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CONSIDER THE POOR: Blessed is that considereth the poor: the Lord will deliver him in time of trouble.—Psalm 41: 1.

TODAY

TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES: 1792—Percy Bysshe Shelley, famed English poet, born. Died July 8, 1822. 1816—Russell Sage, the laborer's son who left an estate of some \$70,000,000 born in Oneida Co., N. Y.

TODAY IN HISTORY: 1790—U. S. Coastguard then Revenue Cutter Service established. 1830—Town of Chicago surveyed and platted.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Dr. Joseph H. Apple, president of Hood College, Frederick, Md., who has just relinquished office after more than 40 years as president, born in Pa., 69 years ago.

TODAY'S HOROSCOPE: This degree bestows broad views and wide sympathies; with a proper admixture of favoring aspects this day might produce a great teacher in some unusual line.

OTHERS' VIEWS: STERILIZATION OF THIRD TERM PRISONERS: To the Editor: The above is being discussed in our daily papers at this time and the plan so appeals to me, with some additions thereto, that I am impelled to express my views with hope of some good result therefrom.

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The World War 20 Years Ago Today

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"Your neighbor's house may burn, but your's will be safe," a German assured Belgium. (By neighbor he meant France.)

That was the phraseology an envoy of the Kaiser used in replying, not long before August, 1914, to the anxious inquiry of a Belgian who suspected the German intention of using Belgium as a corridor to France.

Today is the Day

With DAY-BY-DAY STORY OF THE WORLD WAR 20 Years After By CLARK KINNAIRD

Calendar for August showing dates from 1 to 31.

Saturday, Aug. 4; 216th day of 1934; 45th day of summer. Morning stars: Mercury, Venus, Mars and Saturn.

federal government. (This is the birthday of the Coast Guard a consolidation of the revenue-cutter and life-saving services).

he was moved to write a famous piece of verse: The Face On the Barroom Floor.

THE WORLD WAR 20 YEARS AGO TODAY

Aug. 4, 1914—President Wilson declared the neutrality of the United States. None of the munitions orders pouring in from belligerent nations are refused; and envoys seeking loans for war purposes are not turned away.

Germany Declares War on Belgium Her troops have been invading it for six days and are beginning the bombardment of Liege!

The Kaiser note for history: "So the famous encircling of Germany has finally become a complete fact, despite every effort of our politicians and diplomats to prevent it... A great achievement which arouses the admiration even of him who is to be destroyed as its result... From the dilemma raised by our fidelity to the venerable old Emperor of Austria, we are brought into a situation which offers England the desired pretext for annihilating us... Our consuls in Turkey and India, agents, etc., must fire the whole Mohammedan world to fierce rebellion against this hated lying, conscienceless nation of shopkeepers: for if we are bled to death England shall at least lose India." Prophetic irony.

GREAT DAYS

August 4, 1863—First Protestant religious rites were performed in western hemisphere. Holy Communion according to the Church of England was held in the harbor of St. Johns, Newfoundland, by orders of Admiral Sir Humphrey Gilbert, leader of the first English colonization expedition.

August 4, 1790—The revenue cutter service was established by Congress to collect a tax on tea from the American government which came into being because colonists rebelled against paying a tax on tea. It also was given the job of collecting taxes on liquors, wines, coffee, molasses and pepper—the first source of tax revenues of the

such being carried out. A travesty on justice.

We are a dull people, slow to anything but anger, "we are asleep at the wheel." Don't you recall that the stupid Chinaman invented gun powder? Then we used it. Germany taught us, at a great cost to our nation, modern war fare; why even yet the "Big Bertha" is another of our wonders. Our distinguished railway and locomotive promoters never thought of "stream line" until the motor men showed and proved to them its efficacy and after the railways were old enough to die a natural death.

We have all the antis. Anti-fat, anti-slim, anti for rabbies, typhoid, snake bite, hydrophobia, tall and low stature, straight and kinky hair. Anti-start and anti-stop, hair grow and hair stop, anti-sweet and anti-smell and insurance against anything but crime and sin, one is turned loose from our penal institutions with no restrictions or promises to do better but allowed to profligate, prostitute, degenerate, copulate and populate, in utter defiance of law and decency.

I see in the morning papers of today that the city of Charlotte is stalling the building of a church, in their corporate limits, due to fact it is to be made of wood and contain 1,500 feet of floor space. (It very probably should read 15,000 feet). You see queer things can be done. Let's regulate our antiquated methods to the scrap heap and try to do something up-to-date and worthwhile. I am serious in saying such drastic methods would empty our penal institutions and permit us to use the buildings for schools, churches and sanitoriums. R. B. POWELL, Henderson, August 4, 1934.

NOTABLE NATIVITIES

Percy Bysshe Shelley, b. 1792, classic English poet. He was so absent-minded that one day, having fallen out of a canoe and taken off his clothes to let them dry, he forgot them and walked into town naked... William Henry Hudson, b. 1841 in Marblehead, Mass. "British" author of Green Mansions, etc... Sir Harry Lauder, b. 1870, minstrel... Abe Lyman, b. 1899, orchestra-leader... Knut Hamsun, b. 1859, Nobel prizewinning author of Growth of the Soil and other classics who was a streetcar conductor in Chicago... Jesse W. Reno, b. 1861 in Leavenworth, Kan. inventor of the moving stairway... Anita Pomares, known as Paige, b. 1910, cinemactress.

ASTRO-PROGNOSTICATION

Zodiac sign: Leo. Those whose birth date it is usually will be found to be justly proud of their appearance and physical gifts. They are not, however, as fastidious in certain respects as they might be. A natural shrewdness advances their interests and causes them to escape pitfalls laid by persons who mistake outward appearances and underestimate their intelligence. They are popular with both sexes and are loving and generous by nature.

Sunday, Aug. 5; 32nd day. 158th year of the independence of the United States.

THE WORLD WAR 20 YEARS AGO SUNDAY

August 5, 1914—James Ramsay MacDonald, 48, having made strenuous efforts to prevent his country from committing the mistake of getting into the war, resigns leadership of the Labor Party to face courageously the ignominious lot of the pacifist in wartime.

(He will become prime minister of Britain twice and direct her foreign policy, and allow her to renew the alliance with France which commits her to war in defense of Belgium and Holland.) British warships have their first brush with the enemy at 10 a. m. H. M. S. Lance and Landrail sighted the Konigin Luise laying mines off the Thames, gave chase and sank her. But this same day H. M. S. Amphion strikes a mine laid by the Konigin Luise and sinks in 15 minutes with a loss of 150.

The British ships receive their orders from a German-Sired Prince Louis of Battenberg, First Sea Lord.

MEMORABLE DAYS—AUG. 5

August 5, 1833—200 h. p. engines propelled the Royal William away from Quebec, bound for England on the first transatlantic voyage to be made entirely by steam. She made the crossing 19 days, including a two-day breakdown at sea.

Strangely the Sirius and the Great Western, which made their initial trips in 1838, usually are credited with being the first ships to cross the Atlantic entirely by steam.

August 2, 1846—A third war with Britain was narrowly averted by the proclamation by President Polk of a treaty settling the Oregon boundary question. Hot-heads demanded 54'40" or Fight! Many Americans, believing Oregon worthless, favored granting it to Canada entire! The boundary was compromised at 49'.

August 2, 1887—Saturday evening in the saloon of Joe Smith on Union Square, New York, High D'Arcy was seated at a table with friends. A wreck of a man staggered into the place and begged them for a drink. Before they could answer, the business-like Joe shouted, "Get Out!" and waiters backed up his command with action. Even a dog rushed at the unfortunate and tore his trousers. D'Arcy and his friends were so touched by the sight

August 2, 1926—"The first talking-picture" was presented on Broadway—John Barrymore in Don Juan, and revolution began in Hollywood. But Thomas A. Edison had presented talking-pictures in New York 20 years before.

NOTABLE NATIVITIES AUG. 5

Guy de Maupassant, b. 1850, one of the greatest of short-story writers. In his latter years he had only one book in his library: a dictionary of the nobility of France... Francis Scott Key b. 1780, author of the words of The Star Spangled Banner... Hugh S. Johnson, b. 1881, NRA administrator... Bruce Barton, b. 1886, author and advertiser... Richard Washburn Child, b. 1881, author and diplomat.

ASTRO-PROGNOSTICATION

Zodiac sign: Leo. Persons whose birthdate it is are found by astrologers to be of steadfast but sensitive character. They are straight-forward in all their own dealings, and are hurt by the short-comings to others in dealings with them. They easily make friends and have a following. They find their greatest joy in domestic surroundings. Unexpected developments are likely to change the course of their lives after middle-age.

ANSWERS TO TEN QUESTIONS

See Back Page

- 1. Booth Tarkington, 2. New York City, 3. The opening of the abdomen by a surgical operation, 4. Radium, 5. The major portion is in Eastern Standard zone, 6. Emperor, 7. Diamond, 8. Yellow Springs, Ohio, 9. Addis Ababa, 10. Eastern Pennsylvania.

1,412 Prosecuted For Violation of State Game Laws

Daily Dispatch Bureau, By J. C. BASKERVILLE.

Raleigh, Aug. 4.—Prosecutions on charges of violations of the State game laws during the two-year period ending June 30 numbered 1,412. John D. Chalk, State game and inland fisheries commissioner, announced today.

Transgressions of the low cost violators a total of \$11,682.46, of which \$7,922.77 was for the first year of the biennium and \$3,659.69 for the latter year.

The school fund of the State profited to the extent of \$2,152.53 from the funds, while court costs in the various cases amounted to \$9,429.93. During the same period, 1,124 alleged violators of the inland fisheries regulations were prosecuted by wardens in the various counties, and fines amounted to \$2,192.56. Court costs in the fisheries cases amounted to \$7,559.24, making a total of \$9,751.80 which the alleged infractors of the laws were required to pay.

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CROSS WORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1 through 42 indicating starting positions for words.

- ACROSS: 1—Opposite of earlier, 5—Doctrine, 9—Age, 10—Consumed, 12—Organ of hearing, 13—Encountered, 14—A doctrine or system, 15—Greek letter, 16—Breaks sharply, 18—River in Egypt, 21—Come again, 24—Frog, 26—Plexiform network, 27—One who manipulates a tool, 29—Man's name, 31—Appears, 32—Grain, 36—Green vegetable, 37—Discern, 39—Anglo-Saxon money of account, 40—Measure of cloth, 41—Even (contraction), 42—One who pares, 43—Past perfect of lean.

- DOWN: 1—Citrus fruit, 2—Form of to be, 3—Knot, 4—Precipitation, 6—Assuage, 8—Born, 7—Consume.

Answer to previous puzzle

Small crossword puzzle grid with the answer 'LAME ASKS' filled in.

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