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## INTERNATIONAL ROTARY LEADER VISITS DELAWARE

### George C. Hagar Addresses Rotarians Of Several States At Dover Meeting Saturday

### FRIENDSHIP, GOOD WILL STRESSED

Speaking before a large gathering of Rotarians from four states in the main dining room of the Hotel Richardson, Saturday afternoon, George C. Hagar, president of the Rotary International who makes his home in Chicago, told the assembled group that it was a "happy privilege to be in the capital of the first state of the union" and went on to explain the humane work being done by Rotary Clubs all over the world.

Declaring that the main purpose of Rotarians was to build up an understanding in international cooperation, good will and peace, Mr. Hagar pointed out that Rotary Clubs scattered around the globe are all working toward these ideals.

No matter where he traveled, he said he is in Central or South America, Norway, Sweden, England, or war conscience Central Europe, Rotary heads were all found to be working toward the great cause of international peace.

Explaining his travels in detail, the distinguished Rotary guest stated that he had "traveled 60,000 miles and visited 42 different countries." He further declared that he had made contact with "74 of 137 Rotary Governors" and had spoke to from one-third to one-half of the Rotary International now existing.

"No better Rotary Clubs could be asked for than those now established in Central and South America," Mr. Hagar assured the gathering. International developments in these countries sponsored and completed by Rotary Clubs include 19 public health departments and health clinics. "One of the finest tuberculosis sanatoriums I have ever seen," Mr. Hagar said, "is located high on a mountain top in that section of the world." Mr. Hagar declared that during the destructive half minute earthquake that recently rocked Chili, he witnessed groups of Rotarians holding out-of-door meetings in public squares for the purpose of organizing quick relief to sufferers. "These meetings were attended 100 per cent," he said.

Wherever he went, Mr. Hagar explained he found Rotarians pledging friendship notwithstanding the present or local political view point of the countries. "This theme of understanding will be the main vein running through the 1940 convention at Rio de Janeiro," he added.

Shifting the scene to his more recent European tour, Mr. Hagar stated that "war clouds are drifting over the countries of Central Europe and that all the world is boundary conscious. In Roumania nobody wants war but that country will fight to defend its borders." "Incidentally, in Bulgaria, is located one of the finest Rotary Clubs in the world," Mr. Hagar assured his listeners. Rotary still exists in Hungary too, he said.

He told of his interview with King Leopold of Belgium and how he had had the honor of meeting and speaking to Anthony Eden. "In October, Hyde Park in London, was a scene that resembled the Argonne forest some 20 years ago," Mr. Hagar averred. However, just before sailing for home 10 days back, Mr. Hagar said that "things have brightened up in England and heads of government there do not believe a war will come."

Immediately following his address, Mr. Hagar was presented with a gift by L. D. Shank, local Rotary president that consisted of a plaque with the inscription:

Presented to GEORGE C. HAGAR, President of The Rotary International by Rotary Club of Dover May 27, 1939

Mr. Hagar graciously accepted the gift by saying "When I leave here tonight I will not have left Delaware behind. I will be taking Delaware with me in my heart."

Special guests in attendance were: Guy Gundaker, of Philadelphia, past president of Rotary International; C. D. Garretson, of Wilmington, past international director; Edward Dreher, of Atlantic City, past District Governor; W. E. Matthews, of Smyrna, District Governor Elect; Henry Dworkin, of Idaho; and George S. Williams, of Georgetown; Rev. Thomas Wingate, of Salen, N. J., Present District Governor.

Neighboring clubs represented at the session included those from: Chestertown, Md., Easton, Md., Elkton, Md., Federalsburg, Md., Ealsbury, Md., Cape Charles, Va., Milford, Laurel, Newark, Harrington, Middletown, Wilmington, Smyrna, Georgetown, Atlantic City, N. J., Pleasant

### FARLEY TO READ SPEECH AT REHOBOTH ON JUNE 17

Postmaster General James A. Farley, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, is expected to address a state-wide meeting of Democrats at a dinner at Rehoboth Saturday night, June 17, when plans for an aggressive state campaign in 1940 will be drafted.

If circumstances prevent Mr. Farley attending, some other Democrat will read a speech.

Arrangements for the dinner are being completed by the Democrats of the Sixth, Eighth and Tenth Representative districts of Sussex county, with John H. Webb, chairman; William H. Ayres and Miss Jessie Phillips, members of the committee.

### FREDERICA

Miss Bessie Emerson who has been spending the winter with her brother, in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams, in Winter Park, Florida, returned to her home here on Saturday.

Miss Janet Stayton of Milford, spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Jane Gerow.

Mrs. Emma Clark of Wilmington, is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clark.

Mrs. I. W. Betts, Sr., returned home on Saturday after spending several months with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dodd at Caldwell, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Dodd accompanied Mrs. Betts and stayed for Memorial Day.

Mrs. Bankson Holcomb is visiting her son, Lieutenant Bankson Holcomb, of the U. S. Marine Corps, at Quantico, Va.

Mrs. Jester Gray is visiting relatives out of town.

Mrs. James Morris and Mrs. Charles Hollinger were Wilmington visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kare and son of Churchville, Pa., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matlack had as their guests last week, Miss May Matlack, Mr. James Ryan and son Lee, of Camlen, N. J.

The Baccalaureate service will be held Sunday morning, June 4th.

Class play entitled "Sophronia in College," a comedy will be given in the school auditorium Monday night, June 5th.

Commencement Tuesday night, June 6th, in the school auditorium. The speaker of the evening will be Rev. Roscoe Metzger of Peoples' Church, Dover.

Mrs. Gordon Counselman spent last Thursday in Wilmington.

Mrs. Maud Kelling and her two children, Ruth and Robert, and her mother Mrs. Susan Bostick, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bostick in Wilmington and friends in Chester, Pa.

Mr. Ralph Jester of Wilmington, N. C., is home on a visit with his family. Mr. Earl Webb of Wilmington, N. C., is also home on a visit with his family.

Miss Evelyn Purnell accompanied the Home Demonstration Club on a trip to the New York World's Fair on Tuesday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Purnell, Miss Lena Case and Mrs. S. K. Betts spent Sunday with Mrs. Homer Betts, at Middletown.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Harrington, of Wilmington, is visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Janie Bennett.

Miss Anna Bigelow has returned to Saranac Lake, N. Y., where she will spend the summer.

Mrs. Herman Vinyard spent Wednesday in Wilmington with her grandchild, Janet Vinyard.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hoopes spent Memorial Day as guests of Mrs. Katie Boone.

Dr. and Mrs. Herman Abbott, Jr., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Melvin.

Mrs. Sally Williams is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Rawlins in New York City.

Mr. John Rogers graduated on Saturday from Eckel's College of Embalming in Philadelphia.

Rev. Everett Gault preached a touching patriotic sermon Sunday morning in honor of Memorial Day.

### COMMENCEMENT AT U. OF D. ON JUNE 5

Following the custom established several years ago, there will be no outside speaker at the annual commencement exercises at the University of Delaware on next Monday morning. Dean George E. Dutton, representing the faculty, will give a short talk to the graduates.

The commencement program will begin on Saturday of this week. The Alumnae Association of the Women's College will hold its annual meeting and dinner and Delaware College fraternities will hold reunions. The board of trustees will hold their annual meeting Saturday morning.

ville, N. J., Gloucester City, N. J., New Castle, Philadelphia, Pa., and Burley, Idaho.

### HOUSTON

Martha Counselman spent the weekend with her parents, Postmaster and Mrs. J. B. Counselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hayes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shockley.

Georgianna Johnson was the overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Armour on Friday.

Lester Wooters, of Chester, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wooters over the week-end.

On Thursday Mrs. Paul Greenlee and son, Larry; Mrs. Eugene Sharp, Jr.; Mrs. Merrill W. Thistlewood and Josephine Sapp were Wilmington visitors.

Paynter Ingram and son, Frank, of Georgetown; Wilson Ingram and John Ingram, of Milford, visited Mr. and Mrs. George L. Johnson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carter had Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith, Wilbur Carter and Raymond Carter, all of Richmond, Va., as their week-end guests.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Andrews of Philadelphia, spent Memorial Day week-end with Mr. and Mrs. William Coulbourn and family.

Mrs. Merrill W. Thistlewood returned home on Sunday after spending the latter part of the week in Wilmington with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy.

Jane Scott was the overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Reed at Milford on Wednesday.

Mrs. George L. Johnson and Mrs. Mollie Vinyard are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Simpson had Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parades and children, of Dover, as their guests on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hayes entertained the following on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. John McMaster, of Orange, N. J.; Mrs. Annie Sharp, of Greenwood; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hayes and sons, Edward, Bobby and Junior, of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Webb visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy in Wilmington on Sunday.

Madeline Hayes and Jane Scott spent Saturday in Wilmington.

Some of the whats, whys and hows of Home Entertaining and Hospitality were explained to the members of the Houston Senior Cardinal 4-H Club on Thursday evening, May 25, at a meeting at the home of Frances and Johnson Coulbourn.

There were twenty-two members present and Miss Alma Seeley, home economics teacher at Milford High School and guest speaker for the evening. Mrs. Elsie B. Lowe, another home economics teacher of Milford High School, was also present.

Two new members, Wallace Wooten and Floyd Burlingame, were admitted. Beulah Armour was elected secretary to succeed Lida Camper, who is resigning. The next meeting will be at the home of Hazel Johnson in June.

### FELTON SCHOOL EXERCISES

The following school activities will take place: Class Night, Friday, June 2, at 8 o'clock, in the school auditorium. Baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning, June 5, at 10:45, in the Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. Willard Everett will deliver the sermon. Commencement Wednesday evening, June 7, at 8 o'clock, in the school auditorium. Dr. Frances Harvey Green, Headmaster of Pennington School at Pennington, N. J., will address the graduates. The annual meeting and dance of the Felton High School Alumni Association will be held in the school auditorium Friday evening, June 9.

The graduates are: Frances Brittingham, Anna Belle Garey, Margaret Howell, Ruth Kelling, Musetta Moore, Louise O'Day, Kathryn Short, Dorothy Spayd, Catherine Sipple, Albert Warren, Barratt Simpler, Johnson Robbins, Cornelius Melvin, Herbert Robbins, Medford Killen, William L. Keller, Lawrence Kates, Edgar Dill, Linwood Clark, Howard Carpenter, William Brittingham.

### BERRY PRICES ARE IMPROVING

The strawberry market in lower Delaware strengthened during the past week-end and the first of this week and the growers were very much elated. During the first of last week growers were very much disheartened because of the low prices.

Prices at the weekend almost doubled what they were the first of last week. On Friday last at Bridgeville receipts were moderate with prices for Blakemore and Lupton ranging from \$3 to \$4.50.

At Millsboro, receipts were light with prices ranging for the leading varieties from \$2.50 to \$3.25.

Total truck shipments, 24-quart crates, for the Delmarva Peninsula, to date are 447,274 crates, or an equivalent of 1,192 cars. The Eastern Shore of Virginia has supplied 252,529, the Eastern Shore of Maryland, 144,085 and Delaware, 50,660 crates.

Markets, including Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Pittsburgh, Washington and Boston are stronger.

### KENT AND SUSSEX BOTH FACE TAX PROBLEMS

Levy Courts of Kent and Sussex counties found their financial plans for the next fiscal year in an unexpected muddle Monday when it was revealed that Governor Richard C. McMullen had approved and made effective a law abolishing tax on personal property.

The law had been passed by the Legislature and nearly two months had elapsed since gubernatorial approval when the Kent County Board of Assessment on Monday presented its assessment list for the coming year with the comment that, although it had included personal property assessment, such levy was now outlawed.

The Kent Levy Court promptly contacted the Sussex County Levy Court. The latter, likewise, was unaware of the law and indicated that it was proceeding as in past years with intention to fix taxes on personal property.

Under the law, however, no such tax can be levied, and now the ruling bodies of the two counties are in a quandary as to how to adjust their requirements for the coming fiscal year.

Kent county will lose approximately \$4,888 in tax in the next fiscal year because of the abolition of the tax. The Board of Assessment showed a personal property assessment of \$1,222,146, which is \$23,982 less than the assessment of the same item the year now closing, but that assessment will have to be eliminated.

A gain of \$243,875 in the real estate assessment for the new year will fall far short of correcting the deficiency in the personal property tax. The tax rate, which is 40c on the \$100 of assessed value, the limit permitted by law, will provide \$975.50 additional on real estate as contrasted with the \$4,888 loss in personal property tax.

The real estate assessment for the coming year is \$30,439,197, the assessment board reported. The board presented its books for the approval of the Levy Court, but the new law will require the body to drop the assessment on personal property. The number of residents reported eligible to pay the capitation tax is 21,191.

With elimination of personal property tax, it was indicated that the Levy Court will be compelled to resort to pruning expenditures in order to make up the deficiency, but no serious difficulty is anticipated.

### 10 CASES OF TICK FEVER REPORTED IN SEVEN YEARS

Ten cases of Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever in Delaware have been reported to the State Board of Health since 1932; that is ten cases in seven years. During the same period there were six cases of typhus fever, a disease somewhat like Rocky Mountain Fever, and which can usually only be differentiated from it by laboratory tests. Combining the totals of these two diseases the incidence then averages just a little over two cases a year.

Rocky Mountain Fever or Tick Fever through the feeding of ticks. Animals cannot be infected by contact and no instance of contact transmission of man is known. A tick has to get the germ from an infected animal, the tick can then transfer the germ to another animal or man by feeding, and it can also transmit the germ to its offspring. This can go on for generation after generation.

The variety of tick found in this State which can so transmit the disease is the common dog tick. The following instructions should be followed to avoid getting the disease:

(1) Try if possible to prevent being bitten by ticks. Keep out of infested areas if possible. Wear clothing likely to prevent the ticks getting to any skin surface.

(2) Examine the body carefully at least once, preferably twice, a day, or more often. If a tick has attached itself, remove it if possible with the gloved fingers or with tweezers. If the tick is crushed and blood exudes wash off the blood with soap and water, then rinse with alcohol or with some disinfectant solution.

(3) If the place of biting can be told drill it with a toothpick moistened with iodine or some such disinfectant, being careful to get the disinfectant to the deepest recesses of the bite. This will be little beyond the deepest layers of the skin.

(4) Persons bitten by ticks would do well to consult their family physicians.

In a tick survey of the entire State last year, made in cooperation with the U. S. Public Health Service, not one tick that was sent to the National Institute of Health was found to have the disease.

### NOTICE

From this date, June 1, 1939, all automobiles must be parked on the right side of the street. Parking on the left side of the street is against the law and owners will be prosecuted by fine or imprisonment.

### HARRINGTON CITY COUNCIL

### FISHING PARTIES REPORT LARGE CATCHES IN BAY

Reports from Bowers Beach, Little Creek and other Delaware Bay resorts, where fishing parties are taken out, have reported an exceptionally large run of trout and croakers.

On Memorial Day nearly every boat available was in use taking out parties from Maryland, Pennsylvania and other Eastern States and it is reported that the catch per boat ranged anywhere from 300 to 600.

### No Accidents Over Holidays On Roads

Memorial Day traffic moved homeward through Delaware Tuesday night without accident. Despite the thousands of cars that passed over the State highways going to resorts, fishing centers, races, and to visit friends, there were no serious accidents reported to police who attributed this to the care with which motorists drove and the extra patrols placed at danger points. There were comparatively few arrests. Railroads reported a peak day with a number of special trains running to New York and various resorts. Extra buses were in service to take care of traffic.

### GRAPE SPRAY NOTES SENT TO KENT GROWERS

Spray notes calling attention to the importance of the pre-blossom and post-blossom applications on vineyards for the control of black rot and berry-moth were mailed on May 26 from the office of County Agent Rusbell E. Wilson to grape growers in Kent County. These spray notes were prepared by Dr. T. F. Manns, plant pathologist and soil bacteriologist, and Dr. L. A. Stearns, entomologist, of the University of Delaware and were distributed in cooperation with the State Board of Agriculture.

The pre-blossom spray, which should be applied when from five to ten per cent of the blossoms have broken, is one of the most important of all the grape sprays for the control of black rot. It is recommended that this spray consist of a 6-12-100 Bordeaux mixture, including 6 pounds of bluestone and 12 pounds of hydrated lime to 100 gallons of water, with the addition of 4 pounds of lead arsenate and a good sticker in the proportion as recommended by the manufacturer.

If the blossoming stage should be delayed ten days or more after the pre-blossom spray has been applied, grape growers have been advised to put on an additional spray before the post-blossom stage as a further protection against black rot. In this spray, however, the arsenate of lead and sticker should be omitted. These sprays should be applied thoroughly under a pressure of from 25 to 400 pounds, and the sprayer should be operated slowly in order to make a liberal application of from 125 to 140 gallons per acre.

With reference to the post-blossom spray, the above application should be repeated when about ten per cent of the blossoms are still open, and these two sprays when applied thoroughly will control the black rot on the fruit. Only the earlier sprays will control the black rot "carry over" infection which attacks the new growth during the period when it is from one to nine inches long, consequently the early sprays must not be omitted, especially in those vineyards which are infected with this disease.

This spray service for the benefit of the grape growers in Kent county has been conducted for a number of years under the direction of the extension service of the University of Delaware and has consisted of sending out timely spray notes each season in regard to plant diseases and insect control.

Mrs. Charles Hopkins spent Monday in Wilmington.

Mrs. William McCabe and Miss Clara McCabe visited Newark on Thursday.

Fred Parris and son, of Pittsburgh, Pa., has been visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Buckmaster, of Wilmington, visited Mrs. Annie Callaway, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and the Misses Roxanna and Mary Taylor, of Philadelphia, spent Memorial Day with Mrs. Roxie Taylor.

Miss Mattie Smith, Mrs. Florence Fleming, Mrs. Lizzie Harris, Mrs. A. C. Creadick and Rev. Gilbert Turner, attended a missionary meeting at Georgetown, on Wednesday.

The two eighth grades of the Harrington High Schools went on a picnic to Garland Lake, near Denton, Md., on Friday.

Mrs. Sarah Fleming, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with the Misses Annie and Laura Fleming.

Mrs. Mary Fray, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Annie Callaway.

Mr. and Mrs. William Herman and Miss Mattie Smith, spent the week-end in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Postles, of Elsmere, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilda Scott, of Havre de Grace, Md., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Dayton.

### HIGHWAY WORK NOT TO BE HAMPERED

Although the Delaware State Highway Department is at present apparently governed by two State Highway Commissions, at least there is two such commissions organized and in existence, work of the department is not being hampered in any way.

Various divisions of the department are proceeding with their work as usual and the engineers are putting finishing touches on a large construction program to be undertaken this year.

The dual control of the commission arose as the result of the Legislature passing a measure creating a new Republican controlled commission, membership of which was composed of three members of the former commission, three members named by the Legislature and one to be named by the Governor, to replace the Democratic controlled commission, of which the Governor was a member.

The former commission, upon advice of counsel that the measure passed by the Legislature was illegal in the manner in which it was prepared, decided not to relinquish control of the department's affairs until ordered to do so by the courts.

In the meantime, the Republican members of the new commission effected an organization and demanded the records of the department from the former commission which demand was promptly refused.

Accordingly the matter was taken to the State Courts and preliminary arguments on the matter will be heard in the New Castle County Court on June 12th. In the meantime its business as usual is being conducted at the headquarters of the department at Dover.

### FELTON

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gruwell, Mrs. Evelyn Killen, Mrs. Norman Burton, Mrs. Herman Bradley, Mrs. Frank Coverdale, Mrs. Alvin Jarrell, Mrs. Virgil Frazier, Mrs. Russell Torbert, Miss Nellie Hughes, Miss Mary Bidle and Miss Agnes Jarrell attended the New York World's Fair Tuesday on the excursion sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club of Delaware.

Lawrence Taylor, of Washington, D. C., has been spending a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Melvin, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were week-end guests of Mr. Melvin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Melvin.

Mrs. Edward Northan, of Delmar, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. East Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Haines and Mrs. Helen Conner Reese, of Riverside, N. J., called on friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Morrow spent the week-end with Mr. Morrow's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin MacKrell, in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Leroy Lynch, of Milton, has been visiting her father, J. D. Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Everett and children, of Newark, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Everett.

William H. Frazier returned Tuesday from a visit with his son-in-law, Warren McCoy, in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Turner and son, Morris, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with Mrs. Turner's mother, Mrs. Cora Hughes.

Twelve members of the Trophy Grange attended Rural Life Sunday at Old Drawyers. Rev. Dr. Willard Purdy was the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hammond entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Parsons, of Seaford; Mr. and Mrs. John Hargadine and Mr. and Mrs. George Bringham at cards Wednesday evening.

Miss Caroline Simpler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Simpler, has qualified for membership in the Wilmington Morning News' New York World's Fair tour party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Penn and Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley, of Wilmington, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Glacken, Miss Elberta Cornelius, Miss Margaret Merrick, Richard McFaddin, Mrs. Bell Allen, Mrs. George Cannon and Miss Willa Newnam enjoyed a fishing trip at Bowers Beach Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Jones, of Rahway, N. J., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dill.

### HARRINGTON TEACHER HURT IN BIKE CRASH

Miss Kathryn Rash, home economics teacher in the high school here, suffered a broken ankle Sunday afternoon when she was thrown from a motorcycle near Laws' Church. Miss Rash, daughter of former Mayor E. B. Rash, was chaperone for a group of girl scouts who spent Saturday night at the Boy Scout Cabin at McCauley's Lake.

She pulled to the side of the road and the wheels struck a sandy spot, throwing her off. Friends took her to the Milford Memorial Hospital.

## ASSESSMENT IN COUNTY IS LESS THAN LAST YEAR

### Law Eliminating Personal Property Assessment In Kent County Now In Effect

### COUNTY TAX RATE STILL 40 CENTS

Although the 1939 assessment for Kent county shows an increase of \$243,875 in the value of the real estate assessment and an increase of 574 in the number of capitation taxes, the total assessment will be considerably less than the 1938 total due to the absence of the assessment on personal property.

The Legislature passed a law eliminating the assessment on personal property and this law became effective about a month ago, after the work of preparing the assessment for this year had been in progress.

According to records of the Board of Assessment the personal property assessment total for this year would have been \$1,222,146, a decrease of \$23,982 over last year.

The assessment as compiled by the Board of Assessment was completed and turned over to the evy Court at their meeting at Dover on Monday. After the tax rate for the year is fixed by the Levy Court, the assessment books will be turned over to the Receiver of Taxes and County Treasurer.

The tax rate for the present year is generally expected to remain at forty cents on the one hundred dollars of assessed valuation which is the present rate and likewise the highest rate that can be fixed according to existing laws.

With elimination of the personal property assessment the total amount of taxes available for the county this year will be reduced \$3,339.08, despite the increase in real estate assessments and capitation taxes.

The total assessment for this year is \$30,439,197 while the total number of capitation taxes is 21,191. The assessment and number of capitation taxes in each Representative District in the county is as follows:

First District: Capitations, 1,990; real estate, \$3,210,335.

Second District: Capitations, 2,112; real estate, \$4,210,804.

Third District: Capitations, 1,461; real estate, \$2,260,113.

Fourth District: Capitations, 1,410; real estate, \$1,892,955.

Fifth District: Capitations, 3,336; real estate, \$5,475,251.

Sixth District: Capitations, 1,364; real estate, \$1,542,464.

Seventh District: Capitations, 2,215; real estate, \$2,914,347.

Eighth District: Capitations, 2,041; real estate, \$2,657,071.

Ninth District: Capitations, 2,727; real estate, \$3,307,242.

Tenth District: Capitations, 2,535; real estate, \$2,968,95.

### GREENWOOD

Miss Kathryn Stayton, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Stayton.

Miss Mayme Houseman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houseman, of Philadelphia, were week-end guests of their sister, Miss Kathryn Houseman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Collison, of Wilmington, spent

ADVENTUROUS AMERICANS

By Elmo Scott Watson

Fightin' Irishman

EARLY in the Nineteenth century an Irish lad named Jimmy Shields ran away from his home in County Tyrone. The ship on which he set out for America was wrecked off the coast of Scotland and he was one of only three survivors.

Undaunted by this experience, the boy set out again. An Atlantic gale drove this ship upon a reef off the Carolina coast and Shields, who had been aloft, was thrown to the deck with both legs broken. The boat was wrecked but by an almost miraculous chance he was rescued by a passing vessel.

After recovering from his injuries, he enlisted in the army and fought in the first Seminole Indian war in Florida, after which he headed for the new state of Illinois. There he made a living for a time by teaching French in the French village of Kaskaskia.

Then he studied law, soon passed the bar examinations and within a few years was successively elected representative in the legislature, state auditor and justice of the Illinois Supreme court. At the outbreak of the Mexican war he raised a regiment and fell desperately wounded at the Battle of Cerro Gordo.

Chosen United States senator from Illinois he served for six years, was defeated for re-election and moved to Minnesota where he was again sent to the senate. At the outbreak of the Civil war he was made a brigadier-general and was again desperately wounded in battle. But he survived and was again elected to the United States senate—this time from Missouri. When he died in 1879 Shields had the distinction of being the only man in American history who had served as senator from three different states.

Patriot and Painter

GEN. GEORGE WASHINGTON, besieging the British in Boston, wanted accurate drawings of the enemy's positions. So a young Connecticut Yankee volunteered to get them. He crept close to the British lines and made sketches which pleased the commander so much that he made the young fellow a colonel and his second aide-de-camp.

The young colonel next served as adjutant-general to General Gates and in 1778 accompanied General Sullivan as a volunteer against the British in Rhode Island. When this expedition proved unsuccessful, he resolved to give up soldiering.

He went to London to study under Benjamin West and soon became the favorite pupil of that great painter. When Maj. John Andre, the British adjutant-general in America, was caught and hanged as a spy, the young painter seemed to the British the logical man to be used for reprisal. So they put him in prison. Instead of protesting, the truculent young Yankee boasted that he had been an aide to that "arch rebel," George Washington, and was proud of it.

Only the intervention of his painter friends, West and Copley, saved him from hanging. Lucky for America that they did! Otherwise John Trumbull might never have lived to paint such great historical works as "The Battle of Bunker Hill," "The Signing of the Declaration of Independence," and "The Surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown!"

Franklin's Nephew

WHEN Benjamin Franklin sent his 19-year-old nephew, Benjamin Mecom, to Antigua in the Leeward islands in 1752 to run the newspaper he had established there four years earlier, he wrote to his sister, Jane Franklin Mecom: "That island is reckoned one of the healthiest in the West Indies. My late partner there enjoyed perfect health for four years until he grew careless and got to sitting up late in taverns which I have cautioned Benny against."

Presumably Benny followed his uncle's advice but he was too much of a Franklin not to be restless. He soon became dissatisfied, even though Franklin increased his share of the profits, and wanted to "go it on his own." So Franklin sold him the press which he moved to Boston. There in 1758 he issued the first separate edition of Franklin's "Father Abraham's Speech," later famous under the title of "The Way to Wealth."

Unfortunately Benny didn't apply its lessons to himself. He became something of a fop, strutting around in fine clothes instead of sticking to work. Failing to prosper, he moved the press to New York in 1763 but had no better success there. Then he went to New Haven where he rented a press from Postmaster Parker, whose deputy he became. But he failed to make good there, as he did later in Philadelphia and Burlington, N. J.

Benny Mecom had inherited his uncle's name but none of his genius for making a success. Finally, about 1776, he went mad.

Friendship

A friend rejoices at seeing his friend and expands with joy. He is knit to him with a union of soul that affords unspeakable pleasure. And if he only calls him to remembrance, he is roused in mind and transported.—St. Chrysostom.

From the Greek

Arctic is from the Greek word arctos, meaning a bear, the reference being to the northern constellation of the Great Bear. Antarctic means "opposed to Arctic."

OUR COMIC SECTION

Events in the Lives of Little Men



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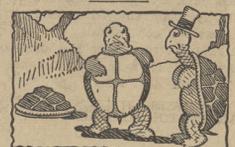
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OBSTINATE CHILD



Mrs. Turtle—See here, John, you must punish your son yourself. Every time I try he closes his shell.

A Welcome Guest

"I'm awfully glad you're going to take dinner with us."  
"It's nice to hear you say so."  
"Cause if you hadn't come there would have been just thirteen of us to sit down to the table and mamma is so superstitious she'd have made me wait."

A Hint

Dentist—The trouble with your tooth is that the nerve is dying.  
Patient—Then treat the dying with a little more respect!

Dizzy Dialogues.

Tuff—Listen, Bozo, that there means fight where I come from.  
Tuffer—Awright, wise guy, why doncha start fightin'?  
Tuff—On accounta I ain't where I come from.

Too Good to Omit

Photographer—Will you have a full-length portrait, or head and shoulders, sir?  
Customer—Head and shoulders? Certainly not. Why, I've got a new pair of boots on!

Anticipation

Mother-in-law—That's a cute little tree on the lawn, John. It's only a foot high.  
Son-in-law—Yes, I just planted it. I hope that the next time you come you'll be able to sit in its shade.—Boy's Life.

Now What?

Husband—I've been thinking it over, dear, and I've decided to agree with you.  
Wife—It won't do any good. I've changed my mind.

A NECESSITY



"Would you marry a man who loved you or one who could dress you?"  
"Well, love is a very desirable thing, but clothes are an absolute necessity."

Present-Day Standards

The teacher had just finished telling the story of the Pilgrims, to a group of small children.  
"Now, Gertrude," began the teacher, "when the Pilgrims had been here a year and had gathered in their good crops, what did they do?"  
"Bought a car," replied Gertrude.

So It Can't Roll?

Boy Scout—Why do they have knots on the ocean instead of miles?  
Sea Scout—To keep the ocean tide.



PROVING IT

The customer proved most exacting, and the assistant was growing impatient.

"Now, are you sure this is genuine crocodile skin?" the customer inquired, critically examining a handbag.

"Quite, madam," was the reply. "You see, I know the man who shot that crocodile."

"It looks rather dirty," remarked the customer.

"Yes, madam," replied the assistant. "That's where the animal struck the ground when it fell off the tree."

Doubly Unfortunate

The vicar had received a couple of tickets for the opera from one of his parishioners. Finding that he was unable to go he rang up some friends and said: "An unfortunate dinner engagement keeps me from attending the opera tonight; could you use the tickets?"  
"We should be glad to do so," was the reply, "but we are your unfortunate hosts."—London Tit-Bits.

NATURALLY



"What did you do when he kissed you?"  
"Sat on him, of course."

Easing the Blow

A very valuable dachshund, owned by a wealthy woman, was run over.

The policeman detailed a man to tell the woman of her misfortune.

"But break the news gently," he said. "She thinks a lot of this dog."

The man rapped on the mansion door and, when the woman appeared, he said: "Sorry, lady, but part of your dog has been run over."

Initials

"We have a great many initials in evidence in government affairs."  
"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum, "but the possibilities of the alphabet are enormous. Some day we are going to reach a state of mind where we can boil everything down to 'O. K.' and let it go at that."

The Poet's Woes

Just when I begin to sing a little thing  
On spring,  
Mentioning the shining green that now is seen—  
It's mean;  
Then the weather boils my blood,  
For I strike with slushy thud  
The mud!

A Faux Pas

Mrs. Green—I don't understand Mrs. De Grind. I sent a lovely piece of cut glass for a gift, and she never even thanked me. In fact, she snubbed me on the street today.

Mrs. Thom—Why, didn't you know?  
Mrs. Green—Know what?  
Mrs. Thom—Her grandfather began his career as glass eater in a dime museum.

You Figure It Out

A slow-witted justice of peace recalled a witness.

"My man," he said, sternly, "you may find yourself committed for perjury. You told the court just now you had only one brother, but your sister has sworn she has two. Now, which is the truth?"—Pearson's.

LOGICAL REASON



Library Attendant—You must make less noise, you're disturbing the other readers.

Seeker of Knowledge—I'm just applauding the sentiments of this writer.

Detective

The two yokels at the theater gazed open-mouthed as the famous magician proceeded to saw a woman in half.

Jarge turned to Joe.  
"Eh," he said, "there be a trick in it somewhere."

Last Question

Professor—The examination questions are now in the hands of the printer. Are there any last-minute questions you would like answered?  
Frosh—Who's the printer?

By Request

Diner (in restaurant)—Conductor, can the band play anything special on request?  
Conductor—Certainly, madam. What would you like them to play?  
Diner—Bridge until I have finished my dinner.

Just Minor

Insurance Agent—What did your grandparents die of?  
Zeke Hopkins—To tell you the truth, I don't really recollect—but I'm sure 'twarn't nothin' serious!

What to Eat and Why

C. Houston Goudiss Offers Practical Advice Regarding First Meal of the Day; Some Breakfast-Time Wisdom for Homemakers

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

IF THERE is one meal that can be regarded as more important than any other, that meal is breakfast. It comes after the longest fast and precedes a major portion of the day's work. Thirteen hours elapse between a 6:30 supper and a 7:30 breakfast, and the body engine requires a new supply of fuel before the daily activities are begun. Yet all too frequently this first meal is inadequate in food values, and is gobbled in haste . . . with consequences that may have a far-reaching effect upon health.

Men who set forth after a meager breakfast are licked before the day's work is started. They never seem to get into high gear and they lack the energy to perform their tasks efficiently.

Homemakers who find themselves fatigued and irritable before the morning's work is completed may be surprised to learn that their lassitude is due to a skimpy breakfast. And children who go to school after an insufficient morning meal cannot hope to make good grades in their studies. They fatigue quickly, find it difficult to concentrate and easily become cross. Moreover they are apt to experience hunger pangs during the middle of the morning; and when it is time for the noon meal they will either eat too much or will have lost their appetite, thus disrupting the entire food program.

Starting the Day Right  
It is therefore essential that every homemaker recognize the necessity for providing a substantial and satisfying breakfast. This is not difficult to do; nor is it necessary to spend a great deal of time in its preparation.

When I hear such complaints as "My family won't eat breakfast" or "They're simply not interested in food in the morning," I suspect that the menus are dull and monotonous; and perhaps members of the household have the bad habit of sleeping so late that there is no time to eat properly.

Both situations are easily remedied, and they are closely linked. For if the breakfast menus are made sufficiently attractive, it won't be difficult to persuade every member of the family to rise a little earlier in order to enjoy a substantial, unhurried meal.

A Model Breakfast  
A well balanced breakfast includes fruit or fruit juice; cereal; an egg or bacon; bread or toast; and milk, cocoa or cereal beverage for the children, with coffee for the grown-ups. The egg or bacon may be omitted occasionally, for an egg may be included in some other meal during the day. But cereal in some form is usually the mainstay of the breakfast menu, and there are many kinds from which to choose—both hot cereals and cold cereals.

Hot or Cold Cereal  
Some people have the notion that cereals must be hot in order to be nourishing. This is a fallacy.

Questions Answered  
Mrs. S. C.—Yes, it has been observed that there is a special susceptibility to dental decay during adolescence. This may be due to the fact that calcium and phosphorus are required in such liberal amounts for rapid growth. It's advisable to include these minerals in the diet in generous quantities, together with a liberal allowance of vitamin D.

Items of Interest to the Housewife  
When Making a Fruit Tart.—Mix a little cornflour with the sugar before adding it to the fruit. This will make the juice like syrup and prevent it from boiling over.

For Discolored Handkerchiefs.—Handkerchiefs that have become a bad color should be soaked for 24 hours in a quart of cold water to which a teaspoonful of cream of tartar has been added. Afterwards rinse and dry.

Use for Newspapers.—Save plenty of clean newspapers for the moth season. Moths loathe printer's ink, so you'll find the papers useful when woolies and blankets have to be stored away.

Polishing Tip.—Wring out your polishing cloth in a pint of water in which a piece of whiting, about the size of a walnut, has been dissolved. Use when dry. This gives a splendid polish to mirrors, brass, and chromium.

Treatment for Linoleum.—Linoleum will last longer if, instead of washing, you rub it all over with paraffin. This not only cleans, but preserves. No other polish will be needed.

Love in Common  
Those who love the arts are all fellow-citizens.—Voltaire.

He Wouldn't Let Chance Of a Lifetime Pass By  
The hero of the story that has been making the rounds is a prominent businessman who had the bad luck to be bitten by a mad dog. He was rushed to the hospital for the Pasteur treatment.

While the antirabies serum was being prepared, the attending physician noticed that the patient was very busy making out a long list of names, and he asked:  
"Are those the names of the people you wish notified if your condition should become serious?"  
"No," said the victim. "This is a list of people that I'm going to bite if I go mad."—Boston Post.

For the nutritive value of a cereal is determined by the grain from which it is made and by the manufacturing process—not by whether it is hot or cold. It is desirable to give whole grain cereals a prominent place in the diet. This rule can be followed even when cold cereals are used. For there are many nourishing ready-to-eat cereals made from substantially the whole grain. These appeal to the palate because they are so crisp and appetizing. And they supply important minerals, a good amount of vitamin B and some vitamin G, in addition to energy values.

A Cold Cereal Analyzed  
It's interesting to analyze a popular ready-to-eat cereal, made from wheat and malted barley. We find a wide assortment of nutrients, including protein, energy values, phosphorus for the teeth and bones; iron for building rich red blood; and vitamin B which promotes appetite and aids digestion. It has been estimated that a serving of this cereal—three-fourths of a cup—with one-fourth cup of whole milk, will provide an adult with 7 per cent of his total daily requirement of protein; 11.5 per cent of his calcium; 11.2 per cent of his phosphorus; 9.75 per cent of his iron, and a total of 125 calories.

Vary the Method of Serving  
To help make breakfast interesting, vary the cereal from day to day. Or offer a choice of several kinds of packaged ready-to-eat cereals and allow each member of the family to select the one he prefers. Vary the fruit also. And occasionally you may combine fresh, canned or stewed fruit with cereals to make a "cereal sundae." Further variation may be introduced by using brown sugar or honey in place of white sugar. And on occasion the cereals may be baked into muffins, waffles or pancakes.

It is also possible to serve the eggs in many different forms—poached, baked, scrambled or in a plain or puffy omelet.

If these suggestions are followed, it should be a simple matter for homemakers to serve tempting wholesome breakfasts that will send their families away from the table well fitted for the day's activities.

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**ADVICE TO TRAVELERS**  
 (From Rotarian Magazine)

"Don't be a tourist, be a traveler," advises J. P. McEvoy, author and traveler. He makes the difference clear in an article in the current Rotarian Magazine, pointing out that it's largely a matter of having a definite purpose in your journeyings that make them worth while.

Pursue your interest, he urges. "Whether it is child welfare or rock gardens, whether your passion is architecture or orchids, fishing or folk dancin', butterflies, or bridge, you'll find devotees everywhere.

"You can always call with profit and the assurance of a welcome on those of your own profession in whatever land you are," he adds. "Do you sell? Do you buy? Your rivals and allies are everywhere. Whether you make bricks or lay them or throw them, the sun never sets on your co-workers, collaborators, or conspirators."

**SAFETY COUNCIL NOTES**

The Delaware Safety Council suggests these precautions for those who are planning motor trips this summer:

1. Avoid piling baggage in the back seat so high that it cuts off your vision of cars behind you.
2. Check your car before the trip—especially tires, brakes and steering apparatus.
3. Take it easy on the road—Give yourself enough time—Don't speed or take chances in passing.
4. Don't drink if you drink.
5. Don't take anything for granted at railroad crossings.
6. Don't reduce your forward vision by pasting stickers on your windshield except those required by law. Your windshield should be kept clear and clean at all times—and this is especially important if you do any night driving.

Night Brings Death  
 Night brings death to the pedestrian. When the sun sets, pedestrian accidents begin to rise. The Delaware Safety Council has issued this warn-

ing to those who walk, either on city streets or on rural highways. Remember that drivers can't see you as well as you can see their cars. Don't depend on them to avoid you.

In the city, cross only at crosswalks and preferably at lighted intersections. On rural highways, wear light clothing at night and carry a light or at least a reflector button. When cars pass, step off the road. Walk on the left side of the roadway. The pedestrian problem is a very serious one. Protect yourself against accidents by observing these precautions.

**Home Safety**

IF THERE ARE SMALL CHILDREN in your home, here is a safety tip from the Council that may help you avoid an accident.

Many small children are hurt every year because they lean against window screens that give way beneath their pressure.

Make sure now that the window screens in your houses are securely fastened.

The Harrington baseball team of the Mar-Del League took the Federalsburg baseball team into camp here, on Saturday by the score of 2 to 1. Shubrooks homered for the locals

**ASBURY METHODIST (Episcopal) CHURCH OF HARRINGTON**  
 Robert E. Green, Minister

Church School 9:45 A. M.  
 Charles Dana, one of the greatest journalists of America, speaking before a body of students said: "Of all the books, the most indispensable and most useful, the one whose knowledge is the most effective, is the Bible—There is no other book which you open with such confidence and close with such reverence! Bible study will take place in each department of the school. We invite you to study and sing with the Hymn chorus this Sunday.

Morning Service of Worship and Music 11:00 o'clock. Vested Junior Choir consisting of 40 voices directed by Mrs. Paul Hawk, will sing.

This service will be the last one the Junior Choir will sing during the summer months. Sermon subject: "The Morning of Life."

Sunday evening, the congregation will worship with the Trinity Methodist (Protestant) Church where the baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. Gilbert Turner to the graduating class.

Monday evening, 7:30 o'clock,

Church School Board meeting. Monday evening, 8:30 o'clock, meeting of Official Board.

Tuesday evening, 7:30 o'clock, Ladies' Aid business and social meeting. White Elephant Sale will take place.

Thursday evening, 7:30 o'clock, Senior Choir rehearsal.

Friday evening, 7:30 o'clock, Prayer Service. The Psalmist stated: "Beauty and Strength are in His Sanctuary." We welcome you to worship with us.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE**  
 Of Valuable REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of the State of Delaware, in and for Kent County, will be exposed to sale by way of public auction or vendue, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 20, 1939 At Two O'clock P. M. (Eastern Standard Time)

At the Front Door of Peoples Bank, Harrington, Kent County and State of Delaware.  
 The following Real Estate, Viz: All that certain lot or parcel of land, situated in the Town of Harrington, Kent County and State of Delaware, on the West side of Weiner Avenue, bounded on the South by a lot which James A. Moore sold to John Clymer, on the North by lots of said James A. Moore, on the West by lands

now or formerly of William W. Simpson, and on the East by said Weiner Avenue, beginning at a corner in the West line of Weiner Avenue at the Northeast corner of John Clymer's lot, and running from thence with the North line of John Clymer's lot, according to William Atkinson, Surveyor, North eighty-six and one-half degrees West, about three hundred feet until it intersects the East line of lands of William W. Simpson, deceased; thence running therewith North three degrees twenty minutes East, sixty feet to a stake in line of lands of said Simpson and at a corner for other lands of the said James A. Moore; thence therewith South eighty-six and one-half degrees East, about three hundred feet until it intersects the West line of said Weiner Avenue at the Southeast corner for other lands of said James A. Moore, and from thence with the West line of said Weiner Avenue, South three degrees twenty minutes West, sixty feet to the first named place of beginning, and containing Eighteen Thousand (18,000) square feet of land, more or less; the improvement thereon being a two story frame dwelling house.  
 The above being the same lands and premises of which MARY E. TYRE, late of Mispillion Hundred, Kent County and State of Delaware, died seized

and which will be sold for the payment of her debts.  
 The Administrator will make return of sale on Tuesday, June 27, 1939, at reason—Apply F. E. Bland, Ward St., 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.  
**BY ORDER OF THE COURT**  
**Attest: HARRY B. CLARK, Clerk**  
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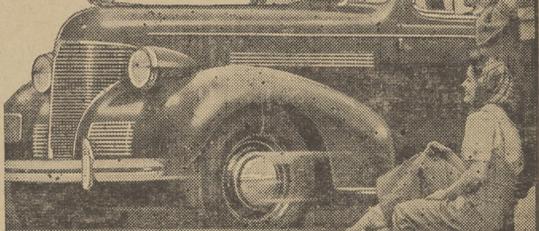
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## Of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. William Reed, Miss Jane Reed and Mrs. Pauline Newton, the latter from Dover, are spending the week with Leslie Franklin, in Akron, Ohio.

Charles Hutchinson, of Wilmington, spent several days here this week.

Mrs. Ethel Welch, of Philadelphia, has been visiting her sister, Miss Elva Reese.

500,000 Rutgers and Marigold tomato plants for sale. Will be ready to pull May 29th.—George B. Simpson, Houston, Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Brown, of Newark, N. J., have been spending a few days with the former's father, John D. Brown.

Jacob Fine, of Philadelphia, spent a few hours in Harrington the first of the week. Mr. Fine, who formerly lived here, is improved in health, since a recent stay in a hospital.

Man Wanted—Due to sudden death of former Dealer, established route just became available in S. E. Sussex County, Del. His earnings averaged better than \$40 per week this year. Served about 1000 families. Real opportunity for hustler with car. See immediately Mr. W. S. Clendaniel, Harrington, Del., or write W. T. Rawleigh Co., Dept. DE 18, Chester, Pa.

House for rent on High street. Apply to Estella Bowen, 119 North New street, Dover.

Mrs. E. A. Dean entertained her bridge club Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Montague have returned home after spending their vacation in Pennsylvania.

Wanted—A salesman with or without a car, for Harrington and vicinity, to sell General Electric and Westinghouse Refrigerators and other products.—W. A. Wheeler, Harrington, Delaware.

Miss Kathryn Rash, home economics teacher in the Harrington High School, suffered a broken ankle Sunday, the result of a fall from a motorcycle near Laws Church. She is the daughter of former mayor, E. B. Rash.

Brothers for sale.—Mrs. Harry Heath, R. F. D., Harrington.

The June meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Harrington M. E. Church will be held in Collins Hall on Tuesday evening, June 6. The chairman of entertainment, Mrs. E. W. Dean, announces a White Elephant Sale. Each member is asked to wrap an article she does not want and mark a price on it not to exceed fifteen cents. Each article will be sold at the price marked. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Lida Sullivan and Mrs. Arthur Jenkins, of Wilmington, visited Harrington relatives on Memorial Day.

Miss Elizabeth Satterfield, of Dover, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Satterfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Green, of Hockessin, Del., were the guests of Miss Hazel Griffith, on Memorial Day.

Gus Riley, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Skilling and Mrs. Mattie Fleming, of Wilmington, were over-night guests on Monday of Mrs. Harry Harrington.

Mrs. H. C. Tee, Mrs. William Wechtenhiser and Harry Quillen, Jr., spent the week-end at Chapel Hills, N. C.

George Short is visiting friends at Norlina, N. C.

L. G. Markert, of Ridgway, Pa., spent the week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spicer, of Cape Charles, Va., are spending some time in Harrington.

I am in the business of sodding lots, sowing grass, cleaning tombs and monuments at Hollywood cemetery or any other place desired. Write or call at my residence after 5 p. m.—A. L. Long, Railroad avenue, Harrington, Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. Poland Nelson and son, of Trappe, Md., spent Decoration Day with Mrs. William Cooper.

Mrs. Florence Simmons, of Philadelphia, spent several days with her mother, Mrs. Noah Cain. Mrs. Cain returned home with her for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Pearson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Howard Camper, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Callaway, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Talley, of Philadelphia, over the holidays.

Miss Betty Stroud, a student at the University of Delaware, has returned home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander and Mrs. Roy Burdick, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Mrs. Annie Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Gordon and daughter, Joan, of near Lansdale, Pa., were Harrington visitors Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Rapalje, of Denver, Col., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Thistlewood.

I issue marriage license.—Squire Joshua Smith.

Miss Eloise Case, of Dover, is spending the week with Miss Kathryn Tucker.

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## SHERIFF'S SALE Of Valuable REAL ESTATE

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FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 1939  
At 1:00 O'clock P. M.  
Eastern Standard Time

The following described Real Estate, to-wit:

All those two tracts of land in the Ninth Representative District of Kent County, Delaware, on the public road leading from Vernon to Masten's Corner, said road being both on the West and North of said two tracts containing in the aggregate an acreage of Ninety-two (92) acres and Fifty-one (51) perches, more or less, and described as follows:

Tract No. 1. Containing 75 acres and 115 perches, more or less, and described as follows, according to the survey of John C. Hopkins made July 12, 1887, and described as follows: Beginning at the Northernmost point of the tract now being described in the middle of the public road leading from Vernon to Masten's Corner, then S. 80 1/2 deg. E. in the middle of the road 55.9 perches to a corner in the middle of the road, then leaving said road S. 14 deg. W. 8.7 perches, then S. 54 1/2 deg. E. 46.8 perches to a stone in the field, then S. 6 1/2 deg. E. 29 perches to stake in the corner of fence, then S. 19 deg. W. 57.7 perches, to a stake, N. 55 1/2 deg. W. 40 perches then S. 11 1/2 deg. W. 52.6 perches to a Sassafras stake, then N. 53 1/2 deg. W. 73.5 perches to a marked black gum tree, then S. 77 1/2 deg. W. 14.2 perches to the line of lands of David Taylor's heirs and to the middle of a road there situated, then N. 11 1/2 deg. W. 10.1 perches to a corner on the west side of the road, then N. 33 1/2 deg. E. on said road 73 perches to a corner in the middle of the road, then N. 1 1/2 deg. E. 41 perches to the place of beginning.

Tract No. 2. Originally containing 18 acres and 96 perches as survey by John C. Hopkins, July 12, 1887, and described in said survey as follows: Beginning at the middle of the bridge in the middle of the road leading from Vernon to Masten's Corner, N. 77 1/2 deg. E. 14.2 perches to a marked black gum tree standing on the South side of a ditch, then S. 53 1/2 deg. E. 73 5-10 perches to a Sassafras stake in line of lands of Heirs of David Taylor, then South 11 1/2 deg. W. 36 4-10 perches to corner of lands of Taylor heirs and lands of W. H. Murphy, then N. 61 deg. W. 63 4-10 perches bordering on the lands of W. H. Murphy to the middle of the road leading from Vernon to Masten's Corner then N. 13 deg. W. in the middle of said road 47 1-10 perches to the place of beginning.

Excepting, however, from said tract of 18 acres and 96 perches two (2) acres of land conveyed by James W. Anthony and wife to George W. Mitchell by deed dated January 4, 1908, and recorded in Deed Book M, Volume 10, Page 361, and described by W. A. Smith, Surveyor, April, 1935, as follows: Beginning at the northernmost point on the tract where it touches the road from Vernon to Masten's Corner, thence N. 77 1/2 deg. E. 6.5 perches, thence S. 9 deg. 30 ft. E. 53 perches, thence N. 61 deg. W. 8 5-10 perches to the road above mentioned, thence along said road N. 13 deg. W. 47 1-10 perches to the place of beginning.

The said two tracts being the same

lands which were conveyed to Walter J. Anthony under the name of James W. Anthony, also known as James Walter Anthony, by Elias Sapp, Single, by and dated August 15, 1906, and recorded in Deed Book F, Volume 9, Page 425.

The improvements thereon being a 2 1/2 story frame dwelling, barn and other outbuildings.

Together, with all and singular the buildings and improvements of every kind and description whatsoever, and the ways, waters, water-courses, rights, liberties, privileges, improvements, hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

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Sheriff's Office, Dover, Del.

May 26, 1939.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert E. Green spent Memorial Day in Rehoboth.

Mrs. Florence Gardiner and children, of New Orleans, La., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Finch, is spending the month of June at Rehoboth.

Mrs. Lemuel Hudson and daughter, of Milford, spent Monday with Mrs. Annie Gordon.

Mrs. Joe Newman and Mrs. Horace Quillen were Federalsburg, Md., visitors on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ryan and Mr. and Mrs. John Berry, of Wilmington, were the guests of Mrs. Mary E. Griffith on Monday.

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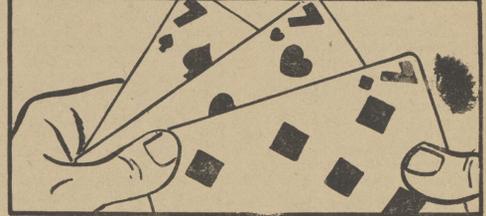
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# WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK.—The muzzin from his tower cries that he can't exactly say that everything is all right, but it might be worse and it probably will be better. That would be Col. Leonard P. Ayres of Cleveland allaying fears of a bear market, in his monthly business survey, a periodic voice as authoritative as any non-tide bulletin from the minarets of Cairo.

Colonel Ayres, vice president of the Cleveland Trust company, was a school teacher for many years, and is the author of a book called "The Measurement of Spelling Ability," one of about a dozen of his books on educational subjects. He has written a similar number of books on business and finance, and, in his entire range, from spelling to selling, he has never overlooked detail and he is no offhand prophet—prophecy being his main line, as contrasted to that of mere market analysis.

He has logged eight major depressions and eight cycles of inflation and deflation, and he gets the feel of the thing, in about the same way a good cook gets the feel of a cook book. He was one of the few financial experts who saw the 1929 blizzard coming, and said so. On October 3, 1929, he wrote: "The golden age of American business has come to an end."

Nobody was paying much attention to the muzzin then. He kept on repeating that the condition of finance was "thoroughly unhygienic," but the wind wasn't right and the words didn't carry down to the market place below.

A native of Niantic, Conn., Colonel Ayres was educated at Boston university, later garlanded with a chaplet of honorary degrees from other colleges. He taught school at Rochester, N. Y., and at Puerto Rico, and in the latter engagement turned his spare time to statistical research, with such success that he became statistician for the A. E. F. in war days—hence his title.

Previous to taking over the banking post in Cleveland, he was a director of education for the Russell Sage foundation, and he had rounded out his career as an educator nicely before starting another in finance. In between the two work zones, he wedged a book, "The War With Germany," written in 1919.

IN THE depth of the depression, a group of Wall Street financiers hired an economist to draft for them a shock-proof and slump-proof plan for the investment of their surplus funds, to assure them security in their old age. After diligent research, their adviser found that no such plan was possible, but suggested as an alternative that they put their money in the keeping of some sagacious Chinese financier.

This writer recalled then that several of the shrewdest business men in this country, including Edward Bruce of the fine arts division of the treasury department and the late William R. Murchison, had learned about the care and nurture of money from the Chinese sages of the abacus, and now comes Richard C. Patterson Jr., also schooled in business in China. He retires as assistant secretary of commerce to take a private post.

Back from China in 1927, with half of his allotted span of years still ahead of him and a sizable fortune already in hand, he wished to put in the rest of his life being socially useful. He was commissioner of corrections of New York city until 1932, given a big hand for his effectiveness on the job.

Just a year ago, he became a sort of liaison officer between the department of commerce and the nation's business. In this capacity, he urged a friendly get-together in an "economic clinic" as he thinks part of our trouble is due to a lack of basic facts and sound understanding of economic and business forces.

He was a Nebraska farm boy, routed through the University of Nebraska and the Columbia School of Mines to a successful professional and business career, first as a mining engineer with the J. G. White Engineering company, as a consultant for the DuPonts and later in mining and business ventures in China. He served on the Mexican border and in the World War, a major in the latter, annexing several foreign decorations. (Continued Features—WNU Service.)

**Announces Visitors**  
A microphone-loudspeaker attachment which may prove helpful to housewives has been perfected in New York city. Through it a visitor may identify himself before admittance.

**More Life Insurance Owners**  
In 1900, only one person in ten had a life insurance policy in this country, and one in six had a savings account. A recent survey shows that now every other person has both.

## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LaBINE

# New Deal Will Seek Re-election On 'More-of-Same' Platform; Compromise Seems Impossible

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)  
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### POLITICS:

#### Pronouncement

"You cannot expect this administration to alter the principles and objectives for which we have struggled the past six years!"

This was a campaign speech, thought members of the American Retailers' association who heard Franklin Roosevelt's first pronouncement of New Deal policy in five months. Ordinarily such remarks are not surprising, but 1939 is a crucial legislative-political year in which the groundwork is laid for next year's election, and in which White House and congress must adopt and set in motion the program on which they will stand for re-election. The inevitable program: More spending, no concessions to business, no balancing of the budget. A big national debt is nothing to fear, said the President, because part of it is offset by debts owned to the government through loans made on a "business basis" by federal lending agencies. Another part is invested in federally owned enterprises (like Boulder dam) which will pay out over a period of years. Generally speaking, he thought that with national income increasing steadily, a \$40,000,000 debt would not be big in relation to the country's assets.

Mr. Roosevelt's speech proved a meaty bone on which New Dealers, conservatives and congress could gnaw, a timely White House state-

\$6,310,000,000 as against a direct debt of \$40,229,000,000.

**Significance.** Mr. Roosevelt's speech, resultant congressional spending, opposition to removal of alleged business deterrents and a rebirth of theorizing constitute the absolute antithesis of any effort to bring insurgent Democrats back to the fold in time for 1940. There can be no compromise. New Deal forces will carry the 1940 convention by forcing through a simple majority nomination rule, or they will strike out for themselves as a new party, leaving insurgent Democrats to put up their own candidate or join the Republicans.

### NAVY:

#### Submarines

Checking its records after rescuers had brought up 33 live and 26 dead passengers from the submarine Squalis, the U. S. navy department could be both proud and abashed over its record since the first underwater craft failed to come up 25 years ago.

**Reason for pride:** Though 62 of her 90 odd submarines are over the accepted age limit, the U. S. has had no mishap since 1927 when the S-4 sank off Provincetown, Mass., with a loss of 40 lives. Another source of pride: U. S. submarine mishaps have been singularly fortunate compared with those of other maritime powers. Total loss of life in five U. S. accidents is 139; in six British accidents, 217; three Japanese, 215; two French, 106; three Russian, 170.

**Reason for being abashed:** Italy, the world's No. 1 submarine power, has experienced but one fatal accident, that in 1928 when her F-14 hit a destroyer.

One good reason for Italy's luck is that 83 of her submarines are under age, four times more than the U. S. When all vessels being built or contracted for are completed, 11 Duce's second-to-none U-boat fleet will total 129.

### MISSOURI:

#### Nephew Jim

Stone walls do not always make a prison. The walls of Alcatraz and Terminal island which have held Al Capone seven years did not stop his syndicate from ruling Chicago's underworld. Nor will the 15-month sentence at Leavenworth facing Kansas City's "Boss" Tom Pendergast keep that hearty away from Missouri politics. Convicted for evading federal income taxes, Tom Pendergast finds himself back where he started the day he inherited Kansas City's political machine from Brother Jim Pendergast. Today another Jim Pendergast—old Jim's son—is running the show while his uncle languishes in prison.

Looking ahead, Missouri politicians find that 1940 brings elections for a governor to succeed Lloyd C.



VIRGINIA'S SEN. BYRD  
"... inevitably lead to disaster."

ment which gave direction to a heretofore vague political picture.

**Congress.** A spending spree succeeded the once highly vaunted economy campaign as house conferees approved the \$1,218,600,000 agricultural appropriations bill carrying \$338,000,000 in unbudgeted grants to farmers. Sentiment rose high for a \$500,000,000 public works appropriation, providing funds for another pump-priming program, which congressmen have found a far more effective vote-getting force for election years than the controversial WPA.

**New Dealers.** Since Mr. Roosevelt refused to alter his "principles and objectives" for the 1940 campaign, New Deal theorists felt safe in trying to sell unhappy U. S. business on the wisdom of accepting the present relationship between government and private enterprise. Turning economist for the moment, Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace urged that idle money be started moving again.

Simultaneously, before the senate's monopoly investigating committee, Assistant Secretary of State Adolf Berle Jr. not only scored idle dollars but suggested the U. S. do something about it. His plan: Junk our "obsolete banking machinery" which leaves small business "starved," creating in its stead government-sponsored capital banks and government-insured loans for small business. Most revolutionary Berle comment: "The theory that a bank must 'make a profit' today has ceased to be valid except in an extremely limited case."

**Conservatives.** A rebirth of spending and theorizing gave disgruntled anti-New Dealers a field day. Chief antagonist was Virginia's Democrat Sen. Harry F. Byrd, who commented on the next fiscal year's minimum total appropriation of \$10,000,000,000 (a peacetime high): "We have not been able to purchase prosperity on borrowed money, and the continued effort to do this will inevitably lead to disaster."

Mr. Byrd's chief complaint was against the President's minimizing of the national debt. Granting the money is owed domestically, Mr. Byrd thought most of it was held by banks, and consequently "the vast majority will be paying taxes to pay interest to the small number of families owning (government) bonds." Contradicting Mr. Roosevelt's claim that much of the debt is offset by debts owed to the government, Mr. Byrd figured that government lending agencies have handed out only



JIM PENDERGAST  
Boss pro tem.

Stark (who, like all Missouri governors, cannot be re-elected), a senator for the post now held by Pendergast-supported Harry S. Truman, 13 congressmen and a full slate of state officials.

**On good behavior** Tom Pendergast will be out of prison in 12 months, in time to plan defeat for Governor Stark should he seek Senator Truman's post in the August primaries. Reason for vengeance: The governor was a Pendergast protégé who turned on his sponsor after he learned about an alleged \$400,000 payoff in Missouri's fire insurance rate compromise.

Though he looks like the old man, Nephew Jim Pendergast is not so astute as his tutor and can only be trusted to hold the machine together until next year. Last time he ran an election, when Uncle Tom was in New York during the 1936 vote, Jim won sweeping victories throughout Missouri. But 256 election officials were convicted in the government's sensational vote fraud investigation which followed.

daily in English, French and German; the eastern parts of the United States also receive two services each day, and three are sent to the Pacific states and Hawaii, the additional service being arranged because of the large number of Japanese who live there. South America is supplied in Spanish and Portuguese; the South Seas regions, including Manila, Hong Kong, Siam, French Indo-China and the Netherlands East Indies, in Dutch, French, Chinese and Japanese.

### LABOR:

#### Borrowed Leaf

In 1903 a Danbury, Conn., hatmaking firm sued United Hatters of America for instituting a nationwide boycott when denied a closed shop. After the U. S. Supreme court ruled the boycott was a restraint of trade under the Sherman act, a \$74,000 verdict was awarded against the union, was trebled (as provided by the Clayton act), but finally dropped when a deputy marshal found 10 years later that he could collect nothing from the 197 laborite defendants.

Last April 3 a federal court jury awarded Philadelphia's Apex Hosiery mills a \$711,932 judgment against C. I. O.'s American Federation of Hosiery Workers for damages suffered in a 48-day sitdown strike during 1937.

Even as this case was being appealed, Republic Steel corporation borrowed a leaf from hatters and



REPUBLIC'S TOM GIRDLER  
Matched C. I. O. for 2 1/2 million.

hosiery makers to enter the latest in a series of cross suits growing out of the "Little Steel" strike in 1937. As if to answer one suit, which demands \$2,500,000 in back wages and damages from Republic, Tom Girdler's company retaliated by demanding \$2,500,000 damages, costs and attorneys' fees. Trebled under the Clayton act, the total suit runs to \$7,500,000, which nobody expects John Lewis, or his steel workers, to pay.

Chief values of the suit appear to be (1) neutralizing the damage claims made against Republic by C. I. O., and (2) focusing national attention on ineffectual employer-employee relations at a time when congress would just as soon adjourn without amending the Wagner labor act. Though he matched this setback by signing up coal miners in Kentucky's heretofore unorganized bloody Harlan county, John Lewis headed no wounds by allowing 13,000 employees to strike at Detroit's Briggs body manufacturing plant. Within 24 hours 65,000 workmen in assembly lines dependent upon Briggs bodies were idle and the automobile industry wondered if 1937 had returned.

### EUROPE:

#### Parallels

Some 30 years ago was born a fearsome triple entente designed to safeguard peace. Its members: Russia, France and Britain. Meanwhile Italy was joining the Austro-German alliance and Europe's power seemed hanging in the balance.

In 1939 the history that repeats itself has popped up once more; Europe's power division parallels that of pre-World War days except that part of the old Austrian-Hungarian empire is now independent. Italy and Germany are bound in military unity while France, Britain and Russia are once more aligned side-by-side.

Examining the new status quo in comparison with pre-war Europe, observers find the triple entente even stronger now than then, Adolf Hitler's trumpet-blasting to the contrary. Devoid of colonies, befriended in Europe only by Italy and Hungary, the Reich is completely encircled by anti-aggression powers. If history repeats itself once more, Italy may find imperialistic Germany threatening her Mediterranean security and be forced to desert Berlin. A less likely repetition of history is the bogging down of Russia's smartly-trained military machine, which collapsed utterly the last time it marched westward.

## Trend

**How the wind is blowing . . .**  
**JOBS**—Of 100 universities and colleges surveyed by Minneapolis' Northwestern National Life Insurance company, 63 find greater demand for graduates than a year ago.

**STAMPS**—Coin-operated mail boxes which weigh letters, stamp them and drop them into a depository for collection, are being installed at New York.

**POWER**—Of 1,670,000 American horsepower, 92.7 per cent constitutes transportation horsepower, installed exclusively to move people and goods.

**FOOD**—U. S. bureau of dairy industry scientists have perfected a new food article with two surplus products—skim milk and cull potatoes. These, with a little salt added, are made into wafers, chips, sticks or croquettes, and oven dried to crispness.

**Farm Labor Displaced**  
WASHINGTON.—From 100,000 to 200,000 workers who used to follow the harvests in the Great Plains have been permanently displaced by machinery, according to a WPA report. Mechanization has enabled farmers to increase their small grain acreage 25 per cent with only about two-thirds of the labor required a quarter of a century ago. The introduction of mechanical aides has eliminated more than 400,000 men-hours of labor a year.

### Bruckart's Washington Digest

# President Wades Into Political Buzz Saw on Argentine Beef Deal

Affair Costs Mr. Roosevelt Dearly in Personal and Political Prestige; Executive's Explanation Never Caught Up With His Original Statement About Transaction.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART  
WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON.—When I was a kid on the farm, my father used to warn me against getting too close to the big saw that was used to cut up wood for our kitchen stove—the old buzz saw, it was called. He was right. It could have done to me exactly what it did to logs of oak or hickory. Many times since those days, I have thought of the wisdom of those warnings as applied to other acts of life. And, the other day, I thought of how much trouble President Roosevelt could have avoided if only his advisors had guided him away from the buzz saw of Argentine canned corned beef.

It must be painfully evident to the President and to his advisors now that he waded right into a few million political buzz saws when he instructed the secretary of the navy to buy canned beef from the Argentine Co-operatives, Inc., for use of Uncle Sam's blue jackets. As a matter of fact, most of the President's stalwart supporters not only recognize that he got his hands badly mangled in the saw, but that he failed to have a "doctor" handy in the form of an offset for the grievous political error.

But the details of the situation ought to be reviewed in order fully to understand why so many people are saying that the Argentine beef affair has already cost Mr. Roosevelt dearly in political and personal prestige. Many are saying, indeed, that the cost has been greater than his ill-fated and badly judged plan to change the makeup of the Supreme court of the United States. All of the facts ought to be stated clearly for the reason that none now can foretell how widespread this prairie fire will be. Obviously, the Republicans will use it as ammunition in their warfare, and in all probability quite a large segment of old line Democrats are laughing up their sleeves about the damage the beef case will do to their pet hates, the New Dealers surrounding the President.

### Facts of Argentine Corned Beef Affair

Briefly, the facts are these:

Pursuant to law, the secretary of the navy called for offers to sell the navy certain quantities of corned beef, including 49,000 pounds of canned corned beef. The law says that government agencies must award the contracts to the lowest responsible bidder—the bidder regarded as able to fulfill the requirements of the navy. There is, however, another law that says, in substance, the government must award the contracts to a firm of citizens of the United States and that the products be made from the United States—provided they are equal to or better in quality than a foreign-made product and that the price is not too much higher than the foreign bid. The reason for this being, obviously, to encourage business in the United States and give jobs to our citizens for whom, as a national policy, the American standard of living must be maintained.

So, there is, first—quality and price, and second—national policy. The bids on corned beef reached the navy office, Argentine Co-operatives, Inc., offered to sell the 24 tons of corned beef at about 16 cents a pound. The nearest bid from the United States was approximately 23 cents a pound. In addition, there is a tariff duty of six cents a pound that is applicable to imports of beef—placed by congress to protect cattle growers in this country. But the navy would not have to pay that tariff duty. Thus, the real cost to the navy would be that much less.

Navy officers felt there was considerable difference, but they were unwilling to assume responsibility for what some critics might say was a violation of the "Buy American" law. In the course of the consideration, the department of state learned of the situation, and Secretary Hull took a hand. You see, Mr. Hull has been having his own troubles with United States relations with the Argentine government. It has been necessary to prohibit importations of fresh beef from the Argentine because there is so much foot and mouth disease in the vast reaches of Argentine grazing areas. It has even become necessary to forbid the Argentine government to bring in steaks for use in its government pavilion at the New York World's fair. That did not leave a good taste in the mouth of the Argentine people. Mr. Hull was anxious to make a peace offer of some kind or another.

### President Became Tangled Up With the Buzz Saw

And it is to be remembered, too, that Mr. Roosevelt has been striving to knit North and South American nations together under his good neighbor policy. It would be a friendly gesture to buy something. Besides all of that, there is Mr. Hull's reciprocal trade treaty policy that needs bolstering every now

and then. There was little mention of this phase; yet it seems reasonable to assume that it was in the back of the official mind.

The question was put on Mr. Roosevelt's desk. He decided that the contract should be given the Argentines. That happened about the middle of April. There was no hurry about the matter, then because few persons knew of the transaction. Eventually, however, information about the award leaked out and somebody asked Mr. Roosevelt in a press meeting whether it was true. That was where Mr. Roosevelt really became tangled up with the buzz saw.

Now, it is well to know that Mr. Roosevelt likes to talk. He also insists on telling the news writers all about a given situation—if he talks all about it, he is decidedly fair that way. He talked at great length about the problem and the result of his speech to the writers was numerous headlines which read something like this: "President Roosevelt Orders Navy to Buy Argentine Canned Beef—Foreign Product Found Cheaper and Superior in Quality, President Says."

### Came Outbursts on Floors of the House and Senate

Within a few short weeks, Mr. Roosevelt's political hands were torn and bleeding. He was being ridiculed because he frequently referred in political campaigns to the need for helping "our undernourished one-third, our ily clad and ily housed" people. There were outbursts on the floors of the house and the senate. The New Deal leaders in congress could do nothing about it. The representatives and senators from the cattle country were denouncing his action and one whole day was occupied in the house of representatives where the President's political body was torn limb from limb.

The heat of the battle became so great that the house committee on appropriations which happened then to be considering the annual naval appropriations bill took action. It included in that bill, a prohibition that will prevent such a thing ever happening again. They were shouting: "The idea, feeding our navy men on Argentine beef," etc. Obviously, under such circumstances, the prohibitory clause was accepted by the house and the senate and it will be the law of the land.

This heat came of two causes. First, the cattle business is none too good and the cattle producers are politically powerful. They protect themselves, as they should. To see even a small business contract go outside of the United States was bad medicine, even though the beef bought would amount to only about 75 steers. It was the principle of the thing. Then, when you add to that, the resentment engendered by Mr. Roosevelt's statement that Argentine beef is a better quality—well, you speak your own piece about it.

### Explanation Never Caught Up With Original Statement

Subsequently, Mr. Roosevelt sought to explain what he meant by the statement that Argentine beef is superior in quality. He pointed out that the Argentine practice is to can better cuts of beef because of the slack sale for fresh meat in that part of the world. But the explanation never has caught up with the original statement, and it never will.

When this attempted explanation came from the White House, I heard an old time political battler at the capitol observe:

"That is mistake No. 2. One of the first rules in politics is 'never make a statement that you have to explain.' If you do, your explanation will get you into trouble. It is better never to explain anything."

Yet, in fairness, it must be observed that the price in the United States and the price the government must pay, therefore, results from a combination of circumstances. Our national policy for years has been to encourage what we advertise as the American standard of living. To that end, congress has passed laws, many of them. The Walsh-Healy act, for example, says that the government may not buy from any manufacturer who does not comply with stated requirements as to hours and wages for work. There is the so-called fair labor standards act—the wage and hour law—for another. Fifty more could be named. Nor do I wish myself to be placed in the position of condemning all of them. I point to them merely as causes for the situation in which Argentina underbid our own folks because most of our people on relief live better than the employed workers in South America. It serves, moreover, as an illustration and a proof that most so-called statesmen advocate national policy and national laws without knowing where or when or how they may have to eat their own words. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

## Pretty Patterns That Are Oh So Practical!

SOMEWHAT formal, so that you can wear it smartly for shopping and runabout, is the wide-shouldered dress with buttons down the scalloped bodice and braided used to give the effect of a bolero. The circular skirt has a charming, animated swing to it. In batiste, linen or flat crepe, it's a dress you'll thoroughly enjoy all summer long.

**Indispensable Slacks Suit.**  
If you're planning to have a lot of outdoor fun this summer (and of course you are) then a slacks suit is an indispensable part of your vacation wardrobe. This one includes a topper with front gath-



ers that flatter your figure, well-cut, slim-hipped slacks, and a bolero with wide revers that you can wear with daytime frocks, too. Denim, gingham, flannel or gabardine are practical materials for this.

**The Patterns.**  
No. 1741 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 40 ad 42. Size 14 requires 4 1/2 yards of 35 inch material with nap. Three yards of braid.  
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## Prairie-Dog Town

The largest prairie-dog "town" in the history of this country was found on the plains of a Rocky mountain plateau a few years ago. With the burrows only a few feet apart, it occupied an area of 25,000 square miles and contained more than 400,000,000 inhabitants. —Collier's.

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## Army Adds 18 Gun Batteries to U. S. Coast Artillery

WASHINGTON.—The army announced it was reorganizing the coast artillery corps to reinforce materially that branch of the nation's defenses against air or sea attacks.

Secretary Woodring said a shift of officers and men from administrative to actual combat units would, in effect, create 18 additional gun batteries for the continental United States.

Banner Serial Fiction

MAIDEN EFFORT

By SAMUEL HOPKINS ADAMS

WNU SERVICE

AUTHOR OF 'IT HAPPENED ONE NIGHT'

CHAPTER VIII—Continued

"But you'd feel different about the trip after we're engaged, wouldn't you, darr-ling?" asked Snyderacker.

"Engaged?" repeated Marne with lited brows.

"My instructions," said A. Leon Snyderacker. There was a swift pass, suggestive of legerdemain, and a large, pure diamond was sparkling into her eyes.

"It's lovely," was her involuntary admission.

"It's yours, darr-ling."

"Oh, no! I couldn't possibly."

"But, Mr. Snyderacker, I'm not engaged to you."

"No, no! I couldn't possibly."

Gloria's fair, straight brows drew down in concern.

"That's what you think. Well, you're wrong. You can't discharge me."

"That means you're through on this picture," explained the employer with swift ingenuity.

"Well, I don't want to be through on this picture. I like this picture. Through on this picture, through on the whole show."

"No, no! I couldn't possibly."

"You don't want to marry me?"

"No, if you don't mind. I don't want to marry anybody."

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Who'll Get the Call for 1940? It May Be One of These Men

TODAY a host of Presidential aspirants crowd the political scene, but their numbers will be sifted down to one Democrat and one Republican before another year is out, leading to the 1940 election.



G.O.P.—Arthur Hedrick Vandenberg, 55, senator from his native Michigan since 1928, former newspaper man at Grand Rapids.



DEMOCRAT—John Nance Garner, 71, U. S. vice president since 1933.



G.O.P.—William Edgar Borah, 74, senator from Idaho since 1907 and chairman of powerful senate foreign relations committee since 1924.



DEMOCRAT—Harry L. Hopkins, 49, native of Iowa, career welfare worker.



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Star Dust

Television Their Chance Old Stories Retold Dolls Hobby of Ripley

By Virginia Vale

JUST as radio gave a break to many old-time vaudeville actors, television is likely to offer new opportunities to theatrical and motion picture performers whose fortunes have hit the skids of recent years.

Two of the big current pictures, "Only Angels Have Wings" and "Union Pacific," are going to make you feel right at home as they unfold on the screen.



RICHARD BARTHELMESS

Richard Barthelmess, back on the screen after a long absence, appears in the Howard Hughes aviation picture as one of those tight-lipped aviators who sternly carry on when their best pals have been shot down.

James Stewart has star rating at Metro at last, after deserving it for so long. His first stellar appearance will be in "The Shop Around the Corner," with Margaret Sullavan.

Louis Hayward and his wife, Ida Lupino, finally broke away from Hollywood for a honeymoon; they were married last winter, but "The Man in the Iron Mask" kept him busy.

Lee Tracy's next will be "The Spellbinder," with Barbara Read appearing as his leading lady.

That old adage should be rewritten, to read "There's no rest for a radio star," with Barbara Read appearing as his leading lady.

Bob "Believe It or Not" Ripley isn't like most professionals; he doesn't keep a scrap book—because, he remarked recently, he's estimated that if he'd kept clippings from all the newspapers in which his cartoons have appeared, they would require an average-sized house.

PHIL BAKER popularized the word "stooge" in vaudeville and radio, but hasn't the faintest notion of where he got it or what it comes from.

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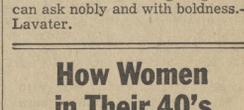
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- CONTRACT 680**  
**Bridge No 88 New Castle County**  
 Located on County Road No. 244  
 120 Cu. Yds. Unclassified Excavation  
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 220 Tons Broken Stone Base Course  
 25 Tons Bituminous Concrete Surface Course  
 120 Cu. Yds. Cement Concrete Masonry  
 6,000 lbs. Reinforcing Steel  
 17,900 lbs. structural steel  
 90 Cu. Yds. Cement Rubble Masonry  
 16 Lin. Ft. 4 in. Cast Iron Pipe  
 Removal of One (1) Present Bridge

- CONTRACT 671**  
**Laboratory Equipment**  
 State Laboratory, Dover, Kent County  
 8 Laboratory Tables  
 3 Fume Hoods  
 Miscellaneous Shelving, fixtures, etc.

- CONTRACT 687**  
**Bituminous Concrete for Maintenance**  
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 4,500 Tons—Bituminous Concrete (Federal Class H). To be delivered F. O. B. State Highway Department Trucks in New Castle County.

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**Gasoline 1939-40**  
 200,000 Gal. Premium Grade  
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**Motor Oil and Grease 1939-1940**  
 16,000 Gal. Motor Oil  
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- CONTRACT 691**  
**Reinforced Concrete Pipe Requirement for Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1939**

- 1,200 Lin. Ft. 6 in. Sewer Pipe  
 30 Lin. Ft. 12 in. C. Sewer Pipe  
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 17,700 Lin. Ft. 15 in. R. C. Pipe  
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The envelope containing the proposal must be marked "Proposal for the construction of State Highway Contract No. ...."

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 W. W. Mack, Chief Engineer,  
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 May 10, 1939.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
 Of Valuable  
**REAL ESTATE**

By virtue of a writ of Lavari Facias to me directed will be exposed to sale by way of public vendue at the Front Door of the First National Bank in the Town of Harrington, Kent County and State of Delaware, on **SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 1939** At 2 O'clock P. M.—(E. S. T.) The following described Real Estate, to-wit:

All the two following tracts, piece and parcels of land situated in Mispillion Hundred, Kent County and State of Delaware, particularly described as follows, to-wit:  
 No. 1. All that certain farm, tract, piece and parcel of land and premises, situated in Mispillion Hundred, Kent County and State of Delaware, on the south side of the public road leading

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from Harrington to Chilton's Camp Ground, adjoining lands of James E. Sapp, Zadoc Sipple, lands late of Tilghman Brown, and lands of others; the metes and bounds, courses and distances whereof are according to a deed from Robert Raughley and wife to Mary E. Staats, dated April 10, 1886, as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stone in the center of the State Road leading by a farm now owned by Robert Raughley, in the center of the County Road where it intersects said State Road and a corner for lands of said Robert Raughley, lands of John Brown's heirs and lands of Benjamin Draper, and running thence with said County Road with Magnetic bearing of 1840 South Eighteen degrees West sixty-four perches; thence thirty-three and one-quarter degrees West to a stone in the road; thence leaving said road West fifty-two perches to a White Oak stump;

Thence South twenty-four degrees West forty-four perches to the middle of a prong of Green Branch Ditch; thence up the middle of said prong of ditch the several meanderings thereof a Northwesterly course Seventy-eight perches to the West line of this tract in a line of Zadoc Sipple's land; thence with said Sipple land North twenty-four degrees East, one hundred and twenty perches to a bump of iron ore in the fence a corner for said Sipple land; thence North Seventy-seven degrees West nineteen perches to a Spanish Oak; thence North sixteen degrees and fifty minutes East six and four-tenths perches to a stake in the North edge of said State Road, a corner for John Wheeler's land, and from thence with a new division line, surveyed and made in the year 1874, South sixty-seven degrees and twenty-five minutes East one hundred and thirty-five and two-tenths perches to the place of beginning, and containing one hundred acres (100) of land be the same more or less.

No. 2. All that certain other lot, piece and parcel of land and premises situated in Mispillion Hundred, Kent County and State of Delaware, on the public road leading from Brownsville to Chilton's Camp Ground, and near or in the Village of Brownsville, adjoining lands of James E. Sapp, lands of Robert Raughley, and lands of others, and containing one and one-half acres of land, be the same more or less.

And being the same two tracts or parcels of land and premises which George W. McKnatt by his deed bearing even date herewith but executed and delivered prior to the execution delivery of this Indenture granted and conveyed unto the said Wilson M. Sipple and Linda M. Sipple in fee simple.

The improvements thereon being a two and one-half story frame dwelling barn and other outbuildings.

Together with all and singular the buildings and improvements of every kind whatsoever, ways, water, water courses, rights, liberties, privileges, improvements, hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of WILSON M. SIPPLE and LINDA M. SIPPLE, his wife, Mortgagees, and THOMAS C. FRAME, Trustee in Bankruptcy in the Matter of WILSON M. SIPPLE, Bankrupt, and will be sold by

GRIER H. MINNER, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Dover, Del., May 16, 1939.

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**SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 1939**  
 At 2 O'clock P. M. (E. S. T.)  
 The following described Real Estate, to-wit:

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ware, on the north side of the public road leading from Prettyman's Corner to Houston, and bounded as follows:

On the south by the aforesaid public road, on the east by other lands of the said Edward J. Coverdale, on the north by lands of George Foreaker, and on the west by lands of Elias Holgerston; said farm, tract or parcel of land having a front on said public road of sixty-nine and one-half rods (69½ rods) and extending back therefrom between parallel lines to the lands of the said George Foreaker, and containing FORTY-FIVE ACRES (45 A) OF LAND, more or less.

Said farm, tract or parcel of land, being the same farm, tract or parcel of land which was conveyed unto the said Clarence Porter and Hattie Evelyn Porter, by deed of the said Edward J. Coverdale, dated the Eighth day of March, 1930, and intended to be forthwith recorded. Said deed having been executed and delivered prior to the execution and delivery of this mortgage and this mortgage being given to secure the purchase price named in said deed.

Together with all and singular the buildings and improvements of every kind whatsoever, ways, water, water courses, rights, liberties, privileges, improvements, hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of CLARENCE PORTER, who has survived HATTIE EVELYN PORTER, his wife and Co-Mortgagor, and will be sold by GRIER H. MINNER, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Dover, Del., May 18, 1939.

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 June 24—Kent Handicap—\$10,000 Added  
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Delaware, on

**SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 1939**  
 At 2 O'clock P. M. (E. S. T.)

The following described Real Estate, to-wit:

No. 1. All that certain farm, tract, piece or parcel of land and premises situated in Mispillion Hundred, in Kent County and the State of Delaware, lying on the north side of the Junction and Breakwater Railroad, and is bound on the east by lands of Edward A. Smith, on the north by the south prong of Brown's Branch Ditch, on the west by land of John I. Hammond, and on the south by said railroad, the east and west lines being well established and marked by line fences, and containing FIFTY-FIVE (55) ACRES OF LAND, be the same more or less.

The improvements thereon being a two and one-half story frame dwelling house, barn and other outbuildings.

No. 2. All the estate, right, title and interest of the said Albert Thistlewood, Jr., it being an undivided one-half interest of, in, and to all that certain farm or tract of land situated on the east side of the State Highway leading from Harrington to Farmington, in Kent County and State of Delaware, and bounded as follows:

On the north by lands of Harry Tharp; on the south by lands of Walter Austin; on the west by the State Highway leading from Dover to Delaware, and on the east by lands of Sarah Mathilda Billings and others, and containing TWENTY-FOUR ACRES OF LAND, more or less.

The improvements thereon being a one and one-half story frame dwelling house, chicken house, garage and other outbuildings.

Together with all and singular the buildings and improvements of every kind whatsoever, ways, water, water courses, rights, liberties, privileges, improvements, hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining. Seized and taken in execution as the

property of ALBERT THISTLEWOOD and MARY D. THISTLEWOOD, and will be sold by GRIER H. MINNER, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Dover, Del., May 17, 1939.

**TRINITY METHODIST (Protestant)**  
**CHURCH OF HARRINGTON**  
 Gilbert E. Turner, Pastor

Church School 9:45 A. M.  
 Special Children's Day Service at 11:00 A. M. The service will be under the auspices of the Cradle Roll, Beginners, Primary and Junior departments of the Church School, assisted by the Senior Choir.

Baccalaureate Service at 7:30 P. M. Union Service. The members and faculty of the Harrington High School will worship with us in this service. The public is cordially invited.

Monday, 8:00 P. M., meeting of the Loyal Workers Bible Class at the home of Mrs. Franklin Waller on Mispillion Street.

Tuesday, 7:30 P. M., meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society in the Sapp Memorial building, Circle No. 10, Mrs. Jennie Creadick, chairman, will entertain.

Thursday, 7:30 P. M., Choir rehearsal.

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