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"Not in the Hands of one Man"

In a world apparently rushing pell-mell to war, where trained European observers now think the chances for prolonged peace not more than one in seven, the statement of Premier Colijn of Holland is heartening. As his country rigorously prepared for possible invasion from Germany, the premier stated: "I advise all not to be unduly anxious. Humanity's destiny is not in the hands of one man, but in the hands of God Almighty. We shall not be blown like reeds in the wind."

For some time we have wondered if Adolf Hitler was the Napoleonic conqueror in the 20th century which his successes of the last two years have made him appear. Ordinarily bluster, name-calling, tyranic rages are not associated with great courage. They are the defense mechanisms of a bully. The sadistic tactics of Hitler, his cruelty to minorities, the coterie of ruthless fanatics such as Goring and Goebbels who surround him, do not bespeak the magnetism of a strong man and named it McKay's river, for but the self-protectionism of an essential coward.

Premier Colijn does not lead a nation of optimists. The Dutch are notably realistic and in the present crisis are quietly making ready for any eventuality which may threaten their country. What the premier knows, as must anyone with pany and came to the Columbia a long range view, is that tyranny cannot forever be in the saddle and oppression go unchecked.

To date Herr Hitler has not met strong opposition. Before he bullied Austria into submission, he knew that France sacre. His son was Thomas and Great Britain, with Eden out of the English cabinet, would not defend the Schuschnigg government. At Munich, widow married Dr. John Mcthe allies capitulated rather than fight and made easy the Loughlin. She was daughter of complete subjugation of the Czechs this spring. The latest a noted Switzlander, John Steventure in international brigandage is what has put the democracies at bay. Hitler's bullying can no longer be tolerated. His next assault means war.

The delay in Hitler's answer to Roosevelt, negative as the response is sure to be, indicates the German dictator will give pause before he brazenly rejects a proposal made in good faith for the peace of Europe. Scream as he may, hurl invectives on his "enemies," Hitler has the inherent fear of a weak man confronted for once with strength greater than his own. We do not have any confidence that Germany will abruptly cease her threats to peace because a united front is developing against her. Hitler's egomania may carry the world into war. But one man, as Premier Colijn states, cannot control human destiny. Ultimately the cruelty, the oppression, the wanton disregard of other peoples which Nazism has evidenced, will be overthrown.

Return of the Exile

Anna Gould has come home. Most Americans had forgotten her. Some newspaper editors were enterprising enough country and happy climate.' to look up the background of the Duchess de Talleyrand as David Thompson obtained his inher name appeared on the ship's list. Sure enough, it was Jay formation from Donald McKen-Gould's daughter who to the generation of the Spanish-Am- zie, who also gave such an enerican war epitomized the quest of America's newly-rich for thusiastic account to Robert

bit jaded and certainly overweight is Anna. But she is glad after all these years to be "home," anxious to escape the caldron of European war and quite content, poodle-dog and all, to find rest and peace among the quiet acres of the 1812, the width of McKay's rivestate she is buying up the Hudson.

Miss Gould was the "Babs" Hutton of the '90's, pampered, overly rich, socially ambitious. She met the Count Boni de Castellane in Paris and in 1895 he followed her to the United States to marry her. The wedding of the Gould millions and a French title elicitated much comment, mostly un-

The love match turned out bogus; in 1906 the duchess sued for a divorce and the resulting fight over their three children recalled that the French count had run through with \$3,000,000 in nine years and contributed bills for \$4,-

600,000 in addition. Anna Gould married again but the wedding brought no great happiness. She and hef brother have lingered on in Paris, self-exiled Americans who contributed nothing to the country where fortune had smiled on their scheming father.

Persons such as Miss Gould speed a democracy to wellnigh confiscatory taxes on inherited wealth. If speculativelywon millions are going to be shoveled away, they might as well go through the federal and state treasuries as into bank of an excellent soil thinly covaccounts of foreigners whose sole value has been exposing the silly vanities of our Anna Goulds.

Legal Legerdemain

The United States supreme court, in a history-making decision, has upheld marketing quotas for agricultural products moving in inter-state commerce. Previously the court had ruled that imposition of taxes by congress on agricultural products, with the prime purpose the regulation of production, was unconstitutional. In short, a farmer can raise all he pleases of any crop. Let him try to sell it and the government can fix a quota for marketing which he cannot exceed.

The decision is a fine example of legal legerdermain. The end result of the marketing quota act now in force is precisely the same as that of the ill-fated AAA act—the control of production. The AAA act did provide for a sales-tax which directly reimbursed the treasury for agricultural subsidies. Now aid to the farmer comes out of the general treasury funds-and deficit.

The court's findings clear the way for widespread con-trol of production in all lines by the federal government. If the congress is enabled to put quotas on crops—because they are sold in interstate commerce—it must have a similar right to quota the production of shoes, or paper, or tractors. Given an NRA case clearly involving interstate commerce, the present court would probably give approval to laws which would enable all industry, with government regulation, to fix prices

The court's decision unquestionably was made more easy by the presence of four New Deal appointees. They can be expected to stand for loose construction of the interstate commerce clause and a constant widening of the "stream of com-merce theory" enunciated by Chief Justice Hughes in the Wagner act test case. That being true, the trend of future legislation at Washington is certain to give more and more economic regulation into the hands of the federal government.

Washington Rides Motorbus

In the newsreels this past weekend we saw a modern counterpart of George Washington set forth in horse-drawn coach of colonial vintage for New York, there to be "inaugurated" along with the world's fair.

Alas, the spirit of 1789 could not be recaptured entirely. In the newsreels, the coach-and-four were seen to have created something of a traffic jam. What they did not show, perhaps because it was too painful to record cinematographically, was that the first day's schedule of 70 miles from Baltimore to Wilmington proved too stiff for present-day horseflesh, and for two 20-mile stretches, Washington and his par-

ty rode a motorbus and the coach rode an army trailer.

Thousands of school children, dismissed in order that they might see the Father of His Country ride by in state, cast puzzled and disappointed glances at the spectacle, and will carry through life a distorted picture of the birth of our

Bits for Breakfast By R. J. HENDRICKS

Willamette river had several names; valley said Stuart, "delightful beyond expression," in 1812:

"The Beautiful Willamette River" is the title of a skit kindly sent by J. Neilson Barry, historian, to the Bits man. The matter under the head line reads:

"The Willamette river has two mouths, with Sauvie's island between them. It was discovered in 1792 by Lieutenant W. R. Broughton, R.N., of the Vancouver expedition, who named the northern mouth Call's river and the southern mouth River Mannings.

"The Indians named it Willamette, which is French rpelling of a name which has had innumerable spellings. The channel at the south end of Sauvie's island was known as Multnomah. Lewis and Clark supposed that it was the name of the entire river, and therefore called it Multnomah, Alexander McKenzie of the Astorian expedition was the first explorer in 1812 Alexander McKay, who had accompanied Sir Alexander Mackenzie to Pacific tidewater in 1793 and subsequently became a partner of the Pacific Fur comin 1811. After helping to establish Fort Astoria, McKay went on the ship Tonquin and was murdered in the famous mas-McKay, who was very prominent in early Oregon, and his phen Wadin.

"Franchere in his narrative erroneously stated that Robert Stuart had explored the Willamette, but the journal of Stuart shows that it was the Cowlitz that he explored, and that Donald Mackenzie was the first to explore the Willamette,

"McKenzie subsequently gave information of the river to the famous David Thompson, whose enormous map is now in the British Museum, and of which I have a copy.

"On it the river is spelled Wil-ar-mut four times, and also once Wil-ar-but, and once Wilar-mette. It extends over so much space that the name is given in six places.

"Across the central portion is written: "The whole of the river is in very beautiful and rich

thusiastic account to Robert their clerks, William Wallace 12:15—News.

Stuart of the Astoria expedition and J. C. Halsey, with 14 Len. 12:35—Hits of the Day. that Stuart wrote it on July 3,

"Stuart wrote that in July, er, as he called the Willamette, was 500 yards from bank to bank, but that it was contracted to 100 yeards wide at the falls where the waters rush over a perpendicular ledge of smooth rock, 30 feet high. It soon expands to the same width as below the falls and continues so for a great distance, till passing a number of tributary streams becomes perceptibly reduced in size, where Mr. McKenzie was obliged to relinquish his enterprise on account of some sickness among his men.'

"The current is unbroken by rapids and descends with great velocity. The country nearly to the falls resembles that on the main river, but from then upward it is DELIGHTFUL BE-YOND EXPRESSION, he said." "'The bottoms are composed ered with cottonwood, black walnut, birch, hazel, alder, white oaks, and ash. The adjoining hills are gently undulating, with a sufficiency of pines (no doubt mostly firs) to give variety to able herds of elk, and the up- a boat capsized.

Spring Planting Down in old Missouri



lands are equally overstocked by deer and bear.

"'Few or no fish are found in its waters above, and the salmon and sturgeon ascend no farther than the foot of the falls. This want, however, is well compensated for by the incredible number of beaver who inhabit its banks, which exceeds, from all accounts, anything yet discovered on either side of the continent of America.

That same winter (after July, 1812), the Astors sent from Astoria to the Willamette valley 11:45—Value Parade. and erected their fort on Wal- 12:45-Muse and Music. white men in all the Oregon country outside of the vicinity of Astoria

So originated the Wallace house and Wallace prairie, now the Bush headquarters farm, adjoining Salem on the north running up to the land of the state school for the deaf. The same winter, early 1813, the Astors sent Alfred Seton and John Reed (and the Dorion Woman and her common law husband) to establish the lower Willamette Astor fort a mile and a half above the site of the

Mr. Barry thinks the Champoeg plant, from which Champoeg (now Marion) county took its name, ought to be preserved, and probably developed as a fine edible food.

More in that subject later, perhaps beginning tomorrow.

Biggest and Smallest at Fair

Cowboy Ballad and midgets

One of the "largest" attractions and some of the "smallest" are

western giant greets a group of midgets. Ballad and the midgets will be among the "citizens" of Producer Morris Gest's "Miracle Town" show at the New York world's fair,

Eastern CCC Recruit **Drowns Near Roseburg** ROSEBURG, April 25-(AP) The Umpqua river was searched today for the body of Walter J. Mruk, 19, Buffalo, N. Y., the MOST BEAUTIFUL LAND- member of the Elkton CCC camp SCAPES IN NATURE. The bot- who drowned yesterday. Two toms are inhabited by innumer- companions swam to shore after

Radio Programs

KSLM-WEDNESDAY-1370 Ke. 6:30-Musical Clock.

6:30—Musical Clock.
7:30—News.
7:45—Requests.
8:00—Morning Meditations.
8:15—Haven of Rest.
8:45—News.
9:60—Pastor's Call.
9:15—Bargain a Minute.
9:25—Hits and Encores.
9:45—Friendly Circle.
10:15—News.
10:30—Prof. R. Franklin Thompson.
10:45—Morning Varieties. 10:45-Morning Varieties.

1.15-Louise Wilshir, Organ. 1:30-Instrumental Novelties. 1:45-Hitmakers. 2:00—Spice of Life. 2:15—Johnson Family. 2:30—It's Box Office. 3:00—Feminine Fancies.

3:30—Metropolitan Strings. 4:00—Fulton Lewis, jr. 4:15—Hawaiian Paradise. 4:30-So This Is Radio. 4:30—So Inis is Radio.
5:00—Old Heidelberg Concert.
5:45—Dinner Hour Melodies.
6:30—'Work Wanted.'
6:45—Tonight's Headlines. :00-Swingtime :30-Lone Ranger. :00-News. :15-Frank Bull. :30-Masters of the Baton.

8:45-Freddy Martin's Orchestra. 9:00—Newspaper of the Air, 9:15—Night-time Melodies, 9:30—Ballroom. 0:00—Jack McLean's Orchestra, :30-Buddy Rogers Orchestra. 0:45—Skinnay Ennis' Orchestra. 1:00—Jim Walsh'a Orchestra. 1:30—The Squires. 1:45—Just Before Midnight.

KGW-WEDNESDAY-620 Ke. :00-Story of the Month, :15-Trail Blazers,

7:45—News. 8:15—Viennese Ensemble. 8:30—Stars of Today. 9:00—Organist. 9:15—The O'Neills. 9:30-Dr. W. H. Foulkes. 9:45-Fireside Singers. 0:00—Singer. 0:15—Let's Talk It Over. 0:30—Dangerous Roads. 0:45-Dr. Kate. 1:00—Betty and Bob. 1:15—Grimm's Daughter. 11:15—Grimm's Daughter.
11:30—Valiant Lady.
11:45—Betty Crocker.
12:00—Mary Marlin.
2:15—Springtime Melodies.
2:30—Hollywood Flashes.
2:45—Melody Time.
1:00—Hackstage Wifs.
1:15—Stella Dallas.
1:30—Vic and Sade.
1:45—Girl Alone.
2:00—Houseboat Happah

2:00—Houseboat Hannah. 2:15—Stringtime. 2:30—Ed McConnell. 2:45—Singer. 3:00—News.

3:00—News.
3:15—I Love A Mystery.
3:30—Woman's Magazine,
4:00—Easy Aces.
4:15—Mr. Keen.
4:30—Fashions and Harmony.
5:00—Stars of Today. 5:30—Hobby Lobby. 6:00—Horse and Buggy Days. 6:30—Midweek Musical. 6:45—Variety Parade, 7:00—Kay Kyser's Kollege, 8:00—Mr. District Attorney, :15-Champions. 8:30—Tommy Dorsey.
9:00—Town Hall Tonight.
10:00—News Flashes.
10:15—Tanya and Glenn.

10:30—Orehestra. KOAC-WEDNESDAY-550 Ke. 9:03—Homemakers' Hour. 0:15—Story Hour for Adults. 0:55—School of the Air. 10:55—School of the Air,
12:00—Xews.
12:15—Farm Hour.
1:15—Variety.
2:00—AAUW Study Club.
2:00—Guard Your Health.
3:15—Facts and Affairs.
3:45—Monitor Views the News.
4:00—Symhonic Half Hour.

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4:30—Stories for Boys and Girls.
5:00—On the Campuses.
5:45—Vespers.
6:15—News.
6:30—Farm Hour.
7:45—Consumer's Forum.
8:15—Music of Caechoslovakia.
8:20—Linfield College.
9:00—OSC Round Table.
9:45—Wasted Labor.

KOIK-WEDNESDAY-949 Kc. 30-Market Reports. 35-KOIN Klock. :00—Happened in Hollywood. 115—News. 1:30—This and That. 9:15—Nancy James. 9:30—Helen Trent. 10:90—Goldbergs.
10:15—Life Can Be Beautiful.
10:45—Yours Sincerely.

2:30 - Hello Agnia. 2:45 - Let's Walts. 3:00 - Pletcher Wile

5:00—Five O'Clock Flash, 5:15—Howie Wing, 5:30—Leon F. Drews, 5:55—News.
7:00—99 Men and a Girl,
7:30—Ask-1t-Basket,
8:00—Amos 'n' Andy.
8:15—Lum and Abner. 8:30-Orchestra.

9:30-Farm and Home

10:15—Agriculture Today. 10:30—News. 10:45—Home Institute. 11:00—Nature Trails.

11:45—Soil Doctor. 12:00—Dept. Agriculture. 12:15—Home Folks Frolic.

2:45-Market Reports.

12:50—Quiet Hour. 1:30—Club Matinee. 2:00—Melodic Strings.

2:15—Curbstone Quiz. 2:30—Financial and Grain

2:35—Landt Trio. 2:45—Vaughn De Leath, 3:30—Marlowe & Lyon.

3:45-Box Score Extrs.

4:15-Virginia Lane.

4:30-Orchestra. 5:00-Abe Bercovitz.

5:15-Marian Miller.

7:30-Answer Game. 8:00—News. 8:30—Baseball.

11:15—Police Reports. 11:18—Organist.

10:30-Orchestra.

11:00-News.

4:00-Between Bookends

5:30—One Man's America. 5:45—Cowboy Rambler. 6:00—Sons of the Lone Star. 6:30—Sport Column. 6:45—Freshest Thing in Town.

Gains 'Freedom'

Father Simon Borkowski is pic-

tured above as he left Vulcan,

sought to keep their beloved Father Borkowski from leaving

them kept him a virtual prisoner

:30-News.

1:15-Little Boy Blue. 1:30-Voice of American Women.

9:00—Gang Busters. 9:30—Sophie Tucker. 9:45—News and Reviews. 10:00—Five Star Final. 10:15—Nighteap Yarns. intergovernmental com mittee. We are dealing with one of the greatest mass migrations in history—and a migration caused 10:30—Orchestra. not by economic depression nor by national catastrophes but by KEK-WEDNESDAY-1180 Ke. artificial political measures. 6:30—Musical Clock. 7:00—Family Altar Hour. The Wagner-Rogers bill is a very small contribution to a so-7:45-Sweethearts. 7:55-Market Quotation: 8:00-Dr. Brock. 8:30—Singer. 8:45—Ray Harrington, 9:00—Alice Joy. 9:15—Show Window.

lution of a tiny segment of this problem which is now being dealt with by the British, French, Scandinavian and Dutch governments as well as by our

But it is a contribution which makes a great deal of sense, both from the humanitarian and from the practical viewpoint. For years the vital statisticians of this country have been pointing out that the falling birth rate is a cause for concern. This nation, occupying the better part of a whole continent, and containing only a hundred and thirty million people, is rapidly ceasing to have an expanding population, will soon have a stable one, and after that may be expected to decline unless there is fresh immigration.

The average age of the population is increasing, and under the new old-age pension legislation a large burden will have to be borne by the young. It is also a very great question whether this halt in the expansion of the population is not responsible for many of our economic ills since the number of people newly requiring the essentials of life is diminishing.

Children under fourteen therefore, fall into the age group which is most desirable for immigration, according to the vital statisticians. And coming to this country at an impressionable age to be taken immediately into American families, the assimilation which usually takes two or three generations will be accom-

plished in one. Furtherfore, the children available come from a much better background than much of our previous immigration. the past the citizenship of this country has been augmented by people who were unable to earn a living in their own homelands. The families of these children have had enough health, competence and general ability to support themselves, and are would-be immigrants wholly because of political conditions artificially

imposed. Many of these children have been orphaned or half-orphaned by the German revolution. others have devoted parents who are willing to give up their children to foster parents in a distant country only because those children have no chance to grow up to be normal human beings where they are.

The testimony on this point at the hearing now going on in Washington from people who have been in Germany and former Austria is impressive and unanswerable,

Contrary to popular opinion, these children are by no means all Jewish. If the bill passes, it is the intention of the com-mittee to select children from various racial and religious categories so as to get a balanced ratio and to select them all with a particular view to their health Mich., for his new parish in Pulaski, Wis. Parishioners who and intelligence. There are Catholic children, Protestant children, Jewish children and others officially classified under the German Nuremberg laws as in the rectory of St. Barbara's non-Aryan, although they may be only a quarter Jewish and Catholic church in Vulcan by picketing the church property, day and night, for 247 days. have been brought up as Chris-tians for generations.

The Austrian children, and Joseph Plagens' order transfer-ring Father Borkowski to Puparticularly the Viennese children, are the products of one of the best systems of education be chairman remained in doubt.

On the Record

By DOROTHY THOMPSON The Wagner-Rogers Bill

sponsible for the introduction into congress of

one of the most intelligent pieces

of immigration

legislation ever

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Our previous

Our quotas are Derethy Thompson

migrants of an age group which

is precisely the one for which

there is a definite need, and the

organizations supporting it are

prepared to take care of every

one of the immigrants, so that

nothing will be left to chance.

It is, therefore, the first plan-

ned immigration which we have

ever had and the revolutionary

crisis in the world is responsi-

home for each individual child.

Friends Service Committee, the

organization of the Quakers.

whose humanity coupled with

hard common sense has given

them an amazing prestige in

The child welfare agencies,

who have already raised a re-

volving fund of a quarter of a

million dollars, have no doubt-

on the basis of surveys already

made—that they can place these

children with foster parents able

to care for them and educate

them until they can earn a liv-

The refuge problem is a world

problem and the United States

realized months ago that some-

thing constructive must be done

about it in an intergovernmen-

tal fashion if it was not to add

That was why the United

States government initiated the

Evian conference, which led to

the setting up of a permanent

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country.

which I have ever been familiar WASHINGTON — The world situation, Senator Robert F. Wagner and Representative with. Since they are to be placed in American homes, the American Friends Service committee Edith Nourse Rogers are rewhich will make the selection will be forced to pay special attention to the kind of human material they are taking. And because the whole project is planned from start to finish, the children can be placed in the most desirable areas from a population viewpoint. They will be scattered through all the

That they will find homes is think unquestionable, in lew of the fact that there are in established by a mathematical computation. But this bill would this country at any moment far more homes desirous of t king admit to the United States imchildren than there are children to fill the demand. This fact will be vouched for by any of the adoption agencies.

Also, the experience of the child welfare agencies in placing American children from institutions or disrupted families in foster homes has been highly encouraging. The home is carefully selected in the first place. and the child is followed up for five years. In 98 per cent of The bill would permit a maxi- cases the adjustment between mum of twenty thousand chil- the child and the family is comdren refugees under the age of pleted satisfactorily; and these fourteen to enter this country children start out by being soover two years' time and out- cial cases and present certainly side the quota, provided that the as many, if not more, problems child welfare agencies which are than will these immigrant chilorganized in every state of this dren who are perfectly normal union are prepared to find a and have been brought up in a perfectly normal environment as The little immigrants would far as their own homes are conbe selected by the American cerned.

The abnormality is in the political and social environment.

I see no conceivable reason, even from the most hard-boiled standpoint, why this bill should not be passed. Hundreds of social agencies are guaranteeing that these children will grow up in normal conditions and not be public charges.

Unless we are so utterly defeatist as to believe that this country can no longer stand a normal addition to the younger age group, there is no conceivable economic argument against

And if we are that defeatist we had better prepare to make way for the dictators, who at least affirm life for their own tribes.

I am leaving out of account in this argument all humanitarian considerations, although they are vital. It was Walt Whitman who said: "The largeness of nature and this country would be monstrous without a corresponding largeness and generosity in the spirit of the citizen," and in antithesis to the heroic principle as enunciated by the dictators he said that it was always hospitality that indicates

the timid, by those who think we live on a different planet from the rest of the world and that the whole earth can be chaotic without its affecting us, and it will be opposed by those who believe that the principles to which this country gives allegiance - the ideals of liberly and human rights—ceased to

have validity along about 1781. The bill is being supported by those who are hopeful and confident of the future of this country and have put their individual and organized effort behind making the proposed legislation work out successfully in practice. Copyright, 1939, New York Tribune, Inc.

Sanders Head of Coast Highwaymen

GOLD BEACH, April 25-(AP)-Arch B. Sanders, Portland, was elected secretary-manager of the Oregon Coast Highway association Monday, succeeded Ed W. Miller, resigned.

Sam Boardman, superintendent of state parks, told the association the state highway commission now owns 11,000 acres of land in 34 parks along the coast highway.

Roads played second fiddle to boat trip up the famous Rogue river to Agness for Governor Charles A. Sprague and a numper of the 106 delegates to the association convention yesterday.

Named to SEC



Leon Henderson (above), 44-year-old forecaster of business trends, was named by President Roosevelt to the securities and exchange commission to fill the vacancy created when Chairman William O. Douglas was elevated to the supreme court. Whether Henderson also would