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DOG DAYS

Dog days are here and sultry weather seems to be the order of the day. St. Swithin's Day came in with showers, and according to legend we will have forty days of rain. Well so far there have been showers, but no real downpour but we have thirty days remaining for the old saint to make good. Personally I don't believe very strongly in these old saws of our grandmothers.

August is a good month usually with warm days and cool nights. Besides don't it bring us roasting ears, and what is better than that! Fruit of all kind is ripening on the trees. Harvest time is over and threshing season is here.

After all this old world of ours is a pretty good place in which to live, and best of all this good old U. S. A. is the finest place in which to dwell.

Who wouldn't be thankful that he is a citizen of this good old U. S. A?
 W. J. H.

A SPIDER IN THE PAPER

Many years ago Mark Twain was editor of a small-town newspaper. A reader wrote in saying that he had found a spider in his paper, and wanted to know if that was an omen of good or bad luck. Mark Twain answered: "Finding a spider in your newspaper is neither good nor bad luck. The spider was merely looking over our paper to see which merchant was not advertising so he could go to that store, spin his web across the door and lead a life of undisturbed peace ever afterward."

Retailing has come a long way since those days, and the art of advertising has undergone great development. And advertising, by stores or any other kind of business, is a typical outgrowth of the competitive system. It is the best possible means of reaching the people who want goods and services, of urging the merits of one brand as against another, and of encouraging the consumer to go to some particular retail outlet. That it benefits the consumer goes without saying. No storekeeper could long charge an excessive price with competitors offering in print the same or an equivalent product at a lower price. And deceptive advertising always defeats its own purpose. The wise merchant advertises aggressively, but he bases his story on appeal, not fiction.

The growth of the chain systems did much to encourage retail advertising. The chains advertised their merits in the search for trade—and the independents did the same thing in order to hold and to expand their own business. This was good for all concerned—consumers, stores and newspapers.

Salesmanship is a driving force in keeping the American economy running. Advertising is the heart of it.—Industrial News Review.

SOCIALIZED HOUSING

At long last, thanks to the lethargy and "I don't believe it will happen here" attitude of the average un-informed American and businessmen in particular, the government's social planners have their foot in the door of our private lives by reason of the bitterly fought, recently passed, subsidized, socialized housing bill.

No greater calamity could have befallen the Nation. It marks the first premeditated step toward the despised obnoxious welfare state, where men can no longer be free men but only servants of bureaucratic government. It marks the beginning of a breakdown in our moral

fibres—a gradual sapping of our strength and independence—a slow but sure way down the road to economic and spiritual bankruptcy. And to what poor purpose?

Untold billions will be spent for the wrong kind of housing over the next few years. No one can figure or even guess anywhere near what the cost will be in dollars—to say nothing of the demoralizing effect of such a one-sided, share-the-wealth program of helping those few who won't help themselves at the expense of the many, courageous, thrifty individuals and businesses who have contributed so much towards building and keeping America strong!

This something-or-nothing philosophy has ruined many nations in the past. It has caused the decline and decay of great peoples in other ages and countries. God grant that we in America awaken to our individual responsibilities before it is too late and that we make the necessary effort and personal sacrifices to keep our freedom and our free enterprise system intact.

This blank-check housing bill should never have been passed. In the final recorded vote, the majority for the bill was only 5 votes! If every business man had done his duty and protested this terrific tax burden which has been forced down the taxpayers' throats, it never would have passed. But somehow or other, lazy, short-sighted top-management has been so busy playing busy that they won't even turn on the water when their own house is burning down.

How long can this situation go on? And what must be done to shock people into a realization that government can't go on spending and spending and taxing and taxing without eventually collapsing—economically, spiritually, and completely? You be the judge. You make the decision.—Robert A. Jones, Editor of Plan.

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Let us mix a LAYING RATION
 Keep the eggs coming. Make your grain a balanced laying ration with...
 PURINA CHOWDER CONCENTRATE

Let us mix a HOG RATION
 Your grain properly balanced with Purina Hog Chow makes a top-notch hog growing and fattening ration.
 PURINA HOG CHOW CONCENTRATE

YOUR STORE WITH THE CHECKERBOARD SIGN
Taneytown Grain & Supply Co.

OUR DEMOCRACY

by Mat

"WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP?"

IN SOME COUNTRIES—EVEN TODAY— THAT QUESTION WOULD BE MEANINGLESS, FOR IN THESE COUNTRIES WHAT A MAN WILL BE IS LARGELY DETERMINED BY WHAT HIS FATHER WAS — OR WHAT HE IS TOLD TO BE.

THAT QUESTION HAS ALWAYS BEEN MEANINGFUL HERE IN AMERICA, WHERE EVERY CHILD THAT'S BORN HAS A CHANCE TO BE PRESIDENT. IN CREATING OUR DEMOCRACY, OUR FOREFATHERS SUCCESSFULLY STROVE TO GUARANTEE THAT EACH MAN BE ENABLED TO GO AS FAR AS HIS DESIRES AND ABILITIES WOULD TAKE HIM, COUPLING OPPORTUNITY FOR THE INDIVIDUAL WITH RESPONSIBILITY AND FULL FREEDOM OF CHOICE.

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Very
Soon
We
Will
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You**

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ABOUT
BUSINESS?
WHEN
CONSISTENT
ADVERTISING
WILL REMOVE
YOUR WORRIES**

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The undersigned will offer at public sale at his home in Stumptown, 2 miles north of Taneytown, on the east side of the Taneytown-Westminster road, on **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1949**, at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following:

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The Message May Help You

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But that's only the half of it! In terms of today's cost of living and the price increases of other commodities such as automobiles and houses, our 1949 Hotpoint Appliances actually cost a lot less than the corresponding models of 10 years ago.

For example, you can buy a new Hotpoint Refrigerator now for just \$189.75—only \$10 more than the comparable 1939 model, which gave you far fewer advantages. When you stop to think that the dollar today is worth only 60 per cent of what it was ten years ago, you can readily see how low appliance prices really are now.

The appliance industry has done a great job of building new and better products, while still maintaining the low prices you want. Hotpoint, for example, has accomplished this by

careful planning—having completed the industry's greatest postwar expansion program to provide for more efficient production facilities.

Because you get record quality at such low cost, we can say sincerely that now is the time to buy an appliance. In the making your selection, however, be sure to look them all over, compare values and ask your friends who know from experience.

We think you'll choose Hotpoint, because we honestly believe that these appliances are as fine as technical facilities and human skill can produce—and priced as low as any other make of comparable quality.

We invite you to inspect the latest models and see why we say you can "Look to Hotpoint for the Finest—First"—why you can get the greatest dollar-for-dollar values ever offered—right now!

HOTPOINT, Inc.

See These Great Electric Appliance Values At ...

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Center Square

Dial 4384

Taneytown, Md

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OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

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SHOOT STORY
That Old Mr. Crane
 By ANNA E. WILSON

OLD MR. CRANE sat in a padded armchair before the fire in his room. The pipe and tobacco on the table beside him went untouched. Old Mrs. Cranston had given him the pipe and tobacco, the armchair and the basement furnace and sometimes swept the floor.

3-Minute Fiction

Old Mr. Crane began to think about himself as he'd have liked to have been. He might dream that he'd had a fine father and mother, maybe a doctor and a teacher. Someone whose money came in regular and who'd have seen that he got educated; who could have found what he was suited to and maybe given him a start. He'd have married, well, someone like Alda Rich, who used to ride her bicycle past his father's house and who sometimes stopped to speak to him. Alda was Dr. Rich's daughter and spoke to everybody. A nice girl, not stuck-up or proud.

The children would have been like Alda, too. Two boys and two girls. He'd have called the elder girl Alda and one of the boys for himself, Milton Crane, Jr. People would have written it that way on letters. He'd seen it that way when he'd carried in the mail for old Dr. Rich that summer when he mowed lawns for his keep. Dr. Rich had given him many a stray quarter on the side.

"Seems as if such a rich country should be able to give you a better chance, son." Young as he was, he felt something both sorrowful and angry in the doctor's voice.

After Algy, the smallest, got pneumonia and died, their father had failed. He and Sam had quit school and gone to work, he himself into the grocery business. But he drifted from job to job. Sam put it in words, "It's not that you don't mean right or that you're lazy, but it seems like you have got to be moving." Sam had always been good to him just the same as he had been good to Dad. Sam was dead now. He'd felt bad when Sam died.

He'd moved around just as Sam said, and when he was young and strong, he'd managed pretty well—harvesting, lumbering, sailing once on a boat. It's a life that's hard on a man, having no proper comforts. Once Sam had come out to visit



Seemed the girls got tired of him and looked to steadier men.

him. "You're getting no younger. Maybe you should think of marrying and settling down."

IN THE end, he'd had to help out Sam. It hadn't been much he'd had to give Sally when Sam died, but until Sam's boy grew up, he'd stayed at that elevator and worked hard. Sally'd asked him to come and live with them, but Sally had a nice house and, after knocking around all over, a man gets kind of rough. It wouldn't have been fitting, and he'd always tried to do what was fitting.

It was in the hospital that Mrs. Cranston found him. She'd given him the room and the chair and yesterday she'd given him the tobacco and the pipe, although the furnace was black out.

"Never mind the furnace," she'd said, "We'll get someone to look after that—just rest."

She knew. She was his kind. They must have told her that he hadn't long to go. It was nice here, dreaming of Alda by the fire, and, maybe, a kid or two, though he'd known well, it wasn't fitting for him to be looking at Alda Rich after her father died.

He must have fallen asleep and been talking again for old Mrs. Cranston, who had been Alda Rich, come in. She was holding a glass and there were tears in her voice when she spoke.

"Drink this, Milt, you've just been having a bad dream."
 Released by WNU Features.

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 — OF —
Grade Guernsey Dairy Cows
 T. B. Accredited
 CALF HOOD VACCINATED FOR BANGS

On account of labor conditions, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale, 1 mile west of Taneytown, Carroll Co., Maryland, on Route 32, on

Thurs., Aug. 25, 1949
 at 1:00 o'clock, P. M., (D.S.T.), the following:
 32 HEAD OF DAIRY CATTLE

16 cows, in high production; 10 cows, some will be fresh by day of sale; the rest close springers and fall cows; 4 bred heifers, 3 soon to freshen, 1 later; 2 open heifers, 16 months old. This herd has been bred to a registered Guernsey bull; average butterfat test of past year 4.50 per cent.

DAIRY EQUIPMENT
 2 Surge milking units; Vacuum pump and pipe line, 6-can Westinghouse Drop-in Unit milk cooler, 1 dairy wash tub, cream separator, 15 ten-gallon cans, 3 seven-gallon cans, milk strainers and buckets, Papee 13-inch ensilage cutter and pipe; line shaft, pulleys and clutch.

TERMS CASH.
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 Delivery in November or December
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LOOK OVER OUR SAMPLES.
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 TANEYTOWN, MD.

Italian Children Aided by U.N.

A young street musician plays to a cafe on a Naples piazza, while his crippled "partner" collects the money. Sights such as this one are common in postwar Italy, where lack of proper food and treatment is turning many youngsters into professional beggars. To counteract this situation, the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF) is now providing meals, clothing and medicine to almost 1,000,000 children and expectant mothers. UNICEF is also inoculating millions of Italians against tuberculosis.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat
FRUITS OF THEIR OWN LABOR

"If we can prevent the government from wasting the labors of the people under the pretense of caring for them, they will be happy."
 —THOMAS JEFFERSON.

THE WISDOM OF THAT PHILOSOPHY, TO WHICH WE IN AMERICA HAVE ADHERED, IS EVIDENT IN THE HISTORY OF THE WORLD OVER THE LAST 150 YEARS.

THE EXPERIENCE IN THOSE COUNTRIES WHERE THE GOVERNMENT HAS ENDEAVORED TO DO FOR THE PEOPLE WHAT THEY COULD BETTER DO FOR THEMSELVES, IS IN SHARP CONTRAST WITH THE EXPERIENCE IN AMERICA AND THE OTHER DEMOCRACIES.

WITH FULL FREEDOM OF CHOICE AND ACCEPTANCE OF INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY, WE IN AMERICA HAVE BEEN ABLE TO ATTAIN THE HIGHEST STANDARD OF LIVING AND FAMILY SECURITY IN THE WORLD, FAR HIGHER THAN ANY COUNTRY HAS BEEN ABLE TO ESTABLISH FOR ITS PEOPLE THROUGH STATE PROVISION.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

- Weapons
- Internal decay of fruit
- Crawl
- Periods of time
- Commands
- On the ocean
- Music note
- Described
- Negative reply
- Every
- Ova
- Music note
- Seize
- Lit again
- Slant
- Any fruit drink
- Cry of pain
- Contend
- Break suddenly
- North (abbr.)
- Plagued
- Part of "to be"
- Dull pain
- A father or mother
- Frees of moisture
- Little cat
- Wavy (Her.)
- Resorts
- DOWN
- Prepared
- Color
- A gift for merit
- Frolic
- Past
- Drip through ashes
- Compass point
- Woody perennial
- Mountain defile
- Mournful
- Mast
- Frozen desserts
- Eye
- Epoch
- River (Chin.)
- Midday
- Establishes
- Honey-gathering insect
- Tenor
- Lower case (abbr.)
- Musical instrument
- Horse (poet.)
- Tops of mountains
- Cushion
- Beige
- Front part of the leg
- Fall in drops
- Pig pen
- Greek letter
- Selenium (sym.)

Answer to Puzzle Number 34

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DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 114.

Singing Holidays
Lesson for August 14, 1949

IF A CITIZEN of the U.S.A. observed all the holidays that are officially counted as legal, somewhere in his wide country, he would have 43 days off every year. Holidays are a national habit in all countries. Not content with what the law gives us, we take our personal vacations besides. But how many holidays do we sing about? (One might even dare to ask, how many are worth singing about?) In the United States, there are known to this writer no New Year songs, none for Decoration day or Labor day, none for Armistice day, none for the various birthdays celebrated hither and yon. (Who ever heard of a song to commemorate Thomas Jefferson?) We may not even sing on our personal vacations, we are too busy working up a sun-tan. On the other hand, we could hardly think of Independence day, Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter without being reminded of the songs that go with them—The Star Spangled Banner or America the Beautiful for the Fourth of July, Now Thank We All Our God in November, and all the Christmas and Easter carols.



Dr. Foreman

God and Country
IT looks as if some kinds of holidays produce songs and others don't. It appears to be a general rule: If the holiday is specially patriotic or religious, then people sing; otherwise they don't. God and country, in short, arouse emotion and enthusiasm which (for example) the memory even of a great man like Jefferson, or the planting of a tree, does not. This is generally true throughout the world. It was true in ancient Israel, for many of the Psalms are holiday hymns, festival songs. Some years ago a religious denomination issued a new hymn book. One minister roundly denounced the book because it had introduced a few patriotic hymns. "My Country, 'tis of Thee" has no place in public worship, he said.

If that man had been a closer student of the Psalms, he would not have made such a criticism. Most patriotic hymns are really prayers for one's native land; Psalms 105 and 106 are only two of a number of Psalms which are in the best sense of the word patriotic.

If the reader will look through the Psalms for himself, noting all the references to God and to Israel, remembering that Israel was the name of the poet's country, he will be convinced that in those times as in these, love for God and love for country are singable.

Hallelujah
OUR word "Hallelujah" is Hebrew, and comes from the Psalms. It means "Praise ye the Lord!" Incidentally, it is a religious word, and should not be used, as it so often is, irreverently or lightly. Psalms 111-118 in our Bible were sung as a group, and called the Hallel, or the Praise. The Hallel was sung regularly at the three great holiday festivals: Passover (near our Easter time), Pentecost (in early summer, ancestor of our Whitsunday), and Tabernacles (in the fall).

When our Lord had his "Last Supper" he and his friends would sing these very Psalms. The "hymn" they sang before they went out was very probably the latter part of this group, 116-118, always sung at the end of the Passover meal.

The note of praise in these Psalms is very strong. They are not in a minor key.

Parodies
A SAD FACT today is that the un-Christian world, which does not understand religion at all, has taken over our religious holidays but leaves the religion out. The result is a parody, something without rhyme or reason. Take a look, next winter, at Christmas greeting cards for sale. You will find scotty pups, all sorts of things, more easily than you will find true Christmas messages.

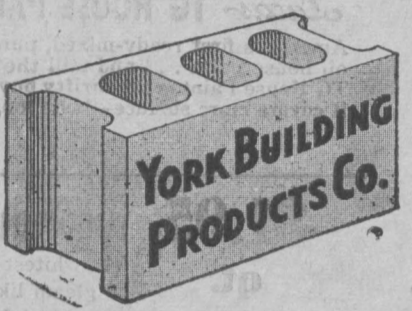
For people who are not Christians, Christmas is only Xmas, a time for exchanging useless presents, a time for shopkeepers to make money.

And as for Easter, there are cities where the big items are only the bunnies and the parade, neither of which has the slightest thing to do with the real Easter.

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Average Man Works Half as Much Now To Clothe Family

NEW YORK.—The average man works only half as hard today to clothe his family as he did in 1914.

The national industrial conference board, an independent fact-finding organization, in a survey found the working man in 1948 spent the equivalent of less than five hours' work a week to buy clothes for his family whereas he had to work more than nine hours a week in 1914 to get the money.

"The purchasing value of the wage earners' clothing dollar has more than doubled over the 34-year period," said the board. "The three-fold rise in clothing prices has been overshadowed by the sixfold increase in wages over the hourly rate of 25 cents in 1914.

"The wage earner could in 1948 outfit himself with an overcoat, gloves, hat, suit, shirt, socks, and shoes and pay the bill by working 61 hours.

"The 1914 wage earner would have had to work 153 hours for the same outfit."

On the same scale, a woman's hat cost one and a half hours work in 1948 and four hours in 1914.

Two factors in the cost difference were pointed out. The average family size in 1914 was 4.88 persons compared with 3.61 persons last year. But the board found the modern family buys a greater variety and larger amounts of clothing, with the increase in personal consumption amounting to almost 50 per cent in the 34 years.

Furthermore the expenditures for heavy clothing has declined in the period because of advances in home heating and travel in automobiles.

In the past 34 years, woman have taken over a larger and larger share of the clothing dollar, the board found. In 1914 the man spent 50 per cent more for his clothing than he permitted his wife to spend. But today, the woman spends 30 per cent more for her outfits than her husband does for his.

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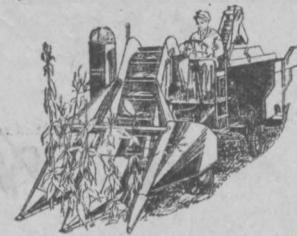
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SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—Reports that the grave of Johnny Appleseed in Fort Wayne, Ind., has fallen into neglect inspired a movement to have the remains of the fabulous orchard planter brought back to Springfield.

Appleseed—his real name was John Chapman—generally is believed to have been born in Springfield. His cross-country sowing of apples seeds won him his better-known name.

He died at Fort Wayne March 11, 1847.

A chamber of commerce campaign to transfer Chapman's remains was joined by Mayor Daniel B. Bunton.

"We'd be glad to have him rest here," said the Mayor, "in the heart of Johnny Appleseed Park."

Gads Invade Britain To Get Free Dentures

LONDON.—The house of commons got its teeth into a touchy topic:

Are aliens coming over in waves to get free British dentures?

Sir Waldron Smithers, 63-year-old Conservative, was the first to bare his uppers.

He called the house's attention to a government leaflet which he said offered medical, dental, and nursing care to visitors to Britain under the national health services act.

Sir Waldron wanted to know if this is legal.

"I have all sorts of letters of people coming here and getting spectacles and false teeth and going to Antwerp and selling them," he said.

Sir Waldron added that a French doctor told him many of his patients who could afford the fare came to Britain for free treatment and that French doctors were "having a bad time as a result."

All this, he said bitingly, is "part of the Socialist technique of telling the whole world that the Socialist government of England would give free this and that at a time when we were living on the charity of America."

Arthur Blenkinsop, parliamentary secretary for the minister of health, said Sir Waldron's fears "about an invasion of our shores by people who want false teeth and spectacles are a figment of the imagination."

Hypnotism May Be Used To Lessen Dentist Fear

TROY, ALA.—Soon you may be able to believe that "painless dentist" sign.

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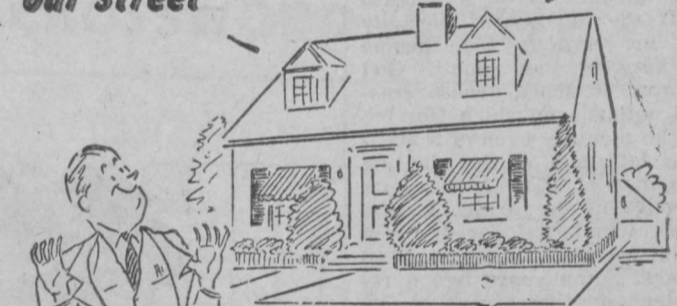
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