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## The March of Dimes

January brings around another appeal of the National Foundation, which conducts an extremely valuable information and research program on arthritis, birth defects, and polio.

The foundation is, of course, best known for its backing of the research which led to the polio vaccine—a discovery that will undoubtedly keep thousands of people under 40 from death or crippling due to the disease.

But there are countless other patients who are already suffering from polio, and even more who are affected by birth defects or crippling arthritis.

The Church of the Brethren "Gospel Messenger" recently carried a very interesting story. Miss Mary Neher, of North Manchester, was the 5th child in a family of 11. Before she learned to walk she was struck by crippling polio. She was never able to walk without help, and was in her teens before she mustered courage to complete grade school, passing a county-wide test with the third highest grade. For 30 years she got around on crutches, but for the past 35 has been confined to a wheel chair.

Miss Neher is now 84 years old. During her life she sewed and kept a rooming house for students, including many ministers, at Manchester College. For many years her father carried her to and from church in his arms; more recently, members of the church have taken month-long shifts in bringing her to her church, where she has taught Sunday school for more than 60 years.

Miss Neher's life is a great Christian testimony to faith—yet it was filled with pain and suffering from the crippling disease. As God gave her faith to lead a life filled with pain, so He leads us to overcome the crippling disease, with His aid, by medical research and patient care.

So when the National Foundation approaches you, through the march of dimes, or balloon sale, or by letter, or the Mother's March, remember that this is another of the mysterious ways in which God works to help alleviate human misery and suffering.

## TV Programs

## Central Daylight Time

**WANE-TV**  
Channel 15  
MONDAY

**Evening**  
6:00—Amos & Andy  
6:15—Tom Calenberg News  
6:15—Doug Edwards News  
6:20—The Weatherman  
6:25—Masquerade Party  
6:30—The Texan  
6:30—Father Knows Best  
6:30—The Thomas Show  
6:45—Heeney  
6:45—June Wilkinson News  
11:15—Colonel Effingham's Raid

**TUESDAY**  
6:00—Peppermint Theatre  
7:15—Willy Wonderful  
8:00—CBS News  
8:15—Captain Kangaroo  
9:00—The Cup Theater  
10:30—Red Rose Show  
10:30—On The Go  
11:30—Love Lucy  
11:30—December Bride

**Afternoon**  
12:00—Love Of Life  
12:30—Search For Tomorrow  
12:30—The Love Boat  
1:00—Ana Colone's Woman's Page  
1:25—News  
1:30—As The World Turns  
2:30—Betty For Worse  
3:00—House Party  
3:00—The Millionaire  
3:30—Verdict In Yours  
4:15—Bright Day  
4:30—Last Story  
4:30—Edge Of Night  
5:00—Dance Date

**Wednesday**  
6:00—Amos & Andy  
6:15—Tom Calenberg News  
6:15—Doug Edwards News  
7:00—Hotel De Paree  
7:30—The L.A. Story  
8:30—Dennis O'Keefe  
8:30—Dobie Gillis  
9:00—Nightmare  
9:30—Garrett Sholton  
11:00—Phil Wilson  
11:15—Hold That Ghost

**TUESDAY**  
6:00—Fun 'n Stuff  
6:30—Quick Draw McGraw  
7:00—Fun 'n Stuff  
7:15—Tom Atkins Reporting  
7:30—The Weatherman  
7:30—Bourbon Street Beat  
9:30—Adventures in Paradise

**Evening**  
11:30—Adventures in Living

**Afternoon**

11:30—Restless Gun

1:00—Love That Bob

1:00—About Faces

1:30—Mr. D.A.

2:30—Gale Storm

3:00—Beat The Clock

3:30—Who Do You Trust

4:00—The Courtlandt

5:30—Little Rascals Clubhouse

5:30—Rin Tin Tin

**WPTA-TV**  
Channel 21  
MONDAY

**Evening**  
6:00—Fun 'n Stuff  
6:30—Quick Draw McGraw  
7:00—Fun 'n Stuff  
7:15—Tom Atkins Reporting

**Wednesday**  
6:00—Tom Atkins Reporting

**Evening**  
6:30—Popeye and Rascals

6:30—Superman

7:00—Popeye and Rascals Club

7:15—Tom Atkins Reporting

**Friday**  
6:00—Love and Marriage

8:30—Wells Fargo

9:00—Peter Gunn

9:30—Coronado 9

10:30—Tele-Adventures

10:30—Paradeade 21

11:30—Jubilee U.S.A.

**TUESDAY**  
6:30—Gateway To Sports

6:30—The Weatherman

6:30—Yesterday's Newsreel

6:45—Huntley-Brinkley Report

7:00—Love and Marriage

8:30—Wells Fargo

9:00—Peter Gunn

9:30—Coronado 9

10:30—Tele-Adventures

10:30—Paradeade 21

11:30—Jubilee U.S.A.

**Movies**  
ADAMS

"The Kookie" Mon. 7:30; 9:45

## Challenge Basis Of Religious Revival

By MEL OPOTOWSKY  
United Press International

NEW YORK (UPI) — In the midst of a record religious revival the United States recently experienced the uncovering of widespread moral scandals, including TV quiz fixes, payola in broadcasting and union corruption.

In an effort to seek an explanation to this paradox, United Press International surveyed several of the nation's leading religious leaders. Their answers showed a significant divergence of opinion as to whether the religious revival was a sincere movement and whether the scandals were a sign of an improving America or of a degenerating nation.

Three of the leaders, including Evangelist Billy Graham, were optimistic. They saw at least hope for higher moral standards in the nation and even went so far as to consider the moral indignation over the scandals as a sign of these higher standards.

But two others, including the Rt. Rev. James A. Pike, Episcopal Bishop, seriously challenged the basis of the religious revival which has sent church membership soaring to a record 110,000,000 persons — about 60 per cent of the nation's population.

**Church Greatest Field**  
Pike warned that today's popular "boom-time church" has surrendered much of its role in shaping the nation's morality, and Graham added that the church itself was the greatest field for evangelism in America.

Graham said however that during the last decade "we have witnessed the greatest religious revival in American history."

"Yet, on the other hand, we are living in an era of immorality, crime, deception, divorce and corruption that has no parallel in our history," Graham added.

The very presence of the Scandals, Graham indicated, showed that there was a "spiritual and moral movement" that was gaining momentum.

"We are seeing today the feverish activities of evil spiritual forces in full counter-attack against a great religious upsurge in America," Graham said. "The Bible teaches that ultimately, Satan will be defeated."

**Now On Crusade**  
Graham, who is now on a crusade in Africa, said that high school and college students appeared to be responding most to the spiritual awakening, indicating a bright future for the nation.

Rabbi Max D. Davidson, President of the Synagogue Council of America, said that "the present reaction to the disclosures, the protests and the revulsion of the people of the United States may well be reflection of the religious revival of our day."

"Political, commercial and organizational leaders now as never before feel themselves compelled to account to the public for their policies and actions, and to justify the tenure of high position," he said. "This gives us heartening hope for honor and honesty in the future."

Dr. Louis Webster Jones, President of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, said that the outcry over the recent scandals was America "belatedly expressing moral indignation at a number of practices that have been with us for a long time."

"Perhaps the current scandals will have the good effect of convincing more people that ethical judgment must govern in practical affairs," Jones said.

## 20 Years Ago Today

Jan. 25, 1940—New directors of the Decatur Chamber of Commerce, elected at the annual dinner meeting, are George Auer, Carl Gerber and James Murphy, Jr.

E. W. Busche, of Monroe, was reelected president of the Central Beet Growers Assn. Clyde Schultz was elected vice president and Allen Lomont secretary-treasurer.

Announcement was made in Washington that the post office at Peterson will be discontinued Jan. 31.

All Boy Scout troops of Adams county have been given an A rating for 1939.

High school basketball results: Berne 37, Rock Creek 32; Commodores 36, Huntington Catholic 11; Poling 39, Jefferson 19.

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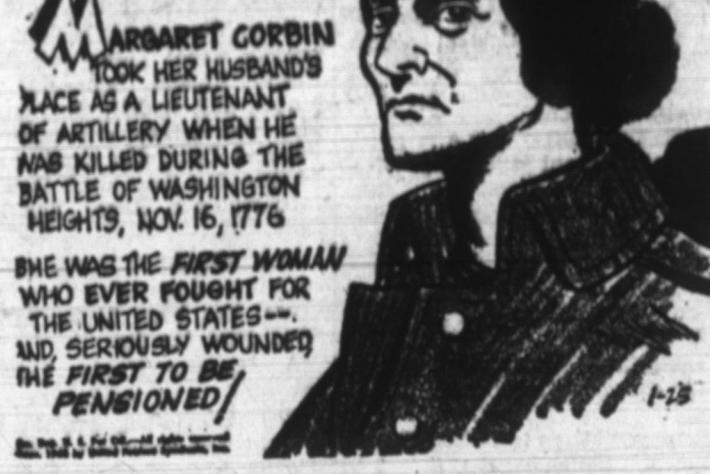
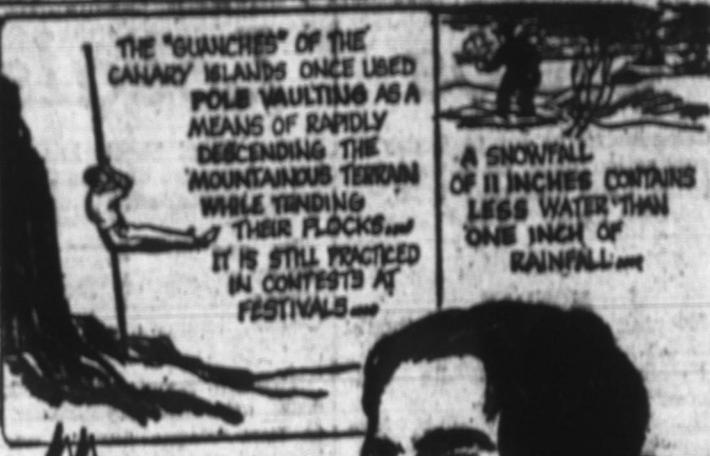
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Modern Etiquette  
By ROBERTA LEE

Q. Is the practice of leaving a little food on your plate considered a mark of delicacy?

A. It was at one time, but now is considered wasteful. We do not leave food on our plate unless we really cannot eat it. It is, however, polite to leave something on the serving platter, as someone else might want another helping.

Q. My husband's brother died recently and many of his friends sent sympathy cards addressed to my husband alone. Should not these cards have been addressed to both of us?

A. No; the cards were specifically addressed to your husband alone.

Q. My bridegroom's parents, who live in a distant city, are giving a reception for us about a week after our wedding. May I properly wear my wedding gown at that time?

A. You may wear your wedding gown, but not your veil.

Q. Is it proper to announce the adoption of a baby in the newspapers?

A. No; much better is the mail

ing of engraved announcements to relatives and friends.

Q. How do I govern my invitation list for a shower I am planning to give for a bride-elect?

A. Exercise some good judgment. Don't just invite anyone and everyone who happens to be an acquaintance of the bride. The guests at a shower should be close friends of the bride or her parents.

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YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1959

## BARRETT LAW FUND

Cash Balance, January 1, 1959 \$2,251.90

Cash Balance, December 31, 1959 2,251.90

**GENERAL FUND**

Cash Balance, January 1, 1959 \$6,023.20

Receipts:

General Property Tax 130,059.42

Liquor Excise Tax 8,552.54

Licenses 5,785.47

Finers & Court Fees 2,050.09

Office Rent—Electric 125.00

Office Rent—Water 240.00

Refund 86.00

Zoning Appeals 51.00

Licenses 412.50

Miscellaneous 274.50