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Just A Reminder

It has been several weeks since Bernard M. Baruch submitted his impartial report, portraying the seriousness of the rubber shortage. When we have the urge to slip up on the situation and cheat, it will be well to remember some of Mr. Baruch's startling revelations:

"Tires on civilian cars are wearing down at a rate eight times greater than they are being replaced. If this rate continues, by far the larger number of cars will be off the road next year, and in 1944 there will be an all but complete collapse of the 27,000,000 passenger cars in America."

"We are faced with certainties as to demands; with grave insecurity as to supply. Therefore this committee conceives its first duty to be the maintenance of a rubber reserve that will keep our armed forces fighting and our essential civilian wheels turning. This can best be done by 'bullying' through the present gigantic synthetic program and by safeguarding jealously every ounce of rubber in the country."

Mr. Maruch, chairman of the impartial committee, adds: "Let there be no doubt that only actual needs, not fancied wants, can or should, be satisfied. To dissipate our stocks of rubber is to destroy one of our chief weapons of war. We have the choice. Discomfort or defeat. There is no middle course."

Centralizing Centralization

With some good folks for and some good folks against it, it would seem that the proposed "educational amendment" to the State Constitution is both good and bad.

The people back home are a bit confused, and even though there still exists an earnest and basic desire on their part to better education, they can't understand why leaders are so di-

vided. As far as school policies, direction and control are concerned, the common people have been out of the picture so long that they are hardly expected to know what is going on up in Raleigh. Briefly stated, they look upon the proposal as a centralizing move in an already high state of centralization, or just another scrap within the centralized groups.

There can be no serious objection to any plan that would advance the cause of common education. Apparently the proposal now offered will only eliminate the various boards and agencies and consolidate control with representation going mainly to certain groups outside the educational field.

Assigned Many Tasks

It would seem that the task of winning the war is a big enough assignment within itself, but a carefree America has assigned its armed services other tasks, too. These extra-curricular tasks are certain to push the Army and Navy, and, yes, the Marine Corps, too, off their true course, but it is apparent that the services have got to do what a civilian economy failed to do in the way of health, education and religion.

At one time, the services apparently decided it was not their job to rebuild human bodies and repair the damages caused by slovenly if not down-right bad habits. Now, the Army is taking men in the I-B classification, and there is good reason to believe that many of those fellows will come nearer reflecting a picture of health when they return than they did when they entered the service.

Offered illiterates in great numbers, the Army first turned down those selectees who could not write their names. Now, the Army is accepting them. In short, the Army is having to do what society failed to do.

But that is not all, the Army is finding it necessary to remind its charges that there is a Supreme Being. And, according to reports, the Army and other branches of the service are doing an effective job. Eighty per cent and more of the men in the camps are finding their way to religious services, while back home a slovenly population turns out hardly more than 20 per cent strong in attendance upon religious services. These young men, the reports explain, are beginning to question the practices advanced and so completely followed after an ultra-modern fashion these past twenty years. Some of the young men did not recognize the empty meaning of the modern trend that steered them away from the Church until they reached the fox holes on Bataan, but a revival in those things possessing real spiritual values is sweeping through the Army. To those who have watched armies advance into battle depending solely upon their guns and material strength just to go down in defeat, recognize in the revival a new power, a power far greater than Hitler's panzer divisions and his stukas combined.

While the Army moves to accept the challenge, America back home will do well to support the march to victory by mending its health, advancing education and recognizing those values inherent in humble religious worship.

Three thousand, nine hundred and fifty-five dollars will buy 1 radio communication truck (without equipment).

Seventeen pounds of kitchen fats saved will provide a pound and a half of glycerine, enough to fire 85 anti-tank shells.

Notice of Service by Publication

North Carolina. Martin County. In The Superior Court.
John Rhines vs. Ada Rhines.
The above named defendant will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina, to secure a divorce from the said defendant by the said plaintiff; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Mar-

tin County, at Williamston, N. C., within thirty days from the completion of this service, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.
This September 28, 1942.
L. B. WYNNE,
Clerk Superior Court of Martin County.

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STATEMENT FEDERAL UNION INSURANCE COMPANY

Chicago, Illinois
Condition December 31, 1941, As Shown By Statement Filed.

Amount of capital paid in cash \$1,000,000.00
Amount of ledger assets, Dec. 31st previous year 3,454,772.02
Income—From Policyholders, \$1,275,424.00; Miscellaneous, 1,378,029.08
Total \$2,653,453.02
Disbursements—To Policyholders, \$419,542.39; Miscellaneous, 1,082,778.36
Total \$1,532,320.75
Fire Premiums—Written or renewed during year, 3,507,398.65
\$2,655,454.24; In Force 368.20
All Other Premiums—Written or renewed during year, 1,321,076.35
\$1,820,294.03; In Force

ASSETS
Value of Bonds and Stocks \$3,111,390.90
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks not on interest 340,250.55
Agents' balances, representing business written subsequent to October 1, 1941 313,653.82
Agents' balances, representing business written prior to October 1, 1941 12,183.88
Deduct Ceded Reinsurance Balances Payable 46,737.84
Bills receivable, taken for fire risks 7,221.16
Bills receivable, taken for other risks 368.20
Interest and Rents due and accrued 12,900.94
All other Assets, as detailed in statement 22,093.47

Total \$3,773,325.08
Less Assets not admitted 226,589.76
Total admitted Assets \$3,546,735.32

LIABILITIES
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims \$ 300,694.50
Unearned premiums 946,416.11
Salaries, rents, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, due or accrued 46,737.84
Estimated amount payable for Federal, State, county and municipal taxes due or accrued 58,158.88
Contingent commissions, or other charges due or accrued 7,313.45
All other liabilities, as detailed in statement 77,663.98

Total amount of all liabilities except Capital \$1,394,080.72
Capital actually paid up in cash \$1,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities 1,152,654.60

Surplus as regards Policyholders 2,152,654.60

Total Liabilities \$3,546,735.32

BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA DURING 1941

Fire Risks written, \$838,171; Premiums received \$6,452
All Other Risks written, \$497,796; Premiums received 6,814
Losses Incurred—Fire, \$322; Paid 267
Losses Incurred—All other, \$3,575; Paid 3,855
President: Harold Warner. Secretary: C. F. Eickstaedt
Home Office: 175 W. Jackson Blvd. Chicago, Ill.
Attorney for service: Dan C. Boney, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N.C.
State of North Carolina.
Insurance Department.
Raleigh, June 2nd, 1942.

I, DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Federal Union Insurance Company of Chicago, Ill., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company, on the 31st day of December, 1941.
Witness my hand and official seal, the day and year above written.
DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner.

STATEMENT OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

London, England.
Condition December 31, 1941, As Shown By Statement Filed.

Statutory deposit \$ 250,000.00
Amount of Ledger Assets, Dec. 31st previous year 983,368.20
Income—From Policyholders, \$518,210.13; Miscellaneous, 552,629.15
Total \$1,031,598.33
Disbursements—To Policyholders, \$122,804.83; Miscellaneous, 366,011.58
Total \$488,816.41
All Other Premiums—Written or renewed during year, 786,646.75
\$1,288,882.71; In Force

ASSETS
Value of Bonds and Stocks \$ 905,439.84
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks not on interest 241,109.28
Agents' balances, representing business written subsequent to October 1, 1941 172,224.30
Agents' balances, representing business written prior to October 1, 1941 205.10
Deduct Ceded Reinsurance Balances Payable 153,504.69
Interest and Rents due and accrued 3,423.75
All other Assets, as detailed in statement 4,531.94

Total \$1,173,429.52
Less Assets not admitted 34,804.63
Total admitted Assets \$1,138,624.89

LIABILITIES
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims \$ 261,207.00
Unearned premiums 141,282.72
Salaries, rents, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, due or accrued 1,415.00
Estimated amount payable for Federal, State, county and municipal taxes due or accrued 35,700.00
Contingent commissions, or other charges due or accrued 14,700.00
All other liabilities, as detailed in statement 32,438.98

Total amount of all liabilities except Capital \$ 486,743.70
Statutory deposit \$250,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities 401,881.19

Surplus as regards Policyholders 651,881.19

Total Liabilities \$1,138,624.89

Frank B. Zeller,
U. S. Home Office: 150 William St., New York, N. Y.

Attorney for service: Dan C. Boney, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N.C.
State of North Carolina.
Insurance Department.
Raleigh, July 29th, 1942.

I, DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Ocean Marine Insurance Company, Ltd., of London, England, filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company, on the 31st day of December, 1941.

Witness my hand and official seal, the day and year above written.
DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner.

STATEMENT NORTHWESTERN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Minneapolis, Minn.
Condition December 31, 1941, As Shown By Statement Filed.

Amount of Capital paid up in cash \$ 1,650,000.00
Amount of Ledger Assets December 31st of previous year 78,080,572.99
Premium Income, \$11,329,751.35; Miscellaneous, 16,822,595.91
Total \$28,912,347.26
Disbursements—To Policyholders, \$5,688,475.47; Miscellaneous, 10,321,135.68
Total \$16,010,611.15
Business written during year—Number of Policies 67,538,944.00
Business in force at end of year—Number of Policies 481,197,511.00
155,830; Amount

ASSETS
Value of Real Estate (less amount of encumbrances) \$ 2,533,777.22
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 234,627.76
Loans made to Policyholders on this Company's Policies assigned as collateral 9,229,751.52
Net Value of Bonds and Stocks 53,999,427.71
Interest and Rents due and accrued 2,301,683.33
Premiums uncollected and deferred 549,009.25
All other Assets, as detailed in statement 2,178,026.43
Total \$87,344,875.90
Less Assets not admitted 615,793.20
Total admitted Assets \$86,729,082.70

LIABILITIES
Net Reserve, excluding Disability Provision \$66,270,336.00
Present value of amounts not yet due on Supplementary Contracts, etc. 4,397,713.00
Policy Claims 2,782,355.76
Dividends left with Company at interest 33,268.65
Premiums paid in advance 309,469.14
Unearned Interest and Rent paid in advance 26,019.00
Estimated Amount payable for Federal, State and other Taxes 310,090.56
Dividends due Policyholders 58,642.01
Amount set apart for future dividends 324,871.16
All other Liabilities, as detailed in statement 5,305,722.81

Total amount of all Liabilities, except Capital \$80,025,135.36

Reserve \$2,540,693.00
Capital paid up in Cash 1,650,000.00
Unassigned funds (surplus) 2,504,254.34 6,703,947.34

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$86,729,082.70

BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DURING 1941

No.	Amount	No.	Amount	
Policies on the lives of citizens of said State in force Dec. 31st of previous year	392	\$1,028,488	1	\$145,500
Policies on the lives of citizens of said State issued during the year	7	29,111		16,500
Total	399	\$1,057,599	1	\$162,500
Deduct ceased to be in force during the year	1	2,624		27,500
Policies in force December 31st	398	\$1,054,975		\$134,500
Losses and Claims unpaid December 31st of previous year	1	755.81		
Losses and Claims incurred during year	3	7,732.12	3	4,500
Total	4	\$ 8,487.93	3	\$ 4,500

Losses and Claims settled during the year, in full, \$9,500 2 \$ 5,000 3 \$ 4,500
Losses and Claims unpaid Dec. 31st \$ 3,487.93
Premium Income—Ordinary, \$21,660.92; Group, \$2,297.23; Total, \$23,958.15
President: O. J. Arnold Secretary: G. W. Wells, Jr.
Treasurer: G. C. Holmberg Actuary: J. S. Hale
Home Office: 430 Oak Grove St. Minneapolis, Minn.
Attorney for service: Dan C. Boney, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N.C.
State of North Carolina.
Insurance Department.
Raleigh, Aug. 10, 1942.

I, DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Northwestern National Life Insurance Company, of Minneapolis, Minn., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1941.

Witness my hand and official seal, the day and year above written.
DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner.

STATEMENT NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Milwaukee, Wis.
Condition December 31, 1941, As Shown By Statement Filed.

Amount of Ledger Assets December 31st of previous year \$1,369,469,990.14
Premium Income, \$138,659,775.09; Miscellaneous, 228,213,051.87
Total \$1,508,129,046.03
Disbursements—To Policyholders, \$104,087,531.90; Miscellaneous, \$44,933,004.34; Total 149,020,536.24
Business written during year—Number of Policies 251,087,632.00
Business in force at end of year—Number of Policies 4,044,674,863.00
Amount 1,092,393; Amount

ASSETS
Value of Real Estate (less amount of encumbrances) \$ 49,982,758.99
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 291,940,380.42
Loans secured by pledge of Bonds, Stocks, or other collateral 2,355,439.89
Premium notes on Policies in force 15,571,326.90
Net Value of Bonds and Stocks 946,324,114.74
Cash 17,229,174.03
Interest and Rents due and accrued 17,039,825.35
Premiums uncollected and deferred 17,445,612.57
All other Assets, as detailed in statement 1,352,632.20

Total \$1,483,158,813.69
Less Assets not admitted 43,268,823.86
Total admitted Assets \$1,439,889,989.83

LIABILITIES
Net Reserve, excluding Disability Provision \$1,124,648,652.00
Present value of amounts not yet due on Supplementary Contracts, etc. 182,064,517.00
Policy Claims 6,081,114.23
Dividends left with Company at interest 7,449,172.97
Premiums paid in advance 719,825.99
Unearned Interest and Rent paid in advance 31,954.62
Commissions due to Agents 248,590.58
Estimated Amount payable for Federal, State and other Taxes 3,221,083.90
Dividends due Policyholders 1,227,797.69
Amount set apart for future dividends 34,430,533.00
All other Liabilities, as detailed in statement 1,352,632.20

Total amount of all Liabilities, except Capital \$1,365,015,428.30
Unassigned funds (surplus) \$ 74,874,395.56

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$1,439,889,989.83

BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DURING 1941

No.	Amount	
Policies on the lives of citizens of said State in force December 31st of previous year	7,700	\$30,795,412
Policies on lives of citizens of said State issued during the year	623	2,728,996
Total	8,323	\$33,524,408
Deduct ceased to be in force during the year	177	800,961
Policies in force December 31st	8,146	\$32,723,447
Losses and Claims unpaid Dec. 31st of previous year	7	13,794
Losses and Claims incurred during year	84	293,643
Total	91	\$ 307,437

Losses and Claims settled during the year, in full, \$267,568 17 \$ 272,568
by rejection 5,000 74 34,869
Losses and Claims unpaid December 31st 14 34,869
Premium Income—Ordinary, \$961,553.24; Total, \$961,553.24
President: M. J. Cleary Secretary: G. L. Anderson
Treasurer: J. E. Birkhauser Actuary: Percy H. Evans
Home Office: 720 E. Wisconsin Ave. Milwaukee, Wis.
Attorney for service: Dan C. Boney, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N.C.
State of North Carolina.
Insurance Department.
Raleigh, Aug. 8th, 1942.

I, DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Milwaukee, Wis., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1941.

Witness my hand and official seal, the day and year above written.
DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner.

You and All Others Are, of Necessity,
Spending More Time at Home These Days . .

Then Why Not Make It More Livable, Cozy, Attractive

As the weeks and months go by, and the continued restrictions on gasoline and rubber for civilian use make it more difficult to drive our cars, we are, of necessity, going to spend more time at home . . . if we're not already doing so. And . . . we're going to become more conscious of our home, especially as to what we really need to make it a place where we can really live, relax and get our needed recreation and enjoyment during these trying days.

And, too, being at home more you're going to think of inviting your friends, your neighbors, in for the afternoon or evening . . . and, of course, you'll want your home to be as attractive and inviting as you possibly can make it. Now's the time to look around . . . you'll see plenty of things you really need . . . a new piece here, another there, new rugs, new lamps, etc. It's surprising how little it takes sometimes to brighten a home . . . make it so much more livable.

We, as thousands of other furniture stores throughout the nation, are observing National Furniture Week . . . October 3rd to 10th. We wish to point out to you that there are no priorities on charm and comfort, which have made America's homes the best furnished and the best-equipped in the world. Visit our store and see the many fine values we have to offer during National Furniture Week.

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