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#### Hugh S. Johnson

Hugh S. Johnson is offering much advice to the nation and to the world today. Apparently entertaining the belief that he knows more than any other living man, he tells the world each day in his half-baked and ultra-sophisticated column about the weaknesses of his own government. To date, he has offered no constructive thought, and his criticism has been vile and unfounded

Who is Hugh Johnson? Some time back yonder he must have been connected with the Army; they call him general. The Army title has been supplanted and he is now known as General Nuisance to the government, to the people and to their democratic form of government. Back yonder, Mr. Johnson was in Washington during the war. He was the man who took the bull by the horns and had millions of forms printed in preparation for the draft. The action was taken before the draft was ordered and is typical of Johnson. He is the same man who headed the old NRA. His superior knowledge in handling that agency almost wrecked it. He had to be kicked out. And as a baby robbed of its candy he turned against his own friends and is now offering to run the country through a newspaper column. Today, he is an eternal grouch and a bellyacher of the

### Offsetting The Recovery Debt

According to a recognized financial editor, industrial firms in this country during the first half of 1940 earned an average return on net worth of 11.4 per cent. The financial genius did not point out in so many words the supplementary facts, but it is quite evident that the earnings in that period would pay a recovery tax two times greater than the one now in effect, allow stockholders a liberal dividend, create a sinking fund, maintain a depreciation schedule and provide adequate salaries to the big boys.

During the latter part of the Hoover regime, a regime some are apparently anxious to have back, put industry in the red. It was impossible to pay a tax of one dollar then. Consider the profits made possible under the spending program, and it will be found that the entire debt contracted during the past seven and one-half years could be offset with some to spare. And then people have lived, and revolution was

#### Reduced To A Cheap Political Organ

The Congressional Record, coming from the very seat of government, is being reduced to a common political organ. While it still serves to record the proceedings of the Congress, its appendix has been converted into an expensive mouthorgan for common politics. Through our own bright Senator, Robert (Hitler's Boy) Reynolds, its columns have been thrown wide open to German propaganda by ill-bred columnists such as Hugh S. (S for stink) Johnson.

Just recently a conservative Senator from Virginia made a Farley edition out of the Record. It has been said that each page in the booklet costs the taxpayers \$1,000. And yet, Mr. Byrd will get up and talk about extravagance

Unable to offer one, just one, single constructive thought, Bob Reynolds turns to his chums, borrows their ideas and inserts in the Record at the rate of \$1,000 per page.

A casual glance at its contents gives one the firm belief that the Record is hardly more than a propaganda sheet for Hitler and his fiendish

Right motives give pinions to thought, and strength and freedom to speech and action. Mary Baker Eddy.

Everybody finds out, sooner or later, that all success worth having is founded on Christian rules of conduct.-Henry Martyn Field.

In the works of man as in those of nature it is what he would do if he knew he would never be found out.-Macaulay

## Two Very Important Prayers . . .

By REV. JAMES H. SMITH Williamston Mer Baptist Church.

People who pray without ceasing People who pray without ceasing no doubt offer many prayers of praise and petition, but perhaps the following two, if earnestly made, are proceedingly and helpful as any in as practicable and helpful as any in the whole catalogue of requests made to the Father in Heaven: "Forgive us our sins," and "Help us to forgive those who sin against us."

Though you've left us, We are never alone Because in memory, You will always live or —By the Fan

In the model prayer Jesus taught His disciples to pray that their sins might be forgiven. He was without sin. He lived a perfect life. But His disciples, as often as they asked for the Kingdom of Heaven to come and disciples, as often as they asked for the Kingdom of Heaven to come and for daily bread, were to say "Forgive us our trespasses." This is a Jenkins, R. A. Lloyd and others, begive us our trespasses." This is a Jenkins, R. A. Lloyd and others, bemost natural prayer for one who
does not have an exalted opinion of himself, for one who is not selfrighteous, for one who has had a vision of God and has seen Him high
and lifted up, for one who has seen
himself in the light of what he ought
to be and in the light of the spotless
Son of God, Who has not felt his
burden roll away by saying, "Accordings to the multitude of Thy ten-

son of God, Who has not felt his burden roll away by saying, "According to the multitude of Thy tender mercies, blot out our transgressions."

Too often Christians are inclined not to forgive those who trespass against them. A modern evangelist says that a person so seldom forgives another that it is always news when it does happen. Jesus taught also in the model prayer that if we do not forgive men their trespasses against us, our Heavenly Father will not forgive us. "But if ye forgive not men their trespasses, neither will your Heavenly Father forgive will your Heavenly Father forgive you your trespasses." Putting it positively, if we DO forgive others He WILL forgive us. A forgiving spirit may work redemption both for the one forgiving and the one forgiven. The Episcopal minister who went into the prison to the girl who killed his son and said: "I forgive you; my heart bleeds for you," could not have said anything more fitting for a Christian. Christians must forgive an indefinite number of times, and it takes grace to do it.

Approximately three males were the condition of the coordina Martin County. County of Martin vs. Sudie Jones and W. W. Griffin.

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina Martin County. County of Martin vs. Sudie Jones and W. W. Griffin.

Under and by virtue of a judgment in the above entitled proceeding on the 5th day of August, 1940, by L. B. Wynne, Clerk of the Supercior Court of Martin County, the untit the above entitled proceeding on the 5th day of August, 1940, at the day of September, 1940, at the welve o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williams Township. Martin County. Response to the prison to the girl who killed his son and said: "I forgive you; my heart bleeds for you," could not have said anything more fitting for a Christian martin client of the court of Martin County. The day of September, 1940, at the day of September, 1940, at the solution of the court of Martin County. The day of September, 1940, at the day of September, 1940, at the following describe

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and judgment in the above entitled proceeding made by L. B. Wynne, Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County on the 12th day of August, 1940, the undersigned commissioner will, on Saturday, the 14th day of September, 1940, at twelve est bidder for cash, on Monday, the

Since you left us, Dear father, a year ago; Life seems incomplete, We miss you, miss you so.

To the friendless You were always a friend. He who would borrow, He who would borrow, Found you ready to lend.

o'clock noon, in front of the court-house door in the town of Williams-ton, offer for sale to the highest bid-der for cash the following described

gth day of September, 1940, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the court-house door in the town of Williamston, the following described tracts of parcels of land, to wit:

First Tract: That parcel of land situated in Hamilton, N. C., and being on Main Street, bounded by J. P. Boyle land and others, and being known as the Perkins garage lot, containing one-half acre, more or less, and known as the 11th tract in the W. L. Sherrod heirs partition.

Second Tract: A lot in the town of Hamilton, N. C., deeded by D. G. Matthews and wife to Anthony and Bryan, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book RRR at page 204.

Said two above described tracts

NOTICE OF SALE Approximately three males were killed to every female killed in traffic accidents the first half of this year.

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina, Martin County of Martin vs. C. D. Perkins, and wife, Blanche Perkins, T. B. Slade, trustee, W. S. Rhodes, D. G. Matthews, H. G. Horton, trustee, Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, G. H. Harrison and C. A. Harrison, partners trading as Harrison Oil Company, Paul Auto Supply Company and Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. Under and by virtue of a judgment

## CHURCH **NEWS**

BAPTIST

RIDDICK'S GROVE

will hold regular services Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. All members

METHODIST

Preaching Sunday morning and

Epworth League, 7:15 p. m. Mid-week praye rservice Wednes-

day evening at 8 o'clock.
You are cordially invited to all

are urged to be present.

vening by the pastor. Church school, 9:45 a. m

services.

Riddick's Grove Baptists Church

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the District Court of the United
States for the Eastern District of
Norh Carolina. Washington Divi-Bible school, 9:45 a. m Morning worship, 11 a. m. B. T. U., 7 p. m. Evening worship, 8 p. m.

liamston, N. C. Voluntary banarupt.
Notice is hereby given that Monday. September 16, 1940, has been fixed by an order of the Court entered at the first meeting of the creditors, as the last day on which objections to the discharge of this bankrupt may be filed.

Such objections are required to be specified, to be verified, to be in duplicate, and to be filed with the undersigned.

WHEELER MARTIN,

WHEELER MARTIN, U. S. Referee in Bankrup Williamston, N. C. August 15, 1940.



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1935	\$20.86	\$20.54	\$21.02
1936	\$22.85	\$21.58	\$23.94
1937	\$25.77	\$22.38	\$26.46
1938	\$23.34	\$22.95	\$23.63
1939	\$15.97	\$15.49	\$16.38





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12:25

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