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This Monetary Business

Professor Walter E. Spahr, New York University economist and critic of the New Deal, is urging a return to the gold standard. Senator Carter Glass chimed in with some enlightening remarks at a subcommittee hearing held recently in connection with the monetary system.

The advantageous management of currency is next to an impossibility, no doubt, and surely the gold standard has its advantages. But it has its disadvantages, too—advantages that the enemies of the present currency policy have not and do not propose to correct. Millions of people never wanted a currency system that made possible a \$100 debt on 40-cent cotton and the repayment of that debt on 6-cent cotton, a resulting ratio disadvantage of slightly more than 8 to 1. While the bondholder merely tucked his bond away and waiting for the deflation period to pass, millions of farmers and other producers of life's necessities had to let their perishable goods go on a low market even when those necessities were produced on an inflated dollar.

This monetary business is a unique business for the manipulators, and one that the farmer can't understand when he contracts a debt on one basis and has to repay it on another while the manipulators stand by and worship a little old yellow metal.

The gold lovers are working hard to restore the metal to its throne, and while they are hopeful it will not take long they admit that the world must regain a certain degree of political stability as well as economic stability.

Commenting on the monetary system, Senator Glass, the father of the reserve system that permitted panics to run their course with certain regularity, said the government perpetrated a fraud when it issued gold certificates while there was a law on the statute books that prevented payment in gold. It is apparent that the all-knowing senator from the neighboring state is more interested in gold theories than he is in basing currency values on factors that have a direct bearing on the welfare of human beings.

A few real democratic senators disagreed with the gold standard lovers, but Spahr and others of his class were roundly denounced by W. R. Ogg, American Farm Bureau Federation economist, who urged a managed currency that would provide stability for purchasing power and debt payment.

Bigger Than the President

When President Roosevelt entered the House of Representatives to deliver an address recently, everyone stood up except Carter Glass, of Virginia, and "Cotton Ed" Smith, of South Carolina. It is apparent that both Mr. Glass and Mr. Smith consider themselves bigger than the President of the United States. Our own Senator Bailey had the common decency to stand and he did a noble deed when he urged Glass and Smith to stand. But the North Carolina senator was in the wrong crowd.

One of the troubles in the nation's capital today is found in a group of men who believe themselves greater than the President, and who although elected senators try to perform the duties of the President. Carter Glass, "Cotton Ed" Smith, Joe Bailey and others could have rendered the country a greater service if they had not tried to belittle the choice of the people day in and day out.

When oranges are artificially colored the law requires that they be stamped "Colored added." The rule doesn't apply to girls and other peaches.—Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

ENDED

Spain's three-year civil war is ended! General Franco, of the rebel forces, marched into Madrid this week and a half-famished people accepted his entry and expressed a willingness to bow to any peace demands.

The war over, Franco is said to be facing a greater task now than the execution of the war. Millions are half starved, and years upon years will be required to restore damaged properties in various parts of the country. No exact estimates are available, but many thousands of people have been killed and countless millions of dollars have been lost in executing the war and in wrecked properties.

Scribner's Honors North Carolina

New York — The entire photographic section of a forthcoming issue of Scribner's magazine will be devoted to pictures of North Carolina, according to an announcement by the editors. Prizes will be awarded, they said, to the six photographs which best depict life in North Carolina.

North Carolina is the seventh state selected by Scribner's for photographic examination, the six others being, New Mexico, Mississippi, Vermont, New Jersey, Virginia and Massachusetts. The announcement will be of particular interest to the thousands of amateur photographers in North Carolina, offering them an opportunity for full-page reproduction of their photographs in a national magazine. The awards will be given to the prints which combine photographic excellence and subject matter interestingly portraying life in North Carolina. No distinction is drawn between amateur and professional work and, according to the editors, any picture taken in North Carolina and not previously published in a major magazine will be acceptable.

Glossy prints size eight by ten inches are preferred. Photographic data and interesting information about the scene should be included. The winning photographs will each receive an award of ten dollars. The photographs should be mailed to the magazine by May 15.

Seed Sweet Potatoes Should Get Treatment

Seed sweet potatoes should be treated before planting. The seed sweets should be treated to destroy any surface borne disease producing organisms that might be present on the potato. Use mercuric chloride 1 to 1,000 (one ounce to eight gallons of water) for fifteen minutes and bed after drying. Do not wash the potatoes after treatment. The solution should be warm or about 100 degrees F. for the most effective control of any organisms. Seed already diseased cannot be cured by seed treatment.

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina, Martin County. In The Superior Court. Before the Clerk.

Mrs. Martha Sexton, Administratrix of the Estate of T. J. Holliday vs. W. J. Holliday, Jr., Mrs. F. S. Daw, Grace Holliday, Lula Mizell and husband, L. W. Mizell, Vera Warrington and husband, Dan Warrington, Roxanna Smithwick, Celesta Blissette and husband, Hubert Blissette, Bernice Davis, Theresa Davis, Isolene Warrington and husband, Peter Warrington, Joseph Martin, Bertie Martin, Grace Martin, Edward Lee Martin, Albert Martin, Thomas Martin, Bill Martin, Lucille Martin and Esther Martin.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Martin County made in the above entitled proceedings, the undersigned commissioners will, on the 6th day of April, 1939, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate to wit:

Lying and being in Jamesville Township, Martin County, North



Palmolive	3 for 20c
Small Super Suds (Red Box)	3 for 25c
Larger Super Suds (Red Box)	2 for 35c
Small Super Suds (Blue Box)	3 for 25c
Large Super Suds (Blue Box)	2 for 43c
(Gets clothes "hospital clean")	
Octagon Soap (giant)	6 for 25c
Octagon Soap (small)	10 for 23c
Octagon Powder (Large)	6 for 25c
Octagon Powder (small)	10 for 23c
Octagon Toilet	6 for 25c
Octagon Cleanser	2 for 9c
Octagon Chips	2 for 18c
Octagon Granulated	2 for 18c
Crystal White Soap	3 for 14c
Hollywood Beauty Soap	3 for 14c
Klex (Fumice) Soap	3 for 14c
Universal Hardw'r Soap	3 for 14c

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Carolina, being a tract of land in Jamesville Township, adjoining Cooper Swamp, the Holliday tract, G. W. Holliday and Mrs. Lyda Holliday, and commonly known and designated as the T. J. Holliday home place, containing 57 acres, more or less.

This 6th day of March, 1939. ELBERT S. PEEL, and B. A. CRITCHER, Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of J. R. Parker, late of Martin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Williamston, N. C. R. F. D. on or before the 7th day of March, 1940, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 7th day of March, 1939. MRS. WILLIE GURKIN, Administratrix of J. R. Parker. B. A. Critcher, Atty. m10-6t

BOND ORDER—BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF MARTIN COUNTY FOR CROSS ROADS TOWNSHIP. Be it ordered by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Martin, State of North Carolina: 1. That bonds of Cross Roads Township shall be issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$50,000.00 for the purpose of refunding the following described valid outstanding bonds of said Cross Roads Township, to wit: \$50,000.00, 6 per cent Cross Roads Township bonds, dated April 1st, 1921, due and payable \$5,000.00 thereof on the 1st day of April in each of the years, 1937, 1938, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945 and 1946. 2. A statement of the debt of Cross Roads Township, Martin County, North Carolina, has been filed with the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners, of Martin County

and is open to public inspection. 3. This order shall take effect upon its passage and shall not be submitted to the voters. The foregoing bond order was passed on the 6th day of March, 1939 and was first published on the 17th day of March, 1939. Any action or proceeding questioning the validity of said order must be commenced within thirty days after its first publication. J. SAM GETSINGER, Clerk to the Board of Commissioners of Martin County.

CITATION North Carolina, Martin County. Superior Court. In the Matter of the Will of Gus Coffield. To William Cherry and all other persons interested in the estate of Gus Coffield, deceased, are hereby notified that Annie Purvis Et Als, having entered a caveat to the probate of the paper writing purporting to be the will of the late Gus Coffield, and having filed the bond required by law, and the case having



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Octagon Chips	2 for 18c
Octagon Granulated	2 for 18c
Crystal White Soap	3 for 14c
Hollywood Beauty Soap	3 for 14c
Creme Oil Soap	3 for 14c
Universal Hardw'r Soap	3 for 14c

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been transferred to the Superior Court for trial at April term, you will appear and make yourselves proper parties to the said proceedings if you choose. This 14th day of March, 1939. L. B. WYNNE, Clerk Superior Court. m17-4t

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The Trouble

In a general conversation the other day, a man of national recognition in the educational world, pointed out to his college students that the world's ills are not economic, but moral and spiritual. The prominent man, hitting the nail on the head, it was learned is not a member of the church and it is gathered from the story that he contributes little thought or material aid to those agencies that would promote morals and elevate the spiritual-being of his community, state or nation.

That prominent man, while pointing out a stark truth, is partly responsible for the unrest in the world today.

Every community has its prophets who can tell you what is the matter with the world and yet they are generally the ones who do not lift a hand to relieve a bad situation. Their minds are bent on their individual pleasures, and they are the ones who contribute to the chaos that surrounds society here, there and everywhere. It isn't the criminal who is caught and punished in the courts of the land that is destroying the country; the man who offers all the criticism and who does nothing about it is the one responsible for conditions as they are found here and there and even in far-away Europe.

This is a land of freedom—freedom to do as one pleases. It is that freedom shorn of all responsibility to the moral and spiritual obligations that is going to engulf us all sooner or later.

No Party Dares Repeal "New Deal"

No political party will dare to propose repeal of "New Deal" reform, Senator Alben W. Barkley, Democratic floor leader, declared in a statement praising the first six years of the Roosevelt administration.

"We have preserved and vindicated democracy, retaining our God-given liberties of freedom of speech, of worship and of the press," Barkley declared. "A firm foundation has been laid for a new and more permanent prosperity in which not only a favored few but all citizens shall participate."

"Did universal charity prevail, earth would be heaven and hell a fable."—Colton.



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DOG CLINICS

Clinics for the vaccination of all dogs in accordance with the State law will be held in this county at places and dates specified below:

DARDENS	Monday, April 10, from 11 to 2 p. m.
JAMESVILLE	Tuesday, April 11, from 11 to 2 p. m.
No. 90 FILLING STATION	Thursday, April 13, from 11 to 2 p. m.
HARDISON'S MILL	Friday, April 14, from 11 to 2 p. m.
EASON LILLEY'S STORE	Monday, April 17, from 11 to 2 p. m.
COREY'S CROSS ROADS	Tuesday, April 18, from 11 to 2 p. m.
BEAR GRASS	Thursday, April 20, from 10 to 2:30 p. m.
BIGGS SCHOOL HOUSE	Friday, April 21, from 11 to 2 p. m.
WILLIAMSTON	Saturday, April 22, All day at Dr. Osteen's Office
BEDDARD'S STORE	Monday, April 24, from 11 to 2 p. m.
CROSS ROADS	Wednesday, April 26, from 11 to 2 p. m.
EVERETTS	Friday, April 28, from 11 to 2 p. m.
GOLD POINT	Monday, May 1, from 10 to 2 p. m.
PARMELE	Wednesday, May 3, from 11 to 2 p. m.
ROEBUCK'S STATION, Log Cabin	Thursday, May 4, from 11 to 2 p. m.
ROBERSONVILLE	Saturday, May 6, from 10 to 5 p. m.
HASSELL	Monday, May 8, from 10 to 2 p. m.
HAMILTON	Wednesday, May 10, from 10 to 3 p. m.
SMITH BROS. STORE	Thursday, May 11, from 11 to 2 p. m.
OAK CITY	Saturday, May 13, from 10 to 3 p. m.

All dogs not vaccinated at their respective clinics must be brought to Dr. Osteen's office at Williamston. No return vaccination schedules will be made. Owners of dogs not vaccinated will be promptly prosecuted.

Owners are urged to have their dogs vaccinated in their respective districts on the dates specified. All vaccinations will be done by a licensed veterinarian. Dogs will be vaccinated at office of Dr. Osteen when he is not out on a clinic.

By order of the Board of Martin County Commissioners.

C. B. Roebuck

SHERIFF