

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON
(Consolidated Features—WFTU Service.)

MARSHALL E. DIMOCK, now slated, according to report, for appointment to the National Labor Relations board, got along famously with both faces of the labor union. Marshall Dimock, until last week when he was named to the Labor Board together with Oscar Chapman, assistant secretary of the interior and Norman Little, assistant attorney general, started to organize the convention of liberals to be held in Salt Lake City. The project perished at the consequence, so at least it is said, of a statement by John L. Lewis that the convention had for one of its primary objects the formulation of plans to assist in the launching of a third-term boom. Since then suspicion has been entertained that the symbol, two crossed fingers, has not accurately suggested the relationship between the two men.

While still a professor at the University of Chicago, Dimock was appointed consultant to the national resources commission. Then Secretary of Labor Frank O. Perkins retained him to survey the procedure of the immigration and naturalization service and afterward named him as his second assistant secretary with full authority over that agency. It was a post that had been vacant for two years as a result of the appointment of Arthur J. Altmeyer as a member of the social security board.

Here Dimock served with efficiency until last July when he was transferred to the department of justice following removal of the immigration and naturalization service from the labor department. If he goes to the NLRB he will succeed J. Warren Madden, the chairman whose five-year term of office expires the latter part of this month. And, if he does receive the appointment, it is not certain he will be named chairman, although the possibility exists.

In various outgivings designed to acquaint both labor and business with his theories that there was an quick route to social stabilization Dimock has often spoken with tolerance and cogency, but with firmness as well. As an instance: "Business must accept a new order in a period of administrative growth and experimentation." He was speaking, among other things, of the Wagner act and the fair labor standards act. Growing pains he regards as an inevitable result of so much new legislation in recent years. "They will diminish," he has said, "as administrators gain more experience."

NEW YORK—Current interest in Dr. Gerhard Alois Weist, noted German supreme court lawyer, relates to the secrecy covering his movements rather than his presence in the United States, which, indeed, was generally known in business and government circles. His arrival in this country from Germany via Russia to California, due to New York, last February was duly noted, as was that of his wife and two sons, aged eight and six, a fortnight ago.

His visit, he said at the time, involved a special mission dealing with post-war economic adjustments. The fact that, as a lawyer, he has represented the interests of many American firms in Germany supplied plausibility to the reason advanced for his presence here. But an element of mystery developed as a result of his whereabouts after arriving in New York. He lived in various hotels, and finally established his quarters at the Waldorf-Astoria. Here with a secretary, the handsome Baroness Irmingard von Wagnheim, taking messages and receiving telephone calls, the doctor himself was rarely in evidence. Inquiries as to where he might be found elicited vague response.

Eventually he was discovered as tenant of an attractive residence in Westchester where at this writing he has not been available to callers. A man of fine physique, 51 years old, gray hair and penetrating green eyes, he is a law partner in Berlin of Dr. Heinrich Albert who was active in this country as a German propagandist before the United States entered the World war in 1917. Accredited in the state department's diplomatic list as a commercial counselor to the German government, it is asserted that at least part, if not all, of his mission here relates to the interests of Joachim von Ribbentrop, foreign minister of the Reich, with whom he has been closely associated for many years.

Star Dust

STAGE SCREEN-RADIO
By VIRGINIA VALE
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

HOLLYWOOD is all agog over a contest that's to take place on August 25th at the RKO studios. The participants are Jack Oakie and George Bancroft, and the event is—of all things!—a table-setting contest!

It all started when a Los Angeles department store persuaded ten prominent men about town to get tables as each thought they should be set. Oakie and Bancroft saw the exhibit, and the argument was on, each being perfectly sure that he could do the other if ever— heaven forbid— he had to set a table. First thing they knew, they'd arranged the contest; the only rules are that they'll use modern Ameri-



VIVIAN LEIGH

can glassware and keep expenditures down to \$40. The loser will set a table and serve dinner for 16 of the winner's friends.

Vivian Leigh and Laurence Olivier are to be co-starred in a story based on the romance of Lord Nelson and Lady Hamilton, an Alexander Korda picture. Remembering what a superb picture he made of "Henry the Eighth," it seems certain that his version of the famous love story of the famous admiral will be one of the year's best pictures.

Phyllis Kennedy ought to succeed if anybody should—first she broke her back, and later she accepted advice that wasn't very good and lost a hand opportunity—and now she's started toward the top again.

In 1933 she was dancing with a troupe in Denver, and fell and fractured her spine. Doctors said she'd never walk again. Two years later she was declared a cripple. She was engaged for chorus work in the Astaire-Rogers musicals, and her gift for comedy got her the role of the maid in "She Done Better." Warner Brothers offered her a contract, but she hesitated, let people tell her what to do, and the chance slipped away.

She's working now in "Honey-moon for Three," and Lloyd Bacon, who's directing, is helping by building up her role. Watch her—she's bound to get ahead this time!

Douglas Fairbanks Jr. may have been something of a playboy some years ago, but now he's nothing if not a solid citizen. Married happily, and the proud father of a three-year-old daughter, he's not only the star of Columbia's "Before I Die," but its co-producer as well. That means being on the set early and late, whether he's appearing before the cameras or not.

The girls of Hollywood are wearing red, white and blue these days. Red and blue: Anita Louise, told to wear a novelty necklace in "I'm for Rent," chose a silver chain from which were suspended miniature flags of the 21 American countries; Evelyn Keyes has a red, white and blue straw hat, and Frances Robinson's leather handbag has a flag on either side.

Uncle Ezra's Rosedale Silver Cornet Band rehearses longer than the actors on that popular radio program, just to achieve those peculiar off-key effects that drive music lovers mad. The reason the band has to rehearse as long is sound, so discordant is that each man is an accomplished musician; "We work harder than Toscanini," declared Director Bruce Kanaman, "just to perfect a musical mistake!"

Paramount's going to do right handsomely by Joel McCrea—he's been assigned to the lead in "Buck any Bay," a story by James Newman Hall, one of the authors of "Mutiny on the Bounty."

"Bottom Bay" is one of those highly dramatic tales, laid in the period just after the American Revolution. Joan Hershall's dream of years, a Hollywood home for aged and incapacitated film workers, is soon to be a reality. As president of the Motion Picture Relief fund, he and members of the organization's executive committee will soon begin looking for a site for the home. They have more than a half million dollars, earned by the stars who donated their services to the CBS Screen Guild program so that the money could go into the fund.

President Promotes Pan-American Friendship



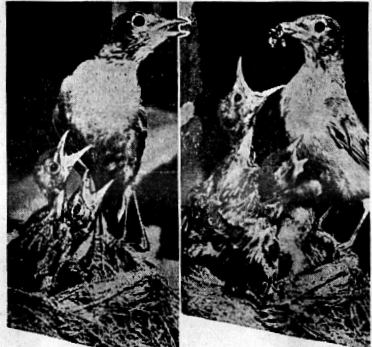
Pan-American unity, given impetus at the recent Havana conference, received further promotion when members of the South American delegations were entertained by President and Mrs. Roosevelt on the family estate at Hyde Park, N. Y. The President, shown above, with the heads of cameramen for his car so that he can take the wives of the delegates for a ride around the estate. Delegations from Argentina, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay were among the South Americans entertained. Present at a luncheon in honor of the delegates was Capt. Joseph M. Patterson, New York publisher.

Irish Coast Guard Sows Death in Dublin Bay



Members of Eire's coast guard are shown in three stages of mine-laying operations as they speeded defense measures for the protection of the Irish coast against the possibility of attack by invading naval forces. The mines are of a remote control type which can be set off from shore stations by throwing an electric switch. Premier Eamon de Valera has rallied his countrymen in a program to protect Eire's neutrality and be ready to defend the Emerald Isle in case of attack.

Baby Robins Sing for Their Breakfast



It's mighty convenient when a picture flies right into the hands of a cameraman. That was the experience of a photographer in Baltimore who took the above view of a Robin family. The birds built their nest in his yard and he was able to snap the parent bird, left, looking anxiously to see if the other parent is on the job digging up worms. At right, papa has just returned, his beak full of worms for the babies who are mighty hungry. He'll dole them out evenly.

20th Anniversary of Women Suffrage



Twentieth anniversary of women suffrage in the United States will be celebrated with observances at the headquarters of the National League of Women Voters in Chicago on August 21. Above, left, is Margaret M. Crede, president of the league, and Carrie Chapman Catt, who led the suffrage movement 50 years ago.

Proudest Widow



Proudest widow in England is Mrs. Harry Nicholls who learns that her husband who died in action had been awarded the Victoria Cross, highest award for gallantry. She shows her baby daughter one of her father's trophies.

Notable Birthdays



Queen Wilhelmina of Holland (above left), who will celebrate her birthday as a refugee in London on August 21. She was driven from her throne by Hitler's army. Olive Dismore, father of the famous Quails, will mark his thirty-seventh birthday at Collander, Ontario, on August 21.

FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By ROGER L. WHITMAN
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Digging a Cellar.
QUESTION: I intend digging a cellar under the kitchen. The basement is supported by eight concrete piers. The plot is near a lake and composed entirely of sand. Would you suggest concrete blocks or poured concrete? Would the caving in of the sand be too much of a hazard? Do you think the cellar would be too damp to use? Would like information on the easiest and cheapest way of doing this.

ANSWER: My preference is for a poured concrete cellar. If there is any danger of the sand "caving in," the sides should be shored up with boards. As to dampness in the cellar, much will depend on the quality of the concrete and the drainage qualities of the soil. The Portland Cement Association, Chicago, Ill., can furnish you with printed matter on this subject.

Removing Wallpaper.
QUESTION: I should like to have your formula for removing old wallpaper.

ANSWER: Old wallpaper can be removed by a thorough soaking with warm water to soften and free the paste. A handful of washing soda to the gallon of warm water may quicken the action. Be careful not to splash the solution on painted or finished woodwork, as it will destroy the finish. Do not let it run down on the floor. When the paper loosens, tear it off, starting from the top. With the paper off, while the wall is still damp, sponge it with clear, warm water. After drying, sandpaper the wall lightly to remove bits of paper and hardened paste.

Cracked Plasterboard Joints.

QUESTION: The ceilings of my six-room, one-story house are plasterboard. The paper on them cracks at every joint between the boards. How can this be avoided?

ANSWER: One side of the ceiling is exposed to the warmth of the house and the other to the chill of the attic, which results in swelling and shrinking. Also, with the ceilings chilled by the low temperature in the attic, there will be condensation against them from moisture in the house air. Under this condition no kind of filling in the joints will be permanent. Your best move will be to cover the joints with thin strips of wood, nailed through to the supporting beams and papered with the ceilings.

Fireplace Tile.

QUESTION: My fireplace is faced with brick-colored tiles that are not handsome. Could I cover them with variegated linoleum and blacken the tiles of the floor?

ANSWER: Wall linoleum can be applied to tile, but I do not think that the effect would be particularly good. It would be better to bear with the tiles for a while until you are able to replace them with tiles that are more attractive, or with slabs of red marble. If the floor tiles are glossy, the color cannot be changed. If they are dull, you can blacken them with nigrosine dye, to be had at a paint store, or with black ink.

Leaking Terraces.

QUESTION: How can I take care of flagstone terraces that are leaking? Is there any such thing as a waterproof transparent paint that can be used by applying three or four coats, and doing it each year?

ANSWER: All cracked mortar joints should be raked out and repointed. A porous stone or mortar joint can be treated with two or more coats of a transparent waterproofing. A poorly mixed mortar, however, might be difficult to waterproof. It may even be necessary to repoint all the joints.

Sample Plans.

QUESTION: I understand you send out blue prints, at a small cost, to readers of your papers. I have in mind a bungalow 31 feet by 31 feet; four rooms, bath and front porch. Will appreciate any information you can send me.

ANSWER: I am sorry, but I do not furnish this kind of service. The Superintendent of Documents at Washington has a booklet of "Farmhouse Plans" which may be helpful to you. Write for Farmers' Bulletin 1728. The price of the booklet is 10 cents in coin.

Water Heater Fixing.

QUESTION: I would like to move the hot water storage tank from the kitchen to the cellar; to be connected with the tank water heater and the furnace. Is there a book I can buy, which will tell me how to make these connections?

ANSWER: Manufacturers of water heaters publish data on the proper way of making connections between the storage tank and the heater. I am sure the firm whose heater you are using will furnish the necessary data.

Swimming Tank.

QUESTION: In the bathroom of my country home there is water on the floor most of the time, due to the flush tank sweating. The water coming out of the wall is usually about 50 degrees. Can I insulate the tank to stop this dripping?

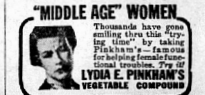
ANSWER: A wooden box lined with some form of insulation, made to snug the tank on all exposed sides, is one way of overcoming this condition. Warm moist air must be kept from coming in contact with the cold surface of the tank.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Roger Shaw

'Battle of Britain' On as Nazi Bombers Increase Momentum of Mass Attacks; British Are Forced Out of Shanghai; Italy Stages Minor African Offensive

(EDITOR'S NOTE:—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the writer and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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THE WAR: Step-Up

Reports from both London and Berlin indicated that long awaited aerial blitzkrieg against the British Isles had been stepped up to the point where as many as 500 Nazi planes were making periodic attacks on shipping ports and airfields.

Apparently the German tactics had a threefold objective: (1) to challenge Britain's sea control of the English channel by menacing naval harbors and shore establishments; (2) weakening of British air defenses by bombing airports, silencing ground guns and attempting to wear down British pilots by forcing them to maintain 24-hour patrols; (3) a bolstering of the morale of the German people by continued reports of air victories.

An usual London and Berlin turn each claimed to have the upper hand in the first days of this "battle of Britain." Nazi leaders declared that in the first raids the ports of Margate, Dover and Portsmouth (naval yards) had been bombed by constant bombings. British sources reported a large number of Nazi warplanes shot down (as many as 60 in one day) and government spokesmen praised what they called the "heroic work" of the British fighter plane pilots.

Down East

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That's Not All

There are 500,000 folks in the British empire. Of these, about 70,000,000 are whites, and the rest are multi-colored. Some 400,000,000 of them live in India. In the II German war, they have been practicing

independence, right now. Churchill had always been the No. 1 foe of Indian home-rule, and the Indian nationalists simply didn't trust him. In the last war, India had dished up millions of soldiers and workers, and many, many millions of good, hard dollars. What Churchill really wanted, was another crack at these untold, untapped resources. But Gandhi, as usual, was from Missouri, or, perhaps, from the Irish Free State.

In Africa

The Italians in Ethiopia staged an offensive against little British Somaliland, on the Red sea. Mussolini's local legions started out by doing very well, and won some small initial successes. It looked as if the Somali capital of Berbera, was going to get it, and the Italians captured some tanks and sunk some airplanes, as they forged ahead. But the British forces, under General Cunningham, were not to be outdone. They captured Berbera, that hell-hole is no gold mine like Shanghai, Hongkong, Bombay or Calcutta, where imperial profits stack up.

MOSLEY'S: Upper Crust

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William Bruchman, for many years Washington correspondent whose letters appeared in this newspaper, has written a book, "The Money Game," which is now being published by the American Federation of Investors.

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Conclusion of the study: "Ever-mounting tax burdens are not only a handicap to the national welfare, but also raise added problems for every manufacturer and business man. They directly affect every employee and stockholder. They increase the cost of doing business, and reduce or wipe out profits."

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But, of course, we could not raise a billion acres of anything in a single year. The combined harvested area of all American farms and all crops is only 300,000,000 acres. This means it would take the full crop of three successive harvests, plus one-third of the fourth harvest, to pay the federal spending bill, every American farm would have to produce its normal crop and turn everything over to the government for more than three years to pay for this \$20,000,000,000 congress.

This would mean nothing left on the farm for feed, seed, or family food supplies. It would leave nothing for routine operating expenses.

Our federal government is the fastest growing "industry" in the United States.

Recent official figures show public employment in 1939 at 1,253,000 of 1929—despite a small decrease in the combined state and local payrolls over the decade.

Only one major sector of American industry employed more persons last year, as compared with 1929—the electric utilities, with employment at 1024 per cent.

But total factory employment for 1939 was but 80.4 per cent of 1929. Employment in retail trade was 75.6 per cent; and railroad employment, 64.7 per cent.

The U. S. civil service commission's July report shows a few more than 1,000,000 civil employees on the federal payroll—against 504,487 on March 4, 1933.

American industry in 1939 paid taxes aggregating \$611 for federal taxes on the payroll. This is the figure reported by the American Federation of Investors, on the basis of detailed reports from 183 leading corporations.

Household News By Eleanor Howe**WHEN YOU PLAN A PICNIC FOR A CROWD (Recipes Below.)**

Community picnics are fun! They offer an opportunity for a carefree day even the chairman in charge of affairs, if he's planned her program well and chosen her helpers wisely. If the crowd to be served is a really large one, it's a good idea to have one committee member responsible for each main dish—salads, desserts, and beverages. With a little planning, the picnic can be fairly easily distributed.

When an outing is in the offing and it's up to you to plan the picnic, crowd, you'll find these picnic pointers helpful.

1. If lunch is being prepared at home, choose foods that permit advance preparation, and that are not too difficult to carry or to serve.

2. Provide a fairly simple meal, with plenty of everything, but not so much variety that it will cause confusion and lots of extra work.

3. Unless you are sure of a good water supply, it's better to carry the water from home.

4. Carry fruit juices, tomato juice or milk in thermos bottles. The greatest aid this country could give the world war destroyers. These are the destroyers we need now.

5. The main dish for the picnic—which might be chili, baked beans, or escalloped potatoes, can be cooked the day before, then in the morning brought to the boiling point, and the Dutch oven or casserole wrapped in several thicknesses of newspaper to retain the heat.

6. Don't overlook the possibilities in frozen foods for picnic use. Quick-frozen meats can be carried, without ice, even on a warm day. They thaw out on the way to the picnic ground and will be ready to use.

7. You'll find other picnic pointers in my book, "Easy Entertaining." There are menus and tested recipes for party plates, hiles and a "Colorful breakfast" too.

When you write to me, won't you tell me something about the "community picnic" group has served? Do you serve dinners for the church, for business men's organizations or for the farm bureau, perhaps?

How many people do you serve at meals like this? What are your favorite menus? I'll be waiting to hear from you!

Eleanor Howe is going to give you, next week, some of her favorite recipes for cool, refreshing summer beverages, and dairy coolies to serve with them. Watch for this column next week.

Grandmother's Ginger Cookies. (Makes about 1 dozen.)

1 1/2 cups shortening
1/2 cup brown sugar
2 eggs (separated)
1 1/2 cups molasses
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon ginger
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon cloves
1 teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons soda
1/2 cup cold water
1 cup flour

Cream shortening and add sugar gradually, creaming until smooth. Beat eggs until light, and add to the creamed mixture, with the molasses and spices, and mix until the first mixture is blended. Add the second mixture, and mix until the second mixture is blended. Roll out on a lightly floured board. Cut

There's something very social and heartwarming about entertaining friends in your own home. And entertaining needn't be expensive, nor does it necessarily mean a lot of work!

Eleanor Howe's cook book, "Easy Entertaining," not only gives you the secrets of doing just that—entertaining without fuss and bother, and to fit your budget.

You'll find in "Easy Entertaining" plans for almost every kind of party. Send 10 cents in coin to "Easy Entertaining," care of Eleanor Howe, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

With 35-ounce cookie cutter, and press a coin into the center of each. Sprinkle with sugar. Bake on a greased cookie sheet in a moderately hot oven (400 degrees) for about 10 minutes.

Barbecue Sandwiches. (Filling for 3 to 4 dozen buns.)

2 pounds beef
2 pounds pork
1 tablespoon chili powder
1 teaspoon white pepper
1 teaspoon red pepper
1 teaspoon mustard
1 1/2 tablespoons salt
1/4 cup flour
1 1/2 cups tomato puree or condensed tomato soup
1 1/2 cups meat stock
3 large onions (sliced)
Cook the meat until tender in enough water to cover. Drain, and grind coarsely. Combine seasonings and flour. Add tomato puree and the meat. Cook for 2 minutes. Brown the onions lightly in butter or bacon fat, and press a coin into the center of each. Sprinkle with sugar. Bake on a greased cookie sheet in a moderately hot oven (400 degrees) for about 10 minutes.

Man in Need

To climb steep hills requires slow pace at first.

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LIQUID OR TABLETS

Man in Need

A man of many trades begs his bread on Sunday.

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Economy

"I will have 20 candles on my birthday cake."

"Will you light them at both ends?"

Hammer nails like lightning.

"You hammer nails like lightning."

"You mean I'm a fast worker?"

"No; you never strike twice in the same place."

It is apparent that the fellow who said: "Deeds, not words, count," never sent a telegram.

Up to Him

Playact—our face is familiar. Haven't I seen you somewhere? I see you somewhere? That's where I live. You can get around that way and in and see me.

INJECTED

He—There's blue blood in my family.

She—By transfusion?

Stopped Him

Tooter—I know a joke you'll never get, dearie.

Answer—Well, who said I wanted you?

A profile photograph is merely a side show.

Seat of Thought

Afford—I think that new girl in the office has a soft spot in her heart for me. Says she's always thinking of me.

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State Press Comments

PLANS LOOK GOOD

The following statements recently made by President Beacham of the Senate and Speaker-designate McCarty of the House for the coming legislative session, as published in the Daytona Beach Observer, would indicate that these leaders have a clear conception of the state's condition and needs.

There will be many young men at Tallahassee next spring, and, owing to present conditions, they will have an excellent chance to make records for themselves as wise and safe lawmakers. It is to be hoped that enough backbone and honesty will develop to outwit the horde of schemers and political hails at every session. Road the outlined plans of the preceding officers-to-be, as published in The Observer.—(Ed. Chief.)

What They Say:

Senator John R. Beacham, of West Palm Beach, president elect of the 1941 State Senate, and Dan McCarty, of Fort Pierce, speaker-designate of the house of representatives, have recently outlined some of their plans for the forthcoming session.

Speaking before a civic club at Vero Beach last week, Senator Beacham stated that during November he will tour Florida, contact all of the senators and try to ascertain the state's needs. He declared his intention to name the chairman of at least a few of the major committees approximately 60 days before the 1941 session convenes in order that these chairman may have ample opportunity to obtain information with which to submit such legislation as may be desired and necessary.

In the past, in many instances, committee chairmen have not been named until after the legislature has convened, with the result that it was impossible for them to obtain necessary data on which to work and submit legislation during the session, he pointed out.

Briefly, Senator Beacham gave his opinions on various phases of state operations:

He pointed out the rising cost of state government, due to various boards, etc.

He said a tax survey of the state has been authorized.

"I am not advocating any more taxes."
"I do want one dollar of service for each dollar of taxes collected."

He advocated a pension of \$30 per month to all persons over 65 years of age.

Repeal of the gross receipts tax is certain at the next legislative session, he said.

He expressed the belief that the people of Florida will vote out the ad valorem tax for state purposes in November.

This situation, he declared, will leave the state facing a deficit of ten and one-half million dollars, plus more money needed for the schools.

"We must either curtail state expenses or raise more taxes—what shall we do?"

He said he knew there was extravagance in the operation of state and other governmental units.

He expressed the view that every dollar of taxes collected should go into the state's general fund—then disbursed by legislative action.

He stressed the need for a broken-down statement of every dollar collected and paid out by the state.

Financial situation of the state road department and the need for better roads was pointed out.

Developments of electrical energy highways and airports were advocated as a necessity in time of war.

He said that arterial highways should be included in the defense program.

Addressing another civic luncheon club in a nearby city, Representative McCarty pointed out the harmonious relationship between President-elect Beacham of the Senate, Governor-nominate Spessard L. Holland and himself.

"I feel personally that no new taxes will be needed to operate the state government efficiently," he said.

He gave as his reason for no new taxes:

1. The people of Florida can't afford to pay any more taxes.

2. U. S. Government taxes for the defense program are rising and must be taken care of.

3. There is tremendous waste in the state government. We are not getting dollar for dollar service.

He said "efficiency" will be the keynote of the 1941 legislative program and that he looks for a real, constructive session.

The legislature itself must be efficient, Speaker-elect McCarty said, adding the declaration that the expenditures of the Senate and House of the last session were a public disgrace, from two to three times more than necessary. He said expenses must be curtailed.

Citing the financial condition of the state road department and the many demands for new roads, especially cross-state highways, he said an available money will be needed to tie in with the defense program.

Of primary importance is the construction of a four-lane highway along the East Coast to take care of normal traffic, he declared. The present narrow road was termed dangerous and insufficient for the amount of traffic using it.

He urged every cooperation of the citizens with the state road department and suggested that county commissioners and members of the department get together and work out their problems.

Confidence of the speaker was expressed that a highly satisfactory conservation program can be worked out in the state, in cooperation with the WPA.

He said the matter of highway safety was being

well taken care of through the operation of the state highway patrol, financed by driver's license. Speaking on the problem of additional revenue, he said that the Brookings Institute had been authorized to make a survey of the tax situation in Florida.

He said he was satisfied that the gross receipts tax will be repealed at the next session of the legislature. He also expressed the belief that the people will vote out the ad valorem tax for state purposes next November.

Regarding old-age assistance, he said legislators will not give any excuse, but plan to give the aged monthly pensions of \$30.

In conclusion, Speaker-elect McCarty said: "We are really going to do something at the next session of the legislature," adding "and we are not coming home after the session and apologize for the next two years."—Winter Haven Chief.

DR. HAMILTON HOLT SPEAKS WISELY
Many men who have been life-long Democrats are gravely speaking these days of the danger they see in granting a President of the United States a third term. The most of them are thoughtful, earnest men who try to look ahead into the future of their country, and see what the effect of an unlimited term in office for the country's chief executive would be.

One of these men is well known in Florida and greatly respected. He is the President of Rollins College, Dr. Hamilton Holt, who has been a member of the Democratic Party all voting years.

Dr. Holt admires ability. He recognizes greatness in men who achieve big things. But he says that President Roosevelt's qualifications do not enter into the question of the breaking of the third-term tradition. He says that though the President might be the best qualified American for president of the country through the next four years, just as George Washington was in his time, yet "Washington's reasons for refusing a third term... are more cogent today than they were in his time."

In calling all Democrats to unite against a third term for President Roosevelt, Dr. Holt said, in part, "If a third term, why not a fourth, a fifth, or a sixth term? Why not dictatorship for life and a crown prince? There must be 5,000 men in the Democratic Party who if elected, would be capable of meeting the exalted standards required of an American President in these fateful times. To deny this is to indict democracy in action under a system of universal education."

Dr. Holt is still a Democrat. It is only a good Democrat—a man who believes in the great principles of Democracy—who dares to take a stand against the undemocratic principles of relinquishing the people's governing powers, and the people's right to a one-man rulership.

It is the life-long Democrat who fears, and fights, autocracy.—Melbourne Times.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

By RUSSELL KAY

Well, Republican Willie certainly made a mighty fine "Democratic" speech. National politics is getting so backslashed and scrambled that it is hard to distinguish one party from another.

In any event it is evident that Mr. Roosevelt has an opponent worthy of his steel and while Willie has a rough and rugged road to travel, it isn't going to be a bit worse than the one Mr. Roosevelt faces.

It seems that Wendell meant just what he said when he wisecracked away back about wanting to meet the "Champ" in the ring. It might possibly be given such an opportunity if it could be arranged in the form of a radio debate, but I doubt if the President would accept the invitation to meet him on the stump.

However, the President has done just about everything possible to make it an even match. In picking Wallace as a running mate he certainly handed the Indiana boy a swell break.

One thing I like particularly about Mr. Willie's address was the fact that he didn't try to "orate".

He just stood up on his hind legs and popped off in a straight-from-the-shoulder fashion. He didn't pussyfoot or hem and haw—he came right out with it.

He evidenced genuine courage and showed common sense in frankly admitting his connection with his business and in freely and openly discussing his German ancestry. He was smart enough to know that these facts would be taken in his stride from the start of the campaign until its close, and by beating the other fellow to the punch he went a long way toward offsetting such propaganda.

As near as I could interpret his talk, it seems Willie approves of a good portion of the New Deal program. He and the President see eye to eye on the matter of conscription and lending aid to England.

While he doesn't seem to have much fault to find with the general aims and objects of the New Deal, he isn't like the way they go about accomplishing 'em. In short, Willie contends that he can reach the same objectives and at the same time effect real economy in government and eliminate much of the red tape and burdensome bureaucracy.

He would endeavor to step up industrial activity substituting PDQ for WPA and at the same time effect economies that would spell COD instead of IOU.

Another point he brought out was that hurling verbal insults at the dictators is mighty poor policy when we are not in a position to back up our remarks. He also contends that the administration has not been frank with the people in acquainting them with the true situation, and pledges himself to a policy of absolute frankness in this regard.

One thing certain, Willie's talk was decidedly UN-Republican and it is evident he was speaking more for himself than for the party. Of course there is a possibility that the party has relaxed and is now presenting a sort of a "Republican New Dealism" as advocated by Mr. Willie. In any event the coming campaign promises to be one of the most interesting in the history of the two parties.

At the moment it looks like a nip and tuck affair, with both sides pretty evenly matched.

It's a long time until November and a lot depends on what happens between now and the election. While Mr. Roosevelt hasn't Hoover or Landon to deal with in this case, he's still the "Champ" and carries a lot of "box office."

An invitation received this week from my good friend Harold Cole, informs me that I have been selected to serve as one of twenty "Grandees" and participate in the colorful historic celebration to be staged in St. Augustine, September 7-8-9, in observance of the 275th Anniversary of the Founding of the City.

According to Harold's letter, my costume, whiskers and all, will be furnished—but I'll have to bring my own hair. The last time I rode a horse the darn critter got sick to his stomach or something and the convulsions sent me "flirt" thru the air with the greatest of ease.

Maybe it's a good thing I gotta be in New York for Florida Week at the World's Fair on that date!

Church Notes

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICE
Richard L. Brown, rector

Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.
Holy Communion and Sermon at 11:00 a. m.

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Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. conducted by Supt. Paul Garber. Join in the regular worship with classes for all ages.

Morning worship will be held at 11:00 o'clock at which time Wm. Haulpalm will fill the pulpit. There will be special music and the choir will lead congregational singing. You are cordially invited to the services next Sunday.

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9:45 a. m. Sunday school, Guy F. Smith, apt. classes for all ages and an experienced teacher for each class.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship, sermon by the pastor, special music by the choir. Serve the church that lives to serve.

7:15 p. m. Senior, Intermediate, and Junior groups of the young people will fill the pulpit. Devotion of God's greatness ought to increase our confidence.

8:00 p. m. Evening worship, sermon by the pastor. Human values are not determined by the income received, but by the service rendered.

7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Mid-week prayer service. Forty-five minutes of christian fellowship, followed by choir rehearsal.

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Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Lesson: "Holy Living." If we would walk with God we must walk in His direction.

Morning worship: 11:00 a. m. Subject: "Consecration."

Christ Ambassadors: 6:30 p. m. Evangelical Service: 7:45 p. m. Subject: "Prophets and Law."

Wed. night Bible Study, 7:30 p. m.

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The Golden Text is: "Blessed be the name of God for ever and ever: for wisdom and might are his: he giveth wisdom to the wise, and knowledge to them that know understanding." (Daniel 2:20, 21)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-lesson is the following from the Bible: "Hast thou not known? hast thou not heard, that the everlasting God, the Lord, the Creator of the ends of the earth, fainteth not, neither is weary there is no searching of his understanding." (Isa. 40:28)

The lesson-lesson also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Believe and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Mind is God. There can be but one Mind, because there is but one God and if mortals claimed no other Mind and accepted no other power, would be unknown. We can have but one mind, if that one is infinite." (p. 469-15, 17-21)

Could This Be You?

Last week Mrs. C. E. Lanier. You were seen on Thursday morning about eleven o'clock wearing a blue sport skirt, a Mexican design blouse, with which you were wearing sport pail sandals and carrying a large printed handbag. You first went to the B & H Grocery store and gave an order for some groceries after which you walked across the mall and went into Wolf's Ready-to-Wear store.

If this be you call at the Park Theatre box-office and receive a pass to the theatre's entertainment for one evening.

Use Times Want Ads

EMPLOYERS ARE WARNED ABOUT A NEW RACKET

Organizations Under Guise Of Patriotic Offer Sabotage Protection

Tallahassee, Aug. 22 (FNS)—Upon his return last week from attending the Federal-State Conference on Law Enforcement Problems of National Defense held in Washington, W. B. Cane, executive secretary to Governor Fred P. Cane and his official representative to the conference, warned Florida industry to beware of racketeers and foreign agents operating under the guise of patriotic organizations.

"So far," he said, "operations by such racketeering organizations have not been reported to the governor's office, but we learned at the conference that they are working in the north and can expect them to extend their operations here."

"Calling themselves by some patriotic name, they contact officials of industrial plants and business men and offer to protect them against sabotage if they will join the 'League.' They collect a membership fee and whatever weekly or monthly assessment is agreed upon."

"The Federal government through the F. B. I., working in cooperation with State law enforcement officials, has been charged with the responsibility of handling the investigation of sabotage, espionage and similar matters and can give industry and business such protection as may be necessary. If any industrial plant or business man feels that more protection is needed, the F. B. I. should be contacted and its advice followed in providing for any additional protection desired."

"While the owners of plants which might be the object of sabotage are urged to survey them and take necessary protective measures, this work should be done under the advice and direction of appropriate state or local law enforcement agencies, and it is advisable to promptly notify the nearest agent of the F. B. I. in all such cases."

"The use of private organizations and persons other than const-

tuted authorities in making surveys should be carefully avoided and extreme care should be taken to prevent forwarding information to unauthorized persons. The use of private groups charging fees or securing money by appealing to the patriotic feeling of plant owners should be avoided as well as the services volunteered by unauthorized groups. Extreme care should be exercised in safeguarding information obtained in such surveys," he said.

"Every person should remember that espionage, sabotage and sedition are matters for the Federal government to handle, he stated, and all suspicious persons should be reported to the F. B. I. for investigation. Action by volunteer groups in such cases may do much harm by alarming persons or groups already being investigated, or by unauthorized violation of civil liberties of innocent persons."

He also pointed out that the unwelcome discrimination against aliens, both in community affairs and in industry, should be avoided. Due to circumstances beyond their control, large numbers of aliens have been unable to become citizens. One stated, and it should be borne in mind that all classified "columnists." We have no concentration camps for aliens, and there should be no unjust persecution and no mob violence.

"The F. B. I. is doing a mighty fine job of tracking down foreign agents and uncovering sabotage rings," he stated, "and every law enforcement officer and every citizen should do everything possible to help them by being alert for suspicious actions and then reporting them to the nearest F. B. I. office."

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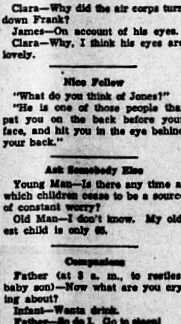
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