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Every now and then a citizen comes to the editor of this paper with an article that he wants us to run for the "good of the community".

We are beset with these requests every day. New, strange to say, whether we run the proffered article or not, we appreciate the attitude of the contributor, and would have him repeat the dose whenever he thinks he has something worth printing.

While Mr. Wallace gave no reason for his These early Government exper- Enthusiasm - Another name change in views, newspapers report that Am-iments showed soybeans were a for hysteria.—Lucifer's Lexi-erican automobile executivos, roturning from erican automobile executives, returning from under, and are fine forage for Europe, say that industry is speeding up in al-livestock. Farmers were urged most every country. In our own country, in- to plant more for these purdices for May show a strong upward movement. poses. Last week, in this column, we summarized Another War, in 1915, en- there never has been any Italo-

the views of Chester C. Davis, former AAA couraged explorations into the Ethiopian war.-Life. Administrator, but recently appointed to the

Where's The War?

If we believe each nation's reports of its own casualties,

The editor doesn't know it all. There are undoubtedly many others who could do his work better. He realizes this, and yet, being the editor, he must exercise his feeble judgment in these matters.

Contributors who cheerfully accept this judgment are a boon to editors and we are glad to report that there are some of them in this community.

## IT'S THE LAW, ANYWAY!

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There is little use for the average citizen to attempt to understand the theories of law by which the United States Supreme Court has decided (1) that the Federal government cannot pass a law fixing a fair wage for women and (2) that the States themselves cannot pass a law fixing a fair wage for women.

It is enough to realize, as the law is now declared, that no government can pass a law fixing a fair wage for women, and to have the general idea that under the present interpretation there are other areas of activity in which neither the power of the States nor that of the Federal government is effective.

Whether one agrees with the majority opinions of the high court or not, nothing is to be gained by denouncing the justices. The next step is to see that either the States, or the Federol government, be given the necessary power to rule in the twilight zones that now exist without law.

## END OF SCHOOL MEANS BEGINNING

Schools all over the United States have recently ended their sessions. Every county, including our county, is sending forth from school scores of young men and women, many of whom have received their last formal scholastic training.

To the graduates of the schools in this county who will continue their studies in college the closing of school is not as important an event in life as to the larger number who will begin to work, leaving behind them the organized paths to knowledge.

It is important, however, as we see it, that these high school graduates, who have no hope

Federal Reserve Board. Mr. Davis considers the reciprocal trade agreement program as the best instrument to pare down foreign trade barriers in the interest of the farmers. Among those opposed to the process is George N. Peek, former AAA Administrator, who has turned against the New Deal and its works. Mr. Peek was in Cleveland last week advising the Republicans as to their farm program. He has been touring the Farm Belt, telling the farmers that the trade program is letting a flood of foreign agricultural products into this country. He is firm in advocating a system of direct barter

with individual nations and the elimination of

the most-favored-nation principle in tariff mat-

ters.

Mr. Peek has been interested in the farm relief movement for a number of years. He advocates the imposition of tariffs and other restrictions on farm imports, continuation of benefit payments to farmers on the domestically consumed portion of their crops, and the use of Federal funds to subsidize exports to foreign countries at whatever price they might bring abroad. Mr. Peek urges that steps be taken "looking to the early stabilization of our currency for domestic transactions", with the method to be determined "by requirements of a reasonably balanced domestic price level". He is for the continuous management of our currency for external transactions and the supervision of the flow of capital in and out of this country.

He would put an end to the unconditional most-favored-nation treatment, grant tariff concessions to individual foreign countries only when the same countries grant concessions to us in exchange.

It will probably surprise some readers, even in the face of publicity given rural electrification recently, to read that nearly ninety percent of American farms are now being served by central stations. By comparison, nearly every home in Switzerland has electric services,

the same is practically true of France and Belgium. Germany, Holland, Denmark, Norway, n. Finland and Japan are shead of the



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