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Some Other Way

WHEN Secretary of Agriculture Wallace proposed his 20 cents per bushel processing tax plan the forgotten man was once more forgotten.

The Commercial Review, a Portland publication devoted to the grain trade, says of this proposed processing tax:

"The Census Bureau's midyear estimate for 1936 showed the total population of the United States was 128,429,000. On the basis of the Food Research Institute's figures, on per capita consumption, Americans use 102,743,200 barrels of flour each year. Wallace's 20 cent a bushel processing tax, therefore, will hit the family purse by the sizable sum of \$141,785,616 per year.

"A processing tax on flour would cost the population of Oregon, Washington and Idaho a sum of \$3,300,000 annually if Secretary Wallace's 20 cents per bushel processing tax should be approved by Congress. Idaho would contribute a sum of \$525,440 for its population of 486,000; Oregon would give \$1,122,768 for its 1,917,000 and Washington \$1,813,872 for 1,643,000 people. Thus a processing tax would mean over \$1 per annum per head.

"The 128,429,000 people in the United States would contribute a total of \$141,785,616 annually for a processing tax, at the rate of 20 cents per bushel. These are based on the amount of flour consumed in the U. S. each year, estimated consumption in 1936 being 102,743,200 barrels."

German Patience

THERE are ominous signs today that the Germans, a patient people, may be growing tired of the prattlings of Hitler and his cohorts. Production in Germany's key industries has slowed as much as 20 per cent since the Czech crisis.

"There has been no decrease in the number of workers or the number of hours worked. There is no acute food shortage although coffee and butter are among the foods limited in quantity. It is said in informed quarters to be a deliberate 'slow-down strike' on the part of the people to register disapproval of the warlike policies of their leaders.

No one who knows the German people can believe that they want a war. Yet in recent months they have been compelled to stand ready for such an emergency. They have already been told to prepare for new trouble in the spring. Anti-Jewish activities sponsored by the Nazis, and anti-religious activity and the recent loss of confidence in Propaganda Minister Goebbels are other causes for weakening of morale. It is reported.

History dictates that revolution follows tyrant governments when the nerves of the people finally wear out.

Editorials on News

The truth is, of course, that we are going through a social revolution which as yet we haven't had time to digest.

had time to digest. The result is confusion and uncertainty throughout the whole structure of business. In time, much of this confusion and uncertainty will be cleared up.

But that time hasn't yet arrived. YOU may feel, of course, that business deserves everything it has got.

Maybe so. But that doesn't alter the fact that American business is hesitant and fearful, afraid to go ahead and yet under such pressure of taxes and overhead that it can't stand still.

That isn't a good frame of mind for American business to be in. It doesn't MAKE JOBS.

THE encouraging fact is that these Western business men weren't bitter or cynical. They were just puzzled. They want to go ahead and do something, but as yet they don't know how to go ahead without taking risks that frighten them.

But they'll LEARN. American business always has been quick to adapt itself to new conditions, and it STILL IS.

DRIVE FOR SCOUTS' FUND DATED HERE

Local Council Also Maps Activities; Douglas Has Two New Troops.

Setting of a date for the drive to raise funds for Boy Scout work in Douglas county, plans for program activities, and reports on new developments during the past few weeks featured the meeting of the Scout council at the chamber of commerce office last night.

Due to failure of the proposed Community Chest project, the scouts will be required to conduct a campaign to raise a budget for the coming year's work, and plans were made at last night's meeting to start the drive Feb. 16. E. S. McClain is chairman of the scout finance committee. Other members of the committee are L. E. McClintock, Harris Ellsworth and G. V. Winberry. The drive will follow Boy Scout week, Feb. 8 to 14. Plans are being made for local observances to celebrate the week. Dr. L. A. Dillard, chairman of the committee in charge of the observance, reported plans had been made for a special court of honor to be held at the Green schoolhouse with the Green troop, No. 76, as host. Paul Geddes, chairman of scout advancement will be in charge.

Bidden to Council: An invitation was received for local scout council and committee members, parents and others to attend the annual meeting of the Wallamet Area council at Eugene, Ore., Jan. 27. A banquet will be held at the Osburn hotel at 5:45 p. m., where the meeting will be addressed by Dr. Wirt, world traveler and lecturer and father of two Eagle Scouts.

In attendance at last night's meeting were Dr. E. J. Walcott, chairman; Dr. B. R. Shoemaker, G. V. Winberry, Dr. L. A. Dillard, L. E. McClintock, R. L. Preston, T. E. Ness, E. S. McClain, Jack Samster, Alvin Knudsen, Earl Wiley, George Churchill, Dr. Clair K. Allen and R. W. Duman, field executive.

Mrs. Fred A. Bird, den mother of a group of Cubs, announced a den feed for Cubs and their fathers of Den No. 2, Thursday evening.

A training meeting at the Stearns hardware store for scouts and scouters will be held at Oakland Monday, Robert Bringer, Ed Stearns and M. H. Gildersleeve compose the committee at Oakland. A calendar of activities will be arranged for the Oakland scouts.

New Troops Organized: Report was made of a new troop organized at Elkton with Henry L. Dossan as chairman, and B. S. Adams, W. E. Howell, W. A. Climo and Frank Madison, troop committee members. Wesley A. Sherman has been selected as scoutmaster. Boys enrolled as charter members are Zane Adams, Harry G. Anderson, Paul A. Anderson, Alton R. Anderson, Robert H. Billock, Loyel Rossen, Royal Rossen, Roger H. Rossen, Claude Hattson, Eugene Holcomb, Ralph Holcomb, Lawrence Madison, Paul Masters, Jr., Victor R. Masters and Charles Miller. The troop is sponsored by the First Methodist church. An installation is planned during Scout week in February and scouts of other troops will be invited guests.

A new troop also has been installed at Redwood under the sponsorship of the Redwood Community Presbyterian church. It was reported, Rev. N. S. Evans, pastor, is chairman of the troop committee, which also includes W. A. Hunsick, E. G. Thinn, B. A. Borwick and J. D. Wright. Robert H. Loucks and P. D. Howell are to serve as scoutmaster and assistant. Scouts included Billy Anderson, Roger Babbitt, Bob Bennett, Richard Dee Burling, Jack Dunaway, Lesley W. Franklin, Leland E. Gilbert, Bill Morin, Duane St. Onge, William S. Vian and Leslie E. Wright.

OUT OUR WAY



HOPKINS PLANS TO SPUR EMPLOYMENT

Secretary's Program Will Be Handed to Advisory Council This Week.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(AP)—Harry Hopkins will present to the business advisory council this week the first broad outlines of his program for improving economic conditions and increasing employment through the cooperative efforts of business and government.

The council meets here Thursday, and Hopkins, who was confirmed by the senate yesterday as secretary of commerce, is expected to take the occasion to submit his ideas for business improvement.

These have not been divulged in detail even to some of his close associates. He is expected, however, to call for specific attacks on several problems, possibly including friction between business and government, factionalism in organized labor, the construction lag in the utilities industry, and the railroad financial situation.

The senate approved Mr. Roosevelt's appointment of Hopkins 58 to 27 after opponents had criticized his administration of the WPA.

Favoring confirmation were 53 democrats, Senators Nye andrazier, North Dakota republican, Norris (Ind., Neb.); LaFollette (Iowa, Wis.), and Laundon (F. L., Minn.).

Opposing Hopkins were twenty-one republicans, Senator Shipstead (F. L., Minn.) and five democrats, George (Ga.), Gerry (R. L.), Holt (W. Va.), King (Utah) and Van Ness (Ind.).

After being questioned for two days by the senate commerce committee, the presidential adviser and former WPA chief was asked over the course of three more days on the senate floor by republicans and anti-administration democrats.

Most of the latter made it clear their attacks were aimed not so much at Hopkins as at some of the actions of the administration.

Administration senators minimized the importance of charges of politics in relief, declared WPA subordinate officials were to blame, and praised Hopkins' record as an efficient administrator.

Majority Leader Barkley declared the president was "the ultimate target of all this denunciation against Mr. Hopkins."

Daily Devotions DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS

There come times in the lives of every one of us when above all things we feel our need to be a freshening of our spirit and a rekindling of our faith and hope in the things which are lovely and true and good. Life sags down, and our enthusiasm for it and for making the best of it weakens, and weary, and noble thoughts and high purposes seem quite beyond us. How often the prophets of old had a message for all such moods as those. The Father of our Spirits has the gift to touch us into new life and vitality, and to stir up within us the noble enthusiasm, the fires of which have been burning low in our hearts. Thou God of our life, and Father of our Spirits, we turn toward Thee in hope and expectations. Do Thou fulfill in us Thy ancient promise and kindle our hearts to new faith and trust in life and Thee. May Thy renewing grace strengthen us that we may magnify Thy name, Amen.

- 7:50—Rhapsody in Wax, MBS.
8:00—Eight O'Clock Clipper, MBS.
8:30—Haven of Rest, MBS.
9:00—The Hallooer, MBS.
9:15—Home Town, MBS.
9:30—Man About Town, MBS.
9:45—Little Jackie Heller's Oreb., MBS.
10:00—Happy Gang, MBS.
10:15—Mamma Bloom's Brood, MBS.
10:30—Our Quartet, MBS.
10:45—Voice of Experience, Pinkham, MBS.
11:00—Nation's School of the Air, MBS.
11:30—Hi School Program, MBS.
12:00—Lunch Concert, MBS.
12:15—Bill Lewis & Organ, MBS.
12:30—Noontime Melodies, MBS.
12:35—Parkinson's Information Exchange, MBS.
12:45—Hansen Motor Co. News, MBS.
12:50—News-Review Newscast, MBS.
1:00—Henninger's Man On The Street, MBS.
1:15—Midstream, MBS.
1:30—P.T.A. Program, MBS.
1:45—At Your Command, MBS.
2:15—The Johnson Family, MBS.
2:30—"The Country Is Going For The Dogs", MBS.
2:45—Norman McKay, Baritone, MBS.
3:00—Feminine Fables, MBS.
3:30—Afternoon Varieties, MBS.
3:45—News, MBS.
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS.
4:15—Jack McHenry's Oreb., MBS.
4:30—"It's Box Office", MBS.
5:00—College of Music, MBS.
5:30—The Children's Hour, MBS.
5:45—Review and Previews From The State Capitol, MBS.
6:00—Interlude, MBS.
6:05—Hansen Motor Co. News, MBS.
6:10—News-Review News Flashes, MBS.
6:15—Gen. Shafter Parker, MBS.
6:30—Gauthier Decker & Organ, MBS.
6:45—Frank Bull, MBS.
7:00—Dance Oreb., MBS.
7:15—News & Views, MBS.
7:30—Lone Banner, MBS.
8:00—Melodies of the Moment, MBS.
8:30—Dick Jurgens' Oreb., MBS.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News, MBS.
9:15—Sammy Kayes' Oreb., MBS.
9:30—Clyde Lucas' Oreb., MBS.
10:00—Sign Off, MBS.

PEASANT APRONS

Cart's store has just received a brand new shipment of 1939 models in fancy aprons. Colorful new prints in 80 square materials including the new Mexican peasant and other picture designs. More than a dozen patterns in peasant styles, shirred flares, contrast borders, bib styles, coveralls, etc. Come in kiddies', women's and extra sizes. Get one of these gay, brightly styled, colorful aprons 25c. 35c, 45c and 60c. Cart's. We are also featuring our complete winter range of 85c square print dresses for 65c, including brand new 1939 shipments.—Ady.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, Mrs. George H. Huslaud, Carver Howland.

FEDERAL AID TEST MAPPED BY EXPERT

Applicants Would Have to Submit to Interviews for Classification.

By W. B. RAGSDALE WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(AP)—A plan to make the quest for a job the key to all forms of federal help has been developed by a man who has helped to put millions of men to work in the last five years.

The idea might dovetail into the program of the Byrnes committee to revise the public works and unemployment compensation set-up. It would make the federal employment offices the only door through which a person might pass to WPA, PWA, old age assistance and the other forms of federal aid.

It was worked out by Walter Burr, who, as associate director of the national reemployment service during the last five years, has obtained an intimate view of the workings of the whole business of job getting, federal and private. His idea thus far has been presented only to a discussion group of public affairs at American university.

Under the centralized employment agency which Burr would create, every individual seeking a living income would present himself to the office of that agency. Trained interviewers would refer applicant to whatever opening seemed to offer the best opportunity.

The workers for whom there were no openings in private employment would be sent to public works projects in their communities. Other qualified workers, for whom there were no public works jobs, would be referred to relief agencies.

But the employment service would keep a close watch on those sent to public works and relief so that they might be switched to private jobs as soon as such jobs opened up.

Those who were not qualified for work because of age, physical disability or home duties (in case of a widow with dependent children) would be referred to organizations or agencies created to deal with such cases.

Aged would be sent to old age assistance, physically unfit to the rehabilitation agency, or that giving aid to the blind. The widow with dependent children would go to the agency set up to help parents in a plight like hers. Those qualified for unemployment compensation would be passed along to a claims section while efforts were made to find another job.

OREGON EVENTS FLASHED FROM WIRE SERVICE

ASTORIA, Jan. 21.—(AP)—A robber who carried a gun made a \$100,000 haul in a store while he peddled a service station cash register of \$30 yesterday.

SALEM, Jan. 24.—(AP)—Circuit Judge R. Frank Peters, Hillsboro, has been assigned to Polk county to preside at the Salem Box Manufacturing company's damage suit against the Teamsters' union.

The suit is an outgrowth of damages from the fire which destroyed the box company's plant and which led to the conviction of several unionists, among them Al E. Rosser, an arson charger.

FLORENCE, Jan. 24.—(AP)—Edward Miller, secretary of the Oregon Coast Highway association since its inception, submitted his resignation to the board of directors at the quarterly meeting here yesterday.

CHAMBERLAIN ASKS BRITONS' SUPPORT

Civil Defense Army Urged By Premier; Eden Warns of Spanish Peril.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain appealed today for the voluntary support of 50,000,000 Britons between the ages of 14 and 65 for the civil defense army.

The prime minister broadcast his message to the empire in connection with the issuance Wednesday of the "National Service Guide" which outlines precise means of wartime service for all.

"It is scheme is to make us ready for war," Chamberlain said, adding that "that does not mean I think war is coming."

The better we are prepared to defend ourselves and to resist attack," he explained, "the less likely is it that any aggressor will try an adventure in which chances of success would be so unpromising."

Chamberlain stressed the voluntary nature of the wartime service for which he pleaded and, concluding, declared:

"It is for you to show the world what a free people are prepared to do in defense of their liberties and the ideals in which they believe."

COVENTRY, England, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Anthony Eden warned France and Great Britain today to guard well their Mediterranean interests against effects of the Spanish civil war and declared: "If Franco wins his victory is a foreign victory."

Speaking in his constituency, the former foreign secretary pronounced the thesis "the political independence and territorial integrity of Spain should be respected, no foreign power or powers should be allowed to establish themselves in Spain, or Spanish possessions and Spain should be truly free to determine her destiny."

Eden spoke of the powerful armament of insurgent General Franco pounding at the doors of Barcelona and asserted: "Every one knows who provides this armament."

"How can any of us deny if France wins his victory is a foreign victory?"

BRIDGES ACCUSES NAZIS OF SABOTAGE

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Harry Bridges, west coast CIO director, in a telegram to President Roosevelt today charged Nazi agents and sympathizers allegedly working on airplanes constructed for the U. S. government were engaging in wholesale sabotage.

He said the telegram mentioned the North American Aviation company at Los Angeles and the Consolidated Aircraft company at San Diego as plants where sabotaging had been practiced.

Bridges also said "evidence to support the charges has been turned over to the national labor relations board in Los Angeles," and urged the investigation from now on be put in the hands of the department of justice at Washington.

He charged employees to army, navy and employer officials and inspectors "have only resulted in persons making complaints being discharged or demoted."

Bridges said the CIO was trying to point out who actually was sabotaging government planes, as a reply to complaints CIO workers involved in a sit-down strike at the Douglas plant last year had damaged planes. The Douglas firm was not named in the telegram, however.

"Approximately 12 navy bombers manufactured by Consolidated Aircraft have, in the period of a little over a year, fallen with deaths of crews," the telegram alleged.

"Due to intimidation of union workers who have attempted to expose sabotage, and the fact an alliance undoubtedly exists between company and government officials locally, we urge immediate investigation be conducted with special government representatives from Washington."

RESERVISTS TO WORK ON PLANS FOR CAMP

Empqua chapter, Reserve Officers' association, will hold its regular bi-monthly meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the national guard club rooms in the armory. All members of the chapter are urged to attend.

Final plans for the "defense against chemical attack" contact camp scheduled for Roseburg, February 11 and 12, will be discussed and all committee heads are requested to be prepared to give full reports on progress of plans.

Capt. H. C. Church, chapter instructor, will present anti-chemical lesson on "Defense Against Chemical Attack." Rifle and pistol practice, 22 caliber, will be held at the armory firing range tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Wednesday Feature STUFFED PORK CHOPS

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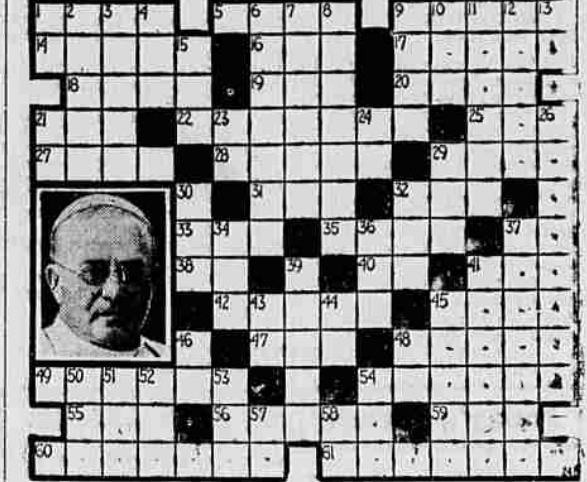
Douglas Hotel Dining Room Open 7 a. m. till 7:30 p. m.

PENDLETON, Ore., Jan. 24.—(AP)—Sixty dollars cash and a quantity of narcotics were reported to police by Dr. D. V. Glenn to have been stolen from his pharmacy here early Monday.

RELIGIOUS LEADER

HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle 1. 5 A scholarly head of the Catholic church. 9 His family name. 14 Practical. 16 Antelope. 17 Liquid part of fat. 18 Weight. 19 Nothing. 20 Axillary. 21 Feudal fee. 22 Trotting horse. 25 Genus of rodents. 27 Gaelic. 28 Vision. 29 Most excellent. 31 Sea eagle. 32 Vulgar fellow. 33 Call for help. 35 Call to prayer, enemy. 37 Musical note. 38 Parent. 40 Neuter pronoun. 41 To harden. 42 Bulb flower.

VERTICAL 1 Measure. 2 Animal. 3 Devout. 4 Measure of cloth. 6 Overlooks. 7 One that unites. 8 Sultan's wife. 9 To follow. 10 Every. 11 Yoked. 12 Lizard fish (pl.). 13 Into. 15 To dine. 21 Iron. 23 Road. 24 Type measure. 26 Papal church. 29 Curse. 30 Venomous snake. 32 Pussy. 34 Grain. 36 Bullet sound. 37 Normal. 39 To insult. 43 You and me. 44 Structural unit. 45 To become exhausted. 46 Laughed sound. 48 To accomplish. 50 Palm leaf. 51 To soak flour. 52 Monkey. 53 Tea. 54 Three. 57 Form of "a." 58 Ell.



MALES STRIKE BACK AT CO-EDS' EXPOSE

CORVALLIS, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Stung by the Oregon State college co-eds' frank expose of what they considered "lousy male dates," men of the campus have retaliated with their pet peeves.

They aren't quite as pointed as those from the girls, possibly because, with nearly two men to every co-ed registered here, the former can't be too critical.

Here are some of the "do's and don'ts" for the gals as gathered by Shirley Cronmiller, Salem, for the Daily Barometer:

Don't talk about the last date you had, he's heard about it already.

Be interested in the date you're out with—at least make him think you are so he will feel good about it.

Don't talk about one thing all night, be versatile.

Remember you are supposed to belong in the weaker sex. Wait to have dates queued, coats put on, and to be guided across streets.

"I like a girl who is good looking, but not one who has to leave every five minutes to check up on it."

Use a "good line" if you want to, just so it isn't too obvious.

Don't pay too much attention to the other men, it makes him atmosphere for your show.

Be sweet to him, though not necessarily affectionate. Don't wear so much lipstick that you look painted. Don't be a diamond in the rough, but don't carry too high a polish either.

NEW INCOME TAX LAW SUBMITTED

SALEM, Jan. 23.—(AP)—An entire new income tax law, designed to affect low incomes and be more lenient on middle incomes than the bill prepared by the state tax commission, has been prepared by Budget Director David Eccles and is being considered by the joint assessment and taxation committee.

The new measure would tax married persons' incomes of more than \$1,200, instead of \$1,500 as at present, and would decrease the minimum taxable income of single persons from \$800 to \$700.

Eccles indicated he prepared the bill because of objections to the

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