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Helmer Seaholm Tells Rotarians What is to Become of Him

Following the weekly menu and lie out today like Doc Gordon and business sessions at the local Rotary Club, a "subject" is assigned some member who is the "speaker" for the day. Last Wednesday it was Helmer Seaholm's day, and "What Is To Become of Me?" was the subject given him. Here's Helmer's answer, and we believe you'll agree with us, it's good:

You know very well that I am not accustomed to making speeches in this club or any other place. I here and now challenge the claim recently made by my friend, Joe McCreary, that he has made fewer speeches than any man now living in this country. The fact is that I haven't made any, and nobody can make less than that, I know. In fact, I first thought I would just lie out today like Doc Gordon and Bruce McCarty have been threatening to do, but I made inquiry of the copyright office in Washington and found that neither Joe nor Hayes had copyrighted their system of reading speeches in this club and I required to choose the way out at the risk of being charged by these two club speakers of aping their methods.

So far, so good, but what was I to read? What is the answer to this question, "What is to become of me?" To me personally I consider it a question of much importance. I think it is a momentous question, more important, even, than whether King Eddie will ever marry his Wallie. There is, perhaps, no kingdom at stake—no Prime Minister to be heckled—no archbishop to invoke the ancient laws of the church, but there is certainly one good, bald head that is most vitally concerned in the answer to this all important question. I know very well what has already come to me, but my hind sights are a lot better than my fore sights. Perhaps a wise Providence made me that way purposely in order that I might remain longer a congenial member of this club.

What is to become of me? Often a worried member turns to The Rotarian for material to read. I had Nic to search his files of this life saving magazine for years back, and he reported to me that he could not find therein any discussion of this question. The International office must not know me. I turned next to my personal library. I nearly took on a case of the hay fever scanning the dusty volumes, but I could find nothing there that would throw any light on the subject. I even sought out a Gypsy fortune teller who saw in town a few days ago and implored her to use her utmost powers of divination in seeking to disclose something of that which lay in store for me so that I might have something to write about. She rubber her hands about my head carefully, closely inspected my palms, looked up all the signs of the zodiac, gazed up at the stars in the heavens and finally declared, "Mr. good man, your head is as slick as a door knob; your ears are full of rice husks; your palms are covered with duck feathers; all the signs fail me and even the stars in the heavens twinkle fitfully in uncertainty of the future. My vision is normally clear I have satisfied clients from Calcutta to Honolulu, from the Golden Gate to Liverpool and back again, but you are too much for me. I shall have to hand back your money. If you have any future at all, I cannot see it."

Finally, gentlemen, in desperation I went up to the National Bank to consult the Judge as the last source of earthly wisdom known to me. I thought he could tell me what I wished to know. He has told me everything else. Through the years I have had lots of information from him, authoritative information, my friends, on how to grow rice, when to sell it and where to store it, when to plant it and how much and when to water it and when to cut it and what to do with the proceeds of the crop; how to raise turkeys, when to set the hens, what to feed them and when to expect the young gobblers to begin to strut; what sort of a saddle horse to ride and the correct posture in the saddle, the proper form in a polo game; how he and old Jake Hurd had consistently made money from bumper crops grown down in the bottom when everybody else was losing. Naturally, gentlemen, I expected to get the materially for a speech there. But, alas, all the Judge could get on his mind was interest, renewals, warehouse receipts, stockholders, directors and the like. I left the office in a worse state than when I entered. Still I had nothing to write about. I had tapped the fountain and drawn nothing but wind.

You all known that I had a dream a few months ago. They said I fell asleep alone in the bunk house during working hours. If that is a statement of fact, I fare a lot better when I am asleep than I do when I am awake. My present condition is improved and my prospects of the future are much brighter. The rice grower and the banker appear in their proper relation to one another. Just the right kind of spirit of cooperation prevails. Even the waterman, Oscar J. Waterman assumes his rightful relation to the grower. If I should drop off to sleep while reading this paper, just raise me down in a chair beside Odis Boothe and let us rest. Gentlemen, I have been much distressed through the week about this speech and I need to recuperate from the strain. I have been so jumpy that I have crawled through the grass like a frog in stalking ducks in the ponds. Each shadowy form in the twilight I have feared was a Rotarian or a banker. Just let me steep, I say, because Fritz is a good stable boy then, but poor help in writing a speech when I am awake.

Dreams, however, are a very temporary comfort. They are like snowflakes on the river which the poet has said are "a moment white, then gone forever." I place little store in them. I am not superstitious. I do not care whether the cats which cross my path are black or white. My luck is just as bad on Friday, the 13th, as it is on any other day. If I must resort to a dream to find some suggestion as to what is to become of me, I might as well wait until the Judge is in a mood to open up again. He is just bound to know, so I shall just "sit idly by and wait."

For the present, therefore, I shall leave the question unanswered, and close the speech which I have read while still wondering what I might say.

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CATHOLIC ALTAR SOCIETY PLANS CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

The ladies of the Catholic Altar Society held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred G. Frnka on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A large number of members and several guests enjoyed this very interesting business and social session, at the conclusion of which delicious refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, home-made cake, coffee and chocolate were served. It was announced that the next meeting will be held on Tuesday afternoon, January 12th, at the home of Mrs. R. W. Heffley.

Arrangements were completed for a Christmas pageant and tree to be given at the church on the evening of Tuesday, December 22nd, and all members of the parish are expected to attend.

Mrs. John Kearney is directing the pageant, which will be of religious nature. A choir of the young people of the church is rehearsing Christmas music for the occasion. Miss Grace Marie Spanihel will be the angel, Dorothy Reuther will take the part of the Virgin and Fred Frnka Jr., that of Joseph. Others in the cast are the Three Kings, Charlene Jo Stephens, Leola Kretzschmar and Geneva Bunge; shepherds, Ernest Frnka, Charles Braden and L. J. Spanihel. The lightbearers will be Kay Kearney, Dolores Spanihel, Eleanora Dostal and Josephine Frnka. The children of All Nations will include Caroline and Gussie Hollis, Betty Jean Kretzschmar, Roselyn Vacek, Walter Alvin Frnka, Billie Gene Gordy, Charles Draper Stephens, Frank Lee Graves Jr. and Emanuel Braden.

All the children taking part are requested to be at the church building Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for rehearsal.

Mrs. Louis Balas is chairman of the entertainment committee for the Christmas party and Mrs. Raymond Taylor, chairman of the decoration committee.

Chesterville News

(By Mrs. Roy Graves)

Russell A. Salladay and mother, Mrs. Charles P. Salladay, Mrs. Geo. Salladay, Mrs. L. R. Graves and Mary Irene motored to Wharton Thursday to visit Mrs. Russell Salladay and baby daughter.

Mrs. Chas. P. Salladay attended the Methodist Sunday School and church services in Eagle Lake Sunday, and spent the afternoon with Mrs. O. E. Sinclair and Mrs. Elizabeth Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers and son, Vernon, and Raymond Tubbs of Houston spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Tubbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vasina and Betty Jo spent Sunday visiting relatives in Wallis.

Mrs. J. H. Wills returned Wednesday from a week's visit to relatives in Austin. She and Lillian spent Friday night in Eagle Lake.

Mrs. Fred Backus and little son, Wesley, called on Mrs. J. H. Wills Tuesday to bid her goodbye. Mr. and Mrs. Backhus are leaving for an East Texas oil field where he has a position.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jordan were guests of Mrs. M. E. Larsen in Eagle Lake Tuesday.

Miss Juanita Uzzell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Uzzell, and Morris Tilton, son of Mrs. E. C. Tilton, the latter formerly of Chesterville, both of Alvin, were married at that place on November 28th. Following the ceremony, the young people left for a honeymoon visit to Missouri. They expect to make their home in Louisiana, where Mr. Tilton is connected with a drilling firm. Many friends in Chesterville extend heartiest congratulations.

Looking Backward

Items of more or less interest from the Headlight file of Twenty-Four Years ago.

DECEMBER 14, 1912.

J. T. Carney has sold his home on State Street to Mr. Frank Stephens and left for Glen Flora where he has taken a position as manager for the Hood mercantile business.—So far this season, J. E. and T. M. Roberts hold the record for a pot shot on ducks. Hunting on the prairie Tuesday, they fired into a pond and picked up 31 ducks.—A state game warden blew in here Wednesday and caused some excitement by arresting four Houston hunters and G. Y. Morgan of this city. Hunting without license was the charge against the Houston men, but on what grounds the old sleuth arrested Mr. Morgan could not be learned. He was only taking the men out hunting, not hunting himself. Judge J. K. Davidson was telephoned for and made the trip from his home on a rainy night. If we are to judge by the manner in which Judge Davidson spoke of it, he was disgusted with the affair and threw the whole thing out of court.—What came near being a serious accident happened on State Street Tuesday, when a buggy driven by R. T. Westmoreland, his little boy and girl with him, was run into by a delivery wagon of the Eagle Lake Furniture Company. Mr. Westmoreland and both children were thrown from the vehicle, the little girl becoming entangled in the wheel and made one entire revolution with it. The wagon driver was thrown from his seat to the ground. No one was seriously injured.—Dr. P. T. Gordon was in Houston Tuesday night to see "The Pink Lady."—Cashier J. E. Roberts of the Eagle Lake State Bank was put to thinking this morning and thrice ran his fingers through where his golden locks have been missing since he was a boy. It happened when W. E. Welford appeared at the bank window and asked for exchange for ten pounds on the Parr Bank of England. It is a Christmas present he is sending to relatives in the old country.—Ed Hodde was on the sick list with a severe case of grippe this week.—The average prices for rice received here this season were $3.45 for Honduras and $3.56 for Japan.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Terrell last Friday were Mrs. Walter Lynch and Miss Edna Hodde, both of Eagle Lake, and Mrs. Walter Henicke and Mrs. Oscar Henicke and baby of Columbus.—Ellinger correspondent, in La Grange Journal.

Dr. and Mrs. H. V. Reeves and daughter, Mrs. Reid Westmoreland, returned Tuesday night from a trip to the Centennial and a family re-union at Krandel, where Dr. Reeves met Mrs. Reeves and his daughter who were returning from Ohio and Kentucky.—El Campo Citizen.

CHRISTMAS BOX FOR BUCKNER ORPHAN HOME

The Baptist ladies will send a Christmas box to Buckner Orphan's Home on December 21st, and are asking for anything from those who will contribute to the 700 children in the orphanage. Good outgrown clothes, new things or toys. Please leave all contributions with Mrs. H. W. Graves.

Mrs. A. C. Kampe and little daughter, Mary Margaret, are coming over this evening from Houston, to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kearney and daughter, Kay. Little Miss Mary Margaret is a talented dancer and is appearing with the Foley Bros. Town Hall program, being presented in the school auditorium tonight. She is Mrs. Kearney's niece.

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Hunting with a party of friends from here near Rock Island Sunday, Bennie Blair killed an eight-point buck, and is a full fledged member of the "Big Game Hunters for 1936."

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roberts left Monday afternoon for their home in Austin after a week-end visit at the home of his brother, L. D. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Thomas returned last Friday from their honeymoon visit to Western Texas, and are at home in their apartment at the J. P. Ulery home.

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WOODWARD STEWARDS ARE ENTERTAINED AT DINNER

On Wednesday night of last week, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Foerster of Woodward entertained the Board of Stewards and their families with a delicious turkey dinner, at the parsonage. Present were, Supt. E. G. Marshall, chairman of the board; Mrs. Clara Brate, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Brazen, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Engstrom, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Venghaus, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stallman and Miss Vivian Williams. Some phase of the work for the new year were discussed and two new stewards nominated, Mrs. Clara Brate and Miss Vivian Williams.

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MR. KILLOUGH IN DALLAS FOR ANNUAL CONVENTION

Roger Killough of Eagle Lake is in Dallas this week attending the thirty-third annual convention of the Southwestern Life Insurance Company, which he represents.

After J. Miles Abell, Houston agent and president of the Southwestern Life Club, opened yesterday's first business session; the response of the agents by E. J. Tucker, Houston agent, C. P. O'Donnell, president of the company, in his annual talk, thrilled the crowd with the announcement that Southwestern Life has recently gone over the mark of $300,000,000 life insurance in force.

More than 500 Texans representing the company, are attending the Centennial-year convention, and as these agents earn the trips to the annual meeting by the volume of insurance written during the year, this large attendance indicates a great year for Southwestern Life, which does business exclusively in Texas.

At noon today, the visitors were entertained with a luncheon in the Adolphus Hotel Junior Ball Room, during which Arthur Coburn, vice president of the firm, made his annual address. Tonight the annual get-together dinner will be held in the Baker Hotel Crystal Ball Room and it will be followed by the "Southwestern Minstrels," the cast of which, with the exception of the famous Bel Canto Quartet, is composed entirely of agents and home office employees of the company. After the show there will be dancing and bridge.

Business sessions will continue through Saturday morning with Richard R. Lee, vice president and agency director; E. G. Brown, vice president and actuary; T. L. Bradford Jr., vice president and treasurer; R. A. B. Goodman, vice president and secretary; and Dr. DeWitt Smith, medical director, participating.

Friday there will be a luncheon for the men at the Baker Hotel, when Hon. R. L. Daniel, Chairman of the Board of Insurance Commissioners of Texas, will speak, and a luncheon for their wives at Brookhollow Country Club. The climax of the convention will be Friday night when the annual banquet will be staged in the Adolphus Junior Ball Room, at which time President O'Donnell will confer awards for the year's accomplishments.

A Kansas baby was born at the bottom of a forty-foot well a year ago and his development has not been hindered by a day's illness. The mother toppled into the well while drawing a bucket of water. That's what we call starting at the bottom.—Celina Record.

Mrs. W. E. Welford and Mrs. Burns Waggoner returned yesterday from a visit to Mrs. W. P. Pilch and Mrs. W. T. Beard in San Antonio.

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MUST BE ALERT TO AVOID SYMPATHY 'RACKET,' SAYS

(From Rotarian Magazine)

A timely warning against the "actor" who would prey on your feelings and purse is sounded by Edward Podolsky, New York physician and author, in the current Rotarian Magazine. This type of "racketeer" is often a good psychologist. He knows that working on human sympathies is often just as productive as is working on man's perpetual desire to get a lot of money by investing a little.

"It is always well to remember," he urges, "that there are many charitable organizations to take care of the worthy poor. For those temporarily in distress the police are at all times ready and willing to lend a helping hand. If you are approached to part with money to help someone in distress, refer them to the proper authorities. The chances are that otherwise you will yourself turn out in the end to be the real victim."

But how do these sympathy racketeers take advantage of those who wish to help their fellow creatures? Dr. Dodolsky cites a few examples:

The Lost Pocketbook Trick: As you are walking along the street, a woman walks up to you. Generally she looks like a widow or a respectable housekeeper. She is past middle age and conservatively dressed. There is a terribly worried expression in her face. She asks if she may speak to you for a moment. You consent. She tells you in a tone of distress she has lost her pocketbook. She lives somewhere in the suburbs. She hasn't the least idea how she is to get home; she hasn't a penny with her. "I wonder if it would be asking too much," she says, "if I asked you to lend me my fare home. I'll return the money the moment I get home. Here's my address." She certainly looks respectable. They always do. That is part of their racket. If you are kind-hearted, you will advance her the dollar or two. But that is the last you will ever see of your money. A little later this couple and his wife will work the same trick on some other kind-hearted gentleman.

Helping the Poor: Mr. Lee has been knocked down by an automobile and has sustained severe injuries. He is taken to the hospital and as soon as he is discharged he is visited at his home by a glib-talking individual who says that he represents a firm of lawyers who act for some society or other organization who are particularly interested in the poor. This man has fully investigated Mr. Lee's case and it is his belief that he can collect damages. His firm will be glad to put in a claim on Mr. Lee's behalf. Of course Mr. Lee is grateful and gives the case to the lawyer. If the man responsible for the accident pays the claim, the lawyers deduct 10 percent or more of the sum and in addition send Mr. Lee their bill for costs. If the case comes into court and Mr. Lee loses, Mr. Lee has to pay the costs of the trial. The society is of course nonexistent.

Selling Merchandise to the Dead: Mr. Krasnow is dead. A notice of his death has been published in the local papers. A few days later a man appears at his widow's house who shows her a watch and tells her that her late husband had paid $10 deposit on it. He asks what she wants to do about the balance of $20. Of course, Mrs. Krasnow reveres the memory of her dead husband and she pays the remainder. Later she learns that her late husband paid no deposit on any watch, and further that the watch she bought is made of tin and worth less than a dollar. There are various forms of this racket of playing on a person's bereavement. Sometimes a 25-cent fountain pen is sent to the deceased with a $3 C.O.D. charge attached. The relatives often accept the pen, thinking that the ordering of the merchandise was the last act of the deceased.

A CRISIS FOR CHARITY

(An editorial from the Rotarian Magazine)

Community-minded citizens in the United States are uneasy about the future of private charities. Government aid occupies an increasingly important role in humanitarian service, but there remains as great or perhaps a greater demand upon private charitable organizations to render the special forms of help they are equipped to give.

A review of the support accorded to Community Chests makes the picture clearer. They were first organized in 1914, in 12 cities, to pool the causes represented by various charitable groups. That year, they raised $14,225,000, according to "The Index," published by the New York Trust Company. By 1931, the number of chests had grown to 377, which raised $83,213,000. Despite the increase in chests, now in excess of 400, contributions have declined: 1933, $77,645,000; 1935, $70,640,000; 1935, $70,000,000 (estimated).

The problem such figures tell is one to which all citizens will no doubt give special attention in the months to come.

WHAT IS FRIENDSHIP?

(An editorial from the Rotarian Magazine)

Despite Cicero's "De Amicitia," penned 2,000 years ago, and uncounted other books and papers on the subject, friendship remains difficult to define in a way that suits the logician. But so is electricity. Both possess a dynamic quality to catch on the photographic plate of words. Both are power, energy. Both are best understood, not by a static definition, but by their works.

A boy once stood on a hillock, unwinding from a reel a string that stretched in an arc upward until it was lost in clouds.

"What are you doing?" someone asked.

"Flying a kite."

"But you can't see your kite. How do you know it is there?"

"By the pull of the string in my hand," the boy answered.

Of such is friendship.

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Judge B. H. Gardner, one of Palestine's most prominent and most loved citizens, is here for a visit to the family of his daughter, Mrs. I. V. Duncan. Judge Gardner was an honored guest at the Rotary luncheon Wednesday.

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STATIC SLEUTHS MAKE RADIO LISTENING A PLEASURE IN CANADA

When radios in Canada go zzZ!-rrrpK!, listeners ask the government at Ottawa to put a "noise detective" on the job. This "static sleuth," writes James Montagnes in the Rotarian Magazine, is a specialist in tracing to its source any of the gurgles, squeals, crashes, whistles or other noises marring radio reception.

"Canada," says Mr. Montagnes, "has a corps of such radio noise detectives, traveling about the country and in the larger cities, working with 34 cars in all, equipped with the utmost in sensitive and directional radio receivers, with laboratory apparatus to cope with every type of noise which may bother a radio listener.

"Simply explained, radio disturbances caused by faulty electrical equipment travel from the source along the power line, send out electrical currents which are picked up by the aerial attached to your receiver, and so are heard in the loudspeaker.

"The new Canadian Radio Act, which went into effect in November," continues Mr. Montagnes, "gives the noise sleuths power to enforce their findings. All radio noisemaking equipment must be corrected or not used. And old-style interference-causing receivers may no longer be used. The air must be cleared for pleasant listening. Noises must be stopped.

"Radio noise seems to be as elusive as a fly. There is no let-up in the number of complaints. As soon as one job is done there are others which must be tackled. This keeps nearly 100 men busy the year round across the Dominion. But the radio noise detectives have not worked in vain. The official report shows the noise level has gone down despite the increasing number of super-sensitive receivers now being used.

"Other countries are investigating Canada's system. In the United States, engineers of radio and electrical manufacturing concerns are working on a similar scheme of noise detecting to test new electrical apparatus, so that by the time it reaches the market it will not cause radio noises. All the experience of the Canadian Government has been placed at the disposal of this trade body. American public utilities frequently call on the Canadian service for help in solving power house problems, because they have heard that the radio noise sleuths can find trouble in a power house or on lines which the best engineer cannot trace. The noise sleuths have saved power companies thousands of dollars finding hidden faults which the usual meters and gauges do not show."—From the Rotarian Magazine.

COTTON GINNED IN COUNTY

Harry V. Cherry, special agent, advises that the census report shows that there were 3754 bales of cotton ginned in Colorado county from the crop of 1936 prior to November 14, as compared with 7156 bales ginned prior to the same date in 1935.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Roesner of Riesel, and Miss Mary Jochetz came in Saturday from a visit to San Antonio. They were guests at the home of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Voigt, while Mr. Roesner attended the American Vocational Association meeting, which was held in Texas for the first time.

Mrs. James Kennedy motored here from Corpus Christi Saturday, bringing home her mother, Mrs. Nina York, who has been spending some time with Mrs. Kennedy in Corpus.

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BEEF ROUND OR LOIN, Lb	15c	BEEF Rump Roast lb	12½c
VEAL STEAK, lb	15c	PORK CHOPS lb	20c
HAMBURGER OR CHILI, Lb	10c	VEAL RUMP ROAST lb	15c

FRESH VEGETABLES AND GROCERIES

Mrs. W. L. Harbin of Harlingen is with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Westmoreland for a visit until after the holidays. The oil crew with which Mr. Harbin is connected has been transferred to Edinburg, from which place he will join Mrs. Harbin here for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Joel and children have moved to Columbus to make their home, having failed to find a suitable rent house here. They made many friends in Eagle Lake during their short stay here, who regret to have them leave. Mr. Joel is district representative for the Universal Mills of Fort Worth.

Earl Morgan of Victoria spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Y. Morgan. He is with the S. & G. Gravel Company, stationed at Victoria, but for the past several weeks has been in Columbus.

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Tall Can Pacific Coast SALMON	10c	Pint Jar Sour or Dill PICKLES	09c
Large Can Cranberry SAUCE	14c	Tall Can Libby's Fancy Fruit COCKTAIL	13c
4 CANS AMERICAN SARDINES	15c	GIANT SIZE OXYDOL	20c
SUPER BLEND Coffee lb pkg	20c	Pint Jar Kew-Pee Salad DRESSING	17c
2-lb. Can Health Club Baking Powder	15c	2 16-oz pkgs Powdered or Brown SUGAR	15c

CALIFORNIA **Prunes 10-lb** Original Container **63c**

Pillsbury Best **Flour 24-lb sk . 89c** 48-lb sk $1.75

No. 2 Can Libby's Petit Pois PEAS	19c	Hormel's Dairy Brand PICNICS	17c
10 lbs. Strictly Good POTATOES	25c	40-oz Jar Slone's Preserved FIGS	33c
JUICY WINESAP APPLES	10c	42-oz Box National OATS	15c
MARGO OLEO, lb pkg	15c	PINT CAN WESSON OIL	23c
FULL QUART PREPARED MUSTARD	10c	MEDIUM SIZE COCOANUTS	05c

CREAM **CHEESE Lb . 19c**

EXTRA SPECIAL **Wieners 2 lbs . 25c**

President Roosevelt Endorses 30th Christmas Seal Sale

Below is a facsimile of a statement issued by Franklin Delano Roosevelt urging the people of the country to do their part in supporting the nationwide campaign to raise funds for the control of tuberculosis. President Roosevelt is Honorary Vice-President of the National Tuberculosis Association which with its two thousand affiliated tuberculosis associations is conducting the thirtieth annual Christmas Seal sale from Thanksgiving through Christmas.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

November 12, 1936

Thanksgiving Day this year marks an important milestone in our country's conquest of an age old enemy. On that day will be launched throughout the country the thirtieth Christmas Seal sale of the National Tuberculosis Association and its 2000 affiliated state and local associations. For thirty years funds from these penny Christmas Seals have been used in an organized educational campaign to control tuberculosis.

It is tremendously encouraging to know that tuberculosis is no longer the leading cause of death and that the fight against this scourge is continuing without remission. However, the fine progress that has been made should not be permitted to arouse a false sense of security. Quite on the contrary there is need for continued and intensified activity. Especially should these efforts be directed to the elimination of the disease as it prevails among children, as well as young men and women, in which groups an unnecessarily high toll is exacted. There still exists too the necessity for the early discovery of tuberculous patients and their prompt hospitalization. When these obvious steps have been taken the complete and final victory over this disease will be brought nearer.

On the eve of the thirtieth Christmas Seal sale I urge all to do their part in supporting the nation-wide campaign. It is the duty of each local community to raise funds for its own protection against this enemy of homes and health.

Franklin D. Roosevelt

Prominent Figures in the First Christmas Seal Sale

Miss Emily P. Bissell who thirty years ago originated the first Christmas Seal sale in this country is shown above with Leigh Mitchell Hodges, then a columnist on the Philadelphia *North American* and her enthusiastic backer in selling penny stamps to raise money to fight tuberculosis. In honor of Miss Bissell a luncheon was [illegible] December 8 in Wilmington, Delaware, at which Dr. Thomas Parran [illegible] Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service, was the chief speaker and Mr. Hodges the toastmaster. The luncheon was attended by 350 distinguished physicians and laymen, and messages of congratulation [illegible] received by Miss Bissell from tuberculosis associations all [illegible] country, and from foreign countries that sell Christmas Seals [illegible] tuberculosis programs