

# Dale Carnegie

Author of "How to Win Friends and Influence People."



## GETTING THINGS DONE

Walter P. Chrysler wasn't all day a crisis arose. The engine on the crack train between Salt Lake City and Denver went lame. It was operating on only one side. No other engine could be used. This meant that the train would not only be late, it meant it would not go at all. The famous flyer would have to stand idle in the station. Hundreds of people would be delayed, miss their appointments. The reputation of the railroad would suffer.

The master mechanic was frantic. Twelve o'clock noon! And the train had to leave at three. He told the best man in the yard that the back cylinder head had blown out. The man shook his head. That would take twenty hours. He consulted another man. Same answer.

Then he saw young mechanic Chrysler. He asked him if he could put in a back cylinder head by three. Young Chrysler knew the engine. He knew intimately and expertly what had to be done. But he did not hesitate. "I'll do it if you'll give me two helpers." Two helpers! Great guns! He could have every helper in the railroad yards!

The engine was wheeled out to the roundhouse pit, at ten minutes after twelve. Young Chrysler actually leaped onto the engine before it stopped rolling. The fire was raked from the boilers

into the ashpit. But Chrysler didn't wait for it to cool. He hopped in. It burned his shoes. But he kept stripping off wrist-pins, nuts, bolts, and studs. He worked with a feverish intensity. That was for him the most important job in the world—and he was going to do it!

At last he called the master mechanic. "The job's finished." Ten minutes of three. The master mechanic was overjoyed. The crack train pulled out on time.

This incident changed Walter Chrysler's whole life. It made him known. It raised him head and shoulders above the herd. He was immediately made foreman with ninety men under him. His ability to achieve what seemed impossible had started him upward. He had drawn attention to himself by one outstanding accomplishment. He accomplished more in that two hours and forty minutes than he had in all the other time he had spent in the shops put together.

## RONDA

Mrs. Banner Edwards entertained at a children's party at her home in Ronda Wednesday afternoon honoring her small son, Wendell on his first birthday anniversary. About fifteen of his little friends gathered to celebrate the occasion with him.

Pictures were made and miniature men were given as favors. The children entertained themselves by playing with toys. Refreshments were served on the lawn. The white birthday cake was decorated with one tiny pink candle.

Those present were Ida Ruth Martin, Barbara Jean Sale, Patsy Ruth Myers, Sara Delle Jones, Jimmie Bradley, Jimmie Burchette, Rex Mastin, Ted Mastin, Fred Dimmette, Jimmie Bentley, Bobby Jones, Charles Dean Edwards, Richard Caswell Martin, Mae Martin and Gerald Edwards.

## Reports on Nazis



WASHINGTON, D. C. . . . Alexander C. Kirk, charge d'affaires at the United States Embassy in Berlin, leaves the State Department after reporting to State Department officials on conditions in Germany.

## EAST ELKIN

Mrs. A. A. Newman and son and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Culler and family and Rev. Claude E. Fincham spent Sunday at Pilot Mountain.

Rev. J. L. Powers, our pastor, has been appointed to the pastorate of Mt. Herman church. This makes him pastor of four churches. This church changed its preaching services from the first Sunday to the second Sunday in each month in order to secure his services. Brother Powers has a strong church at Bean Shoals, near Pilot Mountain, to which he has been elected as pastor recently.

Mrs. T. M. Gambill and son, Greenville, visited friends at Pinnacle Saturday afternoon.

R. W. Powers and C. F. Chatman went to Winston-Salem Monday on business.

Gene Nixon, of Mountain Park, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Mrs. Norma Smoot and son, Ralph, are visiting relatives at Danville, Va.

Ralph Fincham and Raymond Dalton, of Mt. Airy, were visitors here Monday.

Immediate extension of the FECC food stamp plan to include the entire nation as an emergency move has been advocated by a large number of the country's grocers.

## People's Column

The Tribune does not necessarily endorse any article under this heading but welcomes at all times communications of interest to its readers and the general public.

### PREPAREDNESS

Editor Tribune:

We hear a lot said in these days about preparedness, and I fear we are trusting too much in men, guns, bombs, armies, and navies, and not enough in God Almighty. I appeal to my readers to put their trust in God and fear Him instead of man—for if God be for us who can be against us? Text: Prepare to meet thy God. (Amos 4:12.)

When David went out to fight Goliath the Philistine giant, who stood more than nine feet tall and who had defied the armies of Israel time and again, he said to King Saul, I am not afraid to go out and fight this giant. But David did not go forth in his own name, he went in the name of the Lord of Hosts. He refused even to put on King Saul's coat of mail, looking unto God for his defense and ammunition, with the result that he slew Goliath and cut off his head with his own sword.

This nation of ours, every church and congregation, and all people of every name and order need to come down on their knees humbly before God in prayer and repentance; we must learn to put away pride and so much emphasis on luxury, style, and fashion. Hear moreover as the Lord sayeth, because the daughters of Zion are become haughty and walking with stretched forth necks and wanton eyes, in that day the Lord will take away the bravery of their tinkling ornaments about their feet, and their cauls, and their round tires like the moon; the rings and nose jewels, the changeable suits of apparel, and the mantles, and the wimples, and the crisping pins. And it shall come to pass that instead of sweet smell there shall be stink; and instead of a girdle a rent; and instead of well set hair baldness. Thy men shall fall by the sword and thy mighty in the war, and her gates shall lament and mourn; and she being desolate shall sit upon the ground. And in that day seven women shall take hold of one man, saying, We will eat our own bread and wear our own apparel; only let us be called by thy name to take away our reproach. (Isaiah 3:16, 18, 21-16; 4:1.) This prophecy is being fulfilled every day as the war continues.

Now read again, If my people which are called by my name shall humble themselves and pray and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways: then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sins and will heal their land. (2 Chron. 7:14.) I believe that this is what the world needs more than anything else. Let the wicked forsake his way and the unrighteous man his thoughts and let him return unto the Lord, and He will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. (Isaiah 55:7.) We need to fear God and keep His commandments, for this is the whole duty of man. (Eccles. 12:18.)

Let us hear what Jesus says on fear, I will forewarn you whom ye shall fear: Fear him which after he hath killed hath power to cast into Hell; yea, I say unto you, Fear him. (Luke 12:15.) If we will obey this injunction then we need not fear Hitler or any other beast on earth.

When Gideon went out to fight the Midianites he thought he needed thirty-two thousand men. But the Lord said unto him, Your army is too great; send away all those who are fearful or afraid. And twenty-two thousand departed. Then the Lord said unto Gideon, The people are yet too many; bring them down to the water and I will try them for thee there. Everyone that lapped of the water with his tongue as a dog lapped, him shalt thou set by himself. Only three hundred of the ten thousand lapped the water in this way; but Gideon took his three hundred men as the Lord had said and gained a great victory over the Midianites who were as the sands of the sea in multitude. God teaches us that battles are not won nor victory achieved by great armies and navies, by big guns and planes, but by putting trust in Him.

So let us arm ourselves with the only unfailling weapons, and as Saint Paul exhorts, Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places. (Ephes. 6:11, 12.)

Let us pray earnestly that the Lord may speed the time when men shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning hooks; when nation shall not lift up sword against nation,

## Bicycle Taxi



COPENHAGEN, Denmark . . . The new type bicycle makes its appearance here as a result of the petrol shortage caused by the war. The vehicle seats two passengers besides the driver.

neither shall they learn war any more.

REV. GEO. E. BURRUS, Pastor of Huntsville Baptist Church, Rockford, N. C.

Lady Voice (over phone): "Is this the lady who washes?" Society snob: "Indeed, I should say not." Voice: "Oh, you dirty thing!"

### LIME

Farmers have already obtained two and a half times as much lime under the 1940 grant-of-aid program as they requested during the entire 1939 season, says an AAA summary.

The rearmament program will inevitably boost business over the nation, but it's a shot in the arm that can't last forever.

## Missionary Field Worker Is To Be Speaker At Rally

Miss Frances King Turner, a young missionary field worker, will be guest speaker at the Woman's Missionary Union Rally in Yadkinville Baptist church next Sunday evening, June 30, at 8:00 o'clock.

Miss Augusta Reece will conduct the devotional and special music will be an added feature of the program. Miss Turner will be with the association through Friday night, and will teach the mission study book, "The Way of Missionary Education," by Miss Juliette Mather, each evening at 8:00 o'clock in the following churches:

Monday, July 1: East Bend. Tuesday, July 2: Arlington. Wednesday, July 3: Oak Ridge (South).

Thursday, July 4: Sandy Springs. Friday, July 5: Cross Roads (Courtney).

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