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FORMER ARMY FOR NPA DRIVE HERE

Comment on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
THE navy department launches the biggest ship-building program in its history.

OUR big job in the next few years is to mind our own business. We will be left free to mind our own business if we let it be known, so plainly that it can't be misunderstood, that it isn't going to be safe to interfere with us.

DAVID Lloyd George tells the British government that it should imitate President Roosevelt's program for the recovery of business.

THE President's national recovery program does involve vision, imagination and courage—probably more so than any program ever adopted by any government in time of peace.

Did you ever see that little cartoon depicting the plight of the two donkeys, tied together by their halter ropes, and standing between two shocks of hay?

Working together, they went first to one shock of hay and then to the other, eating both and coming out of it fat and happy, BOTH BENEFITING.

THE industrial recovery program won't work if everybody pulls against everybody else, each striving to advance his own selfish interests, regardless of the interests of everybody else.

If that happens, we shall all continue to go hungry, just as we have gone hungry for the past three years—just as the donkeys went hungry as long as they continued to fight against each other.

That is about the long and the short of it.

THE stock market crashed and then CAME BACK, as you know if you have been following the news in this paper.

How? By first CATCHING and then punishing the kidnapers. And let's not forget that the catching is much more important than the severity of the punishment after they are caught.

COMPLIANCE WITH WAGE, HOUR CODE WILL BE CHECKED

Thorough Campaign Mapped For War On Hard Times—Business Groups Holding Meetings Discuss Codes.

Tomorrow night at 8 o'clock citizens of Medford and surrounding trade area will meet at the city park in mass meeting for further endorsement of the National Recovery program of President Roosevelt.

For organization, along military lines, of a "man power" committee, which will check all sections of this city to determine compliance with the president's emergency re-employment agreement, all organizations of Medford were represented this afternoon at a meeting called by the chamber of commerce.

THE step is the second in the development of Medford's support of the National Recovery act, following upon the mass meetings held Saturday, at which employers endorsed the recovery act and the re-employment agreement of the president.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—(AP)—Officials of the recovery administration today were whipping together a final draft of a code for the retail industry, under which merchants would operate pending its formal consideration and approval.

CHICAGO, July 31.—(AP)—Theodore Allen of Alhambra, Cal., won the world's horseshoe pitching championship today by defeating C. C. Davis of Kansas City in a two-game pitch-off at the Century of Progress.

MATTER CLAIMED BY GOTHAM MAYOR
NEW YORK, July 31.—(AP)—Mayor John P. O'Brien told Jimmie Mattern today that his delayed flight around the world was an accomplishment of "great glory and acclaim."

REPORTS of unclothed gamblers in Europe park, Kansas City, led to a fruitless search of the grounds by the park superintendent.

Three Are Held in O'Connell Kidnaping

GRANTS PASS MAN KILLS WIFE AND SELF

BEDRIDDEN WOMAN DIES BY HAND OF FANATIC HUSBAND
GRANTS PASS, July 31.—(AP)—Firing a shotgun charge of square lead slugs into the body of his wife from a distance of a few feet as she sat on a bed to which a broken hip confined her, S. L. Adams of Grants Pass then placed the gun muzzle in his own mouth and killed himself with another charge through his head.

ROOSEVELT PINS ROSE ON HULL TO CALM IRRITATION
Copyright, 1933, by Paul Mallon WASHINGTON, July 31.—President Roosevelt is saying it with flowers to all the discouraged members of his official family who want to quit.



NEW SHRINE HEAD
John N. Sebrell, Norfolk, Va., attorney, was elected imperial potentate of the Shrine at the national convention of the Arabic order in Atlantic City, N. J., this afternoon.

FORMER JANITOR STRONG WITNESS AGAINST E. H. FEHL
Klamath Falls, Ore., July 31.—(AP)—Testimony that he saw the defendant, Earl H. Fehl, Jackson county judge, and three other persons seated near the county courthouse vault a few hours before 10,000 ballots were stolen from the place, was given here today in the trial of Judge Fehl by Joe Daniels, former courthouse janitor.

YOUTH RELEASED AFTER PAYMENT \$40,000 RANSOM
Federal Cleanup With Arrest Of Gang Expected Soon By Officers—Victim Tells Experience Captive.

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TEN KILLED BY SUICIDES BOMB
BRUNN, Czechoslovakia, July 31.—(AP)—The front of the four-story Hotel Europa was blown off today and about ten persons were killed and 40 injured by a bomb which, police said, may have been exploded by a man who wished to kill himself, his wife and his child.

Daniels testified that Judge Fehl told him during a conversation in Fehl's private office two days after the robbery that "the ballot robbery was kid's play. It looks like Ralph Jennings had a hand in it."

THE nephew of Albany's powerful Democratic leaders said he was compelled to sign several messages to his family but had no opportunity to do so.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 31.—(AP)—Three men were held today for questioning in connection with the kidnaping of John J. O'Connell, 24, national guard lieutenant, and nephew of Ed and Dan O'Connell, Democratic leaders of Albany, as the search for the kidnapers was speeded up.

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ROSEBURG VOTING ON SEWER BONDS
ROSEBURG, July 31.—(AP)—Roseburg voters are balloting today on a proposal to borrow \$100,000 from the Reconstruction Finance corporation to be used in the construction of a trunk line sewer and a sewage disposal plant.

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SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—(AP)—Governor Rolph signed the state sales tax bill today.

CHRYSLER DECLARES 50c SPECIAL DIVIDEND
NEW YORK, July 31.—(AP)—The Chrysler Corp. today declared a dividend of 50 cents a share on the capital stock and reported the company's earnings in the second quarter of 1933 were equivalent to \$1.80 a share.

While no definite announcement has been made it is expected that Fehl will take the stand in his own behalf.

GRANTS PASS, July 31.—(AP)—Seeking death by throwing himself in front of speeding cars, Mike Lucas (Mike X. Auda) Sunday chose the busiest strip of highway in southern Oregon, the Cavean bridge at Grants Pass, for his attempt, and succeeded on his second try.

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NORTHWEST FRUIT INDUSTRY SEEKS ACTION BY N. R. A.

Balanced Canner Prices Should Be Set To Halt Those Seeking To Demoralize Bartlett Pear Market

SEATTLE, July 31.—(AP)—Representing an investment of \$250,000,000, Northwest Fruit Industries, organized under the agricultural adjustment code and representing the tree fruit growers of Washington, Oregon, Montana and Idaho, today pledged full cooperation and complete support for President Roosevelt's industrial recovery program.

THE industry asked for emergency action on two commodities now ready for harvesting, fresh prunes and Bartlett pears.

BUSINESS MEN OF MEDFORD WILL BE HOSTS FOR FEAST

According to O. O. Alenderfer, the farmers' picnic, scheduled for next Wednesday will be a gala event, not only for the farmers but for Medford merchants who will participate in the affair.

CALIFORNIA SALES TAX BILL SIGNED

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BASEBALL

The score: American R. H. E. New York 15 18 0 Washington 9 13 2 Gomez, Moore and Dickey; Stewart, McAfee and L. Sewell, Berg.

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