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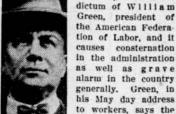
## News Review of Current **Events the World Over**

William Green Says Labor Must Force 30-Hour Week-Gen. Johnson and Business Leaders Discuss

Future of the NRA.

## By EDWARD W. PICKARD

NOTICE is served on the nation that year under the NRA had brought eco-IN the 30-hour work week will be forced on industry, by organized labor nomic improvement. Some of their suggestions for speeding the recovery by the use of widespread strikes, It program were: Another \$2,000,000,000 for public necessary. This is the dictum of William



as well as grave alarm in the country generally. Green, in his May day address to workers, says the New Deal has failed to remedy the unemployment situation, since there are still more than ten millions without jobs. The 30-hour week, he says, is the only remedy available since if all industries

not yet under codes are brought under them, the resulting re-employment will not give work to these millions. Just before Green issued this state

ment, President Roosevelt had appar-ently declined to support the Connery bill legislating a 30-hour week for all industry; and General Johnson has recently abandoned as not feasible the plan for forcing a 10 per cent reduction in working hours.

REPRESENTATIVE BERTRAND SNELL of New York, minority leader in the house, says the period of emergency is over, so he and the rest of the Republican leaders feel free now to demand that the emergency laws and bureaus be dispensed with. An amazing phase of the controversy over the New Deal thus comes to light. The opponents of the administration virtually concede that Presi-dent Roosevelt and his advisers have won their fight against the depression and declare that normal conditions have been restored or are at hand. But the President and the other New Dealers deny that the battle is over and assert that their recovery meas-ures must be continued in force. At the same time they insist that they are not seeking to change the American system to state socialism, collec-tivism, communism, fascism, and that what they are accomplishing is

"evolution, not revolution." Thus a most peculiar situation in politics is created, and the man in the street is waiting interestedly to see how it will be handled in the coming campaign.

LEADERS of business from all parts of the country gathered in Washington for the annual meeting of the United States Chamber of Commerce, and naturally the

topic for discussion was the NRA, concerning which varying views were offered. President Henry 1. Harriman declared

taxes on overproduction.

heavy industries.

ing stock exchange bill.

Approval by congress of the Presi-dent's tariff bargaining plans as a means to reviving foreign trade. Abandonment by the administration of its demand that industry cut its working hours 10 per cent and raise its pay rolls 10 per cent.

works in order to help the laggard

Co-ordination of all land, water, and

air transportation under a federal com-

mission and a cessation of federal sub-

sidies for inland waterways, Relaxation of the present rigid se-

curity act and a softening of the pend-

Control of bituminous coal production by a system of quotas and penalty

HARRIMAN is a rather small city in Tennessee but it has present-ed the NRA with a troubling problem. The town depends largely on the Harriman Hosiery mills, and that concern was ordered to surrender its Blue Eagle because of charges that it had violated section 7A of the national recovery act. Within a few hours the

whole town was in revolt. Fifty-six merchants and other business men removed their Blue Eagles and wired to Washington for instructions on what to do with them.

THAT a general wage increase at this time will hinder rather than aid in national economic recovery is the contention of the heavy goods industries, set forth in a report to Gen-eral Johnson by George II. Houston, chairman of the durable goods industries committee. The report reasserts faith in the company union, approves of emergency price fixing and attacks the Wagner bill as encouraging industrial strife.

WHEN the senate committee on privileges and elections opened the hearings on the demands that Senators Huey P. Long and his political follower, John H.

Overton of Louisiana ALC: be deprived of their seats, the political groups that have been seeking especially to oust the "kingfish" remained in the background and left it to the women of Loui-siana to take the lead

in the fight. These women are Headed by Mrs. Mrs. Hilda Phelps Hammond, who has

Hammond been indefatigable in the campaign against Long and his crew. The women were represented as

Under the terms of the measure, the Filipinos will obtain complete independence in 1945. During the intervening years a commonwealth govern ment, to be set up probably next year, will govern the islands.

With acceptance of the act the Filipinos ceased to be nationals of the United States and became subject to the rigid immigration laws. Only 50 may enter this country yearly. The status of an estimated 60,000 Fillpinos in the United States as well as the international status of the entire island population during the transition pe-riod remains in doubt, due to the wording of the measure.

FEDERAL agents believe they have **r** uncovered a great ring of crooks for the handling of money derived from kidnapings, bank robberies and swindles. They al-

ready have arrested a number of men and are hurrying to get others before they are put out of the way by members of the gang, as has been done before. The ring, it is said, has been operating in Chicago, New York, St. Louis, A

Kansas City and oth-John J. er citles. One of the first men taken into McLaughlin custody was John J. McLaughlin, for-merly a state legislator and a political boss in Chicago, suspected of being a leader in the disposal of the "hot money." The specific charge against him is conspiracy in the kidnaping of Edward Bremer, St. Paul banker, for whose release a ransom of \$200,000 was paid. The federal agents were

diligently searching for William Eimer Mead, a notorious crook, who is thought to have directed the kidnap-McLaughlin confessed that he had handled some of the Bremer ransom money, and his son was arrested with part of it in his pocket.

WHEN the administration's bill for reduction of cotton production was under consideration its opponents argued in vain that it would work

grievous injustice to thousands of tenant farmers and "croppers" in the South. Secretary of Agriculture Wallace now finds this prediction was well founded, his information coming from Dr. Calvin B. Hooker of Duke university whom he requested to make an investigation. Mr. Wallace now plans the establishment of a compliance board to inquire into complaints of tenants. At the same time the enforcement of cotton reduction contracts will

from ousting tenant farmers and farm workers because of the reduced amount of production.

Hitler said:

"Jewish writers sought to make the sickle and hammer (of Soviet Russia) the symbol of internationalism and almost succeeded, but the Nazis make these tools again the symbol of the community, the farmer and the laborer."



## BEDTIME STORY FOR CHILDREN Do YOU Know-

ask Farmer Brown's Boy who helps

Man's First Flight Under His Own Power

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

## FARMER BROWN'S FRIENDS

him most in his potato patch, and he'll A S PETER RABBIT sat admiring Rosebreast the Grosbeak, another tell you it's the Grosbeaks. They cerbird appeared in the tree with Rosebreast. "Who's that?" cried Peter.

is the same size and shape."

tainly do love potato bugs. They eat some fruit, but on the whole, they are about as useful+folk around the garden as anyone I know. Now run along, "Mrs. Grosbeak, of course. Who else Peter Rabbit, and don't bother me would it be?" sputtered Jenny, rather any more."

Peter didn't run along right away. "Never, never would I have guessed He sat around watching Rosebreast it," replied Peter. "She doesn't look and Mrs. Grosbeak until he happened the least bit like him except that she to look up to see Farmer Brown's Boy just starting down through the Old Orchard. Then Peter decided it was time for him to leave.

C. T. W. Burgess .- WNU Service



revolvers, etc.

tid-bits found in examination papers, essays, etc., by teachers.

Caesar was killed by the Ides of

Interludes were plays given before

people knew how to read. A man came out on the stage and told what

would happen during the play. He

March who were led by Brutus, Cas-

sius and the Ides following.

## THE GREAT INHERITANCE

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By ANNE CAMPBELL

THOU hast promised me an inheritance More treasured than silver and gold,

More beautiful than the precious jewels My dazzled eyes behold.

Thou hast promised me, Thou hast promised me

A luxury untold.

In my Father's house, Thou hast promised me, There are mansions for my soul,

Where the curtains of worldly doubt and fear

Thy healing, scarred hands roll. Thou hast promised me, Thou hast promised me A bright and starry goal!

Thou hast promised me an inheritance

When done with earthly strife, A boon to make a journey fair That with threatening clouds is rife. Thou hast promised me, Thou hast promised me

The gift of eternal life! opyright .- WNU Service.

Lovely Straw Hat



This fascinating medium-sized hat is of brown pique straw faced with moss-green suede and decorated with cher-

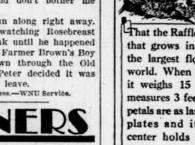
## WITTY KITTY



The girl chum says about this time of the year golf widows begin to renew their mourning weeds. WNU 8

Japanese Remove Shoes

The custom of removing shoes be-





Trigonometry is the study of the firing of certain weapons such as rifles,

# BONERS are actual humorous

In olden times the parents arranged e marriage and the bride never saw

That the Rafflesia, a flower that grows in Sumatra, is the largest flower in the world. When fully grown

it weighs 15 pounds and measures 3 feet across. Its petals are as large as dinner plates and its cup-like center holds a gallon of liquid.

O McChere Newspaper Syndicate . MANARS WNU Service a dainty addition to the lunch basket.

For a wholesome sandwich, spread one slice of the buttered bread with orange marmalade and the other with cottage cheese. Put together and wrap in waxed paper.

## Fruit Paste.

Thoroughly mix chopped dates, rais-ins, dry figs and finely ground nuts with orange juice and a little cream. Spread generously on thin, buttered

Carrot, Celery and Nut Sandwich. Mix ground raw carrots, celery and nuts with lemon juice and boiled dress ing. Put the mixture into cases made by scooping out a roll cut in half. Fit the halves together.

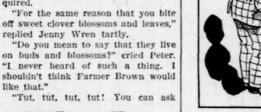
Egg Sandwich. Chop hard cooked eggs, moisten with

lemon juice, season with salt and pepper, spread over a lettuce leaf, plac



By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM





This was quite true. There was no beautiful rose color about Mrs. Grosbeak. She wore brown and gray principally, with little touches of buff here and there, and with dark streaks on her breast. Over each eye was a whitish line. It didn't seem possible that she could be the mate of handsome Rosebreast. To Peter she looked more like an overgrown member of the Sparrow family. While Rosebreast sang, Mrs. Grosbeak was very busy picking buds and blossoms from the trees. This struck Peter as queer. "What is she doing that for?" he in-

crossly.

quired. be tightened to prevent farm owners

SPEAKING to about two million Germans at the Templehof airport outside of Berlin, Chancellor Hitler like that." defiantly denied Germany's war guilt and declared the reich has been a victim of the war. He warned the world again that Germany no longer was willing to accept discrimination against her by the former allied powers, and declared that day of "spine less submission" was at an end. Referring to his anti-Jewish policy,

that industry is willing to accept the Pres-Ident's suggestion of a permanent NRA if modifications and restrictions are placed

on the broad authority Gen. Johnson granted Mr. Roosevelt during the emergency last year.

On the other hand, Silas H. Strawn, former head of the chamber, attacked what he termed the abandonment of a scheme of government which has made "us happier and more prosperous than any other nation." He called for a three-way action by Mr. Roosevelt:

Balancing of all governmental bud-gets, a definite announcement that there will be no more requests for emergency legislation and "no more tinkering with the dollar," and a revision of the securities act and proposed stock-exchange legislation.

At a dinner Gen. Hugh S. Johnson was the chief guest and after his address he submitted to an inquisition on the present and prospective poli-cies of the NRA. Asked directly if the principles embodied in the recovery act were to be permanent, he replied : "If there has been any good dem-

onstrated by the recovery act, it will live and it ought to live; if there has been any bad it will die and it ought to die."

Admitting that there has been a lapse in public interest and enthuslasm, the general said a new campaign to make the nation Blue Eagle conscious was being mapped. He also admitted that the controversy between labor and industry is becoming more acute. He expressed the opinion that the ideal relationship between labor and management had been worked out in the hituminous coal industry.

Generally, the members of the Chamber o. Commerce agreed that the first | bodied in the Tydings-McDuffle act.

counsel by Gen. Samuel T. Ansell, wartime acting judge advocate general, who has pending against Long a suit for libel. His opening statement dispelled the idea that Long's opponents would be satisfied to let Overton re-main in the senate if the "kingfish" were thrown out.

"We expect to prove," said General Ansell, "the charge that there was fraud in the 1932 Louisiana primaries sufficient to vitiate the election of Senator Overton; that Senator Overton was an active perpetrator of that fraud; that Senators Overton and Long were designers and instigators of that fraud."

WILLIAM H. WOODIN, who was President Roosevelt's first secretary of the treasury, has passed away, succumbing to the throat affection that forced his resignation from the cabinet last December. In his death the country loses a business man of the highest type and a gentleman who had the respect and affection of all who knew him. He became president of the American Car and Foundry company in 1916, and also was president of the American Locomotive company. His interests were varied. for he was musician, composer, art lover and student of government as well as leader in industry. He was long a personal friend of Mr. Roose-velt and, though a Republican, was one of the first selections for the President's cabinet and worked hard so long as his health permitted.

EXACTLY 36 years from the day Admiral Dewey destroyed the Spanish fleet in Manlin bay, the legis lature of the Philippines accepted the new offer of the United States for the independence of the Islands as em-

M AJORITY and minority reports of the investigation into Dr. Wil-liam A. Wirt's "red plot" stories were

made to the house, and they were just what had been expected. The majority of the committee held that Wirt's charges were untrue and that his companions at the famous dinner party did not make the statements he had attributed to them. Representatives McGugin and Lehlbach, the Republican minority members of the committee characterized the investigation as a "repudiation of all precedents" and indicative of intentions to "suppress all short time. The Grosbeaks eat a few information" which might directly involve the brain trust.

JUST before midnight of May 6, George V began the twenty-fifth year of his reign as king of Great Britain, Ireland and the British domin beyond the sen and emperor of India. By his own choice the anniversary was not observed by especial ceremonies, but preparations are already under way for a celebration of his silver ju-bilee in 1935 that will rival that of Queen Victoria's golden jubilee in 1887. In his 24 years on the throne George has earned the high esteem of the world and has proved himself a real leader and, in the minds of the British, all that a king should be. HE senate by acclamation accept

Ted the conference report on the 1934 revenue measure, which provide for an increase in taxes of \$417,000.-000. The Couzens amendment for a 10 per cent increase in income tax, which the house rejected, was cut ont C by Western Newspaper Union.

It Didn't Seem Possible That She Could Be the Mate of Handsome Rosebreast.

was the Interlude. more silly questions than anybody of my acquaintance," retorted Jenny According to Victor Hugo love ex-Wren. "Of course, they don't live on ists in all classes of society. buds and blossoms. If they depended on those they would soon starve to What was Pasteur's great achievedeath. Use your head, Peter, use your head. You know well enough that He invented milk bottles. buds and blossoms last only a very The spoils system was the system

just for the sake of variety, but they whereby the government had to take live mostly on bugs and insects. You care of its garbage.

GIRLIGAGP

"It's hard to convince a son-in-law

Irene, "that their in-laws are not out-

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ironic

says

daughter-in-law,"

laws.

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## THE CHILDREN'S LUNCH BOX

WHERE the child must carry a lunch at school, every effort should be made to make the food ap petizing. Fresh fruit when it is possible should always be included. Jams, jellies, dried fruits such as figs, prunes and raisins or dates will help out when apples, oranges and fresh fruits are not available.

## Quick Orange Jam.

Take two cupfuls of orange pulp and juice, one lemon, pulp and juice, and one and one-half cupfuls of sugar. Boil ten minutes. Put into jelly glasses and seal. Serve in sandwiches or with toast. A small glass of this jam makes

on a buttered slice of bread. Cover with a plain buttered slice.

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#### Many Cannot Read or Write

There are about 4,225,000 persons in the United States who cannot read or write in any language.

fore entering applies to the great department stores at Tokyo, where shoewearers are provided with cloth overshoes at the entrance. ' Shoes are checked with wraps upon entering a Japanese theater.

All Evanston Is Fingerprinted



A LL the citizens of Evanston, suburb of Chicago, are being fingerprinted, not because they are criminals, but as an aid in the identification of those injured or lost. Fred G. Bennett, the town's fingerprint expert, is shown operating on two young ladies while Chief of Police W. O. Freeman looks on

the gloom until the wedding night,