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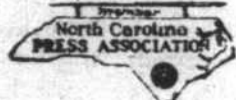
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Labor Day And Social Security

Monday, September 5, is Labor Day—a legal holiday in honor of, or in the interest of the working man. It is entirely proper that this one day should be set aside as a courtesy to our millions of workers, for they are the very backbone of our great Nation. The initiative, dependability and resourcefulness of the American worker have characterized him as a symbol of efficiency. In peace and in war, the world looks amazedly upon the American workingman as a superman of accomplishment.

Still, there comes that time when even the best of workers must reluctantly lay aside their gloves. Our most able men have experienced this inevitableness. It isn't always easy to accept. And what after they have stopped working?

Today, thanks to the passage of the Social Security Act in 1935, American workers in commerce and industry have a provident advantage over their forefathers. At age 65 or over, whether retirement is desired or forced, they are not faced with a total loss of income so long as they are insured workers under the Federal Insurance program. Their Social Security card is like an insurance policy. It represents an insurance account with the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance. As a truly social insurance, it is a stimulus to independence. At retirement, it provides the basis for maintaining the aged worker's home and for keeping his family intact.

Old-Age and Survivors Insurance provides protection not only for the retired worker but to his survivors, regardless of the worker's age, at death. A widow of an insured worker, with minor children in

her care, has a world of protection under Social Security.

The American worker needs to remember that his Social Security card is like an insurance policy. The name and number on the card identifies his insurance account with Uncle Sam. Detailed information concerning the various types of Social Security may be secured at the nearest Social Security office. That office serves the workingman as his Old-Age and Survivors Insurance representative. Workers and their families in this area are served by the Salisbury, N. C. office located in the Post Office Building, Room 301. A representative of the Salisbury office visits North Wilkesboro each Thursday morning at 9:45 o'clock. He may be seen at that time at the Town Hall.

LIFE'S BETTER WAY

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WIELDING A BAD INFLUENCE

It is a serious thing to wield a bad influence. Perhaps the vast majority of people do not realize this, nevertheless it is a fact. We do not doubt but that multitudes of people whose influence is bad hardly stop to give it a serious thought. They go on across the years of life on the wrong road, leading, and helping to lead, others in the same direction, some day to wake up to the fact that life, with its golden opportunities, is wasted, and that they have helped to waste other lives and the precious opportunities that justly belonged to them. O that many would wake up to this fact!

Men and women who drink, use profane language, commit adultery, or live worldly, ungodly lives, wield a bad influence. Fathers and mothers who leave God out of their lives, neglect the church and Sunday school, and fail to set the right examples before their children, wield a bad influence. They may be helping to make lawless citizens of their sons and daughters instead of Christians, ladies and gentlemen. Think of it! We know that the influence of parents certainly counts, and if they leave God out of their lives and homes, and have no family altar, and do not love and cherish the Holy Bible, they may be helping pave the way for their children to wreck and ruin, to failure and to hell. We are made to wonder oftentimes at the bad influence of parents. They do not pray, nor go to church and Sunday school, and maybe allow their children to read bad literature, keep bad company, run wild with the wicked rowdies of the country, and perhaps if their sons and daughters miserably fail in life, even becoming criminals, they greatly wonder why it is. Well, don't wonder. The wonder would be if they should make good with such poor environment—such bad environment. O the power of influence, either for right or wrong, good or bad! Think seriously of your influence. It will have eternal results.

Graduate Center To Be Held Here By A.S.T. College

Boone. — Appalachian State Teachers college will open an extension graduate center in the Wilkesboro (North Wilkesboro or Wilkesboro) for the school year 1949-50.

Two courses will be offered from 4:00 to 6:00 p. m., and two courses from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. on Thursdays of each week for ten weeks, and on the college campus for five class meetings on Saturdays. The courses given will be those for which there is greatest demand. Registration will be on September 15 at 7:00 p. m.

Each course will carry three quarter hours credit. A total of nine quarter hours may be earned in extension courses toward meeting the requirements for the Master of Arts degree at Appalachian State Teachers college

Two graduate courses done in extension will be accepted as the equivalent of a six-weeks term.

The faculty for the courses in the graduate center will be members of the regular college faculty.

The extension graduate center is under the direction of Chapell Wilson, dean of the graduate school at Appalachian.

Keep Calm—Stay Happy and Healthy. Millions of people, especially women, habitually suffer from needless fatigue and other chronic ailments because they put too much emotion and energy into trivial matters. Read what noted Mayo Clinic doctor says about some women wasting \$10 worth of energy on a ten-cent problem in "Why Get Excited" appearing in September 11 issue of The American Weekly, Nation's Favorite Magazine With The Baltimore Sunday American. Order from Your Local News-dealer.

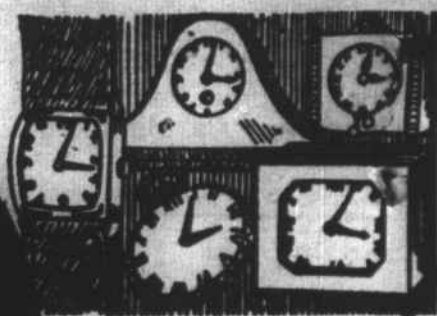
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