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**Births**

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Watkins, of Bidwell street, announce the birth of a daughter, Sandra Lee, October 20 at the Angel hospital. Mrs. Watkins is the former Miss Rosa Lee Kiser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Kiser.

Wade Hampton, Jr., a son, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Childers, of West Franklin, at the Angel hospital October 19. Mrs. Childers is the former Miss Elizabeth Setser.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Julian Kiser at the Angel hospital October 19.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. McClure, of Atlanta, Ga., have announced the birth of a son, Charles Gettys, at the Emory University hospital in Atlanta October 21. Mrs. McClure was

**Macon Man's War  
Bride Here With  
Parents-In-Law**

Mrs. Jessie Jones, of Yorkshire, England, has arrived in Franklin, to join her husband, Pic. Marshall Jones, who was returned to the States several weeks ago, and is now stationed at Fort Bragg.

Mrs. Jones, while her husband is in service, will spend her time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones, at their home, Franklin, Route 1. She finds this a delightful country and is highly pleased with the reception she has received from the American people since coming to the States, she said.

Prior to her marriage about a year ago, Mrs. Jones was in the military service for four years.

**Pvt. Doyle L. Grant  
Stationed In Japan**

Pvt. Doyle L. Grant, son of Lonnie Grant, of Flats, recently has been assigned to C Battery of the 89th field artillery battalion of the 25th (Tropic) Infantry division, stationed in Japan, according to word received here. Pvt. Grant entered the army last January, and left for overseas in August.

**MRS. ALLEN'S MOTHER  
DIES IN JACKSON**

Mrs. Martha Jane Deitz Buchanan, 84, mother of Mrs. De Witt Allen, of Franklin, Route 3, died at her home in Jackson county, October 20 at 11 a. m. Funeral services were held at the New Savannah Baptist church, of which she was a member, October 21 at 3 o'clock, with the Rev. C. C. Welch, pastor of the West's Mill community, officiating.

**MISS COX RESIGNS HER  
CHURCH POSITION HERE**

Miss Lysbeth Cox, association missionary of the Macon County Baptist association, has resigned, and left Franklin several days ago. After attending a conference at Blowing Rock, Miss Cox planned to go to her home in Montgomery, Ala., for a rest before assuming similar duties in another county.

before her marriage Miss Martha Gettys, of Camden, S. C., and Mr. McClure is the son of Mrs. Charles McClure and of the late Mr. McClure, of Franklin, Route 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Wallace, of Franklin, have announced the birth of a daughter, Mary Ann, at Angel hospital October 24.

A son, Owen Regean, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ammons, of Franklin, Route 4, October 24, at Angel hospital.

A daughter, Hazel Louise, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Penland, of Highlands, October 24 at Angel hospital. Mrs. Penland is the former Miss Ethel Crane.

A daughter, Sandra Gale, was born October 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Dills, of the Prentiss community, at Angel hospital. Mrs. Dills before her marriage was Miss Doris Kimsey, of near Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Holland, of the Gneiss section, have announced the birth of a son at Angel hospital October 30. Mrs. Holland is the former Miss Hazel Simmonds, of Franklin.

A son, David Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Burrell at Physicians Memorial hospital, Indian Head, Md., September 10. Mrs. Burrell is the former Miss Orpha Holbrooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Holbrooks, of Franklin, Route 3. Mr. Burrell also is a Macon county native.

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**The Senator's Column**

**HOLLOW PROMISES**

National Chairman Robert E. Hannegan has promised the American voters that "further tax reductions will be made as rapidly as a sound financial policy will permit."

What a promise! What a hollow promise!

Yes, the New Deal will give the overburdened taxpayers relief when "a sound financial policy will permit." When a sound financial policy will permit? There is a tintinnabulation to these words of others uttered in previous campaigns. It carries us back to that Democratic convention in Chicago when tried and true men wrote platform pledging "immediate and drastic reduction of governmental expenditures by abolishing useless commissions and offices, consolidating departments and bureaus and eliminating extravagance, to accomplish a saving of not less than 25 per cent in the cost of Federal Government."

There, friends, is the original promise of a political party, which changed its name to "New Deal Party," made to the American people. Upon this promise the American people sent the Democratic Party to power, but in less time than it takes to tell the story, the Democratic Party platform was blown higher than Gilroy's kite and supplanted with a program of deceit and deception plotted by designing schemers drunk with the idea that from that day on the Government of the United States would be their exclusive property.

The first step in the repudiation of that Chicago convention promise was the President's closing of the banks, all banks, the country over. This was three days before Congress came into session and the next move was to make of Congress a rubber stamp. President Roosevelt asked for approval of his banking action and the Congress gave it. The Congress made everything legal after the fact.

Then Mr. Roosevelt collected up the gold dollars and gold certificates. In return for the gold the people received paper printing press money. He then devalued the dollar. All this was done in the name of "an emergency." But at no time had the people been forewarned of what was coming up. Repudiation followed quickly in which Congress passed an act repudiating the gold redemption clause making payment of Government debts in any sort of money the Government might provide. It went on to make all contracts between individuals and corporations, calling for settlement in gold, payable in any kind of specie recognized by the Federal Government.

From here on out each new Administration-created emergency called for the creation of a new bureau and the expenditure of millions of dollars. And with each new bureau came the promise that next year the budget would be balanced and the country would be back on a safe and sound financial basis. Then, they told us, would begin the reduction of taxes as "consistent with a sound financial policy." Such were the words of Franklin D. Roosevelt. Such were his promises year after year for twelve long years.

The National debt mounted. It doubled. The people became alarmed. Then came the war. Never was the budget balanced. Never were taxes reduced. They couldn't be reduced because the New Deal was "spending, spending and electing and electing," just as Harry Hopkins and the scheming braintrusters had planned. Their promises were as hollow as a gourd and as empty of integrity as a Russian agreement. The New Dealers never could and can't to this day tell the truth even when the truth would serve their interests best.

So, here we are up to the Hannegan promise, "tax reductions will be made as rapidly as a sound financial policy will permit." I wonder if a New Deal politician would recognize a sound financial policy if it were to be laid in his lap? I doubt it. If New Dealers have ever had the slightest idea of what a "sound financial policy" really is they have never so indicated. I think some of them do, but a question of expediency always arises. Is it expedient to stop spending? Is it expedient to advocate thrift, work and common honesty, or is it expedient to create political jobs, pay subsidies and throw tax dollars around with wild abandon? Down to this moment these New Deal politicians have chosen the easy way and deferred the evil day of settlement.

Is it, Mr. Hannegan, sound business to sink American tax dollars in payment of subsidies to take food out of the American people's mouths and clothes off their backs? This is what is being done at this very moment and you know it. OPA pays the subsidies out of tax dollars. UNRRA ships the food to Tito, et al.

Is it good, sound business, Mr. Hannegan, to squander \$400,000,000 on salaries, office rents, traveling expenses and subsidies and not get one single house for a service man and his family? But why go on? It is the same old story all the way from Central American to Canal. It is the history of the New Deal from the 4th of March, 1933, to the moment you read this column.

Today Mr. Hannegan and his New Deal organization is fighting for its life. It stated the greed of the CIO-PAC by re-establishing the OPA. It did this for the sake of expediency. Now it would be the expedient thing, according to New Deal leaders, to suspend OPA controls on meat until after election. And, the New Deal way is always the expedient way. It is anything to get the votes. If the subsidy dollar will bring in the votes, then subsidy dollars roll. If it is expedient to talk economy and practice waste, the New Deal is always long on talk.

A New Dealer is not a Democrat. He is not a Republican. He is a hybrid of a thousand unworkable theories and above all he is a jealous zealot with a ruining, ruling complex. His phobia is that some day the American people will rise up and smite him to earth. In fear he trades with alien ideologies and works to the end that will bring about the deliverance of his country into the hands of its enemies. Thus he hopes to remain in power.

The time has come to elect good Americans to Congress. Men and women who regard a promise as a sacred oath to be kept regardless of political affiliation can be found outside of the New Deal conglomeration. Some of these are good Democrats, some are Republicans, but always good Americans before they are partisans. You can't vote New Dealers back into power and expect to dodge bankruptcy and slavery. Their return means chaos and utter ruin. In their places, install good men and women who refuse to break their promises.

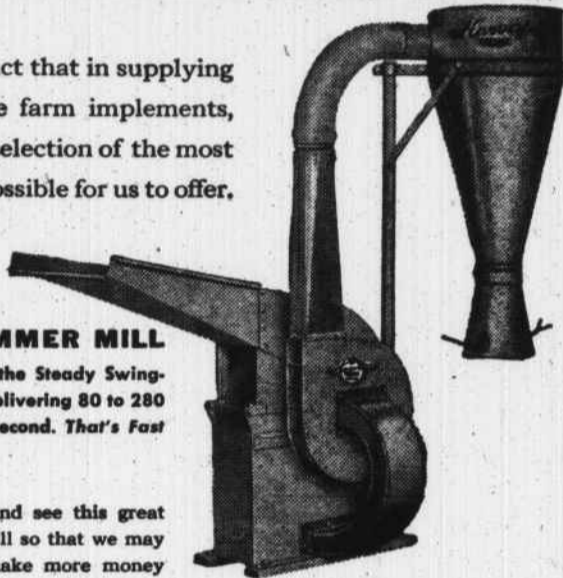
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