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Relief is easier started than stopped but so is revolution.

People who get favors make it mighty hard to cut them off the free list.

Keeping the peace with Japan requires that the Chinese gradually back out of China.

Like it or not, the United States is part of the world which includes other nations and other peoples.

Here's the proposition: You buy the newspaper and you are entitled to disagree with the editor without limit.

Business organizations might get further if they get over the idea that they are designed to improve the government.

The Constitution of the United States was drawn up by a convention which met in secret. What its clauses sometimes mean remains a secret.

Using our gold to strengthen the finances of other governments is not a bad idea; with half of the world's gold supply it will pay us to keep other nations interested in gold.

The world that hailed nations for fighting because they guaranteed the neutrality of Belgium has mighty little to say about the nations that have nothing to say although they guaranteed the neutrality and territorial integrity of China.

ONE SAVED OUT OF FOUR

One year after the distribution of the soldier's bonus, Treasury reports show that only twenty-three percent of the recipients have not yet cashed their bonus bonds.

Some might argue from this that those who received the bonds were spendthrift and improvident. This does not necessarily follow.

Many of the recipients of the bonds made use of the cash upon selling for permanent investments of value. Others had to sell them to pay debts accumulated during the depression.

ARE YOU BALANCED

It is fine for human beings to have good times, to enjoy themselves in proper ways and to appreciate a sense of humor as they travel along the road of life.

However, after all, this is not the purpose of existence. The individual should accept some responsibility, assume some obligations and have faith in something if life is to have a full meaning.

There is always the danger that the thinkers of the day will take things too seriously but this danger is no more real than the opposite, that the pleasure seekers will fail to take things seriously enough.

The balance between them is what makes civilization worth having, but it does not seem possible for every individual to capture the poise that goes with such a balance.

FOOLISH ATTACK

It may be politics to some people but we see little sense in the recent attack upon Mrs. FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT by Rep HAMILTON FISH, Republican Representative from New York, who charged that she evaded taxes in connection with certain charity broadcasts.

What are the facts? Well, the First Lady, by contract, had the income from her radio broadcasts paid directly to a charity. In 1934, when she entered into the contract, it was submitted to Treasury officials, who ruled that no tax need be paid, since she did not profit personally.

In other words, Mrs. ROOSEVELT, who gave all her income from radio broadcasts to charitable uses, is cited by FISH in an effort to make people believe that she is guilty of the same kind of evasion that rich men have adopted, not to give anything to charity, but to save their money for themselves.

ONE DIFFERENCE

If a manufacturer makes \$1,000,000 units of his product he expects to get, subject to various trade allowances for quantity, etc., substantially more money than if he only manufactured 900,000 units.

Farmers, however, who produce wheat and cotton, have found out in some years that the more they raise the less they get for the crop as a whole.

This is the difference between manufacturing and agriculture that often escapes the attention of city economic experts who delight in lambasting efforts to aid the farmers.

THIRTY SELECTED WORDS

Americans have borrowed more words from foreign languages than any other people, in the opinion of Dr. WILFRED J. FUNK, maker of dictionaries, who lists what he considers the ten most remarkable words borrowed from other tongues. Here they are:

Bungalow, Bengalese; *verandah*, Asiatic Indian; *pickaninny*, Spanish; *kimono*, Japanese; *caboose*, Dutch; *pajama*, Asiatic Indian; *avenue*, French; *hippopotamus*, Greek; and *potato*, American Indian.

Several years ago Dr. FUNK picked the "ten most beautiful" words: *dawn*, *hush*, *lullaby*, *murmuring*, *tranquil*, *mist*, *luminous*, *chimes*, *golden* and *melody*.

He recently listed the ten "most overworked" words: *okay*, *terrific*, *lousy*, *contact*, *definitely*, *gal*, *racket*, *swell*, *impact* and *honey*.

Readers will have their own ideas, but the selections of the recognized expert are interesting.

THE ALTERNATIVE OF ARMS

Generally speaking we are among those who regret that the nations of the earth find it necessary to spend billions of dollars every year for armament. We are not among those who ask that this country refrain from such expenditures.

There was a time when people had some reason to believe that a nation without the means of defense was reasonably safe in its territorial possessions. That day has passed. Its demise is marked by dead bodies in Manchukuo, Ethiopia and Spain. We believe that a strong navy and a prepared army are necessary if the United States does not want to invite European powers to take over portions of South and Central America.

Like it or not, we must face facts in dealing with our world. Germany, Italy, Japan and possibly other countries today would not hesitate to use force as a method of securing national aggrandizement. The only thing that would prevent them from running roughshod over some other nation would be the power of the other nation to defend itself. If we are to maintain ourselves in the world then the United States must be adequately armed for effective defense.

The Presidents of the United States, in the last decades, have done everything possible to prevent an armaments race. They have not succeeded. The United States has done what it could to develop a better feeling among the nations in the hope that this would remove distrust and suspicion and lead to peace. We have tried to build up international trade as a method of preventing war. None of these policies can be called complete failures but neither can they, at this time, be termed successful.

The only alternative that we can see today to a continued race between the great nations of the world is the establishment of an armed peace, backed if necessary by sufficient strength to make it effective and supreme over any challenge. That nations could go into such an undertaking is doubtful. Whether the people of this country would countenance American participation in such a power-pact for peace is uncertain, but as an effort to avoid continued armaments and unnecessary expense the idea might be considered.

We do not think that any effective pact could be arranged that would guarantee frontiers because this would involve too many implications. However, it is not beyond the possibilities that the United States, Great Britain, France and such other established rules of international trade could establish a force that would dominate oceanic trade. This force would be able to prevent overseas expansion that would tend to interfere with equal trade opportunities, such as is the case with Japanese operations in Manchukuo and North China, the Italian undertaking in Ethiopia and the German-Italian flirtation with Gen. FRANCO.

Such a concert of powers, acting for definitely restricted purposes, and using naval strength almost exclusively, could exert a tremendous force for peace in the world. However, there must be no hesitancy to use ships and guns if necessary to maintain the status sought and to let recalcitrant nations know that they are dealing with a fighting unit not a system of diplomatic protests.

The British re-armament program seems to have been started at the last possible minute.

Uncle Jim Says



By liming and fertilizing old permanent pastures, some of my neighbors get about 40 days of extra grazing a year.

**WHAT'S WHAT
• about •
Social Security**

As another service to its readers, this newspaper each week will give authoritative answers to questions on the Social Security law. By special arrangement with Stacey W. Wade, Manager of the Social Security Board office at 116 South Salisbury St. in Raleigh, the Social Security Board has consented to pass on the accuracy of answers to questions on Social Security, which may be asked by employers, employees, and others, through this paper. Address inquiries to THE EDITOR. Answers will be given here in the order which questions are received. This is an informational service and is not legal advice or service. In keeping with the Social Security Board policy names will not be published.—Editor.

Question No. 26: I am a railroad employee and am paying 3 1/2 per cent of my pay toward a pension... My employer is paying the same. Do I also pay one per cent to the Federal Government for old-age benefits?
Answer: You are excluded from the taxing provisions as set forth in Title VIII of the Social Security Act since you are already covered under the Railroad Retirement Act.

Question No. 27: How can I get a job in the Old-Age Benefits Office?
Answer: The Bureau of Federal Old-Age Benefits is a department of the Federal Government. All employees, with the exception of a few experts in the Bureau, are taken directly from the Civil Service registers.

Question N. 28: I only work one day in a week. Am I included under the provisions of old-age benefits?
Answer: Yes. One day's work is enough to bring you into the benefits plan.

Question No. 29: I am 65 years old now. Do I have to pay taxes for unemployment compensation?
Answer: The Social Security Act does not tax employees for unemployment compensation. A few of the State acts do. Your employer is not exempt in paying a tax on you because you are over 65.

Question No. 30: I am a one-man corporation and own all the stock in the corporation. Why am I not classed as self-employed?
Answer: Every corporation is considered a legal person. Since that is the case, you work for that legal person and not for yourself.

Question No. 31: I am in business with another partner. Will we be entitled to benefits under the Social Security Act at 65?
Answer: No. Partners are self-employed, and as such are not eligible for old-age benefits. You can get a specific ruling on your particular case from the Collector of Internal Revenue.

Question No. 32: What must a person do in order to qualify for old-age benefits?
Answer: There are three requirements in the Act. (1) You must be at least 65 years old; (2) you must have earned not less than \$2,000 total wages from covered employment after December 31, 1936, and before the age of 65; (3) you must have received wages from employment on some day in each of five calendar years after December 31, 1936, and before the age of 65.

Magnolia News

Mrs. A. C. Camache and daughter, Kathleen, of Wilmington, visited her sister, Mrs. C. V. Joyner, Tuesday afternoon. Miss Betty Margaret Joyner returned with them and on Thursday she developed a genuine case of the measles. -Mrs. Joyner's last message from her was that she is improving.

Miss Melrose Gaylor returned Sunday from Summer School in Raleigh. Her sister, Mrs. J. O. Andrews, and two little girls, Patsy Ruth and Frances, of Raleigh, came home with her and are spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Cox Gaylor. Mrs. Alpers is still here and Chas. P., of Goldsboro, joined them Sunday so Mrs. Gaylor had the Joy of her entire family with her. She has been sick for two weeks but is a little improved.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Chamblee Thursday were her sister, Mrs. J. E. Lewis, her husband and three children, Rachel, Hildred and Peggy, of Middlesex.

Miss Macy Cox attended the meeting of the Wilmington Division of the Baptist W. M. U. in Fayetteville Wednesday.

Young Marson Brown, who did the preaching during the revival in the Free Will Baptist church in June, preached there Sunday and Sunday night and gave powerful messages. He seems so "filled with the Spirit" he is already a great preacher at the age of 17.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Croom are guests at the Ocean Terrace Hotel, Wrightsville Beach.

The Woman's missionary society of the Baptist church gave a special program Monday night on "The Training School and Margaret Educational Fund",

and made offering for the two objects.

Daphne Bradshaw is spending this week with Margaret and Lois Evans, of Chinquapin.

Misses Dorothy and Betty Register are visiting in Clinton.

Miss Betty Horne returned from Summer School in Wilson for the week-end.

Mr. H. G. Culbreth and family and Mrs. J. S. Sutton attended the birthday dinner of his aunt, Mrs. Ada English, near Wallace.

Rev. C. E. Chamblee supplied the pulpits of Turkey Baptist church Sunday morning and New Hope in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Griff Horne and daughter, of Winston-Salem, visited Mrs. Fronce Horne on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Charlie Pickett, of Washington, D. C., her daughter, Mrs. Loftin, of Mt. Olive, Mrs. Edgar Perry and her daughter and husband, of Rocky Mount, were in town Monday afternoon.

Miss Macy Cox spoke on the 100-000 Club in the Baptist church at Beulaville on Sunday morning. She was accompanied by Mrs. Clara Gavin, her sons, Irie and Elmer, James David Hamilton and Lawson Matthis.

Birthday Celebration

The children of Mrs. Sarah Jane Evans celebrated her seventy-first birthday at her home Sunday. She has ten children and 31 grand children. All were present except Sam Evans and family of Franklin, Va., and Miss Madell Peterson, of Fairmont. There were fifty present. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Evans, Jr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Peterson and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Evans, Mrs. Ora Bradshaw and children of Magnolia, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Evans and family of Concord, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Evans of Chinquapin, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Calhorn of Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Julius

Boone of Faison, were guests. All carried well filled baskets of good things to eat and had a picnic dinner. In the afternoon they enjoyed watermelons.

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NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of power in mortgage from March C. McLain and Mary F., wife, to Duplin Rural Building and Loan Association, dated March 26, 1928, book 813, page 79, conveyed to undersigned, book 285, page 263, Registry of Duplin County, default having been made, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the Courthouse door, Kenansville, N. C., on MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 1937, at two o'clock P. M. a lot of land situated in Island Creek Township, Duplin County, North Carolina, described as follows:

Beginning at a stake on a ditch on the South edge of the Wallace-Harrells Store road, running thence with the ditch, Mrs. T. Q. Hall's outside line, South 1 degree, 15 minutes, West 277 feet to a stake on the ditch, thence North 26 degrees, 45 minutes, East 246 feet to a stake on the South edge of the Harrells Store Road, thence with edge of said road about North 61 degrees, West 119 feet to the beginning, containing one-third (1-3) acres.

This June 30, 1937.

M. J. CAVENAUGH, CAVENAUGH CHEV. CO., INC., JOHN D. ROBINSON, S. G. JONES, A. L. CAVENAUGH, and JOHN B. BONEY, Assigners, of Mortgage Deed.

Geo. R. Ward, Attorney.
July 8-15-22-29

**STOP . . .
STANDING . . .
STILL . . .**

STOP

. . . Have you forgotten something? YOUR BUSINESS is worth promotion! Is this the week you were going to advertise for new customers? Don't take it . . .

STANDING

up, sit down now and write that ad . . . you know your business can handle some new customers . . . you know that every day old customers are moving away and every day new people are moving into the community . . . use **The Wallace Enterprise** to invite them to trade with you . . . it costs so little for the returns you receive from **STEADY CONSISTENT ADVERTISING**, week after week.

STILL

If you just wait in your store depending upon the passing traffic, your business cannot prosper as it should . . . truthful, steady advertising is the remedy . . . So **STOP STANDING STILL** and call 242-1 today for an adman . . . he will help merchandise your service, because . . .

**WALLACE ENTERPRISE ADVERTISING
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