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### New Deal for Hops

Commenting on the progress of beer legislation in Wash ington the current issue of Business Week remarks:

The 5-cent glass of beer won a victory last week. Almost without consideration, the senate April 15 passed a bill declaring hops a basic commodity and providing for processing taxes, though without fixing the amount. Indignant brewers sent a deluge of telegrams. The bill was reconsidered, is now on the calendar. Oregon and Washington hops growers must rely on marketing agreements, say the brewers. Also moving toward cheap beer, the brewers voted 3 to 2 in a code referendum against cooperative advertising with retailers, giving away accessories, and so on.

In the meantime the hop growers of the valley are balloting on the code marketing agreement approved by the secretary of agriculture which contains the main demands they presented, and places the fixing of minimum prices and allocation of saleable tonnage entirely in the hands of the growers, which was opposed by the brewers.

The hop industry board will be composed of 15 members three of them dealers, four brewers. Of the dealers one comes from the coast and the other two from the United States at large east of the coast states. Of the brewer mem-bers one comes from the coast and the other three at large east of the coast states. The seven grower members all come from the coast, three from Oregon, two from Washington and two from California. The fifteenth member is to be selected by the other fourteen and is to be in no way connected with the industry either as grower, dealer or brewer.

Allocation of saleable tonnage is given completely into the hands of the grower members of the industry board determined by a vote of not less than five grower-members of that board, of whom one shall be from California, two from Oregon and one from Washington. The allocation for each grower will be based on the amount of his acreage; its productive capacity giving consideration to previous years' production; the age and condition of his acreage; equipment and facilities for growing and handling, and any other pertinent

The minimum price fixing also is placed entirely with the grower members of the board, this and the preceding provision being considered virtually complete victories as to the

whole code for the growers.

It is apparent that the hop-growers haven't lost faith in the New Deal but look to it for their salvation.

#### Too Many Restaurants

At the district meeting of the Associated Restaurant Dealers of Oregon held here Thursday it was shown that one of the main problems the proprietors face is the increase in eating establishments-too many for the prosperity of the

Figures given show that in Salem in 1926, the year of our greatest growth and prosperity, there were 27 restaurants or one for every 963 persons. In 1933 there were 92 or one for ever 287 persons. Every street in the down town district showed an increase. Increase in establishments, increase in wages and increase in costs of food form a constant threat towards continuance in business of many of the res-

This increase in eating houses is probably due mainly to the unemployment caused by the depression. Cooks and others out of work started small restaurants that required but little capital. Rents were low and at least a living seemed assured to those whose principal investment was their own labor. Pool halls installed their own lunch counters. The restoration of beer provided an increase in revenues. chief sufferers were the first class restaurants which had payrolls, costly fixtures, higher rentals, wage schedules and overhead to meet. In the cities, department stores, markets and drug stores have entered the eating counter game.

The restaurant business is not the only one overdone. the same condition exists in many other lines of enterprise. The jobless mechanic out of a job starts a machine shop, a repair shop, a cabinet shop, the unemployed clerk opens a corner grocery, a corset shop, etc. down the line, hoping at least to get by until steady employment offers. Many of them fail, for lack of capital or knowledge of the game, but some of them stick. At least it keeps them off the relief rolls and preserves their self-respect.

## Still Middle of the Road

Speaking of the action of the United States Chamber of Commerce in denouncing the New Deal policies, Senator Mc-Nary said: "These business leaders do represent a certain thought. I've sometimes doubted if they represented all of the business sentiment."

They do not of course, for there are as many diverse opinions among business men as among other group organizations. The Chamber has frequently objected to measures it later endorsed. There is so much that is beneficial in the

it later endoraed. There is so much that is beneficial in the New Deal that many want it retained, as well as much that ought to be and will be discarded.

However, the attitude of the Chamber, which is the attitude of Wall Street, of the National Association of Manufacturers and of the White Sulphur Springs recovery convention last winter, will not affect the president's determination to push through as much of the recovery program as he can. At his press conference last night, he did not alienate all business and industrial interests. He dominant side of economic questions.

While striking out at "organized" business thought, the home of the Chamber and the president's reply ought to assure the means steeptical that Mr. Roosevelt has not swung to the right and become a "tool of Wall Street" nor has he swung to the right and become a "tool of Wall Street" nor has he swung to the right and become a "tool of Wall Street" nor has he swung to the left but maintains his middle of the road course.

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Chapter 24
TEAPOT TEMPEST
James fell at last into an exhausted sleep. He was still sleeping soundly at nine next morning hen Aunt Lou wakened him. when Aunt Lou wakened him, "Mis' Northrup's calling you on the tele-phone," Aunt Lou told him. "She seems terrible upset and wants that you should come right over there quick as you kin make it." James' heart leaped high with hope as he hurried into his clothes, guiped down a cup of coffee and ran for a street car.

Jane didn't want to get married

Jane didn't want to get married. Jane had the courage he lacked, the courage to save them both. He bushed the slow-moving car all the way down South Fifth Street and up North Fifth and Jumped from t before it halted at Oak Street. Mrs. Northrup was waiting for him on the porch.

"You look very happy, young man," she said grimly and led the way into the front parlor.
"What's the matter? What's happened?" James asked; and stilled the feet that wanted to caper. He'd have to pretend of course to be sorten to the set of t d Jane. He and she . . . "It's the altar guild," Mrs. North-

looked so miserable that even Mrs.
Northrup was satisfied.
At that moment the telephone bell rang shrilly. Mrs. Northrup hastened to answer it. James heard her cry sharply, "It simply lan't possible. I will not, Mr. Northrup and I will not allow it." A allence.
Then, "This is the last straw. I shall certainly appeal to the bishop."
She hung up. and we've got such beautiful ones, hand-dipped. Jane was in hysterics. I had to give her a bromide. It

She hung up.

Mrs. Northrup had left the room red-faced and defiant. She return-ed white-faced and trembling, brok-

I had to give her a bromide. It does seem after all our work . ."
"The altar guild?" James interrupted stupidly. "What's the altar guild got to do with it?"

James was a Congregationalist, the Northrups Episcopalians. James made out finally from Mrs. Northrup's confused explanation that the present Episcopal. ed white-faced and trembling, broken and suddenly old, James got out
of her finally that it was the society
reporter calling up to point out to
her that the wedding, scheduled to
take place that evening at eightthirty o'clock, conflicted with the
weekly prayer meeting hour. No one
had thought, no one had remembered about prayer meeting present Episcopal rector was high church and Mrs. Northrup low church. A year before the rector. then new, had the effrontery to in-stall candles on the altar and Mrs

stall candles on the altar and Mrs. Northrup unhappily, had fought the innovation tooth and nail.

Now the Janus-faced Mabel Webster had called up that very morning to say that the altar guild, knowing that Jane would not want to have her yows desecrated by candle light had sent the dedicated andle light had sent the dedicated candle sticks to be replaced and refused absolutely to produce them In spite of persuasions and threats.

Mrs. Northrup fairly bounced with rage.

"But . . . but is it so important?"

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"But . . . but is it so important?" James stammered. He was so disappointed he wanted to die. "Not important to have Jane stabbed in the back? You of all people . . . of course it's important. The candles are an integral part of the decorations. A more heartless, cruel . . I should think you could see that without being told." "It doesn't seem very Christian," James said weakly. fames said weakly.
"Christian? I should say it wasn't

Christian, If Mabel Webster after this is admitted to a Christian

"It's the altar guild," Mrs. North-rup snapped, "or rather that hateful to say about Mabel Webster, about Mabel Webster. She won't allow all the altar guild in fact. James

## The Old South

By OSWALD WEST

Savannah, Ga., Apr. 20.—It was upon the old Hermitage plantation that Griffith made the picture "Birth of the Nation." The first to make settlement upon this spot was a French Hugenot, who built himself a log cabin within a grove of beautiful live-oak trees on the bank of the river. Later, but before the Revolution, a Scotchman named McAlpin landed at Savannah and was not long in making a purchase of the tract—the Frenchman retaining the right to occupy his old log cabin through the remainder of his days.

McAlpin was not only fortunate, which fancy may reconstruct the

McAlpin was not only fortunate McAlpin was not only fortunate, but thrifty. Discovering a bed of brick clay upon the premises he began the manufacture of brick, which found ready sale in the growing city of Savannah. The fruits of the soil, including brick revenues, permitted the increase of his slaves to hundreds and his acres to thousands. He dealt in slaves—purchasing the raw material from trad s who brought them from Africa and landed them, almost at his doorlanded them, almost at his door step, on the bank of the Savannal river. These unfortunate import after being taught a little English plantation duties and something of the ways of the white folks, were auctioned off on the premises to other plantation owners.

McAlpin had studied architecture in Scotland and, as his wealth in-reased, set about to build a home hat would be a thing of beauty and a joy forever. The buildings a joy forever. The buildings were given their setting in a magnificent grove of live-oak trees on the banks of the river. All buildings—from the mansion to the stock barns— were designed with care and with an eye to beauty and convenience. The location of each and every structure was in complete harmony with a well worked out plan. All were constructed of brick made

The Northrups would do nothing, except keep the last horror from

served in all its beauty until devastated by the ravages of war. Even today, when the old mansion and many out buildings are in ruins, enough remains upon which fancy may reconstruct the glories of the past. The beautiful grove of live-oak trees, draped with long streamers of grey moss, stand as sturdy and staunch as ever. From the front entrance of the mansion noe may enjoy a magnificent view with even her bosom friends she up and down the broad river and far into South Carolina, which lies that her was a cheer up and forget all about it.

With the whole town laughing, with even her bosom friends she up and down the broad river and far into South Carolina, which lies that the was to cheer up and forget all about it. tar into South Carolina, which lies in and out all afternoon, twittust across the river. Mentally, one tender an reconstruct the rulned rice and other mills, the stables, the carriage object and the cow barns. The louse and the cow barns. The slave quarters, i.e., those small but Dr. Morton hiding from a fust and comfortable brick houses built for awful wrath, James actually dared narried couples, are nearly all intact and remarkably well preserved. Even the old auction block—well preserved-is a work of art, also th

preserved—is a work of art, also the adjoining building where the slaves were quartered while sales were being conducted.

Although its broad acres have dwindled, since the war, to a few hundred, the ownership of this plantation has, until just recently, complete in the MARINI earth. plantation has, until just recently, remained in the McAlpin family The city of Savannah has purchased it, no doubt, for industrial sites or park purposes. The old buildings, however, have been purchased by Henry Ford, who has a crew at work tearing them down for shipment and restoration on a plantation he owns in northeastern Florida. Thus will the old McAlpin Hermitage of Savannah be preserved with a were constructed of brick made ida. Thus will the old successful of the premises, sand was at hand Hermitage of Savannah be preser in a small stream that flowed near for future generations.

# The Fireside Pulpit

REV. E. S. HAMMOND

A man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things

In his Life and Times of Jesus it. Their possession of such vast In his Life and Times of Jesus the Messiah, Edersheim tells us that a literal rendering of the Greek for "abundance" in this text would be "super-abundance." Our lives depend upon a certain abundance of material goods. But we are not satisfied with that; we always want a super-abundance. This caying a super-abundance. This craving for more than we need is the covet-

for more than we need is the covetousness so frequently and strongly
condemned by Our Lord.

While it is one of the commonest of vices, it is seldom recognized
as a vice. A religious leader whose
work had caused him to deal intimately with great multitudes of people
informs us, that recognized

it. Their possession of such vast amounts simply prevents those who need from having what they should have. Recently economists have told us that 60 per cent of our total national income was applied to paying dividends and interest charges, and a very heavy proportion of that huge amount goes to men who already have so much they can not make any use of the additional except to pile it up.

But what is the effect upon the man himself who secures the super-In the early days of their popu-larity frogs' legs were linked to such names as "Diamond Jim" Brady, who never ate less than two por-tions and sometimes took four and (there are 20 legs in a portion), Douglas Fairbanks and Cornelius Vanderbilt.

FRIED FROGS' LEGS

Wash and dry them by exposing them to the air, season with salt and pepper, roll in cracker crumbs and fry in hot melted butter. Cook about five minutes, browning on both sides.

to take the whole shocking insuli

(To be Continued)

It is hall and farewell to from

five-month period for 38 years. At first there was no closed season

but one was introduced to prevent frogs from becoming extinct. In the early days of their popu-

FRIED FROGS' LEGS

Pantry

Patter

as a joke!

**News Behind** The News

By Paul Mailon

Washington, May 4—The atmos-phere is not the only thing which has been balmy around here lately

The boys who have been negoti-ating the NRA compromise have been at least 20 degrees hotter and dizzier than the For instance.

And now the society reporter said she had been reliably informed that Dr. Morton had stated that he would Dr. Morton had stated that he would delay the prayer meeting until after the ceremony, but that he could not refuse admission to the church to any member of his congregation who erged from Presiannounced they PAUL MALLON had been unable to agree about an NRA compromise. Shortly ssembled for prayer meeting at the NRA compromise. Shortly after, efficient Senator Pat committee that the president would accept the compromise. Chairman Doughton, at the other side of the

Dougnton, at the other size of the c.pitol, immediately implied the president would not. New Dealer Roper praised the compromise, indicating it had ad-ministration approval. NRA-er Har-It was a terrible hour. Mr. Northrup was sent for. Beyond vowing that the Reverend Dr. Morton should riman in a press conference ther railed against the compromise, indicating it was unacceptable.

shortly be forced to resign or he would leave the church, Mr. North-rup offered no suggestions. "It was," he said over and over, "an Team-Play—When Harriman was told what Roper had said, he re-cided to see Coordinator Richberg outrage, yes, an unforgiveable outwho apparently was coordinating something else at that moment Mr. Harriman returned with the rage."
Mrs. Northrup turned to James. Mr. Harriman returned with the news that Mr. Richberg would not utter a word and implied that Richberg was in a condition of silent dejection about the compromise.

But when New Dealer Roper learned what NRA-er Harriman had said, he sent out word to cancel his original approval of the compression. 'You must do something," she commanded sternly.

James, with a sudden flash of spirit, refused even to try to inter-fere. He said that the only digni-fied thing to do was to ignore the whole rumpus. After all a few can-

dies, a few uninvited guests, were of small moment unless they were made so. His advice was to assume a bold front, laugh it off—or be for-ever laughed at. promise. It was cancelled by news papers between editions.

papers between editions.

To top it all off, the administration senators then approved the
compromise in the senate finance
committee and reported it to the
senate. This left nearly everyone
in a complete state of confusion
as to who was for what, if anything. After long and acrimonious argu-ment, in which James, to his pain and surprise, found himself cast unaccountably in the role of the culprit, his advice was accepted.

Jane. James was dismissed in ig-nominy, not even allowed a sight of the stricken bride. He walked home slowly, a puzzled and abyamal-ly gloomy young man. God, if he'd only had the sense to fall in love with an orphan Solution-The answer to all thi What Mr. Roosevelt actually said in the first place was that he did not approve the compromise, but he would not veto it, if congress approved it. This was the same as telling congress to go ahead and approve it, because congressmen were ready to grasp any way out It did not take them long to catch on, but some of the new dealers required a little longer time.

As every good prisoner knows, it is sometimes necessary to create with an orphan.

When Jane had barely managed

is sometimes necessary to create confusion in order to escape. That

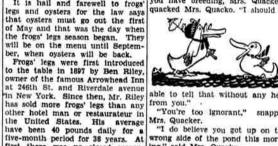


By Mary Graham Bonner "Good morning, quack, quack, I've ome to pay you a friendly little call, irs. Quacker," said Mrs. Quacko, as he swam down to Quackerville and saw Mrs. Quacker sitting on a lily

"I've meant to come several times

about something when I saw you swimming along here," quacked Mrs. Quacker. "Ducks of breeding—such as I am—don't have to boast." "But you're boasting when you say

you have breeding, Mrs. Quacker, quacked Mrs. Quacko. "I should b



from you." .
"You're too ignorant," snapped

Mrs. Quacker.
"I do believe you got up on the wrong side of the pond ing." said Mrs. Quacko.

ing." said Mrs. Quacko.
"I am always pleasant," said Mrs. Quacker, "unless I am annoyed."
"Ha, ha, ha, quack, quack, quack, quack, quack, quack, quack, quack, and has been dead of the second of the se

one."
"Unless I have reason to be annoyed," added Mrs. Quacker.
"That's pretty good, too," said Mrs.
Quacko. "I really haven't but a few
minutes. Mr. Quacko wants to take

me beyond the pond to get me a new leaf parasol. So I'll just tell you that

what seems to have been done this instance, Sidestep-The confusion, however

Sidestep—The confusion, however has only started. Those who favor the NRA and those who are against it apparently believe they are accomplishing their purposes in the compromise. One side is going to be fooled.

The best inside opinion is that the compromise is merely a side-step. It does not mean anything, except that NRA prestige may suf-

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except that NRA prestige may suffer.

The compromise proposed two control, and (2) withdrawal from intra-state business What those tow changes amout to will depend on who interprets them. And the way. The vote was on the quesanswer to that is the NRA will interpret them until the supreme court does.

when a house attendant walked up and handed him a wad of money dand handed him a wad of money and handed him and handed him a wad of money and handed him and handed him a wad of money and handed him and handed him

regulations in several codes at that time, and more recently in the lumber code. But it did not abolish the steel basing point system and similar little devices which it does not consider to be price-fixing.

These little devices will be retained if the compromise is adopted by congress, although they are certaily indirect price-fixing.

Imagination—Also you may suspect it means destruction of the congressment will get money for his district.

(Note: The name of the congressman is being omitted because some stupid voter in his district would probably suspect that he actually had been bribed.)

Imagination—Also you may sus-pect it means destruction of the NRA if you abolish its control over

agreed that it never had any influ-

ence over business conducted pure-ly within a state. It stretched its legal imagination somewhat when it adopted the ser-vice codes (for hotels, restaurants, etc.) which do not appear to be in interstate commerce. still stretch its imagination after

Red-Handed-Imagine the embarwhen a house attendant walked up

court does.

This means the supreme court and not congress will decide the future of the NRA.

Price-Fixing—The inside on abolishing price-fixing is this: The NRA cash a personal check and sent a supreme in a way and the circumstantial case, it was all wrong.

The congressman had arranged to ishing price-fixing is this: The NRA cash a personal check and sent a supremental case.

Price-Fixing—The inside on abolshing price-fixing is this: The NRA
outlawed price-fixing, as such, six house attendant downstairs to bring
nouths are It shoulded direct prices. onths ago. It abolished direct price him the money from the disbursing regulations in several codes at that office. It was true he changed his

Preparation-The city of New intra-state business. The secret of that is the NRA never considered fice here, apparently preparing to any of its activities as influencing get its share when Mr. Roosevett intra-state business. It has always opens the \$4,000,000,000 relief barrel.

# **Answers to Questions**

A reader can get the answer to any question of fact by writing The Capital Journal Information Bureau, Prederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C. Please enclose three (3) cents for reply.

Q. Is Mount Vernon open on Sun-day? H.L. A. It is open from 2 to 4 p. m. On

week days it is open to visitors from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. A small admit-

Q. How far did the Jacob Rupper travel going from Boston to Antarc-tica? J.H.
A. The S. S. Jacob Ruppert of the

Byrd expedition sailed from Boston to the Panama Canal zone (2395 miles), thence to Easter Island, where it put in at Cook's Bay (3000 miles); from Easter Island the ves-sel salled to Wellington, New Zealand (3610 miles). It is estimated that the ship covered approximately 15,000 miles from the time it left Boston until it arrived at its base Boston until I in Antarctica.

Q. How many maple trees are tapped for maple sugar in eastern Canada? P.C.S.

A. Betwen 20 and 25 million trees are tapped each year. About 50,000 farmers procure the sap.

Q. Who was the Dr. Price who was invited to come to America to help establish the government after the Revolutionary war? K.M.R.
A. Dr. Richard Price was born in 1723 and died in 1781. He was a clergyman in London. He became interested in the American colonie and published in 1776 a pamphle

"I've meant to come several times entitled Observations on Civil Liblately, but so much happens in Puddie Muddle that I really haven't had a moment."

"I knew you were going to boast the debts of Great Britain, and about something when I saw you kindred topics appeared in 1777. He swimming along here," quacked Mrs. became famous for his interest in the colonies and was invited to come

Q. Is there any estimate of what

a dust storm costs the vicinity in which it occurs? H.L. A. In the town of Meade, Kansas, a survey showed that a dust storm cost the people \$10,800. The popu-lation is 1500 so this amounts to approximately \$7.20 per capita.

Q. Is there a theatre in New York where only cartons are shown? G.M.
A. The Bijou theatre has an all cartoon and comedy program. It

was established last October and is the first of its kind in this country. Q. What has become of the Mau-etania? H.L.M.

etania? H.L.M.

A. The vessel has been sold for the equivalent of about \$385,000 and will be taken to Scotland to be

scrapped.



he home of his tough little friend as Puff gallops nearer, the

"The Indians are coming!" hears the men shout.

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle 18. Press for paydress
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