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## Thursday, January 10, 1935.

## Government Plan To Eliminate Grade Crossings Would Result In Saving Of Many Lives

We are delighted to learn that President Roosevelt is planning to include the elimination of railroad grade crossings as a part of the work of the CCC or as work that may be done under the PWA. Statistics show that of the 237,000 grade crossings that exist in this country, but 30,800 are, protected by gates, watchmen, or audible or visible warning signals.

In the year 1933 accidents at grade crossings accounted for the deaths of 1,511 persons and the serious injury of 3,697 others. During the first six months of the past year, 706 were killed and 2,023 injured.

If the Government is going to expend money to help keep men employed we can think of no better undertaking than something like this that will protect the lives of our citizens. And, further, as a great amount of the money spent would go for labor, both on the job and to men employed in factories supplying the necessary materials, this would be a most desirable form of relief employment.

### The Best Insurance Against War Is Widespread Knowledge That We Are Equipped To Fight

The Times is glad and anxious to support wholeheartedly every effort to prevent war. Few people in this or any other nation want war, we believe, except perhaps a very few ambitious military men, a handful of political leaders who conceivably might intrench themselves in power by means of a successful war, and-perhaps-a few cold blooded men who figure that war would put money into their pockets.

We are doubtful that the profit motive has been as powerful in causing wars as some folk would have us understand. But we do not agree that we should make no preparation for war, merely because somebody might make a profit in selling guns, air-planes, poison gas and other war material to the Government.

"In time of peace prepare for war" is a say-ing as old as civilization itself. Human nature hasn't changed much, if any, in ten thousand years. One never knows when a spark may touch off the war-like spirit, and make the very folk who don't want war willing and eager to fight.

Our nation isn't likely to pick a quarrel with any other. But unless we are prepared to defend ourselves, some other nation may try to pick a quarrel with us. The best insurance against war is the wide-spread knowledge that we are equipped to fight, if necessary, in defense of our national rights.

# It May He Hard To Believe, But Half Of The People In The World Are Under 30

Strange as it may seem to some, it is a fact ertheless that in excess of half of the people in the world at any given time are under 30 years of age. In this country, the census of 1930 showed, only 55 percent of the population enumerated were more than 21 years of age.



What persuaded him that God CHARACTER IS BORN A million sermons have been cared?

preached about Adam, berating him for his lost innocence. sis be an allegory; no matter if Adam was innocent in the Gar. it summarize in the experience den, in the same sense that the of one man a process which sheep were innocent, and the worked itself out through generare just as innocent now ations or centuries. The central sheep as they were then. But Adam in fact remains, that one day some-Eden had no character, and char- body stood out against a back-

acter is the one good thing which ground of innocent and content-God alone does not create. It is ed animalism and assumed the selfa joint product.

recorded under the symbol of somebody, that Adam, we owe a the tree and its fruit we do not debt which we can never repay. know. It is an admirable symbol. He was earth's first great hero. The birds in Eden pecked holes Adam in the Garden, fattening blow. in the fruit of that tree, as of on the fruits that grow without knew instantly that it was wrong. the rising generation which per-

"A being such as I should be est son killed his younger brother, capable of something better," he the Adam who courageously, un-

said to himself. Why. did he say it? What made him say it?

**Through State** 

**Capital Keyholes** 

(continued from front page)

Brummitt are busy hunting for

a triple-threat to run against the

Granville man if he seeks re-

election. That is just what he is

expected to do unless he decides

to run for Governor or listen to

those who would send him gun-

ning for Senator Bailey. Some of

the friends of Lieutenant Governor Graham would pit him

against Mr. Brummitt and up

from Craven County has come

word that former State Senator

Larry I. Moore may decide that

he wants to be Attorney General. Meantime, Mr. Brummitt remains

silent on his own plans although

he fires occasional broadsides of

LONG RANGE-Not even the

Generals in the field of oppo-

sition to the State's general sales

tax (you've seen their names in

print) privately expect the levy

the actions of others.

How was that he knew himself duty. That Adam is the first in to be different from the beasts honor as well as in time. He and CROP CONTROL PAYS that perish? Why was he so sure Eve sent down to us the qualities that it was wrong for him and that lift us out of the dust from not for them to use his brief which they came and back to opportunity for all it was worth? which we, like them, return.

The Family

Doctor

by John Joseph Gaines, M. D.

To Save Money-Boric Acid

Then, what have you? It is

one of my office "stand-bys."

wounds too.



As pointed out before in this column farmers in all sections No matter if the story in Geneshould keep informed as to the working of the cotton control pro-gram. If this is successful and it

becomes necessary the same prin-ciples will no doubt be applied to other crops. Naturally, one hears some complaint from cotton growers and considerable objection from groups which profit out of handling cot-ton. The latter are interested in consciousness and reprach which Just what the sin was which is go with a moral nature. To that increased production because the more bales handled the greater their volume of business. A controlled crop hits them a hard

Secretary Wallace has pointed many others. No fruit-eating labor, has had too much atten-beasts held it in special regard. tion. We care little for that activity should include an attack Adam's sin was something which brief inglorious period in his upon domestic policies which force existence. It could not last long. cotton crop control. This involves for beasts and birds, some act of unbridled lust or bloody re-Adam, contending with thorns and policy which bars foreign goods, venge: and having done it, he thistles, trying hard to govern which must be sold here if other nations buy our agricultural pro-Somehow, in this new green uni-plexed him as it has perplexed ducts. This condition is blamed verse, remorse and repentance en- succeeding fathers, the Adam who for the restricted market for tered into the soul of a living earned his bread with the sweat American cotton abroad. With a creature; and character began. of his brow, the Adam whose eld- supply of 20,000,000 bales and a world price of eight cents per pound in gold one suspects that complainingly carried and handed there must be something else holddown to his descendants a nature ing up the purchase of our cotcapable of responding to law and ton.

American farmers by this time ought to understand the evils that come to them through agricultural surpluses and the foolishness of producing for a market that does not exist.

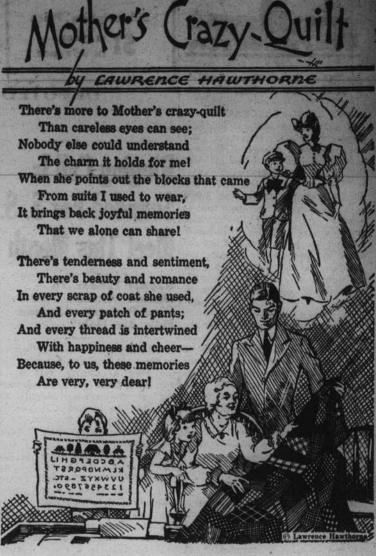
All this talk about feeding and clothing the world is rot-unless the world is able and willing to pay the farmer enough to main-tain a proper standard of living.

Figures for wheat show that crop control pays the farmer and the same applies to any crop that is at times beset with a surplus. her home Wednesday but is im-An old, time-tried friend, this In 1934 a wheat crop of 496,- proving now. Boric Acid. Go to your druggist 469,000 bushels had an estimated and buy yourself a pound—get the name right—Boric Acid. Not "Abs,000 bushels had an estimated value of \$432,441,000, while the during the holidays here were 745,188,000 bushels produced in Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Blevins, of "Abs,188,000 bushels produced in Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Blevins, of Mrs. Par You want a pound of Boric Acid. 1932 were worth only \$238,828,- Galax, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Ray 000. It need not cost you over fifty cents-possibly not so much. It

Naturally the groups that profit should be powdered, not crystals. out of handling the wheat prefer the 1932 condition but the grow- ing the questions affecting him.

er ought to see a difference Well, a first-class dusting pow-der for the whole family. It is BIGGER CROPS IN 1935

the basis of most dusting-powders, Expanded production is expectsold at many times higher prices. ed this year for most "controlled" You will have saved several dol- crops over the 1934 figure. Base J. B. Kinser, chief climatologist the morning papers. lars in one season by buying this acreage of corn is to be one- of the Weather Bureau, say that way. It is a good application for eighth higher, cotton production as far back as 1919 bureau scienis to be increased one-fourth, tists warned against the extension And, you have the stuff to dissolve in water-and you have the increase for peanuts is indicated. comparatively arid land which to be repealed at this session of very best and safest mouth-wash the General Assembly. They'll tell you so, off the record. But they are busy laying the ground work of a campaign in 1937. Only angle of attack may an attempt at revision of the State's entire tax structure and writing into the laws a graduated corporation franchise tax that would work like an income tax in reverse and the General Assembly. They'll tell going; no high-priced mouth "anti-be distributed in rental and bene-led astray by the wet part of



## Stratford

Stratford, Jan. 7 .- A number

of Laurel Springs, spent last week

Mrs. Jane Sanders fell and cut

her head on the frozen ground at

Among those visiting relatives

very pleasantly.

with relatives here.

Billings, of Hanes.

holidays at home. Mr. Ellison, of Cove creek school, spent the holidays with of friends and relatives gave Mrs. S. J. Sanders a sumptous his wife here. basket dinner Sunday before

Sanders, of Appalachian State Teachers college, Boone, spent the

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hines are Christmas. The day was spent the parents of a baby boy. born recently. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Richardson,

A New Year's supper was enjoyed by a number of near relatives of M. C. Atwod at his home. The condition of J. A. Irvin, who is ill, is worse.

John D. Mitchell, a student at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, spent the holi-

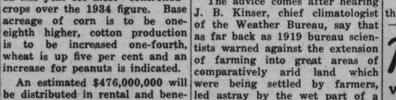
days with home folks. Miss Opal Mitchell, of Maryland, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Mitchell.

Charlie Irvin, of Maryland, spent the holidays with home folks here.

WEATHER MAN SCORES "Don't laugh at the weather

Miss Jane Crouse and Johnson

man." The advice comes after hearing



vice.-adv.

1 have been using Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills

for thirty years. No matter what

kind of pain I have, they stop it almost in-stantly. Never without the m

in the house.

Mrs. Chas. W. Webb, Indio, Calif.

Waiting Claim Agent: Are you badly hurt? I don't know-I'm waiting for



We Are Now

Buying

**Raw Furs** 

Galax

Writing on this subject recently a New York editor savs:

"Seventeen years ago the World War began, resulting in social and economic upheavals so widespread that it is fair to say that since 1914 no part of the world has returned to its former normal conditions. More than half of the people of this country have never had any conscious experience of the world that older folk knew and lived in. "

"It is hard to teach the young to see through the spectacles of the old. Men and women of mature age look back to a background totally outside the experience of youth. Young people who are now arriving at voting age have had no contact, since childhood, with anything but economic depression. Since they were fifteen or so they have heard little from their elders but moans of anguish over vanished prosperity, a prosperity which, so far as the young are concerned, is entirely mythical; they never experienced it.

"It is not to be wondered at that young folks are easily led into belief in economic and social experiments which older ones deprecate as impractical and unworkable. We don't know what anybody can do about it; we are not sure that anything ought to be done about it. It's their world, somehow, they'll find ways to make it a better world than the one upon which the old folks look back with longing and regret for the good old days."

Dignity goeth before a slippery walk—or a banana peel.—The Pink Rag.

"A New York court," says the Charlotte News, "has held that nudism is not, per se, lewd. First thing you know the courts will be declaring that it ain't no sin to take off your skin and dance around in your bones."-The Elkin Tribune.

Greensboro News says: "North Carolina ranks 12th in free lunches provided for school children, but 46th in library service. Well, we can't have everything: we're still among the first in illiteracy and won't miss the books so badly."-The Elkin Tribune. .......

The records show that there were 36,000 deaths alting from auto accidents in 1934, in the United tes. At that rate, what's the use worrying about irth control ?- The Elkin Tribune.

like an income tax in reverse and hit the "filthy rich" right in the center of their pocketbooks (vital skin inflammations-nearly all spot). But that doesn't mean kinds. Make up wet dressings that barrages will not be fired at with strong boric acid solution the sales tax this session. and lay them on the inflamed spots-you will be gratified.

BOYS, GET THE MONEY\_ This General Assembly is going to have its financial headaches out-side the sales tax. Public sentiyou no better-and cost nearly ment is demanding more - money Wives and mothers love it. for school teachers and those who dish out the higher education. Other State employes also have the public on their side and more money is going to be needed all around. How to get it is going to be a mighty big question in for the same thing. the present session and you needn't be surprised if somebody

pops up with the old luxury tax (pet of John W. Hins-dale, of Wake County) as a supof John W. Hinsplement to the general sales tax. Also ways and means will be sought for making big corporations cough up some more tax dough. Robert R. Reynolds got all hot and bothered about the way the

HOLC was being administered and BIG MONEY—A movement to secured a change of managers. have the State take over county Now the money has about run BIG MONEY-A movement to

makers this demand is not likely

to become reality at this session but sentiment has been moving in ing the past two years and who following tract of land: that direction for some time since is still hard at work but gets lit- A certain tract conta

Then, you've got a remedy for all HELP THE CENSUS MAN

month Shall I say more? There is The schedule includes 100 quesno better, safer powder for maktions but most tillers of the soil

ing a douche; the doctor can give will have to answer only a few pertaining to their particular acnothing. Honest old boric acid! tivities.

One great trouble with solving There is so much quackery. agricultural problems is the scarhumbug-these days; you had as city of accurate information. The well have service that costs you present census will aid the governa cent or two, as to pay some oily-tongued blatherskite a dollar ment in carrying out its farm pro. gram. New statistics are necessary, says the Director of the Census, "because of the tremen-Father: "That young man of dous upheaval in the great basic yours stays very late. Doesn't industry of agriculture, due to the depression, drought and other factors." he know how to say good-night?" Daughter: "Oh, yes, dad, better than any other boy I ever knew. —Boston Transcript.

The importance of the census cannot be over-estimated and ev-ery farmer should gladly make his contribution by correctly answer-

> SALE OF REAL ESTATE FOR PARTITION

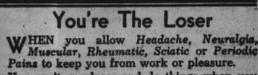
indebtedness for schools and roads is almost certain to be launched in the General Assem-bly. With all the other problems of finance confronting the law-DID A JOB—One man who did a big job in North Carolina dur-1935, at 1 o'clock P. M., the

A certain tract containing 51

that direction for some time since the State took over operation of schools and roads. The most re-liable estimate is that taking over local school and road bonds would add \$165,000,000 to the date of the State government but it might reduce local property taxes to some extent. HOME LOANS—Representative Frank Hancock, of the Fifth North Carolina District, is going to bat in Congress for more money to be loaned Tar Heel Home-owners in distress through the Home Owners Loan Corpor-ation. Mr. Hancock and Senator

limiting the cultivated fields, in-**Beef Hides** creasing the natural vegetation, Farmers everywhere should cheerfully cooperate with those taking the agricultural census this Walnut Kernels and paying highest market prices. locity of the wind and conserve soil moisture. CHAS. P. WAUGH See Castevens Motor Co. for

radio batteries, tubes and **Opposit** Depot, sertfc.



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