

### Knowledge is Power



1. HOW MUCH MONEY IS ENOUGH?

2. DO MEN ENJOY EATING MORE THAN WOMEN DO?



3. CAN YOUR TOWN MEET ITS BLOOD-BANK QUOTA?

(1) This depends on the individual American's ability to resist defensive and escape buying; defensive buying—to keep up with the Joneses, escape buying—to give him a temporary sense of power. In her book, "The Folks at Home," Margaret Halsey puts her finger on the difficulty most people have with their finances.

"What corrupts people," she asserts, "is being brought up by parents who are obeying the rule; get ahead. What corrupts people is the unstable family, besieged by a million money-makers to whom it is a meaningless clump of potential customers. What corrupts people is being pressured into the narrow mold of profit-making behavior when their real desires lie in other directions."

A generation ago, consuming was something which people approached cautiously. Now, however, the spender just buys everything he can pay for, and a few things he cannot. He is responding to a superlatively well-organized pressure which never lets up.

(2) Men enjoy their food more than women do, writes John E. Gibson in This Week magazine. He cites a survey made by the American Institute of Public Opinion in which men of all ages throughout the nation were asked

what quality they thought was most important in a wife. Most of the men placed far ahead of all other attributes: good home-making ability and above-average cooking talents.

(3) It can if the people who conduct the drive for blood to meet the needs of the Korean war will follow the example of a small town. When Felton, Minn., population 258, was asked to contribute to the blood drive, Vivian T. Murphy, a semi-invalid, helped put across the drive. She tells her story in the December Catholic Digest.

Working from a wheelchair with a phone and a typewriter she reached people who had been missed in the door-to-door drive. She typed appointment lists for blood donations, and helped coordinate transportation for donors. When the results were tabulated she discovered that 91 per cent of Felton's eligible citizens had donated blood.

### GOOD HEALTH



**Answer to Question No. 1:** Catastrophic illness is the term commonly used to describe sickness or accidents which impose a severe or disastrous financial burden on an individual or family. Voluntary insurance plans are developing programs to lessen such hardships by absorbing major portions of costs.

**Answer to Question No. 2:** When it is cluttered and disorganized with old medicines. A "medicine-cabinet-mistake" can be serious. Many medicines lose their effectiveness with age—or even become harmful. Left-over medicines from last year's illness should be discarded. Poisons must

be clearly labeled and well out of children's reach. The wise family keeps nothing but currently used prescriptions and fresh first aid supplies. Never use a prescription that is not specifically ordered by your physician for the present illness.

**Answer to Question No. 3:** Urine examination helps in the diagnosis of many diseases and is the basis of every examination. Though it is not expected to tell the entire story, it does show the presence of infections of the kidneys and bladder, and malfunctioning of other organs. (Copyright 1952 by Health Information Foundation)

### Senator Labels GOP 'Give-Away Party'

Butte, Mont.—Sen. James Murray (D., Mont.), charged the Republican party with "violating its campaign pledges, winking on its promises, destroying morale in government service, and concentrating its major efforts on rewarding Republican financiers with gifts of millions of dollars which belong to the people of the United States."

Speaking at a Jefferson-Jackson day dinner, the senator labeled the GOP as the "Give-Away Party." He said that during campaigns the Republicans gave away promises right and left, to every group and on every subject.

#### Giving Up Promises

"Now that they're in office they're busy day and night giving away our natural resources and giving up their promises," the Montanan said.

Referring specifically to the Taft-Hartley act, Senator Murray stated that during the campaign, at the AFL convention, General Eisenhower had said, "I know the law might be used to break unions. That must be changed. America wants no law licensing union-busting. And neither do I."

"Now that the general is President we are anxious to co-operate with him in making those changes," Murray said. "We've asked for the administration's recommendations 4 times. Not only haven't we had a word in answer, but for the first time in history, the Secretary of Labor has been prevented from appearing before our senate committee to give the administration's views. It looks as though that was only campaign talk just like Republican promises to extend social security, to do something about the cost of medical care, and to strengthen our minimum wage laws."

#### Setting Up Commission

"Instead of extending social security, they're setting up a commission to study it. On medical care problems they've made a deal with the AMA and put the medical lobby in charge of Mrs. Hobby. On minimum wages they haven't and they won't act."

Expressing confidence that the Democratic party would recapture the Congress in 1954 and the Presidency in 1956, Murray urged his listeners to concentrate on bringing young people into the party and in particular those younger men and women who had voted Republican in 1952.

"Older people who remember the twenties and the thirties and see the signs of their returning will vote Democratic," he said. "The young people who saw through Republican pretenses last year and worked so hard to help us roll up 27 million votes will stay with us and work twice as hard next year. But we must be prepared to welcome those thousands of equally idealistic young men and women who thought it was time for a change, who believed the wonderful words Republicans save for campaign years, and who are now being sadly disillusioned."

"Neither we Democrats nor the nation can afford to have these young Republicans become cynical and withdraw from politics. We must show them that their idealism and their energies can find full expression in the ranks of the Democratic party. And we can do it because whether it's the age of steam or of jet propulsion, the Republican Party is always the backward-looking party while the Democratic Party is always the youth-

### Timberwolves Win 3-Way Track Meet

By RICHARD LOVEL

The Mill City Timberwolves came out on top in a triangular track meet with Chemawa and Gates at Chemawa, April 22. Mill City made 78 points to Chemawa's 49 and Gates' 24.

Lyle Fleetwood of Mill City, made the most points, 23. He placed first in the 100-yard dash, 220 yard dash, javelin, broad jump, and second in the pole vault.

Close behind Fleetwood was Evert Brewer with 19 points. He scored first in the discus and the shot put, second in the javelin and broad jump, third in the 440-yard dash, and fourth in the high jump.

Two Mill City trackmen earned their letters by scoring firsts. Robert Keyes came in first in the mile run and fourth in the high hurdles. Dale Andreassen scored first in the half mile run.

Roy Chase scored 13 points, placing first in the low hurdles, the pole vault, and second in the high jump. LeRoy Podrabsky came in second in the discus and the shot put, and Bill Hoffman was fourth in the 440-yard dash.

### Al Nesbitt Elected 1952 PTA Prexy

Al Nesbitt was elected Mill City PTA president for the next school year during the regular session of the group this week.

Mrs. Howard Means was voted the first vice president spot; Robert Thorpe, second vice president; Mrs. Roy Kiersey, secretary; Mrs. Leonard Herman, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Nesbitt are attending the Parent-Teacher statewide convention in Medford this week as Mill City PTA's representatives.

A flouridation film, "A Drop in the Bucket" was shown during the meeting. Speakers and general discussion on flouridation followed the film's presentation.

Dr. Dyke, Dr. Stone and Mrs. Effie Cole of the Marion county health service took part in the PTA's program.

Mill City kindergarten graduation ceremonies will highlight the May 13 meeting of the Mill City PTA. A big crowd is expected.

### Paul Cree Released From Hospital, Returns Home

Paul Cree, former Mill City logger, who was injured near Sutherlin the early part of March in a landslide, is being moved from the Douglas community hospital at Roseburg to his home in Sutherlin.

Cree suffered fractures of the neck, ribs and leg as well as skull injuries and numerous cuts and bruises when rocks and debris tumbled upon him while he was at work.

ful-thinking party which welcomes the future.

"The Democratic Party knows that in all ages one thing remains constant—the fight between those who stand for the many and those who would exalt the few. We stand for the many, and in 1954 all young Americans will stand shoulder to shoulder with us."

When a lawyer objects, it usually mean that some witness is trying to tell the truth.

### Bringing Up Father By George McManus



### Strawberry Growers Look For Spittlebugs, Advise

Strawberry growers are advised to check their fields for the presence of spittlebugs, says O. E. Mikesell, county extension agent.

If the average population over the field is one or two bugs per plant then treatment is advised between now and May 1. This application will also aid in the control of the strawberry fruit-worm. A second application three weeks later, but two weeks before harvest is advised where the strawberry fruit worm is a problem.

Mikesell says that the Oregon Experiment Station has found that a 5 percent methoxychlor dust applied at the rate of 50 pounds per acre has given good results on both insects. A 3/4% rotenone dust can be used for spittlebug control, but it will not be effective against the strawberry fruit worm.

### Freak Kitten Born at Keith Phillips Farm

Mehama—A freak kitten was born on the Keith Phillips place last week. The kitten, one of a litter of five, had one large head and two bodies.

Joined at the chest the two bodies were normal with one pair of front legs pointing up and the other pair down.

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### REPORT OF CONDITION OF MILL CITY STATE BANK

of Mill City in the State of Oregon at the close of business on April 20, 1953.

#### ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 217,037.84
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,049,796.25
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	20,357.23
Loans and discounts (including \$1,877.20 overdrafts)	568,665.05
Bank premises owned \$32,154.39, furniture and fixtures \$10,304.80	42,459.19
Other assets	500.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,898,815.56</b>

#### LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 870,225.61
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	693,464.19
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	33,348.83
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	159,941.08
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	7,970.95
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,764,950.66</b>

Other liabilities	16,034.46
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)</b>	<b>\$1,780,985.12</b>

#### CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus	75,000.00
Undivided profits	14,830.44
Reserves	3,000.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$ 117,830.44</b>

**TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS** \$1,898,815.56

#### MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 319,531.25

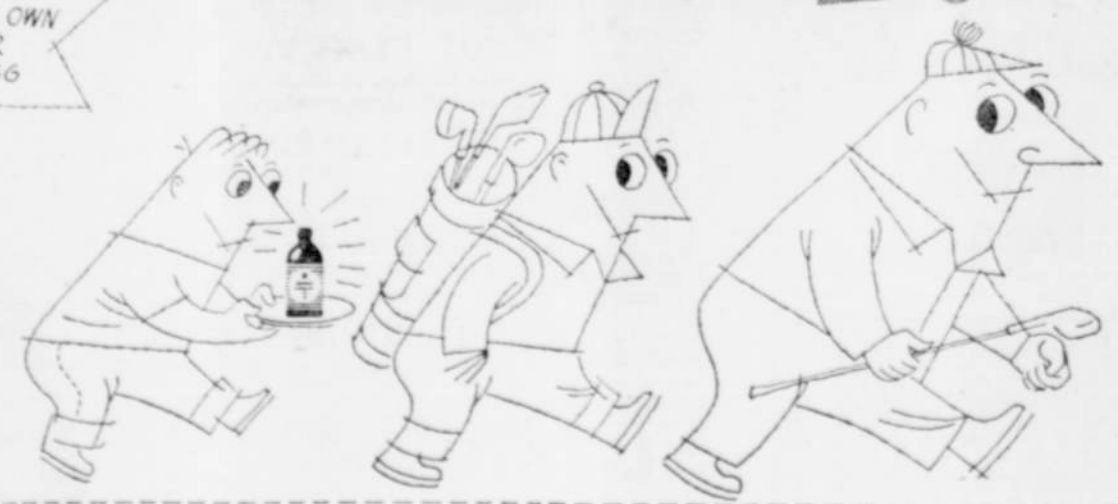
I, D. B. Hill, President, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear or affirm that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: Mildred L. Allen, Frank Rada, C. E. Mason and Maxine Hill, Directors.

State of Oregon, County of Marion, ss.: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23rd day of April, 1953.

D. B. HILL JR., Notary Public, My commission expires April 10, 1954.

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