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cludes a greater part of the area from Hawaii to the Philippines—two million square miles of water surrounding a myriad of tiny and larger tropical islands. Only 117 of them are inhabited by a total of 50,000 natives of polynesian or Micronesian extraction. Formerly under German control, they were mandated to Japan following World War I and are now under our official wing.

Placed under Naval Military government following the conclusion of World War II, a program for bettering conditions was immediately started. Every village, no matter how small, over this vast area, was officially visited and complete data gathered.

It was determined that what was needed was not military domination but friendly aid and cooperation to help these people become self-reliant, establish better health and sanitation, elementary education, safeguard their lands and resources, develop their trade, industry and agriculture, and the physical restoration of war damaged property.

For the past two years, this plan has been materializing under the able guidance of Rear Admiral C. H. Wright. Dubbed by the Saturday Evening Post "Admiral of the Atolls," he is highly regarded by the natives of the whole area.

Vaccination and immunization is provided. Yaws is under control and anti-tubercular work is progressing. Native medical and dental practitioners and nurses are being trained. Seven dispensaries of from 25 to 80-bed capacity are located throughout the area. A training program is supplying native teachers for island schools. A trading system provides them with needed goods, while at the same time marketing their produce—principally copra and handicraft. These are just a few of the things accomplished or underway.

A most admirable phase of this whole program is that the natives are not asking for or getting handouts. We are giving them medical assistance and help in instances of calamity, but otherwise they are rapidly getting on their own.

A truly commendable operation, the Navy is carrying it out speedily, efficiently, without fanfare, and withdrawing its official hand as rapidly as circumstances permit.

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LIFE'S BETTER WAY
WALTER E. ISENHOUR
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NEVER GREAT

It's never great to do the wrong,
 Nor travel with the evil throng;
 It's never great to curse and swear,
 Nor go the broad way to despair;
 It's never great to think and say
 Bad things along life's pilgrim way,
 It's never great to keep in mind
 The feeling that is quite unkind.

It's never great to turn from God
 And go the way that sinners trod;
 It's never great to criticize
 The man who prays to God and cries;
 It's never great, although you can,
 To speak against a godly man;
 It's never great to block the road
 That leads to heaven's blest abode.

Don't think you're showing manhood
 great
 When in your heart you harbor hate;
 It's never great to go with those
 Who truth and righteousness oppose;
 It's never great, but always sad,
 To form a habit that is bad;
 It's never great, though large the roll,
 To have a selfish, stingy soul.

It's never great to plan for spite,
 Because it's always wrong, not right;
 It's never great to idle time,
 Because it often leads to crime;
 It's never great, though with the crowd,
 To be quite empty, vain or proud;
 It's never great to deal in trash,
 Though sometimes it may bring you cash.

ABNORMAL ABSURDITIES
 By
DWIGHT NICHOLS
 et al

BACK AGAIN—
 With cooler weather we are back again in the old groove with bits from here and there that may entertain or bore, depending on your sense of humor, your digestion, whether or not your breakfast was right or whether or not you slept on the right side of the bed.

Lately we have devoted this same space to sports, which reminds us of a paragraph here before us that says: "A man" will go to bat for any girl that has the right kind of curves," whatever that means. And we are reminded of the Englishman who sat through his first baseball game. The visiting team scored two runs in the first inning and the home team three. From then on

out through nine innings the scoreboard boy put up a zero for each. After the game and up town the Englishman was asked what was the score of the ball game. "I'm not remembering exactly," he said, but it was way up in the millions on both sides."

The sailor described a mermaid as being too much woman to eat and too much fish to hug . . . To get your wife to come home from a long vacation or extended visit to mother-in-law, send her a copy of your local paper with one personal item clipped out . . . When the fresh young man was told by the sweet young maid that she didn't want to see him any more, he turned off the light.

"Where the heck is the other half?" asked the young boy at his first look at his new half brother.

It is a trait of human nature to enjoy hearing sins of others denounced. Aunt Beck was breaking in with hearty "amens" when the minister blasted away at sins from murder to card playing. And when he started out on gossiping she whispered to the woman sitting next to her: "He's done stopped preachin' and gone to meddlin'."

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AUGUST TERM, 1948

FIRST WEEK —

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10

No. 18—State vs. Cephus Marshall, O. C. I.
 No. 19—State vs. Tyre Alexander, Worthless Check.
 No. 21—State vs. Leonard Miller, Bigamy.
 No. 22—State vs. Victor Dick Garris, Okra Pevette & Howard Garris, H. B. L. & R.
 No. 23—State vs. Willie Johnson, Damage to Property.
 No. 163—State vs. Willie Johnson, O. C. I., Reckless Driving, Speeding and Opt. Car Without Driver's License.
 No. 164—State vs. Willie Johnson, L. & R.
 No. 24—State vs. Henry Allen Grubbs, O. C. I.
 No. 25—State vs. Coy Pevette, A. W. D. W.
 No. 26—State vs. John Pevette, A. W. D. W.
 No. 27—State vs. Conrad Pevette, A. W. D. W.
 No. 28—State vs. Bassel Holloway, Non-support.
 No. 29—State vs. Warne Benton, Vio. Slot Machine Law.
 No. 30—State vs. Paul Hutchison & Silas Hutchison, L. & R.
 No. 31—State vs. Will Billings, L. & R.
 No. 32—State vs. Burl Johnson, Assault on Female.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11

No. 33—State vs. Nelia Dora Brewer, A. W. D. W. & Using Profane Language.
 No. 34—State vs. J. P. Roberts, Assault.
 No. 35—State vs. David Bungarner, Assault on a Female.
 No. 36—State vs. Warren Harding Severt, Abandonment.
 No. 37—State vs. Geo. E. Frazier, Reckless Driving.
 No. 38—State vs. Efner Duncan, O. C. I.
 No. 39—State vs. Henry Everette Rhymer, Reckless Driving.
 No. 40—State vs. Bruce Felts, Assault on a Female.
 No. 41—State vs. Joe Bowlin, L. & R.
 No. 42—State vs. Nora Harrold, Keeping Disorderly House.
 No. 43—State vs. Watt Pevette, C. C. W. and A. W. D. W.
 No. 44—State vs. Grover Gentry, A. W. D. W.
 No. 45—State vs. Harrison Hamby, A. W. D. W.
 No. 47—State vs. Monroe Harris, Reckless Driving.
 No. 48—State vs. S. C. Hutchison, Bastardy.
 No. 49—State vs. Watt Pevette & Ollie Holloway, F. & A. & P. & A.
 No. 50—State vs. James Johnson, Abandonment.
 No. 51—State vs. Jim Felts, L. & R.
 No. 52—State vs. A. E. Shell, Assault.
 No. 53—State vs. Bruce Felts, Abandonment & Non-Support.
 No. 54—State vs. John Frank Johnson, Bastardy.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12

No. 55—State vs. Raymond Estep, V. P. L.
 No. 56—State vs. Leonard Wyatt, Affray.
 No. 57—State vs. Leonard Wyatt, Drunkenness.
 No. 58—State vs. Leonard Wyatt, L. & R.
 No. 59—State vs. Charlie A. Johnson, Drunkenness and Resisting an Officer.
 No. 60—State vs. Ralph Ferguson, L. & R.
 No. 61—State vs. Rescoe Elledge, Abandonment.
 No. 62—State vs. Ralph Ferguson, Assault on Female & Using Profane Language.
 No. 63—State vs. Raymond C. Dawson, Criminal Assault.
 No. 64—State vs. Oepha Elizabeth Cardwell, Forgery.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13

No. 65—State vs. Ansel Brown, Assault on a Female.
 No. 66—State vs. John Junior Garris, A. W. D. W. with Intent to Kill.
 No. 67—State vs. Myrtle Vannoy, A. W. D. W.
 No. 68—State vs. James E. Williams, A. W. D. W. & Robbery with Fire Arms.
 No. 69—State vs. W. M. Bell, Worthless Check.
 No. 70—State vs. J. W. Dancy, Worthless Check.
 No. 71—State vs. Junior Lipford, Worthless Check.

THIRD WEEK —

MONDAY, AUGUST 16

No. 44—State vs. Ernest Harrison Taylor, Murder.
 No. 72—State vs. R. V. Billings, C. C. W.
 No. 73—State vs. Carl Blankenship & Zella Greene, F. & A. & P. & A.
 No. 74—State vs. N. T. Steelman & Grathie Wagoner, F. & A. & P. & A.
 No. 75—State vs. Bobbie Dowell, James Alexander, and Coy Burchette, L. & R.
 No. 76—State vs. Bobbie Dowell & Coy Burchette, L. & R.
 No. 77—State vs. Billie Shumate, L. & R. & Reckless Driving.
 No. 153—State vs. Billie Shumate, Hit and Run.
 No. 78—State vs. Raymond Ballard, Non-Support.
 No. 79—State vs. Junior Byrd, Non-Support.
 No. 80—State vs. Raymond Franks, Non-support.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 17

No. 175—State vs. Cecil Church, Murder.
 No. 81—State vs. Arthur Johnson, Non-support.
 No. 82—State vs. Joe Palmer, Non-support.
 No. 83—State vs. Willard Wiles, Non-support.
 No. 84—State vs. Eugene Martin, Resisting an Officer.
 No. 85—State vs. Jones E. Marley, V. P. L.
 No. 113—State vs. John W. Inskeep, Hit & Run.
 No. 114—State vs. Mack Joines, Manslaughter.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18

No. 174—State vs. Leonard Bryce Miller, Murder.
 No. 165—State vs. General Clay Combs, Seduction.
 No. 166—State vs. Lomso B. Garris, A. W. D. W.
 No. 167—State vs. Crom Church and Viola Minton Clark, F. & A. & P. & A.
 No. 168—State vs. Paul McConnihead, L. & R.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19

No. 130—State vs. Chester Shepherd, Gambling.
 No. 144—State vs. George Sidney Wilson, O. C. I. & Opt. Car Without Driver's License.
 No. 147—State vs. George Sidney Wilson, Attempt to Bribe.
 No. 150—State vs. Pearl Coble, C. C. W.
 No. 154—State vs. Fred Call, A. W. D. W.
 No. 155—State vs. Fred Call, Setting Out Fire.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 20

No. 156—State vs. Troy Church, False Pretense.
 No. 157—State vs. Bonnie Hall and Catherine Jones, Vagrancy.
 No. 158—State vs. Gene Hayes, L. & R.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 23

No. 20—State vs. Hugh West, Abortion and Manslaughter.
 No. 159—State vs. Gene Holbrook and William H. Collins, L. & R.
 No. 160—State vs. Roy Rhodes, Drunkenness.
 No. 161—State vs. Roy Rhodes, Disturbing Religious Congregation.
 No. 162—State vs. Roy Rhodes, A. W. D. W.
 No. 169—State vs. Noah Hall Watkins, A. W. D. W. & Resisting an Officer.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

No. 170—State vs. Roy Bynum, Public Nuisance.
 No. 171—State vs. Chesie Greene & Ila Greene, A. W. D. W. & Using Profane Language.
 No. 172—State vs. John Miller, A. W. D. W.

Witnesses subpoenaed to appear before the Grand Jury will do so on the day they are subpoenaed, and after they appear before the Grand Jury they will appear back on the day the case is calendared for trial.

Witnesses in cases not reached on the day they are calendared for trial are required to remain in court until the case is disposed of or until they are dismissed.

All cases in which the defendants are in jail are subject to call at any time, regardless of where the case appears on the calendar.

All cases in which the defendant is bound over to this term of court and not appearing on the calendar is subject to call for trial at any time.

Paying For Hospital, Why Not Build It?

Under provisions of the Hill-Burton bill and the Good Health measure, funds have been appropriated by federal and state governments to bear the principal cost of hospital construction in areas in need of greater hospital facilities.

According to the scale of payment, Wilkes county would have to put up less than \$300,000 to build a modern hospital of 100-bed capacity, fully equipped, which would have a total cost of about \$1,200,000.

That means that there is waiting for Wilkes county the sum of \$900,000, nine-tenths of a million, to be used in erecting a modern hospital to serve the people. In order to get the \$900,000, Wilkes has only to put up \$300,000 or less.

The sum of \$300,000 may look big, but is small in proportion to the total cost of the proposed institution, and no one can argue that Wilkes in the immediate future must have a large hospital if health needs are to be met.

Federal and state funds are paid by the people and the people of Wilkes county are paying federal and state taxes.

The hospital funds have been appropriated and will be spent here or elsewhere. Our taking the \$900,000 will not raise the amount we pay in state and federal taxes by as much as one cent, because it is going to be expended somewhere.

If we don't build a hospital, we will be paying taxes to benefit counties which do build hospitals.

What we are trying to say, in a way in which all can understand, is that we are going to pay for a hospital whether we have one or not.

If you want to gamble your life or the life of a member of your family by not having a hospital here and trying to reach one at some other place when an emergency arises, you are still going to pay for a hospital and not have one.

We are going to pay the \$900,000 in federal and state taxes whether we get a hospital or not.

You can't escape paying your part of state and federal taxes. Every time you make a purchase of anything you are going to pay those taxes.

In case of an emergency the present hospital facilities, already hopelessly crowded, could not take care of the situation.

Population is growing rapidly in this vicinity and throughout Wilkes county. The 1950 census is going to show the greatest ten-year increase in the history of the county.

Hospital facilities must grow with the community.

The county tax increase to raise the \$300,000 necessary to get a hospital worth one and one-quarter million dollars should not be given great consideration when the health and perhaps the lives of our people are at stake.

Our Pacific Trust Is Well Handled

Saipan, Truk, Bikini are familiar names, but who has heard of Lib, Ngoli, Kapingamarangi? They are all within what is now the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. This Trust Territory, comprising the Marshall, Caroline, and Mariana groups of islands, extends about a thousand miles north from the equator and in-