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WORLD IS NOTIFIED U. S. FROWNS ON WAR

Constructive Foreign Policy of Roosevelt Discourages Europe's War Ardor

One of the paramount issues in the present political campaign is supplied by the threat of another European war, declares John Cudahy, American ambassador to Poland, who has just returned to this country on leave.

"Citizens should wake up to the dangers which threaten them from Europe," said Mr. Cudahy. "All other so-called political issues shrivel into insignificance compared with the question of what position the United States should take in the case of war in Europe.

"The American people are unanimous in their resolve that we must stay out of such war, regardless of the sacrifice. We shall not make other people's wars our wars.

"It is in response to this universal sentiment that the Roosevelt administration sponsored the present neutrality measure, which prohibits shipment of munitions or making of loans to belligerents.

"In Ethiopia and in Spain it has been made clear to the world that our government has adopted a policy of strict neutrality.

"Repeated declarations and statements have notified war-seekers in Europe of the policy the President will follow if and when another serious conflict comes. It has been emphasized that as far as this administration is concerned, peace comes before war prosperity.

"Continuance of this Roosevelt policy—this constructive foreign policy—during the next four years is vital. While this policy may not be popular in some European capitals, it has clarified the situation.

"Meanwhile President Roosevelt's tariff reciprocity plan is coming to be regarded as one of the best and most practical international contributions toward world peace, toward recovery, and toward the elimination of friction between nations.

"This situation is one of the reasons I am so urgently asking the American people to re-elect Mr. Roosevelt. His opponents have been strangely silent about these vital matters. But we know that Senator Borah is the logical candidate for Secretary of War in a Landon cabinet. And he has stated that he wants the United States to enforce its commercial neutral rights on the high seas even if such enforcement means war. Here is an issue of war. Another four years of Roosevelt means peace for Roosevelt is the peace champion of the world today."

True Conservatism

Never has a nation made greater strides in safeguarding democracy than we during the past three years. Wise men have long know that in a changing world worthy institutions can be conserved only by adjusting them. A great essayist says: "The voice of great events is proclaiming to us—reform if you would preserve." . . . I am that kind of a conservative because I am that kind of a liberal.—Franklin D. Roosevelt.

450 Hats Thrown In Ring

Claiming to be the largest single family unit in America, the Rashids of Lafayette, Ill., held their annual conclave a few days ago and voted to put their collective strength of 450 persons behind the Democratic candidate for President.

"We've decided to throw our hats into the Roosevelt ring," declared the family spokesman. "Every adult member of our family was separately questioned, and—without a single exception—they were for Roosevelt. Which certainly ought to prove something!"

One-Two-Three-Four

A newspaper in Missouri has been offering a series of prizes to its readers for the best appraisal of the accomplishments of the New Deal, arranged in order of their importance. The results, when tabulated, show that the consensus of opinion places the Administration's four-year achievements in the following order:

1. Restoration of banking.
2. Help to home owners and farm owners.
3. Farm relief.
4. CCC Camps.
5. Unemployment relief.

POLITICAL WISDOM

Every American should be grateful to the present administration for the way in which it has met the social, political and economic needs of the country. — William H. Regnery, Chicago manufacturer.

Swiss Guides Have Village

Near Golden, B. C., lies a quaint little village, picturesquely situated on the slope of a mountain. Its name is Edelweiss and its inhabitants are Swiss guides who have transported their household effects and their families from their own beloved Alps to the Canadian Rockies. Each guide has special credentials of his calling from the official climbing organization in Switzerland. The need for guides in this great mountain playground can be realized when one considers that there are 630 peaks over 6,000 feet in height; that 308 of these are between 7,000 and 10,000 feet, 161 between 10,000 and 12,000 feet, and four over 12,000 feet.

Kyanizing

Kyanizing is a method of preserving ships from dry rot, by injecting into the pores of the wood a solution of corrosive sublimite. It was invented by John H. Kyan.

The Basset Hound

The Basset hound has never been overly popular in America and perhaps never will be so long as the little beagle and the domestic hound continue to serve their masters of the hunt. In appearance and form the Basset occupies a place of first importance in the lives of those who must hunt. In appearance in form the Basset resembles a cross between the daschund and bloodhound. Somewhat larger than the beagle it is more underslung with a face and head resembling the bloodhound. It comes in two types; long and short-haired, the former being the most popular field dog abroad. Its greatest popularity as a sporting animal is confined to France, England, Russia and Germany. Its color is that that fits any "hound."

Largest Anteaters

The ant bear is the largest of the anteaters. He grows to a height of about 2 feet and a length of 4. His tail is long and shaggy, and when he sleeps the ant bear spreads it over his body like an umbrella against sun and rain. He lives on the ground, but does not burrow, and his kind is comparatively scarce because he produces only one young ant bear at a time. Other creatures, unrelated to the anteaters of South America, have somewhat similar habits. The aardvark of Africa and the spiny anteater of Australia eat ants, but they are not true anteaters. Members of the pangolin family are also addicted to an appetite for ants, but they are unrelated to the anteaters.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Use of Word "Minnow"

Although the name "minnow" is popularly applied to almost any small fish, more technically it applies to members of the family Cyprinidae, which includes the dace, carp, etc. In the United States the name usually belongs to various small cyprinodonts, mainly of the large genus "Notropis" living in the lesser streams and frequently called shiners. The largest and best known of these is the golden shiner, which has a very small head, but is sometimes a foot in length.

Missouri Led Pioneers

Forty years before California cried "Gold!" the glowing reports of Lewis and Clark led settlers into the great Northwest. Pioneers in pirogues, bullboats and cottonwood log canoes traveled up the Missouri river at the rate of about nine miles a day. Until the coming of the trans-continental railroad, "Big Muddy," as the Missouri is called, and its branches were the principal highways into the West. Even wagon trains followed its course.

Cod Liver Oil Long Used

Cod liver oil has been used for rickets for over a century, though its specific value was not recognized until recent years.

Feathers on Indian Bonnets

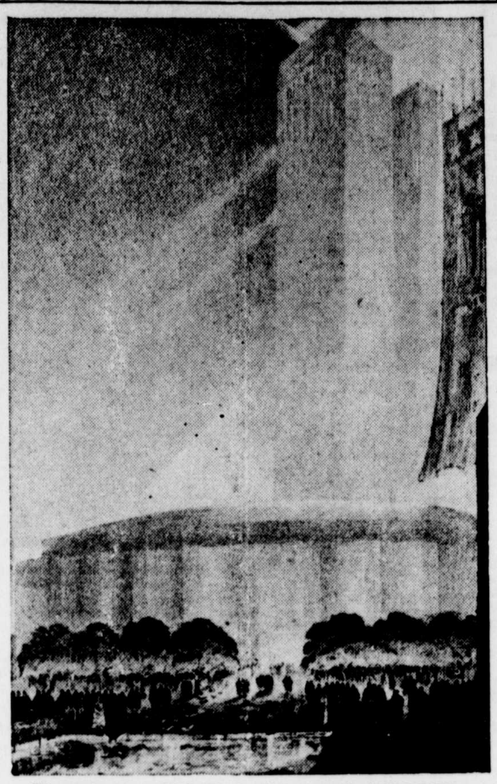
Among Indians of the plains, who are most noted for the wearing of bonnets, the feathers were awarded as an honor, says a writer in the Detroit News. Acting as a messenger, slaying a buffalo, or some other deed might bring the right to wear feathers, one or two, or perhaps five at a time. In at least one tribe it was the custom to give five feathers to any warrior who captured a wounded enemy.

Fine Japanese Blades

Among the arts and crafts of Japan the work of the swordsmith stands high, and Japanese blades are unsurpassed even by those of Damascus or Persia.

Where All Roads Will Lead in 1939

THEME CENTER OF NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR



This massive tower, 250 feet high, will dominate the $125,000,000 exposition in Flushing Meadow Park, Queens, which will open its gates to an estimated 50,000,000 visitors on April 30, 1939. Radiating out from the Theme Tower, which will contain a vast panorama depicting the America of Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow, will be broad, tree-lined malls, promenades and avenues leading to the ten exhibit zones into which the Fair will be divided.

Giant Plants in New Zealand

New Zealand is the home of many remarkable plants, some of which are distinguished mainly because of their size, says Pathfinder Magazine. There is a buttercup measuring 3 inches in diameter. Notwithstanding, it appears as a dwarf beside the great rafflesia—the largest single flower in the plant kingdom. Some of them measure several feet across, may weigh up to 15 pounds and have no leaves. Naturalists have reported finding great orchids in the Florida Everglades with stems 15 feet in height and bearing several hundred blossoms of proportional size.

Science Before War

During the war, Australian soldiers trench-digging near Beersheba on the road to Egypt turned up ancient pavements with Christian signs and inscriptions. For a week the Australians, continually under airplane bombing by the enemy, dug away, carefully raised it and dispatched it safely to Cairo.

Asbestos Used in Ancient Rome

Writings of ancient Greece and Rome indicate that asbestos was used in incombustible fabrics for tablecloths, winding sheets, handkerchiefs and other articles.

"The Island of Good Luck"

Bonaventure Island, which means "the island of good luck," was so named by the French-Canadian fishermen of Perce because of the good luck they had around it in the early days when salmon was plentiful. Today the island is noted for its cod fisheries—as well for being the scene of the largest sea fowl sanctuary on the north Atlantic coast.

Palestine's Boom City

Tel Aviv is Palestine's boom city, and it owes its origin to a small group of Jewish residents who moved out from the Arabian city of Jaffa in 1909 and began a garden suburb in the sand dunes to the north. Since the World war Tel Aviv has had a spectacular growth. It is an all-Jewish community, the most modern of the eastern Mediterranean region.

The Drink to Happiness

The drinking of a liquid from a single cup by the bride and groom is an important part of the wedding ceremony among two-thirds of the human race, or all those living in non-Christian countries. The majority use a distilled liquor, beer or wine while the others prefer either animal or coconut milk.—Collier's Weekly.

Take Your Choice . . .

THE NEW DEAL OFFERS YOU:

a) Ruinous taxation both hidden and direct;
b) Wasteful spending and gross extravagance;
c) Constantly increasing governmental deficits;
d) No practical solution for unemployment;
e) An artificial recovery still to be paid for;
f) Hundreds of thousands added to the government's payroll;
g) Almost complete disregard of Civil Service;
h) Broken promises and repudiated contracts;
i) Devalued paper dollars not payable in gold;
j) Excessive living costs and inflation;
k) Bureaucratic crack-pots to regiment your life.

WITH ALFRED M. LANDON YOU GET:

Business confidence; increased manufacturing and trade activities; more and better employment; freedom to plant, produce and sell without unwarranted governmental restrictions; dollars that buy more; the elimination of wasteful extravagance and duplication in government; less taxes to pay; more for what we pay; Americanism and no other isms,—in short;—the American form of Constitutional government which has made our people the most fortunate and the happiest on earth.

YOUR CHOICE ON NOVEMBER 3RD WILL BE ALFRED M. LANDON FOR PRESIDENT AND FRANK KNOX FOR VICE PRESIDENT

and the Congressional candidate opposed to the New Deal,

HARRY W. LE GORE, Sixth District

Published by authority of the Republican State Central Committee—Wm. P. Lawson, Chairman

ARCHITECTS SEARCH FOR BUILDING STONE

Marble Highly Valued From Earliest Times.

Washington.—One of the most strikingly beautiful buildings in Washington is the new United States Supreme court building. Its exterior is fabricated from white marble, while its interior is enhanced with columns and panels of the same stone but richly colored.

"Among the most ornamental of all building stones, marble has been valued by architects from earliest times," says the National Geographic society.

"White drums of marble from Mt. Pentelicus reared toward the clear blue sky of Athens, the graceful temples on the Acropolis. Domed Byzantine structures and Roman buildings were floored with mosaics of vari-colored marbles, veined and mottled. Visitors to the Pantheon may tread on a marble floor polished by the pacings of august Romans over 1,800 years ago.

Favored by Sculptors.

"Not only has marble been a popular building stone, but it is the favorite among sculptors. From it Phidias, Praxiteles, Canova, and many other artists carved their masterpieces. Carrara, in northwestern Italy, which supplied Michelangelo with marble for his famous statue of David, still supplies modern sculptors with some of their finest working material. In Carrara, a city of quarrymen and marble cutting factories, even the humblest homes have white marble lintels and steps.

"The most beautiful foreign marbles come from Italy, the French Pyrenees, and Belgium. In the United States, marbles underlie most of the eastern mountains from Vermont to Georgia, and part of the Rocky mountains. Vermont supplies 60 per cent of the amount quarried in this country.

"Marble is merely an altered form of limestone, transformed by heat and strong pressure. Limestone is much softer than marble.

"Limestone is found in many colors ranging from pink and red, through yellow to green and blue. From quarries in Indiana and Kentucky comes the variety best known in the United States.

"Although limestone is durable, it deteriorates under acids in the air and rain, especially under the sulphuric acid contaminating the air of cities. How waters containing chemicals affect the stone is dramatically shown in Mammoth Cave, Kentucky, where subterranean streams have eaten away the beds of limestone, hollowing out vast underground caverns.

Granite Is Valuable.

"Granite, igneous rock that has cooled, is a building stone valued for its hardness, strength, and durability. Unlike limestone, it is little affected by chemicals in the air and rain, but abrupt changes in temperature frequently cause it to crack. In regions where the temperature drops 80 degrees in a day, granite has been known to shatter into boulders, gravel, and sand.

"Because it is so hard, the cost of cutting and polishing granite once prohibited its use except in a roughly dressed state. But now that less expensive methods have been discovered, it is one of the most popular building stones.

"Porphyry, another igneous rock, usually a beautiful red in color, was prized by the Romans, but is little employed by modern architects, because of the difficulty and expense in cutting and polishing it.

"New York city's famous 'brownstone fronts' are made of sandstone, a popular building stone composed of grains of sand held together by a cementing material.

"The new air-conditioned home of the National Geographic society contains stones from many states and foreign countries. Its front steps are of pink and gray North Carolina granite. Limestone blocks and columns of the facade came from Bedford, Ind., and green marble spandrels from the French Alps.

"In the foyer gleam reddish-brown pillars and pilasters of polished Rojo Alicante marble from Spain. Walls are of lustrous Italian Botticino marble, a rich cream color, above a base of Belgian black marble. Brown Sienna and gray Roman travertine form a large eight-pointed star in the floor."

Potatoes and Tomatoes Growing on Same Vine

Lufkin, Texas.—J. C. Burt, farmer, living near Alto, believes he is well on his way toward raising potato-tomato vines.

In 1933 Burt planted a field of tomatoes. Last year he planted the same field of potatoes. This year he planted tomatoes again, and was surprised to find that some of the vines bore a strange fruit. The vines had potatoes on the roots and tomatoes on the stems.

Colorful Wildflower Is Found in Nevada Hills

Fallon, Nev.—A new species of poppy, gorgeous, larger than the California poppy and yellow in color, appeared this year in the hills around the old mining camp of Wonder. Prospectors say they have never before seen this plant. Varieties have also appeared along the Lincoln highway, not only in masses of single color, but in kaleidoscopic blues, yellows, pinks and whites intermingled.

The Great North Road

The Great North road, between Auckland and Wellington in the North Island of New Zealand, was built as a military road by the British at the time of the Maori war, about 1840. An interesting part of the road passed the 1,000-foot eminence known as Taupiri hill, a sacred burial ground of the Waikato Maori kings. When the road was first built so strong was the taboo on this hill that travelers approaching the hill were required to leave the road and pass the hill by canoe on the Waikato river, resuming land travel after they were well past.

Lost That Friend

"My neighbor, Hi Hat, once borrowed carfare from me," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown. "He no longer speaks to me. Had I refused him he might still be obsequious in the hope of borrowing."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Subscriber of Montgomery County has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomry County, in Maryland, Letters of Administration c. t. a. on the Personal Estate of Anna R. Nevius, late of Montgomery County, deceased. All persons resident and non-resident having Claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit and file, the same, in said Court, with vouchers thereof, on or before the 15th day of March next: they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said Estate. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 15th day of September in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six.

EUNICE N. SPEIDEN
Silver Spring, Maryland,
Administratrix c. t. a.
WILLIAM F. PRETTYMAN,
Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Subscriber of Montgomery County has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery County ,in Maryland, Letters Testamentary on the Personal Estate of George McClellen Thorn, late of Montgomery County, deceased. All persons having Claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, legally authenticated to the subscriber on or before the 14th day of April next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said Estate. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 14th day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six.

ROSINA M. E. THORN,
1106 Harden St.,
Silver Spring, Md.
Executrix.

Robert S. Bains, Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Subscriber of the District of Columbia has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montomery County, in Maryland, Letters of Administration on the Personal Estate of Charles Timberlake, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons resident and non-resident having Claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit and file, the same, in said Court, with vouchers thereof, on or before the 29th day of March next: they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said Estate. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 29th day of September in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six.

EMMA ELIZABETH TIMBERLAKE,
2828 Georgia Ave., N. W.,
Washington, D. C.,
Administratrix.

ROBERT S. BAINS,
Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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Given under my hand this 29th day of September in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six.

THERESA GREEN HOLMES,
1023 Columbia Road,
Washington, D. C.,
Administratrix.

ROBERT S. BAINS,
Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Subscriber of the District of Columbia has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery County, in Maryland, Letters Testamentary on the Personal Estate of Enoch M. Woodward, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons resident and non-resident having Claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit and file, the same, in said Court, with vouchers thereof, on or before the 29th day of March next: they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said Estate. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 29th day of September in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six.

AMERICAN SECURITY & TRUST COMPANY,
Washington, D. C.,
Executor.

WILLIAM F. PRETTYMAN,
Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the United States District Court for the District of Maryland
IN BANKRUPTCY

Notice is hereby given that Wesley McC. Morris, having been adjudicated a bankrupt by the Honorable, the Judge of said Court, on October 22, 1936, a first meeting of creditors will be held at the Court House, Rockville, Md., on November 10, 1936, at 10 o'clock A. M. at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee or Trustees, examine the Bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JAMES P. CURLEY, Referee,
Laurel Md., and
2 E. Lexington St., Baltimore, Md.

Earliest Sponge Rubber

Probably the earliest mention of sponge rubber is in British patent No. 13103, issued to William Edward Newton, Middlesex, England, in 1850. The sponge rubber was made by mixing raw sugar, resins, or other materials, with the rubber prior to vulcanization, and was used for shoe soles and for other purposes in connection with footwear.

Mikado's Court in 1608

During the feudal period in Japan (1608-1867), the Mikado's court was at Kyoto, but the Shogunate, which controlled the administration of the kingdom, was at Tokyo, 323 miles away. The Tokaido road was built to accommodate the heavy traffic between the two most important centers of the kingdom.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Court House, Rockville

CIRCUIT COURT

Chief Judge, Hammond Urner, Frederick;
Associate Judge, Charles W. Woodward, Poolesville;
Associate Judge, Arthur D. Willard, Frederick;
Clerk, Clayton K. Watkins.

Terms of Circuit Court—Third Monday of January, non-jury term; third Monday of March, grand and petit jury term; first Monday of June, non-jury term; second Monday of November grand and petit jury terms.

ORPHANS' COURT

Chief Judge, Washington Waters;
Associate Judges, Lewis F. Hobbs, Thomas C. Kelley;
Registrar, Hanson G. Cashell, Redland.

Terms of Orphans' Court—Regular Terms, second Tuesday of February, April, June, August, October and December. Court is in session every Tuesday and Wednesday.

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Justice, Harold C. Smith, Rockville
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The Board of County Commissioners will be in session on each Tuesday from 1 p. m. to 2:30 p. m., and on each Thursday from 2:30 p. m. to 3:30 p. m., in their office in the new Court House. These sessions are for the purpose of holding public hearings.

The Commissioners will be in session on each Tuesday from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. for the purpose of examining accounts and transacting other routine business.

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