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**THANKS.**

The Zebulon Record made its first  
 call on June 19. The Record is pub-  
 lished by Mr. G. W. Mitchell, formerly  
 of South Carolina. Mr. Mitchell is a  
 newspaper man of long experience  
 and his first issue shows that he is  
 going to give Zebulon a good paper.  
 The paper is an eight page, six column  
 paper and will supported by the Zebu-  
 lon merchants.—The Gold Leaf Farm-  
 er.

Operated by connection with a light  
 socket, a new electric incubator per-  
 forms the functions of a hatcher, hov-  
 er and egg tester.

Two well defined strata of platinum  
 have been discovered in the Trans-  
 vaal extending over an area from 60  
 to 100 miles in length.

The lower part of a recently patent-  
 ed crutch can be spread so that it can  
 be used as a chair, a piece of canvas  
 forming the seat.

A mail box with two compartments  
 separated by a trap door that pre-  
 vents theft of its contents has been in-  
 vented by an Englishman.

An electric device that condenses  
 the moisture into drops of water that  
 fall has been designed in England to  
 rid London of fogs.

The dial of new indicating calipers  
 is so mounted that its readings can be  
 obtained no matter at what angle the  
 tool may be used.

The government owns all important  
 telephone systems in Holland and is  
 planning to install automatic equip-  
 ment in the larger cities.

A water proof paper umbrella that  
 has been invented folds flat and when  
 extended is supported by a paper cone  
 instead of metal ribs.

Paper money has been printed in  
 Europe with certain colored inks that  
 will not reproduce if photographed  
 to baffle counterfeiters.

A fan at the top of a new portable  
 electric room heater draws air in at  
 the top and expels it through the  
 sides after it has been warmed.

It has been demonstrated by French  
 engineers that a ship can be driven  
 against the wind by a wind operated  
 turbine geared to a propeller.

For use on flat top desks a frame  
 to hold a typewriter, hinged so that a  
 machine can be turned forward out of  
 the way, has been invented.

Indications near Bilbao warranting  
 boring test wells have been found by  
 American and British experts pros-  
 pecting for petroleum in Spain.

An inventor has patented a water-  
 proof pocket to be attached to bath-  
 ing suits for carrying eye glasses,  
 cigarettes or other small articles.

To aid opticians to diagnose defects  
 in vision an English scientist has in-  
 vented apparatus that photographs  
 the interiors of human eyes.

To lift sunken logs a floating ma-  
 chine has been invented that enables  
 two men to do the work requiring  
 from 15 to 20 with hand implements.

An international exposition of inter-  
 rior navigation and hydraulic forces  
 will be held at Basle, Switzerland,  
 from July 1 to September 15.

A chain that can be pulled by a per-  
 son seated in an automobile switches  
 the current to a new electrically op-  
 erated opener for garage doors.

**THE RULE OF REASON**

There is a decided reaction in this country against  
 restrictive government policies which attempt to prevent  
 collection and distribution of statistical information by  
 trade associations, which seek to give their members re-  
 serts that will enable them to perfect their production,  
 distribution, marketing, selling or other methods of  
 strengthening their industrial structure, with resulting  
 benefits to the public.

Two recent decisions of the United States Supreme  
 Court on the Maple Flooring Association and the Cement  
 Association—where chief issue was the legality under our  
 anti-trust laws of co-operative collection and dissemination  
 of statistical information regarding production, sales,  
 deliveries and prices—reversed adverse judgments of dis-  
 trict courts.

The sole question presented in the Maple Flooring  
 case was:

"Whether the combination of the defendants in their  
 existing association as actually conducted by them as a  
 necessary tendency to cause direct and undue restraint of  
 competition." Analyzing separately the activities com-  
 plained of, the Court reached the conclusion that no such  
 necessary tendency was present. The Court denied "that  
 the character of the information gathered by the defend-  
 ants, or the use which is being made of it, leads to any  
 necessary inference that the defendants either have made  
 or will make any different or other use of it than would  
 normally be made if like statistics were published in a  
 trade journal or were published by the Department of  
 Commerce, to which all the gathered statistics are made  
 available."

In the cement case there was no evidence of price fix-  
 ing agreements, but the government contended that uni-  
 formity of price and limitation of production resulted  
 from activity and information by the Cement Association.

The Supreme Court found no evidence of restraint of  
 trade, for each member was left free to pursue his own  
 course of action.

These decisions based on a "rule of reason" permit an  
 organization of competitors, no matter how compre-  
 hensive, to interchange data, even of an intimate character,  
 regarding their respective business operations without  
 violating the Sherman Act. The Maple Flooring and Ce-  
 ment cases mark a distinct advance in our national atti-  
 tude toward sound and constructive business and indus-  
 trial policies.

**THIS SOUNDS REASONABLE**

In discussing the subject of Compulsory Automobile  
 Liability Insurance, Frederick H. Stinfield, of the Min-  
 neapolis bar, says:

"Carelessness is a universal, unending and constant  
 quantity with every human being. Some people are more  
 frequently negligent than others, but, negligence is, never-  
 theless, a characteristic of and a certainty, at some time  
 or other for everybody. When, therefore, by carelessness  
 you are hurt, or your automobile is injured, and another  
 person guilty of that carelessness becomes indebted to you  
 for the damage done, you have against him a cause of ac-  
 tion and only that. He is your debtor. If, by law, he is  
 compelled to carry insurance, you are receiving from the  
 government direct statutory aid in the collection of your  
 debt. Is that your theory of government? In compara-  
 tively few of the other affairs of your life do you ask or  
 suffer governmental aid.

"I have never yet heard it suggested that every citi-  
 zen who might contract smallpox or influenza or a cold,  
 diphtheria or scarlet fever, or the thousand and one other  
 ailments which are infectious, should give a bond or in-  
 sure himself so that if he communicates that disease to  
 others he will pay the damages. I find no difference in  
 principle. The communication of any disease is the result  
 of carelessness.

"Why should not parents be required to give bonds or  
 an insurance policy to the children who shall be born,  
 guaranteeing to them a reasonable opportunity for educa-  
 tion, health, recreation, comfort and preparation for life?  
 The children are not even consulted with reference to their  
 being brought into the world. They are wholly innocent  
 parties. The driver on the highway at least goes there  
 voluntarily and is injured by the negligence of others. If  
 you, the driver of an automobile, are protected from the  
 damage done you by the carelessness of others, Heaven  
 knows that children, who have no choice in the matter, are  
 entitled to protection against unhappiness and lack of op-  
 portunity.

"You, unfortunately, are obliged to consult physi-  
 cians and attorneys frequently during the year. They  
 have been known to be careless. Why not say that every  
 physician and attorney should give insurance against neg-  
 ligence in the conduct of the business of their patients and  
 clients?

"It seems to me that the subject needs no further con-  
 sideration. It is hard for me to understand how there  
 could have been even any suggestion that such statute be  
 placed on the books. To me it is the utmost absurdity; to  
 me the proposers show a woeful lack of knowledge of the  
 ordinary affairs of life and the ordinary ways in which  
 government works, and the ordinary rules of conduct of  
 men in their relationship with each other."

Under improved methods in these furnace depart-  
 ments, which include in summer time huge ventilators car-  
 rying pure, washed and cooled air down beside each fur-  
 nace, working conditions have lost their former hardships  
 for the man.

**The Cause of the  
 Mine Disaster in  
 Mine in Chatham**

"A blow-out shot in the fourth right  
 heading," of the Carolina Coal Com-  
 pany mine is believed to have caused  
 the terrible disaster in May which  
 snuffed out the lives of fifty-three  
 miners, according to a letter of W. G.  
 Hill, of Gulf, which is filed with the  
 report of Frank D. Grist, Commis-  
 sioner of Labor and Printing, which  
 was delivered to Governor McLean a  
 few days ago.

Mr. Grist himself offers no sugges-  
 tion as to the cause of the disaster.  
 He did not go into the mine himself  
 but sent in Hill as his representa-  
 tive.

"From all the evidence obtainable,  
 after a thorough examination of the  
 mine," states Mr. Hill, "it is my be-  
 lief that the explosion resulted from  
 a blow out shot in the fourth right  
 heading. The evidence tends to show  
 that there was a small accumulation  
 of gas in this heading when the shot  
 blew out. The shot blowing out ig-  
 nited the gas and coal dust resulting  
 in a general explosion throughout the  
 mine, which wrecked the underground  
 ventilating system."

**Thirty-two Hanged  
 on Public Square**

From far-away Constantinople  
 comes a report of "small" hanging  
 which recently took place in that  
 country. The report says: Sheik Sa-  
 and thirty-one other Kurds recently  
 convicted of participating in the Kur-  
 dish insurrection, were hanged in the  
 public square at Diarbekir. Said was  
 the principal leader of the insurrec-  
 tion.

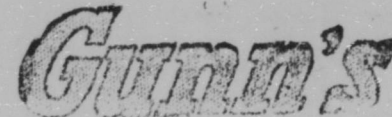
Advices reaching here from Diar-  
 bekir say that a large crowd ap-  
 plauded while the executions were  
 taking place and that numerous vol-  
 unteers aided in adjusting and pulling  
 the gallows ropes.

The men executed were tried by  
 court-martial. Fifteen other Kurds  
 were acquitted.

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