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**RECONVERSION BRINGS RACE PROBLEMS, TOO**

The matter of reconversion from war to peace will bring another headache, worse than switching jobs to the former war working centers, the problem of race relations. People who live in California say the negro problem there is terrible and one man in particular told the writer several months ago he planned to move to this section as soon as the war was over to escape the consequences. Of course this is one thing that we don't have to worry about here, but we may feel some of the effects of the adjustment, should it be violent enough to affect general business conditions.

In a fourth article on the race relations of Portland, Carey McWilliams paints a rather dark picture for that metropolis. But if the situation is bad in Portland, it is doubly worse in the larger California cities. McWilliams accuses both the governor and the mayor of Portland with failure to act on the cause of racial troubles and says that little or no effort has been made to curb the growth of what he calls the Jim Crow practices, where stores erect signs saying white trade only is wanted. The older negro population at Portland resented the coming of the negro war workers and this has created friction among the negro population in the negro section.

Now that high wages in the war centers is a thing of the past race tensions may become dangerous and flare into riots before proper adjustments can be made.

**DON'T THROW AWAY THE KEY**

The termination of the war did not bring a clean-cut victory to the United Nations. The avowed objective of freedom from political oppression for which the war was fought, is less in evidence today than at any previous time, not excluding the era of Hitler. The United States now stands alone as the champion of individual enterprise and the exponent of government as the servant rather than the master of the people. Over most of the world peoples numbed by suffering, seem anxious to become charges of masterful governments.

The United States remains the one great nation with production and distribution under the ownership and management of private citizens. Thanks to this system, our farmers and factories, our retailers and workers—tens of millions of them—can make a living independent of government. As long as they can do that they need never fear political oppression. The privilege of earning a living unsupported by government handouts and resultant political "persuasion," is the key to freedom. The people of Europe have thrown away this key. Even in England and France, the key is being turned over to government.

Let's not throw away the key to freedom in our own country. Private enterprise, which socialism destroys, may have its drawbacks. But its shortcomings can always be corrected. Private enterprise is the source of independent jobs—for employer and employe alike. As long as private enterprise exists, government payrolls can be kept to a healthy minimum, and we can tell officialism to go to blazes, without fear of the consequences.

**STILL TIME TO PLAN**

In a recent news letter of the League of Oregon Cities, attention is called to the fact that this should be a period of intensive planning on the part of the municipalities as well as the adjoining communities and that the period immediately following the war is still primarily a time for determining the needs of the various communities and for planning details and blue prints and for facilitating industrial developments. The time for action, if plans are made, is fast approaching. Action must be carefully scheduled if the original objectives are achieved.

**Church Activities**

Miss Julia Mae Weber, Sunday school and childrens worker for the state of Oregon, Free Methodist churches, is holding Happy hour for all boys and girls each evening after school at the local church. The younger group will meet at 3:15 and the juniors at 4:15 Friday p. m., September 21, parents and friends are invited to see the children at work. Mrs. Dorothy Ratcliffe is assisting Miss Weber with the work.

Rev. L. T. Edwards is speaking at each service at the Free Methodist church beginning Sunday a. m., September 16. Services each evening beginning at 7:30 and Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Rev. Edwards illustrates his messages by the use of pictures shown on the screen. He speaks of a number of world events in the light of prophecy. He is an evangelist of unusual freedom of expression. The public is invited to hear him and enjoy his messages. Rozella Douglas, pastor.

Home coming and rally day will be observed in the Baptist church this Sunday. At 9:45 the church school will have its annual rally day program with the boys and girls taking part. All are invited to attend this program.

Home coming will be celebrated at both the morning worship and the evening hour. In the morning the pastor, Rev. George E. Hardy, will bring a message on "A Light House." In the evening following an inspirational song service the message will be on "Walking Blind." There will be special music at both services. All members and friends of the church are urged to attend these services.

The evening service will start this Sunday at 7:30, please remember the change in time. The Baptist Youth Fellowship will hold its first meeting of the fall at 6:30 and all young people are invited to attend.

First Presbyterian church, Alvin J. Kammann, pastor. The Sunday school will meet at 9:45. This is "Rally Month." Now that school has started let us all rally back to Sunday school and church and make Sunday a banner day. Sunday we are starting a new class for young married couples with C. B. Garrigus as the teacher. We now have a class for everyone with competent teachers. Come and study the Bible with us. At the eleven o'clock service Rev. Kammann will speak on "Agonize, Organize, Vitalize." The evening young people's service will be held Sunday evening at seven o'clock. You are cordially invited to any or all of these services.

At the Christian Science church next Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock the sermon topic will be "Substance."

The Rev. Frank E. Brown will preach on "How Odd of God" at the 11:00 o'clock church service Sunday morning at the Methodist church. Methodist Youth Fellowships at 6:45 p. m. and church service at 7:45 p. m.

The winter schedule of services at the Catholic church will be as follows. Sunday Masses will be at 8:00 and 10:00 a. m. beginning Sunday, September 16, and thereafter each Sunday during the winter season. This will mark the first time in recent years that a regular sched-

ule of two Masses Sunday has been followed. This change is being made for the convenience of the congregation, particularly those coming from distant points. A series of instructions on the Mass, its ceremonies, their meaning and significance will be given at the Sunday Masses, beginning September 23, except on the third Sunday when a supply pastor comes in while the regular pastor conducts services at Oakridge.

"Blessing the Worshipers" will be the subject the pastor will speak on at the morning worship at the Church of God. At 8 p. m. the subject will be "The Importance of Doctrine." The Christian Crusaders at 7 p. m. will consider the subject "Meeting Calamities." Monday and Tuesday evening, Sept. 17 and 18 at 7:45 Rev. H. A. Schlatter will hold special services. Rev. Schlatter is pastor of the church at Salem. He is a true blue minister of God and has a good message. Bring your friends and hear this good minister.

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**From Old Files**

Here are some interesting items found in this issue of the Sentinel: King Gillette made from his safety razor invention \$2,500,000 a year for several years; Hyman Lipman made \$1,000,000 out of putting a rubber tip on a pencil; Samuel Kischbauma made \$12,000 out of a hook and eye arrangement for dress.

Joseph Glidden, a farmer, made \$1,000,000 out of his barbed wire.

Mrs. A. W. Shofstall's aunt, Mrs. Minnie Palmer, will accompany the Shofstalls on a motor trip to Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garoutte and Galen Garoutte left Tuesday for Los Angeles.

**THOUGHTLETS**

By Carl B. Balch

Metropolitan meanness does not differ from rural rascality.

Tattered tempers tear tender teachings.

Sometimes our righteous indignation is nothing more than petty contention.

Unbridled rages leaves one in physical exhaustion.

Petty politicians prefer popularity to purity.

Some politicians truly believe that they are statesmen.

Sometimes it seems that the paths of peace are more difficult than the way of war.

How hard it often is to be honest with ourselves.

Anger is the great stimulator of hate.

It is all too easy to argue our conscience around to the way we want it to act.

All snobs do not come from the so-called privileged class.

If we would have anything of benefit, we must earn it, and earning it become shrewd, inventive, ingenious, active, enterprising.—H. W. Beecher.

**THE TOWNSEND PLAN IN WASHINGTON**

Launching a whirlwind campaign to win enactment of a national insurance for all program this year, the Townsend plan organization this week voted to expand its all-out petition drive. Petitions now are being circulated in each of the country's 435 congressional districts calling upon congressmen to work and vote favorably upon HR 2229 and HR2230, the Townsend bill introduced this year.

The House Ways and Means committee which expects to hold hearings on Townsend plan national insurance legislation this fall, is the first House group to resume sessions since the congressional recess.

Meeting in executive session the committee outlined its schedule which includes studies of the Townsend plan and social security, tax legislation, and President Truman's request for action on the emergency unemployment compensation bill the Ways and Means committee heard frightening news the past week. War Reconversion Director John W. Snyder, who predicts a minimum of 8,000,000 jobless by spring, told the congressmen that the nation is in for an unemployment shock. The faces of the committeemen grew grave when social security chief Arthur J. Altmeyer dropped another bomb. He revealed that claims for unemployment compensation two weeks after the end of the war reached the highest level in the history of the social security program.

In a single week 596,458 jobless men and women stood in long lines seeking compensation. This was 11 times as many claimants as for the week prior to Japan's surrender. Both Snyder and Altmeyer warned that unemployment is going to mount at breakneck speed in the weeks to come.

This all has a bearing on the Townsend plan. The hue and cry is for purchasing power. We say give us the Townsend plan and we will have the purchasing power and we won't have to sell bonds to get it. It will be a pay as you go proposition.—W. E. Masters.

**Painting Time**  
Paint authorities point out that exterior painting should be done only in dry weather, and when the thermometer registers at least 40 degrees. Cold weather and moisture are apt to interfere with getting results.

**Frequent Accidents**  
Someone is injured through an accident in the United States every three seconds, according to reports from the National Safety council.

**Egg Weight**  
Large U. S. government graded eggs weigh a minimum of 24 ounces per dozen; medium, from 21 to 23 ounces, and small, at least 18 ounces.

**Optical Literature**  
The first book devoted wholly to spectacles was published in Spain in 1620. The first English work on spectacles was published half a century later.

**Dead-Eye**  
Snakes may sit for hours without moving their eyes. Human eyes, however, are moving constantly throughout the waking hours.

**Onion Juice**  
To extract onion juice cut a slice from the bottom of the onion, invert over a lemon squeezer and twist; thus it is possible to secure any desired quantity of onion juice.

**Under Five Flags**  
St. Augustine, Fla., changed hands 13 times and has been under Spanish, French, British, Confederate and United States flags.

**First Co-ed School**  
In 1833, Oberlin Institute, first co-educational college in the United States, was established at Oberlin, Ohio.

**Telling Portrait**  
A portrait by Hans Holbein of Sir Thomas Moore (1478-1535) shows the ill-fated chancellor wearing glasses with the left lens cracked.

Let's all go to the Fair Saturday, 1 to 9 o'clock at the armory. 5-11c

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