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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Plew of 319 E. Fort Wayne St., Warsaw, Indiana, are the proud parents of a nine pound boy, born at the McDonald hospital, Saturday, September 21st. The new arrival was named Robert Devon. Mrs. Plew will be remembered as Miss Frances Rush, former secretary for the Co-Op. News.

• Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Meredith are the proud parents of a baby son, born September 29, who has been named James Kay. The child is blessed with having ten grandparents: two grandmothers, two grandfathers, four great-grandmothers and two great-grandfathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis welcomed their home, Friday, October 11th, a daughter weighing six and a half pounds. The new arrival has not been named at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren See, of Palestine, welcomed a baby boy weighing 10 pounds to their home, Monday October 7th.

First Amendment to Constitution

The first amendment to the United States Constitution reads: "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble and to petition the government for a redress of grievances."

BOY'S JACKET FOUND.

A boys dark blue Zipper jacket, size about ten, was found by Mr. S. Nowl Saturday afternoon on the first road east of the John Goodman farm. Owner can secure same by calling at the Country Print Shop, proving ownership, and paying for this notice.

Woman Invented Postage Stamps

Great Britain is commonly supposed to be the home of the first postage stamp, issued in 1840. But France claims to have first used a postal stamp in 1632. It was invented by a woman, the Duchess of Longueville. Its design showed a little boy on a horse, blowing a trumpet.—Pearson's Weekly.

WORLD WIDE GUILD

The Senior World Wide Guild met last Tuesday evening, October 9, at the home of Miss Flo Mollenhour. Willadean Janke gave a very interesting talk. Plans for the coming month were discussed. Those present were: Jean Manwaring, Betty Lyons, Louise Paulus, Willadean Janke, Annabel Wagner, Jeanette Blue, Annabel Baker, Dorothy Nottingham, Mrs. Baker, Charlene Latham and the hostess Flo Mollenhour.

Patient at Hospital.

Marvin Mahoney, two month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mahoney of Claypool, is a patient at the childrens hospital, at Indianapolis.

Spontaneous Combustion

Under certain circumstances the phenomenon known as spontaneous combustion may occur, this being ignition without the application of any external source of heat. Heaps of rags, soot, paper, cotton waste, when strongly lubricated with oil are liable to break out into flames. This is the result of oxidation, which under favorable conditions such as insufficient ventilation may accumulate heat enough to raise the material to the ignition point. Green hay, like charcoal, finely divided coal and other substances, is subject to spontaneous combustion.

MENTONE MAN ARRESTED

Joseph Swain, 54, a resident of Mentone, was arrested Thursday night by Sheriff Virgil Yeager, charged with contributing to the delinquency of minors. He was placed in the county jail at Warsaw.

Home of Famous Fiddle Makers

In the Seventeenth and Eighteenth centuries Cremona, an Italian town, was famous as the home of first-class instrument makers, among them being Andrea Amati, his son Antonio, his pupil, Antonius Stradivarius, and Guarnerius, the pupil of Stradivarius. Genuine violins made by any of these are very valuable.

U. S. Consuls

Consuls are really a group of commercial agents, who represent the interests of the United States in every important trading center in the world.

PSI IOTA XI

Members of the Psi Iota Xi held their October business meeting at the home of Mrs. Helen Brown. A favorable report was given from the candy stand at the County Fair. A donation was made to the Salvation Army, and it was voted to subscribe to a membership of the Book of the Month Club and to give these books to the Public Library. It was also voted to have a stand at the Halloween celebration. A very interesting paper on "My Leisure Time" was read by Mrs. Mabel Norris. Active members were present, also Mrs. Hilda Tucker, President of Angola Chapter.

Home of Giants

About in the middle of southern Norway there rises from the great central plateau a vast wilderness of peaks and glaciers. This national park—for that is what it really is—is the Jotunheim a name which means the Home of the Giants. In the Norse mythology it is considered the home of the Jotuns (giants), trolls and other enemies of the good gods, consequently the home of everything evil. Except for a few hunters no one had seen much of this dreaded district until a little more than 100 years ago, when two scientists of Oslo "discovered" it.

The Collimator

A collimator is a fixed telescope with spider-lines in its focus, used to adjust a second telescope by looking through it in a reverse direction with the latter, so that images of the spider-lines are formed in the focus of the second telescope, as if they originated in a distant point.

The Timber Rattler

The timber rattler is a larger and more formidable snake than the copperhead, owing to its longer fangs and the greater amount of poison it injects. Its color is yellow, with wavy cross-bands of black or dark brown. Another color phase is dark olive with black cross-bands.

Bullet Moves Faster Upward

A bullet moves faster when it leaves the gun if it is fired up into the air instead of downward.

May Be Few of Them

"De smartest man," said Uncle Eben, "is de one who remembers dat maybe he kin be fooled some time or other, same as other folks."

BAPTIST CONVOCATION

HELD HERE

Delegates from the seventeen Baptist Churches of the Logansport Association met with local Baptists for the annual associational gathering September 19 and 20. During the two days of program between four and five hundred registrations were recorded. The Moderator, Rev. C. F. Golden, of Chili, called the sessions to order at 9:30 Thursday. The annual sermon was given by Rev. J. W. Huring, of the First church of Peru. The Missionary speaker for the program was Miss Elsie Root.

The evening session on Thursday was designated the Young People's session. An attendance banner was presented to the B. Y. P. U., of Perysburg. The speaker of the evening, Mr. Charles A. Wells, world traveler and lecturer, spoke on the Gospel relative to world problems. Seven hundred attended this session. The 1936 association is to be held at Kawanna, with our local pastor, Rev. R. O. Yeager chosen to deliver the annual sermon.

Invention of Lithography

The inventor of lithography was Alois Senefelder (1771-1834). He was a Bavarian actor and dramatist. Not over successful, he tried to be his own printer and publisher, to that end experimenting with metal plates, Solenhofen stone, acids and inks. His mother asked him one day to write her laundry list. Paper not being convenient, he wrote it with his greasy ink on a smooth stone upon which he practiced writing in reverse. Later, instead of cleaning off the writing, he tried etching the stone and pulling a proof. What resulted was his discovery of reller engraving on stone. Subsequent experiments led to his development of lithography.

Ararat Belongs to Turkey

Ararat, the site of the ending of the cruise of Noah's Ark, was ceded to Turkey by Persia several years ago in exchange for a strip of territory along the border between the two countries.

Wars of the Roses Brutal

The Wars of the Roses were marked by a ferocity and brutality practically unknown in the history of English wars before and since.

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• Mrs. Retha Herendeen and mother, Mrs. Kertcher, spent a few days last week in Indianapolis.

Second hand chairs and rockers, and Library tables. See them. I. F. Snyder Furniture Store.

• Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemler and daughter Phyllis, spent Sunday in Churubusco, with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lemler.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kinsey and son, who have been guests at the Cattell home, returned to Providence Rhode Island, Friday.

Members of the Mentone Economic Club were guests of the Tippecanoe Club October 2nd, at the home of Mrs. Curt Nellans.

• Mr. and Mrs. Ray Riner and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tucker and Edison Tucker will leave Sunday for Texas, where they will stay for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Songer and sons motored to Veedersburg Friday October 11th, where they visited relatives and friends over the weekend.

Apples For Sale—Golden Delicious, Red Delicious, Grimes Golden, York Imperial. Muffins Orchard, ¼ mile west of Mentone, on state road 25. M. O. Smith.

Mr. Ray Ward's Sunday School Class had a pot-luck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Griffiths, Friday, October 11. A very delightful evening was enjoyed by all. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Greulach, Miss June Aughinbaugh, Miss Blackburn, Miss Gretta Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lash, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lackey and daughter Rowena, and Mr. and Mrs. Rev. DeWitt.

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Health of Snakes in Zoos

The health of snakes in zoos is subject to an unending series of ups and downs. The "doux" occur when the reptile is about to shed its skin. When this "sloughing" as the keepers call it, is about to begin, the snake loses its normal color, and its eyes go very dull. Then the skin begins to come away and the snake is in for rather a bad time.

Depth of St. Lawrence River

A few miles from its mouth the St. Lawrence river is 1,200 feet deep.

Largest Great Lakes Dry Dock

• Lorain, Ohio, has the largest dry dock on the Great Lakes.

Canaries at School

The finest canaries are now given a university musical training. First-class musicians are engaged to play to cages of promising young pupils, revealing to them the full range of instruments like the violin, harp, water organ, and chimes. Listening intently, the birds learn to recapture the notes with their wonderful voices. According to one professor a trained canary should be master of the glucke, glucke roll, water glucke, deep bubbling water tour, hollow roll, hollow bell, bell roll, bell tour, bell glucke, water roll, schockel, and flutes. These singing lessons are conducted in specially built soundproof laboratories. A discordant note, coming from outside, might easily ruin months of patient tuition. —Tit-Bits Magazine.

Old Armory Now Museum

The former armory of the Counts of Saxony at Dresden has been transformed into a museum, where valuable gloves and footwear of bygone centuries are preserved in glass cabinets. Exhibits include the shoes worn by August the Strong as a child and a pair in ribbed silk which this nobleman wore for his coronation as king of Poland in September, 1697.

Caterpillar Honored

A memorial hall is about to be erected to the honor of a caterpillar. The insect has been the means of reclaiming vast acres of land once covered with the prickly pear, which made the land useless. After the caterpillar has been through it the land is available for agricultural purposes.

Industry Widespread

Almost every state in the Union has one or more enterprises engaged in the manufacture of electrical goods. The largest producers are Illinois, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, each of which has an annual production running well above \$100,000,000.

Many Bananas in Bunch

A single bunch of bananas, holding 16 dozen fruit, some of them 12½ inches in circumference, was displayed at Nambour, in the forest country of Queensland, Australia. The smallest fruit on the bunch measured 10 inches.

Road Trains for Desert

Road trains, consisting of a heavy motor truck and many trailers, are to haul mica and other mineral deposits across the desert region of Central Australia.

Fowl Play

"But weren't you scared when you ran through that flock of geese at 70 miles an hour, dad?"
"No, but I sure was covered with goose-flesh."

Guard Your Thinking Habits

To be interested in truth is really to be interested in your own thinking and worried about getting it right.

Coarse Powder Used

Grains of smokeless powder for some guns are as large as a human thumb.

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| RITZ CRACKERS, 1 Pound Box | 23c |
| PINK SALMON, 2 Tall Cans | 27c |
| FRESH OYSTERS, 1 Pint | 25c |
| HOME STORE BUTTER, Pound | 30c |

Languages Spoken in Belgium

In 1932 the chamber of deputies and the senate adopted the government's bill which divides Belgium into three sections for administrative purposes: In the first, Walloon, only French is used officially; in Flanders, Flemish; while the Brussels district remains bilingual. The law does not apply to Eupen and Malmedy, German-speaking annexed districts.

The Niagara River

The Niagara river connects Lake Erie and Lake Ontario.

Birth of Rubber Industry

The year 1839 marks the birth of the rubber industry.

Proof of the Gun

When Bedouins wish to purchase a gun, and want to know whether it works well, they merely look around for any passer-by, and aim at them to test the accuracy of the piece. If they hit, they will purchase the gun, but if they miss, they will refuse to do so.

Fish Has Only One Coat

Many animals and birds periodically have a new coat. Some of the fur or feathers drop out and are replaced by fresh. A fish, however, only has one coat of scales. As the fish grows so the scales grow, in proportion. The scales are really very thin, bony plates that overlap like the slates on a house top.—Pearson's Weekly.

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Indians Used Sand Dunes

The Indians sent smoke signals from the Michigan sand dunes during tribal wars and held councils with the missionaries upon them. Occasionally the shifting sand uncovers remains of prehistoric villages and piles of stone implements, buried for many centuries.

THIS 'N' THAT

Gossip is told with tears that envenom it.

Love will find a way, but is that always best?

In age one prefers no events to exciting ones.

Laziness may be only the result of one's endocrines.

Are you troubled with nerves? Plow three acres of corn.

Laziness may be a disease; perhaps diligence can be, too.

Even crooks like people who are sincere and outspoken.

"When money talks it is in the form of a money-logue."

Every man who thinks of his work as a career will go farther.

"Some people who try to get in the swim, merely get into hot water."

Dignity is something you exhibit when you raise children properly.

Governments always spend money as if nobody had to work hard for it.

Most of the time we live better because of the old ideas, not the new ones.

You don't have to openly agree with anyone unless you want to; or openly disagree.

You can't tell. Maybe the fish goes home and brags about the size of the bait he stole.

Two dozen talkie films were made in Bengal in 1932, a 100 per cent increase over 1931.

A good many Americans are so constructed that they can't be a "follower" of anyone.

People will talk about the weather because they want to be sociable with out saying anything.

Compulsory marriage for all men and women before the age of thirty is one object of a new political party in Brazil.

Long-Range Forecasts

Dr. Irving Krick of the California Institute of Technology recently explained a system by which weather has been accurately predicted for periods up to 10 days. The system, according to Pathfinder Magazine consists of observing the variations in the height of the boundary between the stratosphere and the lower air layers. These variations are caused by shifts in the upper layers of the lower air and the lower layers of the stratosphere, and result in changes of the atmospheric pressure. Since atmospheric pressure

has a direct bearing upon the weather, observations of the stratosphere boundary enables the forecasters to anticipate conditions and make their predictions.

Vanilla Preferred

Men form 51 per cent of the buyers of ice cream, and in soda dispensing establishments and similar places it is an item that figures in more sales than anything else in stock. Last year for all of America the per capita consumption was 2.82 gallons. For the entire country, vanilla ice cream comprises 50 per cent of all sold, chocolate accounts for 10 per cent and strawberry 8 per cent.

Medals for Large Families

For the past 15 years France has awarded a decoration to mothers for raising large families: a bronze medal for having five children, a silver one for having eight and a gold one for having ten or more. Yet, despite this and other encouragement, France today has to depend on immigration to maintain her population.—Collier's Weekly.

Tree Growth

One of nature's oddities is that a tree expands as the seasons pass and height is attained only by new growth at the top of the tree. Hence, if a live tree be used as a fence post, ten, fifteen or twenty years later, the wires would be no higher from the ground.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Singing Fireman

Honolulu fire department has a glee club which in off-duty moments rides around town serenading the citizens, a unique condition found in perhaps no other American city.

Army Holds Horse Shows

Horse shows are an interesting feature of U. S. army life at Schofield barracks, 30 miles from the American city of Honolulu.

One-Way Conversation

Telephone Operator—It costs 75 cents to talk to Bloomfield.

Caller—Can't you make a special rate for just listening? I want to call my wife.—Associated Magazines.

They'll Bear Watching

Mrs. A.—I like to have a man about, don't you?

Mrs. B.—Provided I know what he is about.

Rest in Peace

"I specialize in sleeping tablets.
"Oh, so you're a druggist?"
"No, a tombstone maker."

Rooms in White House

There are 70 rooms in the White House, including 20 bedrooms, 10 bathrooms and 4 toilet rooms, 5 halls and corridors, and 10 storage rooms.

When Faces Stop Growing

Girls' faces are said to stop growing by the thirteenth or fourteenth year; those of boys continue to develop for several years beyond that age.

Water Plants as Food

The pond lily has tuberous underground stems several feet in length which are rich in starch. In fact, the moose, largest of all North American mammals, is known to feed on these stems of the pond lily and other aquatic plants. The cattail and swamp grasses also have stems and roots of sufficient size to serve as food for an elephant. Here then was the food for this extinct race of curious beasts, which ranged across the deserts of Asia and North America.

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.

Earlyday Pickpockets in England

During the Eighteenth century the courts and levees held in the royal palaces of England welcomed almost anyone. Consequently pickpockets were numerous and active. However, writes Andrew W. Robertson, London, Eng., in Collier's Weekly, these "mixed" receptions were stopped in 1792 after one of these light-fingered lads, during a levee at St. James' palace, made the inexcusable mistake of picking all the pockets of the prince of Wales.

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 1900 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.

Original Copies of Bills

The original copy of a bill signed by the President or passed over his veto is sent to the Department of State, where a certified copy is made which is given to the public printer. It is then printed from the certified copy into a form known as slip sheets, and later is included in the United States Code of Permanent Laws. The original copy remains with the Department of State.

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.

As the Blood Circulates

It takes 15 seconds for the blood to circulate through our bodies; thus it passes through the heart four times every minute.

WHEAT NEWS

Control Program May be Terminated as a Necessity

By Charles M. Maddox, District Agent, AAA.

The agriculture industry is different from other kinds of industry as it is composed of millions of farmers each having individual situations pertaining to their own farms. One thing all these farmers have in common is the price they receive for their product.

In order to unite agriculture it is necessary for them to co-operate only in the things they share in common. The thing that regulates the price is production. Therefore, the AAA has sought to enlist all of the farmers co-operation in controlling their production. The necessity for this is the loss of export trade, and the mood of the American people in which they don't care to sell our surpluses abroad in order to buy things from these nations to sell in America, thereby causing some other industry to suffer. As the economic prosperity of the nation depends upon a fair distribution of the national income. It becomes necessary for the farmers to co-operate among themselves as well as in a general way with other business.

That it was necessary to create some plan of economic control in 1932-33 is shown by the fact that at that time the total debt on American industry was 285 billion dollars against a net worth of 280 billion dollars, which means in plain English it was broke. Agriculture owed 12 billion dollars and had a net worth of 30 billion dollars. The average American farm income has been 10 billion dollars and that had fallen to 5 billion dollars. The past year this income increased to about 7½ billion dollars. The fact that the farmer buys 40 per cent of the goods manufactured in the United States, and Montgomery Ward statistics show that when a 10 per cent increase in farm prices occur there is a corresponding rise in wages and a like increase in purchases.

This only goes to show that a fair price to the farmer not only helps him but the entire nation as a whole, and that today as yesterday agriculture is the basic industry for the United States.

Granting all this, the question as to whether each individual farmer should join in the control program is a personal one. Whether or not he improves his economic welfare, he is the one who must decide himself. During the years 1933-34 the contract signer's buying power in terms

of bushels of wheat was one-third more than the non-contract signers, in other words 3 bushels of a contract signers' wheat would buy as much as 4 bushels of a non-contract signer's wheat.

There is also the point of entire farm income to consider. Should a farmer believe that by raising more he can make more than by signing a contract. He must not lose sight of the fact that he improves the fertility of his soil and adds to the value of his farm by not cropping as heavily. But also the land he adds to his grazing land is improved in fertility, and he adds to livestock net profits by making cheaper gains by an abundance of feed or that he may increase his livestock in volume, and consequently profit in addition to his benefit payments.

It is important to look at the situation from many angles seeking to adopt the control program to your particular farm, ever remembering that it is a national as well as a personal decision you are making.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the many friends who did thoughtful things for my wife and I, during my recent stay in the hospital. The visits, flowers, cards and errands were all very much appreciated.

John M. Weissert.

Courts of Final Jurisdiction

Practically all countries have a court of final jurisdiction, but only those with government authorized under constitutions similar to that of the United States have courts empowered to void a legislative act on the ground that it is unconstitutional.

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.

Channel Narrow at Dover

At Dover, England, the channel is only 21 miles wide, Cape Griz-Nez being directly opposite on the French side.

Montreal, Largest in Canada

Montreal is the largest city of Canada, modern and its financial center, but gayly French in its way. It is an interesting combination of French and Scotch, the two most important elements in the founding and building of the city.

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The Redbud

The redbud grows from 25 to 50 feet high with heart-shaped, dark green leaves. The wood has little commercial value and is particularly hard and heavy.

Stepping Out

"A reckless squanderer," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "imagines he has found Aladdin's lamp when he is only burning the candle at both ends."

That Helps Some

"I ain't got no college education," said Uncle Eben. "But I work for education. Lots o' winter mornings dar wouldn't have been no classes if I hadn't started de fire."

Steel Pens Old

Steel pens for writing date back to the beginning of the Nineteenth century.

Inheritance Tax

Inheritance tax is a tax or duty imposed on the transfer of property at the owner's death, by inheritance or will, to an heir, devisee, or legatee.

The mill buys wheat, oats, corn.

GROCERY SPECIALS

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| Catsup, 14 oz. bottle | 10c |
| Wheaties, package | 11c |
| Lux Toilet Soap, | 6c |
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GOVERNMENT BANK UNSUITED TO U.S.

Would Serve Politics Rather Than Business Needs, Says R. S. Hecht, Citing Previous Experiences.

QUOTES PRESIDENT JACKSON

Extent and Diversity of This Country Presents Different Situation From Europe and Makes Regional Banking Necessary.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A refutation of arguments in favor of a government-owned central bank system for the United States is presented in a statement by R. S. Hecht, President of the American Bankers Association, based on exhaustive studies of European central banks. He also points out the disastrous consequences of previous central bank experiments in the United States.

"Our present regional Federal Reserve System under private ownership is infinitely better for this country than would be a government-owned and controlled central bank," Mr. Hecht says. "If history teaches us any thing, it is that it is almost certain that a central bank so owned would be run to meet the varying exigencies of the government in power rather than to serve the commercial needs of the country."

Central banking has been tried twice in the United States, but was finally abolished because the credit control which the central banks exercised became objectionable and unpopular, he goes on to say.

What Andrew Jackson Said

"The continued existence of the Second Bank finally became a bitter political issue and President Jackson succeeded in abolishing it," Mr. Hecht says. "Permit me to quote from his farewell address: 'The immense capital and peculiar privileges bestowed upon it enabled it to exercise despotic sway over the other banks in every part of the country. From its superior strength it could seriously injure, if not destroy the business of any of them which might incur its resentment. . . If you had not conquered, the government would have passed from the hands of the many to the hands of the few; and this organized money power, from its secret conclave, would have dictated the choice of your highest officers. . . The forms of your government might, for a time, have remained, but its living spirit would have departed from it.'"

When the Wilson Administration considered banking reform it carefully kept away from vesting central bank powers in a single institution and instead introduced the regional idea by creating twelve reserve banks located in different economic and geographical sections of the country. Mr. Hecht says

a plan that has worked exceedingly well because the separate banks are under the guidance of men chosen on account of their intimate acquaintance with the problems and needs of their respective territories. He continues:

"The great size and diversity of America tends to make a central bank undesirable. The central banks of Europe such as the Banks of England France and Germany, cover areas not as large as some of our states. A central bank in the United States on the other hand would be called upon to administer the financial policies of an area larger than all of Europe, in which there are quite a number of central banks.

Subservient to Popular Demands

"Moreover, history has proven that any banking system entirely owned and dominated by the government usually demonstrates much greater ability in aiding expansion of credit than in putting on the brakes at the right time to prevent undue inflation by restraining and contracting credit. This is easy to understand because in times of depression everyone is urging the government to make money and credit easy and to encourage expansion.

"On the other hand, it always has been and always will be a difficult task for any government to call a halt in time of apparent prosperity because in the very nature of things the government would be very sensitive to public criticism and would hesitate to take any action which would tend to curtail business activity. It is such undue susceptibility to popular demands which makes government banking inherently weak.

"Our studies show that of all the central banks at present existing there are only four whose stock is owned by the government. The newest central bank is that of Canada, which opened its doors only a few months ago after a most exhaustive study had been made of the experience of all nations with the result that the stock of the Bank of Canada is privately owned."

The American Bankers Association, Mr. Hecht says, is convinced that a central bank would not be in the interest of the public or the banks. His position, he added, is "well understood by the President and the leaders in his Administration for we have been abso lutely frank with them in all of our discussions and have missed no opportunity for emphasizing that in our opinion no banking system will in the long run, be sound if it is dominated entirely by the ever changing political administrations. We should do all we can to keep our banking mechanism as far removed from partisan politics as possible."

The Lysimeter

A lysimeter is a device to measure the percolation of rain through the soil or the amount of moisture in a liquid solution.

Milk Mostly Water

More than 87 per cent of a cow's milk is water. The remainder is milk sugar fat and protein.

The mill buys wheat, oats, corn.

SICK LIST,

Mrs. Miner Mollenhour is suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. E. Long has been reported as this date to be improving.

Mrs. Betty Clark is ill at the home of Mr. Emmit Clark near Silver Lake.

Mr. J. A. Champers, formerly of this city, is quite ill in the Kelley hospital in Argos.

Mrs. Henry Secor of Palestine is improving after having suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. John Weissert came home last Wednesday from the Rochester hospital, he is reported to be improving.

MENTONE NEWS

Good genuine Baldwin Grand Piano I. F. Snyder Furniture Store.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark spent Friday in Fort Wayne on business.

E. R. Rathfon and Delbert Hunter transacted business at the Chicago Stock Yards last week.

Second hand chairs and rockers, and Library tables. See them. I. F. Snyder Furniture Store.

Mrs. Oriana Osburn, of Port Arthur, Texas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Preish.

Miss Rosalind Mentzer has accepted a position as Home Economics teacher at Dowagiac, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mollenhour, and daughter Marjorie, and Mr. and Mrs. Latt Mollenhour spent Sunday of last week in Elkhart.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Snyder will visit their son and daughter, Ms. and Mrs. Robert E. Snyder at Evansville, next Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John Bautin of Akron, Ohio and Mrs. William Cox of Canton, O., visited the Hershel Nellans' and Broda Clark homes Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Snyder of Grand Rapids, Michigan, and Mrs. Anna Betters of Lima, Ohio, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Snyder.

Among those attending the Wabash Fair were: Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Norris, Mrs. Mace Sarber, Mr. and Mrs. L. Borton Mr. and Mrs. Lon Borton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed.

Hardest Resin

The hardest resin known is made from amber.

Profanity Irks Ape, King of Fire House

Camden, N. J.—Jocko is only a monkey at a firehouse, but he can tell the difference between profanity and the king's English.

When he hears a profane word, Jocko lets out screams until the person uttering the words is out of his sight.

The monkey is a ladies' man, even going so far as trying to kiss girls who give him a smile.

Like all monkeys, Jocko is mischievous. On several occasions he has thrown water on children, and one time he hurled an ice cream cone in a vender's face.

FEMALE SWINDLER DUPED THOUSANDS

Death of "Woman Ponzi" Recalls Her Daring Exploits.

Paris—Mme. Marthe Hanau, "financial wizard" and the "Woman Ponzi" of Paris died in her cell in a Paris jail just as she was completing six months of a three-year sentence for swindling. Her death was caused by an overdose of narcotics, source of which the authorities were unable to locate.

Her get-rich-quick schemes had withdrawn the savings from thousands of small savers throughout France. One of the most colorful figures in the nation's oft troubled financial world, she hobnobbed with government leaders, financiers, and other notables at the height of her career. At one time she operated a bank with 100 branches in France.

She published two journals which she used to advance her ideas. They were the Gazette du France and Forces, the latter being the cause of her latest contact with the police. In 1931 she was convicted with her former husband, Lazare Finch, on charges of swindling and was given two years in prison. As she had already been in jail for two years awaiting trial she was released.

Recently a secret report of the prefect of police concerning Mme. Hanau's activities was published in a newspaper. Pierre-Etienne Flandin, then minister of finance, claimed that it had been stolen.

Back in the hands of police, she started a hunger strike that lasted 13 days, focused the attention of France on her, and finally got her taken to a hospital. She escaped, however, and returned to the prison. There she got her old cell back and immediately renewed the hunger strike.

Vanishing of Child in 1828 Is Still Mystery

Washington, Mich.—One of Michigan's most mysterious disappearances, which occurred here in pioneer days, remains unexplained to this day.

Four-year-old Alanson Finch and an older brother, the sons of Albert

Finch, were in the woods near their home in March, 1828, when the boys separated to race each other home by separate routes. The older boy arrived to find that his brother had not appeared.

A search was immediately organized and for weeks scores of neighbors from miles distant helped beat the woods without result.

At about the same time, Kanobe, an Indian, who had played with the boys, disappeared, and it was believed by many that he had kidnaped the child. However, Kanobe later appeared and stoutly denied any knowledge of the child's whereabouts.

About 20 years later a youth appeared and told a story of having been kidnaped by Indians as a boy and claimed that he was the missing Finch lad. However, the family, after several tests, declared him an imposter, and he left the country.

To add to the mystery, the skull of a child was found in the woods years later, but positive identification was impossible.

East Indian Strong Man Kills Tiger With Stick

Calcutta.—M. K. Modi of Dumka, Bihar, has earned for himself the nickname of "Samson." Here are some of his feats:

Killed a tiger single-handed, armed only with a stick.

Killed a buffalo by twisting its horns till its neck broke.

Put to flight, by himself, a gang of 40 bandits. Saved the life of his servant, who fell down a well. He was just in time to catch the man's left ankle with one hand and hauled him back.

He Finds Tack in Pie, and It's Good for \$5

Seattle.—A tack in a piece of pie is worth \$5 to the eater, Superior Judge Chester A. Batchelor decided. He awarded Frederico Ferro that sum, following his suit against a restaurant and a bakery for \$525.

Babe Likes Tobacco

McAlester, Okla.—Most babies like ice cream cones or candy—but two-year-old John M. Mullean, Jr., will have a cigar, if you don't mind.

There's nothing like a good cigar, or even a chew of tobacco, for him.

Strong Thief Sought

Seattle, Wash.—King county deputies are searching for a "heavy-fingered" thief who stole 30 steel rails from the track of a logging company railroad.

Iran and Iraq

Iran and Iraq are the official names respectively for Persia and Mesopotamia.

The Indian Sun Dance

The Indian ceremony known as the sun dance is in use among Plains Indians and lasts from one to eight or ten days. It is generally held about the time of the summer solstice.

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STRAIGHT FURROW. HOBBY OF FARMERS

The plow is more than a symbol of agriculture. To be able to plow a straight, clean furrow, is a real professional accomplishment and one of which any farmer worthy of the name may well be proud. On most farms plowing is the one big job of the year and with the fall plowing at hand, there is reason to give as much attention to this tool as to any other on the farm.

In a normal season there is limited time available for plowing and seed-bed preparation in the spring, while in the fall 30 days or more may be allowed as suitable for plowing.

Grain stubble, when left standing, robs the soil of moisture and rainfall is conserved to a much greater extent in plowed ground than in hard stubble. In sections menaced by the Hessian fly and other wheat stem insects, careful work must be done with a plow which will penetrate hard ground and at the same time do a thorough job of coverage.

In appearance, plows have changed but little in the past few years, nevertheless their improvement has been marked. Even walking plows have been improved much over those of the pre-war period, according to the committee representing the American Society of Agricultural Engineers in their recent study.


United States Consumes Half of World's Lumber

According to "The Year Book" of the New York Society of Architects, "the United States produces and consumes, roundly, half of all the lumber of the world. About 80 per cent of all residences in the United States are wood-built; and on the farms, 98 per cent of all structures. On account of its abundance, prevalence and comparative cheapness, lumber has been crucially associated with the economic history of the country.

"Even today, after the advent of many different competing materials, the lumber industry ranks near the top with some 20,000 mills, \$7,000,000,000 of capital investment, employing directly and indirectly more than a million men in good times and a larger producing capacity than it had when the mills were twice as numerous. With the disappearance of the frontier, the industry is changing from a purely extractive to a reproducing industry. The private forests are beginning to be systematically regrown and perpetuated; already about 40 per cent of all lumber comes from renewed forests. Part of this adaptation are the vast public forests containing about one-half the total standing timber, which are on a sustained yield basis."

Dental Gold Varies

Dental gold varies considerably in percentage. That used for foil fillings is 22 to 24 carat. Crown gold is 22 carat; inlay gold, 18 to 22 carat, and that used for bridge work for mechanical strength is all under 18 carat.



Leaf tobacco being used to light a Chesterfield

United States Treasury Building

From 1900 up to 1934 the leaf tobacco used for cigarettes increased from
13,084,037 lbs. to
326,093,357 lbs.;
an increase of 2392%

It takes mild ripe tobacco to make a good cigarette.

During the year ending June 30, 1900, the Government collected from cigarette taxes \$3,969,191
For the year ending June 30, 1934, the same taxes were \$350,299,442
an increase of 8725%
—a lot of money.

Cigarettes give a lot of pleasure to a lot of people.

More cigarettes are smoked today because more people know about them—they are better advertised.

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Chesterfield is made of mild, ripe tobaccos. Everything that science knows about is used in making it a milder and better-tasting cigarette.

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