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"The basis of our government being the opinion of the people, the very first object should be to keep that right, and were it left to me to decide whether we should have a government without newspapers or newspapers without government, I should not hesitate a moment to choose the latter. But I should mean that every man should receive these papers and be capable of reading them."—Thomas Jefferson.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 18, 1941

Americana

Religious notices in a Southern newspaper 100 years ago: "The Rev. Mr. Blaney will preach next Sunday in Dempsey's Grove at 10 o'clock a. m. and at 2 p. m. Providence permitting. Between sermons the minister will run his sore mare, Julia, against any nag that can be trotted out in this region for a purse of \$100."—Reader's Digest.

At a reception in Washington a young man was asked by a widow to guess her age. "You must have some idea," she said as he hesitated. "I have several ideas," he admitted, with a smile. "The only trouble is that I hesitate whether to make you ten years younger on account of your looks or ten years older on account of your brains."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Benito Mussolini does not like his people to think about the old age creeping upon him. He does not like to think about it himself. So no public notice whatever was taken in Italy the other week of an insignificant event, B. M.'s 53th birthday.—Time.

A young widow ordered her husband's tombstone with an epitaph ending: "My sorrow is more than I can bear." Before the work was finished she married again, and was asked if she still wanted the inscription. "Yes," she replied, "but just add the word 'Alone' at the end."—Progressive Farmer.

King Albert of Belgium once confessed: "I always like to dip my bread into my coffee at breakfast, but the queen doesn't like it, and only lets me do it when there is no one present but the family."—Library Journal.

A man can be perfect—physically and mentally—yet be rejected for enlistment in the army of the United States, when his face is characterized by "extreme ugliness."—Collier's Weekly.

Rulers are part of the equipment of Chinese railway conductors. Children are paid for by the foot. Those under two feet six inches ride free, those between that height and four feet four inches pay half fare, and taller ones are classed as adults.—Railway Age.

VITAMINS IMPORTANT IN ANIMAL BUILDING

The success with which North Carolina farmers raise their pig, lamb and calf crops to meet expanding national food needs may depend in a large part on the kind of rations they supply their breeding stock, says Earl H. Hostetler, professor of animal husbandry at N. C. State College.

Rations well fortified with vitamins and minerals are required for normal reproduction, and vitamins A, E and C have received most attention in relation to reproduction.

Carotene, which is present in well-cured green hay, fresh green pasture, grass, well-made corn, grass and legume silage, and yellow varieties of carrots, squash and sweet potatoes, is the principal source of vitamin A, highly essential in the reproduction of all farm animals.

However, Hostetler pointed out, carotene is rapidly destroyed in feeds, especially under conditions of poor storage, so precautions must be taken to provide adequate amounts particularly to pregnant animals.

Most good rations contain adequate amounts of vitamin E, and only in unusual cases is it likely that animals may be sterile because E is lacking.

Such feeds as wheat bran, shorts, linseed meal, hominy feed, white and yellow corn, cottonseed meal, and kafir are good sources of vitamin E, as are most of the common hay and pasture crops.

Church Announcements

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL
Rev. John Sutcliffe, Minister
Morning prayer 11 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST
Rev. J. C. Canipe, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Worship and sermon.
7:00 p. m.—Training union.
8:00 p. m.—Worship and sermon.

Wednesday
7:00 p. m.—Choir practice.
8:00 p. m.—Prayer and Bible readings.
To all these services we give you a hearty welcome.

BOONE METHODIST
Rev. James B. McLarty, Minister
Sunday, Sept. 14, 1941
9:45 a. m.—Church school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship service, with sermon by the minister.
7:30 p. m.—Young People's fellowship hour.

REVIVAL MEETING
Rev. D. M. Wheeler of Live Oak, Fla., announces that he will start a series of revival services at the Boone Fork Baptist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subsequent services are to be held each evening at 7:30, and the meeting will continue for two weeks, it is said.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN "The Rock Church"
The revival meeting is now in progress. It has started nicely with the indication of real interest on the part of those who are church members. This is as it should be. One of the finest and strongest testimonies of Christians is to see them in their places at the services of the church.
Rev. W. L. Trivette preached strong sermons on Monday and Tuesday nights. Rev. S. E. Gragg will be with us on Wednesday to assist with some fine messages and his buoyant presence.
Services each night at 8:00 o'clock daylight saving time. Everyone will find a warm welcome at the Rock Church.

REVIVAL AT MT. CARMEL
A series of revival services will begin at Mt. Carmel Baptist church on Sunday evening, September 14. The meeting will continue for perhaps two weeks with services each evening at 7:30. Rev. Leroy Thomas will assist the pastor, Rev. G. A. Hamby. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

GRACE LUTHERAN
Rev. Edwin F. Troutman, Pastor
Ernest Bolick, S. S. Supt.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; Church 11 a. m. Luther League 7:15 p. m.; Church 8:00 p. m.
You are cordially invited to "come and worship."

SOUTH FORK BAPTIST
Rev. Vilas Minton, Pastor
Preaching services 2nd Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock and Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and each 4th Sunday night at 7:45. Sunday school each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. E. R. Michael, superintendent. Prayer service each Wednesday night at 7:45. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend all of these services.

OAK GROVE BAPTIST
A revival meeting will begin at Oak Grove Baptist church on the fourth Sunday in September, with the pastor, Rev. G. A. Hamby, being assisted in the revival by Rev. M. I. Harris of Valdese. The public is given a cordial invitation to attend.

JAMES I. VANCE MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. John I. Rhea, Minister
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Mr. J. E. Holshouser, superintendent. Morning worship service 11 o'clock. Student fellowship supper 5:00 p. m. Evening vesper service 5:45. Mid-week prayer service each Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.
The hour of the vesper service is changed from 8:00 to 5:45 in order that the students might participate in and worship with us. The membership and friends of the church should feel a great responsibility in encouraging the students in their efforts to lead our congregation in worship. Come, worship with us at 5:45 each Sunday evening.
Other services: Prison camp 8:30 a. m.; Baird's Creek 3:30 (e.d.s.t.)

REV. O. L. BROWN SPEAKS AT APPALACHIAN COLLEGE
Rev. O. L. Brown, pastor of Calvary Methodist church, High Point, spoke to Appalachian students and faculty at the chapel hour Tuesday morning. His subject was "Old Principles for a New Day," taken from the Book of Ruth.

Mr. Brown is a former professor at Appalachian, having taught mathematics and manual training from 1919 through 1923. He was also supervisor of the men's dormitory at that time.

We must arm ourselves against the forces of evil and destruction. You can help by buying Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps regularly.

Dale Carnegie
Author of "How to Win Friends and Influence People"

HANDLING A "GLOOMY GUS"
"Gloomy Gus" was the name of a grocery clerk in Los Angeles. Not only was he gloomy, but uncommunicative, and made the shortest possible answers. He was famous in the neighborhood for being crotchety and his store was patronized because it was the only one near.

This information comes to me through Claribel L. Bickford of Pacific Palisades, California. She is a teacher.
She was miffed and hurt when she first met Gloomy Gus. "What!" she said to herself. "Let him treat me that way. Never!" But the store was handy so she swallowed her pride and accepted his cold rebuffs.

One day in reading a book she ran across a sentence which stuck in her mind. It reads as follows: "The royal road to a man's heart is to talk to him about the things he treasures most."

She started out to find out what Gloomy Gus was interested in. Each time she was rebuffed. Then, from an outside source, she found that he was interested in his garden and that he spent all his spare time gardening. She asked him about his garden. Instead of getting a grunt, the man paused and half turned around and looked at her as if he had never seen her before. She asked a few more questions, and the man began to talk about his hobby, finally giving her advice and inspecting her garden. Much of the beauty of her garden today is due to the fact that she decided to talk to a man about "the things he treasures most."

Remember that the next time you run across a Gloomy Gus. It will work miracles.

William Herndon, who was Lincoln's law partner for twenty years, said: "Lincoln clung like gravity to his own opinions."

Strange? Not at all. Almost everybody clings with the tenacity of octopus to his own opinions. So if you bluntly tell a man he is wrong—by a look, a tone, a gesture or a word—you reflect on his judgment and his intelligence, and you make him cling more tenaciously than ever to his opinions—indestructible though they may be. So why tell a man he doesn't know what he is talking about? Will that get you what you want? No. That will merely serve to stir up ill-feeling and start a hot argument. Isn't it much better to say: "Well, now, I thought otherwise, but I may be wrong; I frequently am. If I am wrong in this instance, I want to be put right. Let's examine the facts."

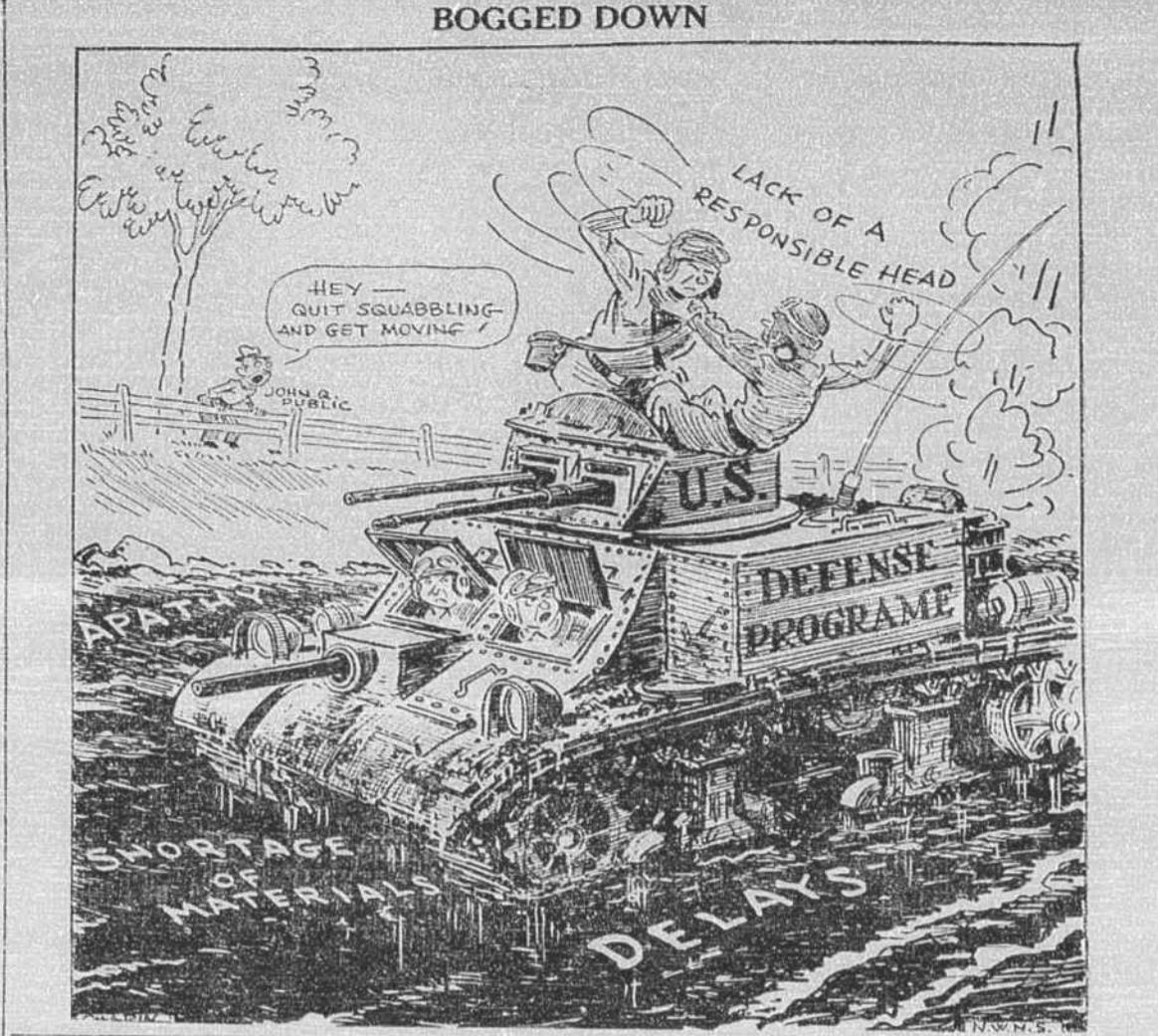
In other words, when you are trying to win people to your way of thinking, be humble, be open-minded, honestly search for the facts. As Lord Chesterfield said to his son: "Be wiser than other people if you can; but do not tell them so." Remember, if you try to ram your ideas and convictions down other people's throats, they, like Lincoln, will cling like gravity to their own opinions.

Then there is the story of the man at ease in a barber's chair, demulsified under hot towels, when a boy rushed in shouting: "Mr. Schmidt, Mr. Schmidt, your house is on fire!" Horrified, the customer leaps from the chair, snatches off the apron, and speeds wildly up the street. After two or three blocks, he stops suddenly and cries out in perplexity. "What the deuce am I doing? My name isn't Schmidt!"—Saturday Review of Literature.



Bud Abbott (left), Joan Davis and Lou Costello in one of the spooky sequences of Universal's sensational comedy, "Hold That Ghost." The Andrews sisters and Ted Lewis and his orchestra are featured prominently in the gay film, which will be shown at the Appalachian Theatre next Monday only.

Democrat Ads Pay.



ASHEBORO MAN JOINS LEES-MCRAE FACULTY

Banner Elk, Sept. 14.—Announcement has been made here by President Edgar H. Tufts of the appointment of Mr. G. A. York of Asheboro as head of the mathematics department at Lees-McRae College.

Mr. York is a native of Randolph county. He received his A.B. degree from Elon College in 1930, graduating as valedictorian of his class. He was a member of the Alpha Pi Delta, social fraternity, and of Pi Gamma Mu, national honorary fraternity. In 1934, he received his M.A. degree in mathematics from the University of

North Carolina, with a minor in education.

For the first nine years of his teaching experience, Mr. York taught mathematics and was athletic director in high schools of Randolph county. For the past two years, he has been principal of the Balfour school near Asheboro. His basketball team won the county championship on one occasion, and his track teams two county championships.

Mr. York is somewhat of an athlete himself, last year winning the Asheboro tennis trophy in a city tournament conducted there.

He is married to the former Miss Evelyn Pollard of Virginia, Va.,

who is a graduate of the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina. They have two small children, Guy and George.

Mr. York arrived in Banner Elk Monday with his family, and will take up residence in one of the faculty homes at the college.

President Tufts expressed gratification over the fact that Mr. York will be added to the college's faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dinkins of Winston-Salem, visited Mrs. Dinkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Blair, over the week-end.

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