



It's nice to see some one who can look back almost to the Civil War Between the States and be happy about it all—or nearly all of it. Bernard Baruch can, I noticed on talking to him. He just turned 85 the other day, and a lot of us wish we would be half so spry and cheerful at that age. Barney, as he is called with real affection, has reached not only a ripe but rich old age. He has one of the large fortunes of this country—or did have, before he started giving it away.

Industry and he did a marvelous job. Wilson nicknamed him "Doctor Facts". Since then, Baruch has been adviser to Harding, Coolidge, Hoover, Roosevelt, Truman and Eisenhower. Yet no one seems to know just what his advice has been. You ask Barney what he told those Presidents, and he just gives you his nice smile. But truly, his is a case of "Show me a man who is diligent in his ways, and he shall stand before kings."

In the year 1870, he was born in Camden, South Carolina, the son of a poor doctor. He went to college then straight to Wall Street and made money. How? Speculating. Barney quickly replied. He's not ashamed of it. "The word comes from the Latin 'speculari', which means to observe," he explained. "I observe." He went to his father, told him he was 30 years old, and had made a million dollars. "Yes, my son," replied the father whose memory Barney reveres very much, "but what good are you going to do with it?" The answer of the son was, in the years to come, to give away millions for medical research, education, charity and slum-clearance.

In the thirties, he sat on a park bench across from the White House and worried about how low were our armed forces. Offered to give three millions of his own money to build up a modern army. He foresaw World War II more than most people. After that conflict, Barney headed a commission to put atomic energy under international control, but the Russians turned down his plan. Today they are turning to it, at least to some extent. But that failure was a great blow for Barney. He says, "I had come to the end of my furrow." This remark and that of Governor Averill Harriman of New York don't coincide however. Said the governor recently, "Bernard Baruch will be fittingly honored by the whole world for his dedicated efforts as a humanitarian and for his leadership in behalf of world peace."

Came World War I and Bernard Baruch was a financial titan, able to reorganize large industries and commercial enterprises. President Woodrow Wilson turned to him, put him in charge of the nation's



BRIDGE WASHED OUT by hurricane's waves: Approaches to this bridge at New Bern were battered to pieces by high waves whipped by hurricane Ione. Numerous motor vehicles were marooned in the vicinity of the bridge. Four persons were killed by the hurricane in New Bern-Morehead City area and property damage ran into the millions of dollars. (AP Wirephoto).

words of wisdom, I got the feeling Bernard Baruch would never be old. He modestly says old men shouldn't talk so much, should let young men take over the tasks, even if they do make mistakes, but I notice when we have a big war, even our head men run fast to him for helpful advice—and this undoubtedly is a good thing. He feels that if a man has good parents—he says he had the finest—keeps himself in good physical condition and learns how to talk, to speak publicly and sell himself, he will succeed. In talking to Barney, one has no doubt but that he has mastered all these qualifications.

Once he learned a lesson from an athlete, Barney used to work out in a gymnasium on 28th Street, along with other fellows who tried to keep in shape. One afternoon he was in the ring, boxing with a big fellow who was almost twice his size and strength. He landed some

### Good Vacuum Cleaner Deserves Best Storage

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VACUUM CLEANER CARE—A good vacuum cleaner deserves best storage. The vacuum cleaner should be stored in a well-organized, easy-to-get-to cleaning equipment closet.

hard ones on Barney, but somehow the latter stuck with him and after awhile beat him down until the big one didn't want any more. Just then somebody tapped Barney on the shoulder. It was Bob Fitzsimmons, heavyweight champion of the world. "You're a champ, boy," he said to Barney. "Keep after a man. You can never tell when the other fellow's worse off than you are."

If it is stored in a cramped closet in the basement, attic, or utility room, it probably won't be use often enough because extra time and work are required to use it.

The homemaker should keep the vacuum cleaner, its attachment and all cleaning supplies together in a compact storage unit.

STAIN REMOVAL FROM CARPETS—A kit, conveniently stored containing soil removal supplies will be a great help in removing stains quickly. It should contain a sponge, glycerine, powdered perborate bleach, carbon tetrachloride alcohol (one part to three parts of water), medicine dropper, white blotter, and absorbent cloths.

To remove chocolate stain, use



Do you resent being called a teen-ager? Some young people do. Others don't mind a smidgen.

If you could substitute a label of your own what would it be?

Many young people fret over the teen-age salutation because they believe it is unpopular. Others do not like some of the characters who are put in the "teen-age" category with them.

Take the opinion of one 17-year-old . . .

"The term teen-ager isn't really bad. It's just that every jerk below 20 is headlined as a teen-ager. These are the truants and 'troublemakers' and they make the rest of us suspects, too."

On the other hand one 17-year-old girl takes this stand:

"Why should I worry what people call me—especially a general classification. My own activities are above reproach. Adults don't isolate themselves from adulthood just because other adults do terrible things."

If one is celebrating a 13th birthday, obviously one is looking forward to life-to-be in the teen world. Before that she is in the "kid" category.

But at what age does one begin to quibble at the idea of the teen-age classification? And why?

Let's hear from all our readers on the subject. Perhaps you will be the one to suggest a new label for young moderns to take the place of the old "teen-ager." Maybe you'll come up with a new title for this column, too.

Those who dislike the term teen-ager might be consoled by recent statistics that the peak marrying age is 18. And whoever heard of young marrieds being described as "teen-agers"? Or pinning that label on Romeo and Juliet? It is a shortened term for most, not nearly so long as middle age. (By the way did you ever see a headline that proclaimed that "Two middle-agers crashed into a telephone pole early last night.")

Are you the type who finds a lot of satisfaction in fashions styled "especially for teen-agers"? Or do you prefer to show in a department designed for Misses? Are you likely to avoid a hairdo because it is "worn by teen-agers"? Do you shun books and stories of "faring advice to teen-agers"?

In other words are you appalled at the thought of being a so-called "teen-ager"? If so, let us in on it. Tell us your net nerves in that respect. Perhaps you've been harboring the thought and haven't even told your best friend.

cold water, carbon tetrachloride, powdered perborate bleach (purchased at drug store). Sponge with cold water, dry, then use carbon tetrachloride to remove oil—after fabric is dry, rinse. If necessary use a powdered perborate bleach. Rinse. Milk stains can be removed by this same method.

If there are coffee or tea stains, use cold water, glycerine, powdered perborate bleach. Sponge with cold water. Apply glycerine, allow to stand for one hour then rinse. If necessary, remove last stain with solution of perborate bleach. Rinse. If coffee stain contained cream, sponge first with carbon tetrachloride and then follow method for removing coffee or tea stains.

#### NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA, HAYWOOD COUNTY.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by NORMAN HANNAH (widower), dated 7 day of May, 1953 and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 86 at page 116, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Haywood County, North Carolina, default having been made by the indebtedness thereby secured by said Deed of Trust being by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure, the under-signed trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Courthouse door in Waynesville, North Carolina, at noon, on the 29th day of September, 1955, the property conveyed in a Deed of Trust the same lying and being in the County of Haywood, State of North Carolina, in Waynesville Township, and in the City of Waynesville and more particularly described as follows:

BEING Lot No. 21 of Limer Park subdivision, East Waynesville, North Carolina as per survey and map of W. H. Terrell, C. E. made October, 1948 and recorded in Map Book "D" Index "L", page 3, Haywood County Registry to which map and record reference is hereby made for a more particular description. Being the same property conveyed by Andrew J. Hannah et ux to Norman Hannah by Warranty Deed date May 7, 1953, and recorded in Book — page — Office of Register of Deeds of Haywood County, North Carolina.

But this sale is made subject to all outstanding and unpaid taxes and municipal assessments.

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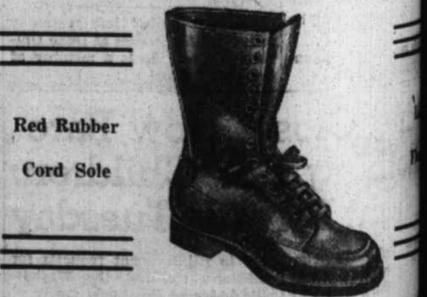
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