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V And The S Forward God Appropriations In The Battle of Freedom

The V (for Victory) symbol by which poor conquerors throughout Belgium, France, Denmark and of express lurking defiance of their Nazi masters has a counterpart of sorts in Washington. The magic symbol that the United States counts on to win this war is the S.

Congressional leaders have an appointment today with the President, back from his dramatic rendezvous at sea with Churchill, to discuss a further Lease-Lend appropriation of some \$10,000,000,000. It is said. Ten billion dollars will afford a lot of leasing and lending.

The Roosevelt Administration has displayed throughout, ever since its conversion to a spendthrift policy in 1933, amazing faith in money miracles. Another appropriation of ten billion dollars, just one, would always do the trick. If it didn't, why, a still bigger one would.

But the Administration, for all its right-handness with public funds, isn't so right-handed with the nation's ships. The ten billions that may be added to the 47 billions, taking its place in line behind the unexpended 40 billions, will be of less immediate consequence in the tide of battle than the half-billion days of work lost over an ideological labor dispute in the Kearny shipyards.

Mass Guilt The French People Are Armed by Their Conquerors

Mad General Von Stuebelnagel, whose name is ironically similar to that of a well-known American radio commentator, has declared that the entire population of occupied France will be held guilty for any future anti-German word or act. It was ever thus with conquerors. Lacking specific means of ferreting out those who challenge their authority, they resort to using the lash on a whole sulen population.

gantic plot against their common oppressor, this decree will do the job. The German overlords of France, in their stupidity, have armed the subject people with the prerequisite of resistance, the will to resist.

News! What's This? A Japanese Tanker Departing Empty?

When another Japanese tanker sails for home loaded down with American oil, that's not news. That has been happening every day. There's a lot of talk about it—but what's talk so long as Japan gets the fuel? However, when a Japanese tanker is forced to sail from the American port without the cargo she came for, here is dog-biting-man news.

Scarcely credible was the obscure little news item of the other day—a two paragraph affair stating that the tanker Nihei Maru had hoisted anchor in San Pedro and sailed for Tokyo—without the oil cargo she had applied for.

The Export Control Administration had done all it could to see that the tanker got its load. It had issued a license for the cargo. Perfectly all right for honorable Japanese captain to have oil—if he could pay for it. There was the hitch. Japanese credits were frozen and honorable captain was unable to withdraw funds to pay for cargo. Most unfortunate.

Things Seen Why One Joe Erwin Is a Careful Driver

As inevitable, almost, as the raising of the moon, the ambulance siren screams in the night. You hear it slowly when you stop, then, as consciousness seeps back, it grows terrifically louder until you start from the bed in sudden fright. Why is there such terror in the sound of a siren at night?

Perhaps it is because of the things you remember, particularly the automobile wrecks. There are what the alarm means. Mostly, another car or two smashed up. People writhing on the pavement silently, or wandering around mumbling through battered faces.

How To Shame Hardened Jaywalkers United States News

Shrewd psychologist of Owenboro, Ky., was here for part of what Joe said—and if you can't take it, better stop right here:

Mid-West Distress

By Hugh S. Johnson

There is a growing feeling through much of the Middle-West that it is in for an economic drubbing. It is going to have a share of the share of terrific expenditure. It is getting a new share in their distribution. Its present dusty, which is agriculture, is looking forward to no particular hey-day, because, in the present at least, there is not enough buying power to report great quantities of its surplus in bulk into the domestic market. It is not expected to increase greatly, because of deliberate government policies to restrict consumer purchasing power.

AREA BEGINNING TO SEE DANGER AHEAD This, this area is in large part in danger of great distress, and it is beginning to realize that.

IRRITATION AMONG SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES It isn't pleasant to contemplate the several areas of irritation and resentment which are developing.

SOOTHING THE WOUND BY BURTON K. WHEELER

As for Burton K. Wheeler, who has been the bitter political enemy of this Administration for eight long years, is abundantly able to take care of himself. As he says, he has claimed exemption from the draft.

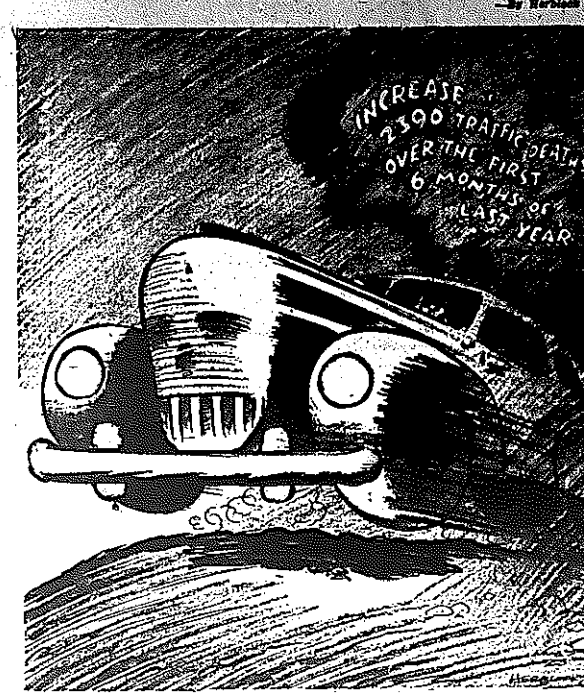
THE QUEEN CITY'S HOPE CHEST

No. 1 - An Uptown Theater-Auditorium No. 2 - A Separate Court District No. 3 - An Uptown Rest Room No. 4 - Street-Widening

The fellow who took up hog-raising because you don't have to hog has

This Machine Keeps Rolling Along

By Herbert



Letters to the Editor:

Fighting A Private War

Editors, The News: Although my attacker in today's News, (August 14th) is averse to fighting the Axis, her bellicose articles and notes during the past month judge as to which is the more intolerant, or the more warlike in spirit.

Guarding God's Gift of Freedom Editors, The News: An all-wise Providence made man free and gave him the ability to think, reason, and judge things for himself.

Some Light on Miss Thompson's "Hoe"

TODAY'S BIBLE THOUGHT

Side Glances

"A World To Gain"

By Dorothy Thompson

CHOCOR—Dr. Whipple, the able I prize member of Great Britain, and the President of the United States as a basis of world peace: here a revolution in a person's mind, a new, scientific, economical, philosophical, they constitute a bill of rights to reveal the nations and for the people in those nations.

They offer a common political formula for all men, but recognize the rights of nations for any form of Government they choose, provided they do not seek to impose it upon their neighbors.

They recognize that political differences are not incompatible with economic collaboration and that such collaboration, if it is not in the interests of all, must rest upon common standards of labor and social security.

POLITICAL ENGLISH-SPEAKING POLICY IS ENUNCIATED

REVISION IS BREWING THROUGHOUT EUROPE

WE HAVE NOTHING TO LOSE BUT OUR PLACE IN HISTORY

THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED KINGDOM, with all the free dominions, have nothing to lose but their place in history, and they have a world to gain.

Today's Bible Thought

Side Glances

Advertisements for 'The Queen City's Hope Chest' and 'Visitin' Around'.