parent (colloq.)
- 19-Wipes out
- 20-One who estimates
- 21-Printer's measure
- 22-Word

DOWN

- 1-Macaw
- 2-Devotion from direct course
- 3-Tone
- 4-Try
- 5-Begin
- 6-First proof
- 7-Hurried
- 8-Help
- 9-Manuscript (abbr.)
- 10-Sober
- 11-Hypothetical force
- 12-Hinder
- 13-Planet
- 14-Apothecary's weight
- 15-Babylonian deity
- 16-River in Siberia
- 17-Male deer
- 18-Separate
- 19-Transgressions
- 20-Feathered vertebrate
- 21-Bullfighter
- 22-District in Germany
- 23-Item of property
- 24-Hebrew month
- 25-Chew upon
- 26-Barre
- 27-Stitch
- 28-Mend with cotton
- 29-Let it stand
- 30-Sun god
- 31-Latin conjunction
- 32-Crowds together
- 33-Parent (colloq.)
- 34-Wipes out
- 35-One who estimates
- 36-Printer's measure
- 37-Word
- 38-Travel
- 39-Arranges folds
- 40-Printer's measure
- 41-Troun
- 42-Pracas
- 43-Conjunction
- 44-Fixed period of time
- 45-Southwestern Indian
- 46-A continent (abbr.)
- 47-Beast of burden
- 48-Parat (colloq.)
- 49-Compass point

## STVE CANYON

POTEEET, PERHAPS WE CAN FIND A PLACE TO PARK YOU BEFORE I CHECK IN AT THE POLICE ACADEMY!

YUP!

ANGRY BECAUSE I GROWNED YOU FOR BEING JEALOUS?

WHY, COUSIN STEVIE B...WHAT-EVER MAKES YOU THINK I'M JEALOUS?

DON'T MAGNOLIA BLOSSOM ME, YOUNG LADY! WHEN YOU'RE NEAR RACKING BACK YOU'LL GET IT!

MY-Y-Y-Y! I'M SO HAPPY I HAVE A BIG STRONG MAN TO KEEP ME IN LINE!

YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN!

## L' ABNER

DON'T ASK ME NO QUESTIONS!! AH AIMS TO DO WHUT AH--GULP-- GOTTA DO--

NAMELY GO OFF SOMEHAW, AN' DIE ALONE!!--D-D-DON'T MIND DYIN'--

-BUT HAVIN' MAH LOVIN' FAMILY LAFF AT ME, AS AH DIES-- IRRITATES ME, S-SOMEHAW!!

LOOK, HONEY!!

GO 'HEAD!! LAFF WHILE YO' MA'N! AH WON'T BE 'ROUND!!

WHAT'S TO LAUGH?--YOU'D BE THE GREAT-EST FREAK IN THE CARNIVAL BUSINESS!!

## BUZ SAWYER

BUZ! YOU OLD SWEETIE-PIE! IMAGINE RUNNING ACROSS YOU IN ATHENS!

ER...UH... I'M A BIT SURPRISED, TOO!

WELL...AND WHO WAS SHE?

SO HELP ME, CHRIS, I DON'T KNOW.

OF COURSE! MY DARLING DOPE IS SO HANDSOME THAT STRANGE GIRLS CAN'T RESIST PLACING WET SMACKS ON HIS CHEEKS. BUT WHY DID YOU SAY WE'D MEET HER FOR DINNER TONIGHT?

OH, MY GOSH! DID I?

## BARNEY GOOGLE and SNUFFY SMITH

HOW'S YORE COUSIN ALFERD GITTIN' ALONG THESE DAYS, SNUFFY?

HE'S IN TH' JAILHOUSE AGIN FER STEALIN' CHICKENS, SUT--THAT MAKES TH' THIRD TIME

SHUN--MY BROTHER'S BEEN IN NINE TIMES FER TH' SAME DURN THING

IF THAR'S ENNYTHING I HATE IT'S A DABBURN BRAGGART!!

## BLONDIE

COME, DAISY-- I'VE GOT A NICE JILLY BONE FOR YOU

I SAW THAT-- THAT WASN'T FAIR! YOU HAVEN'T GOT BONE FOR HER

I HAD TO RESORT TO TRICKERY TO CATCH HER FOR HER BATH

I'LL HOLD HIM WHILE YOU GET A HEAD START. DAISY--WELL MAKE HIM CATCH YOU FAIRLY

I HATE TO SEE HELPLESS LITTLE ANIMALS TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF

## MUTT and JEFF

DO YOU HAVE ANY MOSQUITOES HERE?

NO, SIR!

GOOD! WE'LL TAKE A ROOM!

WHAT'S YOUR A MILLION BALLY HEADS! BZZ-Z-Z-Z

YOU TOLD US YOU DIDN'T HAVE ANY MOSQUITOES!

I DON'T! THEY PROBABLY CAME FROM THE NEAR DOOR TO VISIT FOR A SPELL! THEY'RE NOT MINE!

## RADIO PROGRAMS — THURSDAY

Program	Station	Time
4:00-Ed Murrow	KMFD 1440 kc	4:00-4:15
4:15-News	Fulton Lewis Jr	4:15-4:30
4:30-Tom Harmon	Hemingway News	4:30-4:45
4:45-Crossfire	News One for Road	4:45-5:00
5:00-Traffic Jam	News One for Road	5:00-5:15
5:15-Thomas	Live and Let Live	5:15-5:30
5:30-Tunes-Amos-Andy	Weather-News	5:30-5:45
5:45-Amos-Andy	Orville Anderson	5:45-6:00
6:00-News-Sports	World News Roundup	6:00-6:15
6:15-Eventide	Candlelight and Wine	6:15-6:30
6:30-Robert Q. Lewis	News One for Road	6:30-6:45
6:45-Lewis-Page	Hi-Fi Hour	6:45-7:00
7:00-Herman News	KWIN Karavan	7:00-7:15
7:15-Morgan	News-News	7:15-7:30
7:30-World Tonight	News of the World	7:30-7:45
7:45-Severeid-Weather	One Man's Family	7:45-8:00
8:00-Portland-Vancouver	NBC News	8:00-8:15
8:15-Portland-Vancouver	Nightline	8:15-8:30
8:30-Portland-Vancouver	Nightbeat	8:30-8:45
8:45-Portland-Vancouver	Nightline	8:45-9:00
9:00-Portland-Vancouver	News	9:00-9:15
9:15-Portland-Vancouver	Nightbeat	9:15-9:30
9:30-Portland-Vancouver	Nightbeat	9:30-9:45
9:45-Portland-Vancouver	Nightbeat	9:45-10:00
10:00-Portland-Vancouver	News	10:00-10:15
10:15-Richfield Reporter	Joe Henderson	10:15-10:30
10:30-Turntable Terrace	Joe Henderson	10:30-10:45
10:45-Terrace-News	Joe Henderson	10:45-11:00
11:00-Sign Off	Joe Henderson	11:00-11:15
11:15-Sign Off	Joe Henderson	11:15-11:30

## RADIO PROGRAMS — FRIDAY

Program	Station	Time
6:00-News Roundup	Wake Up to Music	6:00-6:15
6:15-Yawn Patrol	Wake Up to Music	6:15-6:30
6:30-Frank Goss	Wake Up to Music	6:30-6:45
6:45-Harry Bahubbitt	First News	6:45-7:00
7:00-Variety	Wake Up to Music	7:00-7:15
7:15-World News	Weather-News	7:15-7:30
7:30-Sports	Reggie Valley Beeper	7:30-7:45
7:45-Howard Miller	Weather-News	7:45-8:00
8:00-McCoy-Weather	NBC News-Hearl	8:00-8:15
8:15-Breakfast Club	Hearl	8:15-8:30
8:30-Breakfast Club	Hearl	8:30-8:45
8:45-Breakfast Club	Hearl	8:45-9:00
9:00-Weisfield Mike	News-Swap-Sell	9:00-9:15
9:15-Coffee Cart	Hearl	9:15-9:30
9:30-Name Neighbor	Hearl	9:30-9:45
9:45-Music Box	Fashion Flashes	9:45-10:00
10:00-News	NBC News-Hearl	10:00-10:15
10:15-Mrs. Burton	Hearl	10:15-10:30
10:30-Couple Next Door	Hearl	10:30-10:45
10:45-Pat Butttram	Hearl	10:45-11:00
11:00-Record Rack	News-Bandstand	11:00-11:15
11:15-Trading Post	NBC Bandstand	11:15-11:30
11:30-Houseparty	NBC Bandstand	11:30-11:45
11:45-Houseparty	NBC Bandstand	11:45-12:00
12:00-Paul Harvey	Lunch Time News	12:00-12:15
12:15-News-Weather	Weather-Livestock	12:15-12:30
12:30-Record Room	Local News	12:30-12:45
12:45-Record Room	His Majesty the Baby	12:45-1:00
1:00-Backstage Wife	News-House Party	1:00-1:15
1:15-Helen Trent	KMFD House Party	1:15-1:30
1:30-Godfrey	News-House Party	1:30-1:45
1:45-Godfrey	KMFD House Party	1:45-2:00
2:00-Godfrey	News-Ramblin'	2:00-2:15
2:15-Godfrey	Ramblin'	2:15-2:30
2:30-Mixmaster	News-Ramblin'	2:30-2:45
2:45-Mixmaster	Ramblin'	2:45-3:00
3:00-Mixmaster	News-Ramblin'	3:00-3:15
3:15-Mixmaster	Ramblin'	3:15-3:30
3:30-Bulletin Board	News-Ramblin'	3:30-3:45
3:45-Tennessee Ernie	Ramblin'	3:45-4:00
4:00-Ed. Murrow	News	4:00-4:15
4:15-Music-News	Robbie Robbins	4:15-4:30
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## TELEVISION PROGRAMS

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KBES-TV (Channel 5)	4:00-Dotto	4:00-4:15
	4:30-Rin Tin Tin	4:30-4:45
	5:05-News	5:05-5:20
	5:15-Doug Edwards	5:15-5:30
	5:30-Ore-Cal Panorama	5:30-5:45
	6:00-Verdict is Yours	6:00-6:15
	6:30-Whirlbirds	6:30-6:45
	6:40-Sappy Coleman	6:40-6:55
	6:55-Political-Paul Geddes	6:55-7:10
	7:30-Traffic Safety	7:30-7:45
	8:30-Sheriff of Cochise	8:30-8:45
	9:30-Men of Annapolis	9:30-9:45
10:00-News	10:00-10:15	
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