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GOVERNMENT— BY THE PEOPLE

No reasonable person will object to government controls during the emergency. The American public has accepted the dictates of Washington as they have been handed down, willingly and cooperatively. But no where in America are the words "directives", "orders", and "controls" popular. War words possibly, peacetime words in this country—never!

Under the present tightening manpower controls a man is told what he may earn, whether or not he can have a raise, what he can eat, how much he can charge for what he sells, what materials he can have, whether he is to go into the military service or not, whether he is necessary or unnecessary, whether his business is essential or nonessential.

As a result of many Washington controls, millions of people in this country are now in a quandary over their rapidly diminishing rights. Born and reared in freedom, America resents the possibility that a controlled economy may persist, for some indications have pointed to a continuation of such a condition after the emergency has past.

Let us never forget for a moment that this is a democracy, that the Government of the United States, the State governments, and the local governmental bodies are servants of the people and not their masters. The American people will submit to controls during an emergency but they will never "goose step" to any tune nor will they ever "hell" any dictator.

When war threatens and national unity is paramount in defense against a common enemy, the American people will go over the top, all-out, willingly, enthusiastically. But with victory behind them they will return to their homes, their farms, and their jobs as free men with knowledge that their government is by the people and for the people.

NEEDED FOR WARFARE

"It required oceans of oil to prosecute the spectacular Tunisian offensive," declared Secretary of the Interior Ickes. He adds, "It is requiring still more oceans of oil to get ready for the vastly greater offensives to come."

These statements go far to answer

the complaints of civilians who dislike present gasoline restrictions.

So far as we are concerned there is only one question to be asked, at this time, about the emergency war regulations: "Are they designed to strengthen our fighting men on the battle-fronts?"

If the answer is affirmative, then we are for them, regardless of inconvenience, imperfect enforcement and administrative errors.

Those who would avoid the drastic regulation of war can do so. Let them join the fighting forces, somewhere, and get all that they desire.

THE FIDDLER'S BILL

Anti-inflation palliatives are doomed to failure unless quickly followed by effective measures to control the cause of inflation. The cause of inflation is directly traceable in a large measure to Federal financing policies. As long as tax favoritism and wage favoritism toward great masses of voters prevail, and as long as those favored fail to invest a large share of their record wages in war bonds, no power on earth can stop inflation.

"One little wisecrack about 'globaloney' is worth more in the news than a fight for principle."—Garet Garrett.

Marol: Put no faith in a liar, no matter what you hear.

Disappointments are inevitable if you have ambition or hope.

The only way to get business is to go after it and keep going after it.

Many who flee from evil do not understand that it is their hearts.

Advertising works for intelligent users, regardless of the state of business.

The talk about states rights would be more effective if the states used their rights.

Men who measure their progress by that of other men usually go short distances.

High school graduates go out into a world of war instead of to seek their fortunes, as in years past.

The presidential campaign of 1944 is already underway regardless of what anybody tells you.

Individuals with surplus money to spend might take a tip from smart business men and lay up some capital for another day.

Vacations will not be enjoyed this summer by the men on the firing line, regardless of how necessary a rest may be to the people at home.

Boost your home community newspaper. It boosts for you. Only \$1 per year less than 2 cents a week.

A FATHER AT 100

"Sarah thy wife shall have a son."

Abraham was 100 years old and God gave him this promise. Now Abraham took no thought as to his age, being far beyond the years of fatherhood; nor of Sarah, that she was ninety and far beyond the day of bearing children.

Abraham staggered not at the promises of God through unbelief, but being strong in the faith, gave glory to God, being fully persuaded that what God had promised, that he was able to perform. God had said it; Abraham believed it and that settled it. And this taking God at his word is Bible faith.

Not only was Isaac born to them as had been promised, but because Abraham took God at his word in the matter, the Lord counted him to be righteous. In the eye of God, Abraham was now mantled in the holiness of the Most High. The Bible word for this act of heavenly grace is imputed or RECKONED. "Abraham believed God and it was RECKONED to him for righteousness."—BIBLE.

Now it was not written for Abraham's sake alone that such a great thing was done for him as to be counted forever sinless. But it was put on the books for our own sake also, to whom it shall be IMPUTED—COUNTED or RECKONED. And on what term shall it be done for us? We are also to take God at his word and his word is this—That Christ was delivered over for our sins and raised again that we might take forgiveness and walk out of the courtroom as free men.

ONE—Right there, when you believe God, have faith, trust him, take him at his word, right there God IMPUTES his own righteousness to us.

TWO—He also then and there breathes his Spirit into our heart. We become the temple of the living God. First, you were born into this world of a human father; now you are born again of God, the heavenly Father. This is the new birth and Jesus said—"Except a man be born again he cannot see the kingdom of God."

Does it stagger us that God delights in cleansing away our guilt; clothing us with his own goodness and coming to indwell us. Then note—"He that spared not his own Son, but delivered him up for us all, how shall he not with him also freely give us all things?"

Now is the day of salvation. Come today.

Dian Taylor

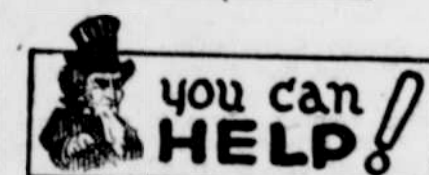
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Renewal of Driver's Licenses Not Required

Oregon citizens who have current driver's licenses will not be required to renew them this summer, under a new law enacted by the last session of the state legislature and which becomes effective June 9th, Secretary of State, Bob Farrell said today.

Many Oregon citizens, thinking they would be required to renew their licenses after June 30th of this year, which is the expiration date printed on the card, are sending applications for renewals to the driver's license division, Farrell said. These people are being informed that the legislature extended the period the present licenses are valid to June 30, 1946.

The home town paper is like bread and meat to service men.



Babson Explains Real Wealth

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dends, and interest, production or sales are easily obtainable; but it may take days and months of travel, interviewing and investigating before the hidden values in any investment situation may be uncovered.

Likewise, the real value of land or other forms of real estate, such as stores, office buildings, farms, acreage, homes or subdivisions can be determined only after consideration of location, soil analysis, weather records, population trends and other factors. One should devote considerable time to personal investigation before exchanging one form of investment for another or before making investment of consequence. It might be in a position to make a large investment in farm land, but in doing so I would be dependent upon some one else to work the land and even to supervise the job. In other words, I would be simply an absentee owner. This is another reason why I have confined my investments to securities. But for the man who will study land values, who can get out upon his property, roll up his sleeves and go to work—then, and only then, do I say, "Go back to the land!" Of course, the ownership of other types of real property also requires personal attention.

Long-Pull Protection

Certainly the last thing that will be taken away from my children or grandchildren will be their homestead and their skill. Under the communistic system Russia re-distributed her land in the form of co-operative farms; but in that country the situation was quite different from anything that we have experienced here. In Russia and in Poland, too, the great bulk of land was held by very large estates individually owned or controlled. It may have been entirely proper to have the use of such land re-distributed among the people. Such a situation does not exist here. Even if our national debt reaches a point where confiscation of some securities might become necessary in order to reduce it, the homestead of forty acres or less should not be disturbed.

Really, the men and women who are trained for some job may, in the end, be the best off. Consider again the middlemen. They care little whether the goods which they sell are manufactured in the United States or some foreign land; they really pay little or no taxes. I repeat that they are a favored class under the capitalistic system. If however, our capitalistic system should ever break down and the farmers and wage workers get in control, these middlemen might be subject to terrific persecution. Hence, for temporary benefits, be a middleman; but for long-pull security be an expert farmer, machinist, engineer or chemist. And for that matter, the professions, also offer opportunities.

THE IMPORTANT THING IS THAT OUR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN BE BROUGHT UP TO EXPECT LESS RATHER THAN MORE FROM THEIR PARENTS AND THEIR GRANDPARENTS; THAT THEY BE TAUGHT THAT REAL WEALTH CAN COME ONLY THROUGH THEIR ABILITY TO DO BETTER THAN ANYONE ELSE IN THEIR COMMUNITY SOME HONEST, USEFUL, TECHNICAL OR PROFESSIONAL WORK.



Donates Civil War Diaries To Help Win the War

Hello Folks: When we moved into our present home in Edmond, Okla., 15 years ago we found some things wuz two lod Civil War Dairies. In out. For 15 years we have cared for the stuff. In the things left to reach home with his dairies. This the pocket of one of 'em wuz some ole fashioned pictures includin' a fine picture of Abraham Lincoln and picture's of the leadin' generals on the Federal side, fer this wuz a Union soldier. He wrote his experiences down each day. He picked some flowers and pressed 'em between the pages of the books. He prayed fer peace between the states and prayed help whip Hitler and Co.

he evidently did. He is the Unknown Soldier of the Civil War to me. I turned over his writings to the State Staff War Savings Bonds, at Oklahoma City last Friday. They spent two hours a readin' 'em and called a Daily Oklahoma reporter. I donated 'em to use in raisin' money to only nation in the world in which BAREWIRE BILL.

Stamp 18 Valid To October 31

Stamp No. 18 in ration book No. 1 becomes valid for the purchase of one pair of rationed shoes last Wednesday, and will continue good thru October 31, the OPA announced.

With stamp 17 expiring June 15, the biggest shoe-buying wave in American history was disclosed Saturday in a survey of major cities, which also showed shoe stocks dwindling rapidly under the stampede.

As in the case of the current stamp, the new one will be transferable among family members in the same household, allowing a parent to use his shoe stamp to buy footwear for a child, OPA explained.

Validity period of stamp 18 is 11 days longer than that for stamp 17. Shoe dealers were reminded by James Mount, district OPA official, not to give back a loose 17 stamp to any purchaser returning a pair of rationed shoes for refund, following reports of such violations. Retailers are to use special shoe stamps, good for 30 days and obtainable from rationing boards, for that purpose, he said.

Ten per cent of your income in War Bonds will help to build the planes and tanks that will insure defeat of Hitler and his Axis partners.

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And at the same time the average cost per kilowatt-hour to the consumer was lower than ever before!

Not only were all the demands of war plants, military camps, naval stations, and arsenals met—but there remained 27 billion kilowatt-hours of electrical energy to take care of the needs of shops and stores, 30 billion for homes, 13 billion for public transportation, street lighting, and other uses.

These are some of the accomplishments of the electric light and power industry and of the electrical manufacturers who build the equipment used to generate, distribute, and utilize electricity—working together with the teamwork so typically American.

How We Helped

POWER GENERATION. More than one half of all the electric power generated by electric light and power companies in the U. S. is produced by generators manufactured by General Electric.

And such has been the improvement in the efficiencies of turbine-driven generators that if the electric power used in 1942 had been produced with the machines of 1924, it would have required more than a million extra cars of coal and one hundred and forty thousand men just to mine and haul this extra coal.

POWER DISTRIBUTION. To have ample power available wherever new war plants have sprung up requires large and highly efficient transforming and switching equipment and the solution of highly intricate engineering problems. General Electric has had a hand, and a head, in the development and manufacture of much of this equipment.

POWER UTILIZATION. Building machines, lamps, and appliances that put electricity to work more efficiently in factories and homes is one of our most important jobs. The United States has more of these electrical helpers than any other nation. In 1942, the average home used twice as much electricity as in 1930, and in those 12 years the average price per kilowatt-hour decreased 40%.

This is only a small part of the story of America's electrical industry. When the full story becomes history with the passing of the years, it will reveal a group of men who, with a determination which now seems providential, kept on—co-operatively developing new and better equipment, increasing generating capacity, lowering costs, expanding service, planning always to be ready for the demands of the future. It will be a story of remarkable vision and courage—for it all had to be planned, and the work started, years ahead of the need.

The next time you meet a man from your electric service company, be he the local manager, or meter reader, or spurred lineman carrying out his assignment in rain, sleet, or heavy winds, give him a word of encouragement—for he is the man who is making it unnecessary for you to stand in line for electric power. General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

GENERAL ELECTRIC

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"How about joinin' us in a game, Judge?... I'll drop out for a while."

"Sorry, Phil, but I can't today... I'm on my way up to the hospital to see how Frank's wife is coming along. I just dropped by to give you the answer to that question you asked me about synthetic rubber yesterday in the barber shop. I looked it up and found out that the beverage distilling industry's facilities for producing grain alcohol make it possible to include 200,000 tons of rubber

from grain in the government's 870,000 ton synthetic rubber program.

"I also verified the fact that no distiller is making whiskey today. They all stopped making whiskey last year and are working night and day, 7 days a week, producing war alcohol for the government...for smokeless powder, chemical warfare materials, medical supplies, as well as for synthetic rubber. It's a mighty good thing these distilleries were in existence ready to do this important job."