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## ABE MARTIN



Mr. Eames Howard, the British Ambassador, must be that fellow we've all heard so much about that could drink or leave it alone. "Well, it was running somewhere around 573 last Saturday, but a party Sunday cuts it down," said Constable Plum today, speaking of the population of Bloom Center.

## GENERAL BOOTH DIES IN ENGLAND

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cables with messages of sympathy and condolence to Mrs. Booth and her children from all parts of the world. With the exception of Colonel and Mrs. Booth, who is returning from Germany, all members of the family are here and were at the bedside when he died.

The Salvation Army probably will be entrusted with arrangements for the funeral. The general's parents are buried in Abney Park cemetery in North London and it was his family's wish he lie at the side of the Salvation Army's founder, his own father.

### King Sends Message.

Mrs. Booth received a message of sympathy from the king reading as follows:

"The queen and I have heard with regret of the death of General Bramwell Booth and we offer you our sincere sympathy in your bereavement. With his father, he will always be gratefully remembered as the promoter of the widespread and beneficent activities of the Salvation Army."

One effect of the general's death it was believed, would be to put an end to all further litigation connected with the army's leadership, thus saving the surviving leaders anxiety and the army itself considerable expense. It was believed, however, he fell at deposition, an head of the army had an adverse effect upon his physical condition and may have shortened his life somewhat.

## \$151,500,000 APPROPRIATED BY CONGRESS

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ension of rules, a procedure that shuts off amendments and drastically limits debate.

Chairman Wood of the appropriations committee in offering the bill explained that \$150,000,000 was the initial amount of the half-billion dollar revolving fund and the \$1,500,000 was for the expense of the board. Representative Garner of Texas, the democratic leader, asked why the whole amount of \$500,000,000 was not appropriated. Wood said the president felt it would not be necessary to appropriate the whole amount at this time.

## Sending Out of Town Bad Example For Young People, Bill Dollar Says



"Bill" Dollar cooked up his ear as he heard his own say, "I'll place my bet on the young fellow with a liberal education against any young fellow with a liberal allowance."

That remark set "Bill" to thinking. "The properly educated young folks of Union county will be the power house of this community in the next decade," he said.

"Of what use to Union county will the young folks be whose parents send out of town for everything they need? In the first place they are not satisfied with home products and create an atmosphere that is antagonistic to everyone with whom they come in contact."

"The training of any child along the lines of believing that some other place is better than Union county will develop a knacker and a great day of regret will come. It is the duty of every loyal citizen to train his children to an appreciation of the wonderful community that is being built for them."

"Young men and women of Union county," continued "Bill," "have you ever considered the fact that you are the coming business men and women of this community. Your school days will soon be over and the knowledge and training which you will receive until the end of your school and college course will be the foundation on which you must build the structure in which you hope to spend the rest of your days."

"The time is nearly at hand when you will have to assume the responsibilities that are now being borne by your elders. You must fit yourself every day for the part you intend to play after you have passed your adolescent period. Keep this thought ever in your mind, Union county will never be any better than I, as a citizen, make it."

"The sentimental debt that you owe Union county for the many privileges that you enjoy can be paid as your conscience dictates but the material debt is one that will come to you in the way of taxes, which is one that can never be evaded."

"Whenever a bond issue for some public improvement such as schools or good roads is authorized, and maturing in from 10 to 40 years, it means that you will pay your full share of the tax. And no matter where you go you will find that you will be paying for something that your elders thought would be good for you."

"A heavy responsibility gravitates to each young person in the community, for, as the responsible citizens of Union county in a few years more, they will have to mesh in gradually to the wheels of progress."

"The first thing to learn is loyalty to Union county, and that means to believe in Union county, and if, as you grow older you see that things can be bettered here, work to that end. Suppose, as a young man now, you are picturing to yourself a place of business with your name over the door as proprietor."

"Where will your business come from if your chums of today do not develop into the loyal citizens of tomorrow? Spend your money

at home in Union county and there show your faith in your community by helping it to expand."

"Start today and ask your father and mother to explain the things about what citizenship means. Get the human viewpoint and not what the books say."

"In Athens, every young man, when he becomes of age, takes an oath which has come to be known as the Athenian oath. Before he was given his shield and his sword which proclaimed his standing as a man, he swore, among other things, never to disgrace his holy arms, never to forsake his comrades in the ranks, but to fight for the temples and the common welfare, alone or with others."

"To leave the country not in a worse, but in a better state than he found it; to obey the magistrates and the laws and defend them against attack; finally, to hold in honor the religion of his country."

"What a wonderful thing it would be if every young man and woman in Union county would live up to that oath nowadays. Think now, young folks, the part you are playing at the present time, in this your community. If your father were building a beautiful home and you knew that it would come to you for your own when they passed on, you would be very careful of it and everything in it, would not you? Then consider this community as the home they are building for you for it will be yours soon."

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### Horse Apiece

Somebody holds that while the father is the legal head of the family the mother is the boss. That seems to be a pretty fair way to leave the argument—if any.—Los Angeles Times.

### Modern Housekeeping

Housekeeping has been raised to the plane of a profession, in which the mind has more freedom and controls vaster possibilities.—Woman's Home Companion.

Secretary Stimson's parrot, "Old Soak," chewed three buttons off the captain's coat on the boat that brought him from the Philippines. That bird ought to have a picnic in Washington with so many admirals around.

## NEW DISARM MOVEMENT TO BE LAUNCHED

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conference.

The tendency, however, was to await the two speeches before upholding or attacking whatever program the two men may have in mind.

The Prime Minister MacDonald met General Dawes at the railroad station at Forres himself after noon yesterday, his church services having been cut short so that he might leave for the meeting.

After lunch in the oak paneled dining room, the conversation was continued in the drawing room. Outside General Dawes could be seen puffing away contentedly at his pipe.

The conversation between the ambassador and the prime minister attracted the greatest attention from London morning papers.

Mention Hoover

The conservative Daily Telegraph gave the main credit, editorially, to President Hoover and General Dawes, remarking: "Under the influence of the dynamic personality of the new ambassador the first and greatest of international affairs confronting Mr. MacDonald's government is already in swift development."

The independent Daily Mail paid tribute to "Mr. MacDonald's excellent idea in holding the conference at the earliest possible moment thus setting an example in the art of getting things done without waste of time."

"The meeting of these two representative men should do much to improve relations between Great Britain and United States and they should be able to get rid of the absurd competition in armaments between these two powers on whose friendship the peace of the world largely depends."

## LUMBER VESSEL IS WRECKED OFF COLUMBIA MOUTH

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the freighter Laurel at the mouth of the Columbia river was Russell Smith, 15, of 29 Holton street, Worcester, Mass. Smith's name, however, does not appear in the list of crew on file with the collector of customs.

Norman Dubous, 25, was in a critical condition in a hospital here, where three other crewmen were

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taken. At the hospital it was said Dubous lived in San Pedro. The list at the office of the collector of customs gives Mrs. Albert Assaf, Cobalt, Canada, as the nearest relative.

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