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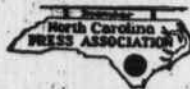
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The latest query is what will the Nazis do after taking the British Isles?

The Commissioners are to be congratulated on their determination not to raise the tax rate. Let's hope they can succeed.

The British would receive more sympathy from America if she had won the favor of the American boys who went across in 1918 and had attempted to pay its War debts.

It's worth a little extra effort for the town to get another bridge across Tar River and two miles of street paved. Especially when the labor is to be furnished by others than the town.

Either the Town and County Commissioners or the Chamber of Commerce should send a delegation to see the Highway Authorities and get an agreement on what the Commission contemplates on doing at Louisburg with reference to connecting the several highways on a permanent basis. Next year other matters may deplete the funds.

PRACTICAL FARMING

That Louisburg College is forging ahead and is abreast with the changing times is demonstrated in its recent announcement of the addition of a course in practical farming to its already long list of instructions offered young ladies and young men. This course is not intended to take the place of the courses offered by the State institution, but to supply useful and practical information to the young men and women who may not go to these full course institutions. The course has been especially prepared to give real information that will serve the boy or girl in their every day life problems in planting, cultivating and harvesting the several crops, soil conservation, and in addition how to do the many little jobs in an advantageous way. This is a long step forward in the right direction of supplying the practical information one needs as he passes along through life, and contributing to a broader and more profitable future.

BACK FAITH WITH CASH

In a recent address, President Robert M. Hanes of the American Bankers Association, said that if ever there was a time when America needed to be on guard, it is now—once our personal liberties were lost, they would never be regained. The nation's job now is twofold: prepare against possible invasion; keep out of foreign war.

He said: "The bankers of America are behind the President's defense program 100 per cent. They are ready to finance that program."

As in the past, private banking is preparing to give all its energies to the service of the country. Banking has faith in America. Banking will back that faith with dollars.

National rearmament means that great new factories must be built, and old factories expanded. It means that obsolete machines must be replaced by new. It means difficult and costly readjustments throughout the whole industrial structure. And to achieve this, willing minds and hands, vital as they are, are not enough. Money, vast amounts of it, is necessary. And the banks, as Mr. Hanes said, are ready with the money.

Today all industry is unified—eager to do all it can to perpetuate our American way of life. And banking is among the most important servants that we have.

WASTE! OUR NUMBER ONE ENEMY

There is growing public demand that all government expenditures be drastically reduced by legal mandate, with the sole exception of appropriations for interest on the national debt and for the great rearmament program.

The American people are today ready and eager to make any necessary sacrifices to the end that the country may be made secure against invasion. They will literally give until it hurts, and then give again. But the American people are in no mood to see their money further squandered for uneconomic, unnecessary and wasteful purposes.

The time has passed when we can afford political "luxuries." The time has come when every possible nickel must be saved for the necessities. In all probability, great cost cuts could be made so far as most governmental activities are concerned without impairing in the slightest any important work. The high patriotic duty of every official is to weigh, analyze and plan budgets for the various departments which will be models of economy. Will they do it?

The American people must demand maximum results for every dollar spent. Economic preparedness is a vital partner of military preparedness. Governmental waste from now on is one of our country's most insidious enemies, for it can be disguised in so many forms.

STOP LABOR RACKETEERING

The amendments to the Wagner National Labor Relations Act, which were recently approved by the House by a two to one vote, represent a praiseworthy attempt to correct a law which has been a constant source of industrial discord.

The amendments provide for the appointment of a new labor board, separate administrative and judicial functions, permit employers to discuss labor problems with employes, require the board to obtain the approval of members of craft unions before forcing their absorption into industrial unions, and make it legal for employers to refuse to bargain with alien labor leaders.

In no way would these amendments deprive labor of any legitimate right or protection which it now has. The cause of honest unionism would not be imperiled to the slightest degree, and the right of collective bargaining would not be weakened. All the amendments would do, is to eliminate certain abuses which have no place in a free country. They would stop the labor board from acting as judge, jury and prosecutor, all in one—and they would deprive czar-like alien agitators of powers which have been employed time and again to foment unnecessary and unjustified industrial strife and violence.

The laboring man himself will gain most, in the long run, from reform of the Wagner Act—even as the honest laboring man is the worst sufferer when labor racketeering is permitted to run rampant.

DON'T CONFUSE ISSUES

There is a small group of defeatists in this country who seem to have become persuaded to the view that opposition to totalitarianism requires totalitarian methods. They observe the success of the dictator-ridden nations in creating gigantic military machines in a brief period of time, and reason that a form of dictatorship must be exerted here if the United States is to swiftly build its armed defense to the necessary level.

Anyone who believes that has forgotten or never knew the history of this country. We have met great crises before—and we have met them as a free people. When emergency comes, all Americans—worker, capitalist, executive, farmer—forget their differences, and join their resources in the interest of the common good. And no dictator is needed.

That is happening in the present emergency. Big business men and little business men have pledged themselves to do all in their power to assure the swift completion of the defense program. The great basic industries of this country—the railroads, the utilities, the steel companies, the machine makers—are prepared to do whatever is necessary to meet the exigencies of the future. They are prepared to cooperate with government to the limit, to the end that democracy may be perpetuated through democratic methods.

America has never had a dictator—and America doesn't need one now. Americans aren't robots, who must be treated like the cogs of a machine. Americans are individuals, determined to do the finest job they ever did in the interest of their country. Those who talk of the need for dictatorial powers to save democracy, of ruthless government domination of business and industry, would destroy our traditional way of life which has proved its strength in times of greatest danger. They would destroy the very thing they profess a desire to save, namely freedom and opportunity.

THIS IS RAILROAD COOPERATION

The first pledge of industry's whole-hearted cooperation with the new air expansion program came from a railroad. William M. Jeffers, President of the Union Pacific, said in a full-page advertisement:

"There can be no doubt, in the light of world events, that America needs an air force second to none.

"There can be no doubt that supported by the cooperation of American industry the genius of United States plane builders can find ways to meet any demands put upon them.

"Attention centers today on the building of military ships.

"As citizens of the United States, we stand four square behind such a project.

"As transportation men, we see another need—strengthen commercial aviation too.

"Anything which increases the speed of communication and travel knits the nation more closely together.

"That is what transportation has been doing since the first railroad was built, what it must continue to do if America is to develop and be secure.

"Some may see in this a diversion of business from the rails to the air, which at first thought would seem to work against our self-interest.

"That is the narrow view.

"It ignores the fact that in times like these cooperation counts for more than competition, and that intelligent self-interest starts with having the nation strong.

"What helps the country helps all business, and what helps business helps the railroads.

"On that basis, we welcome the growth of aviation, and to the speeding of its expansion program we pledge full cooperation."

FOUR GET FINES FOR VIOLATION OF COTTON QUOTA

Four men, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government of cotton marketing quota penalties due on the marketing of excess cotton, pleaded guilty and were fined in United States District Court at Brownsville, Texas, on June 7, according to word received here by N. H. Ayscue, Chairman of the Franklin County AAA Committee.

The defendants were Lloyd F. Elliott and Bryan W. Long, partners in the Electric Gin Company of San Benito, Texas; William C. Nycum, also of San Benito, a bookkeeper for the gin company; and W. R. Wardlow, a cotton producer.

the Agricultural Adjustment Administration in administering the cotton marketing quota program. The government reserved, the right to enter civil suit to recover cotton marketing penalties due.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Dr. R. F. Yarborough, County Health Officer

Now is the season of the year for vaccinations. FREE Vaccination Clinics are now being held at Riley's, Baker's Cross Roads, New Hope and Royal. The Health Department will be glad to arrange Free Clinics in any neighborhood upon request. Typhoid Fever vaccination has reduced the incidence of this disease to a minimum in Franklin County but unless you are vaccinated every two or three years the risk of having the disease will recur. There are certain dangers that may breed and disseminate typhoid fever and other intestinal diseases among which are the open well with chain pull where any one drawing water from such wells, no matter how dirty the hands, wash them in the well and this becomes a possible source of contamination of the drinking water. Drinking water is one of the greatest breeders of typhoid fever.

The last legislature passed a law requiring parents to have their children vaccinated against Diphtheria at six months of age. Diphtheria vaccination protects in 95 per cent of cases. Parents, if your child contracts diphtheria and is desperately ill or dies from the effects of same, think of the regret and remorse you will have and the injustice you have done your child. Diphtheria vaccination is practically harmless and almost painless.

Small-Pox
Small Pox in this territory has almost become an obsolete disease.

ease. Why? Because of vaccination. Small-Pox vaccination is almost a positive insurance against this disease. With vaccination against typhoid fever, diphtheria and small-pox at proper intervals it will be only a short time until these terrible diseases will be abolished. Neglect this precaution and they may return with all their horror.

Clinic to be held at Pocomoke on July 1, 8th and 15th for vaccination against typhoid fever, diphtheria and small-pox, at Jones and Holmes Store.

Billions of 17-year locusts, longest-lived of all insects, are emerging from the earth over the greater part of the country between the Mississippi and the Atlantic ocean.

By using cotton in a new plywood, a Seattle firm has developed a board four to thirty times stronger than ordinary wallboards, as well as being more fire-resistant.

Household purchases made for the purpose of anticipating price increase don't seem to help any.

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