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And oppress not the widow, nor the fatherless, the stranger, nor the poor; and let none of you imagine evil against his brother in your heart .- Zechariah 7:10.

Whatever we give to the wretched, we lend to fortune.—Seneca.

### GIVE THIS ORDINANCE A CHANCE

Any new municipal ordinance, such as Wisconsin Rapids' new ordinance designed to check up on solicitors, is like another tool in the kit of a mechanic. It can be used effectively, or it can be laid away to be for-

The new ordinance will be helpful only to the extent that it is used effectively. From the police department comes assurance that the ordinance will be enforced and effective.

However, the police cannot work to best advantage unless they have the cooperation of housewives. The woman who answers the doorbell can exert the pressure to really make this new ordinance stick. She can demand that the salesman show his city permit.

She can, too, keep copies of all contracts or agreements which may be connected with past years' sad adventures with vacuum cleaners which won't clean, fountain pens which won't write, encyclopedias which weren't delivered, magazine subscriptions which didn't materialize. Any information of this kind should be turned over to Chief of Police R. J. Exner.

The police department, with any fair degree of citizen cooperation, will do all right.

As for the other worries, that farmers and local business salesmen and other legi timate sales agencies would be harmed under this ordinance, we feel they're overstressed. It is no hardship for the farmer or fuel oil salesman to go to the city hall and get one permit—free of charge—which will last a year. In fact the legitimate enterprise will be benefitted because the rackets will be checked.

Give the ordinance tolerant approval, and especially the cooperation of the housewife who answers the doorbell, and it will be a valuable tool in municipal government. Give it less than that and it will be 'just another

After reading the tax headlines, the rationing headlines, the governmental spending headlines and the grocery ads we've decided that when this darn war is over, Americans will be the most marvelous race of mathematicians the world has ever produced.

### AIN'T IT THE TRUTH?

This is a funny world, Its wonders never cease; All "civilized" people are at war, All savages at peace.

The writer of the above jingle may not be much of a poet, but he versifies upon a paradox which is mighty difficult-indeed impossible—for us so-called folks to explain.

American soldiers who fought in New Guinea tell us that when the battle of Buna got underway, the headhunters and cannibals of that region fled to the hills, scared half out of their wits by the ferocity with which the Yanks and Japs tore at each other. This was the New Guinea natives' first taste of "civilization," and who can blame them if they prefer to continue living as poor benighted savages?

Our airmen in the south Pacific have found the native inhabitants of the myriad islands of that region to be most hospitable and humane. Many an American flier forced down at sea or on one of these islands owes his life to some band of fuzzy-haired aborigines with rings in their noses. Savages? Well, yes, by all our usual standards. But don't call them that within earshot of any Yank who has been rescued from the sea and nursed back to health by them. He'll tell you there are more Good Samaritans among these swarthy-skinned jungle dwellers than he ever found in any American

metropolis. The fact is, civilization has resorted to a savagery which so far outclasses anything the headhunters and cannibals ever attempted that there is no comparison. We can take comfort in the knowledge that as for ourselves this paradoxical situation has been forced upon us by an enemy who, though calling himself civilized, has perpetrated the most bestial crimes against mankind in all history. It behooves us to see that the new world which is born out of this war is more discerning in its application of the word "civilized," and less quick to attach the name of "savage" to those who, though they wear only loin-cloths, have demonstrated a deep appreciation of the meaning of the brotherhood of man.

Maybe the little show put on by the Wisconsin river a couple of days ago was an example of that "dangerous inflation" our

# WASHINGTON DAYBOOK -BY JACK STINNETT

Washington-A looking back on Winston Churchill's second speech before Congress makes it fairly skyrocket in importance as a historical incident. There was no official outside to estimate the number of persons who were turned away, but I

have heard guesses all the way from 5,000 to 20,-000. If the volume of cheers that greeted the prime minister on his approach is any criterion, it was closer to the latter number. I stood by a score of Britishers and half of them had tears in their eyes when that cheer went up.

When Churchill made his appearance on the House floor, there were 1,100 persons in the galleries-which is just about twice capacity. They choked the doors and the aisles and used the steps as bleacher seats.

Strange as it may seem, the biggest applause that day didn't go to Churchill alone. For two minutes Congress, its guests and the galleryites stood and cheered the entrance of the Duke and Duchess of Windsor. The duke went through a series of bows and informal salutes. The duchess put on her most charming smile and held it. If they hadn't taken the situation in hand and sat down, Churchill's entrance would have been ruin-

I doubt if he would have minded. Not since Edward VIII stepped down to marry "Wally" Warfield Simpson has he shared any spotlight with a leader of the British government; but it is fitting that when that occasion finally arose, the man he shared honors with was the Winston Churchill who stood out against a large portion of the British empire in defending the duke and duchess against all those who criticized their marriage.

Old timers in the Congressional galleries couldn't remember when any guest speaker had such an audience. Not far from the duke and duchess were Crown Princess Martha of Norway, Prime Minister Mackenzie King of Canada, and enough lords and ladies to make it look like a field day at Buckingham Palace.

Churchill is one of the "easiest" speakers I have ever heard or watched. With his horn-rims cocked on the tip of his nose, he seems to ignore both microphones and script. He backs away from the "mikes," gestures often, plays to his audience and gives the impression that he is constantly ad-lib-

When he's in the mood—as he was the other day -his speeches contain more humor than any other world figure in this global war, and most of it (it wasn't in the original transcript) is extemporane-

# SO THEY SAY!

The underground is everywhere, and when one worker is lost there is the whole of the Norwegian population to fall back on. Less than 1 per cent of the Norwegians are in the Quisling faction, and their life is not too happy. The Norwegians see to that.-Elsa Margreta Roede, escaped underground

The problem of the United States after the war will not be "what can I sell," but "what must I not sell." America must buy back goods to the volume of her exports. There are a number of basic exports which rank long before motor cars. Cotton, tobacco, wheat and meat .- Lord Perry, British auto manufacturing magnate.

They (far east allied forces) are like a shirt of nettles on the body of the emperor. They are not enough to kill him, but they go on, day and night, burning him, irritating him, stinging him, infuriating him-and he cannot get it off.-Winston Chur-

The people of America know that the airplane, the radio, mass production and other scientific inventions have changed the world. They know there is no place in the world of tomorrow for a hermit nation.-Lieut.-Comdr. Harold E. Stassen, ex-Minnesota governor.

# BARBS

Riding alone to work is an awful waste of help to the war effort.

Instead of living expensively to impress your friends who live expensively to impress you, buy

Distant relatives are people who are glad you haven't enough gas to visit them.

Among other things usually forgotten at a picnic is to burn rubbish and put the fire out before leaving.

This is no year for any garden to be far enough advanced to be neglected.

# VIEWS OF PRESS

QUIT KIDDING OURSELVES

In spite of the apparent success of the April War bond drive, the ominous fact remains that of the billions of dollars worth of bonds sold only a small proportion went to individuals. As usual, the banks, the big insurance companies, corporations and other institutional investors with accumulated reserves absorbed most of the obligation.

A report by the secretary of the treasury shows the country exceeded by more than five billion the goal set for the Second war loan.

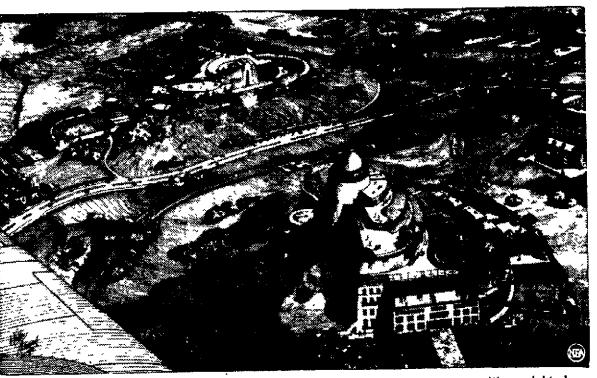
All of which is fine. But the secretary's report goes on to show that of the 18½ billion subscribed, 5 billion came from commercial banks, 9% billion from insurance companies and corporations, and only 314 billion came from individuals. A total of 33 million "E" bonds-the treasury calls them people's bords-were sold, but compared to other investors, it is too little.

Apparently the war-prosperous masses still are riding the crest of a luxuriant war boom. To halt the advance of inflation, the mass buying power of this great group of people, must be detoured from commodities to war bonds. Incomes of workers expanded in March, 1948 by 28 per cent over March of last year. Taxes and bond buying so far have barely scratched the surface of this massed income

And so it all adds up to this: People at home still are trying to fight the war the easy way. Little comfort is being sacrificed yet for the sake of victory. Many are using the war as a device to throw their new riches into the mounting stame of inflation. As congress continues to "bat the breeze" rather than get together on a real tax measure, it reflects the care-free sentiment of millions of warrich throughout the country who ought to be buying bonds instead of luxuries. The boys who are doing the fighting won't get a square deal when they come home if they find a nation bankrupt and insolvent. It's time we quit kidding ourselves .-William Allen White in Emporia, Kansas, Gasette, Well, Almost as Big, Anyhow



# Castles Blend With Modernism n Post-War Rebuilding Plan run into some really astounding his war times, when append is first consideration, costs are entirely secondary. The post-War Rebuilding Plan run into some really astounding his war times, when append is first consideration, costs are entirely secondary. The post-War Rebuilding Plan run into some really astounding with her daughter and son-in-law with her daughter and son-in-law are entirely secondary. The post-War Rebuilding Plan run into some really astounding with her daughter and son-in-law are entirely secondary.



This imaginary air view of a couple of neighboring castle towns shows how communities might be grouped. Offices, apartments and a central church occupy the main part of the unit in foreground, with private homes on terraces at the right. Separate factory area is shown at upper right of picture.

By TOM WOLF

imagine that you see in the distance a huge castle—yes, a the city's utility systems—heating, modern version of the castles which were the rule in Europe of the light, telephone, air conditioning.

There will be a castle there oneday, believes Ian Walker, well- CENTRALIZED LIVING known British landscape architect sent copies of these sketches of his noblemen and their retinues. "Experimental City" to President

Roosevelt. Mr. Walker's native Redhill, in ters. The outer walls, broadened the castle through the drawbridge, Surrey, a suburban area southwest and terraced, become the residenof London. As the surveying offi-tial areas in which and on which cer for the Redhill A. R. P., he the citizens' homes are built. Archihas visited nearly 40,000 of its tectural styles may vary almost as homes during the past three years. much as they do today. As a result of his study he came to the conclusion that the castle | The central, dominating building | The roofs of the communal build-

Walker calls his design a thewho recently completed a plan for ory, not a rigid plan. His theory be readily accessible, but at a sufrebuilding Britain's blitzed cities begins with a typical medieval cas- ficient distance to keep the view in a series of castle towns. He tle. Its basic structure was a ser- bright, the air clear of smoke and thinks that his plan is so well ies of courtyards, surrounded by grime. Professional and municipal suited to America, too, that he has thick, high walls in which lived the offices would be concentrated in

In Walker's castle town of the future, the inner courtyards be-The Experimental City is in fact come shopping and amusement cen-

town was the plan most practically in the castle town may be a church, ings on top of the walls are flat suited to the needs of the future. | an apartment house or an impres- for autogiro or helicopter landings.

sive municipal structure. Under the London—Take a look out of your living room window and castle, where formerly were dun-

SURBURBAN FACTORIES No factories would be allowed

within the castle town. They would one section of the town, perhaps in one building. Within the city itself there are

no roads. One highway leads into transportation is taken care of by escalators and moving sidewalks.

# Even Clothes You Sew Yourself Must Be Cut to the WPB Pattern

By BETTY MacDONALD Washington-The container sit-

uation is serious. That's the sad news at this moment from WPB experts who are conferring with the industry people on what to do about the shortage of paper and glass containers, es-

pecially cartoons for shipping. The scarcity of wood pulp for arton-making is one cause for the hortage. The increased demand for glass by companies that once used tin is another reason.

Salvage, through the merchants, is an angle. Packing boxes could be less. shipped back, to be used again, or to be re-cut into compartments if GIRDLES GO TO WAR damaged by shipping.

WAR MODEL PATTERNS

Keeping step with the new clothmings, all patterns for home sewgulations. Homemade garments will for jungle hammocks; WAAC unbuy pre-date the WLB amendment. for workers' goggles.

CALLING ALL QUARTZ

Own any quartz crystal produc- To further conserve clothing, ing property? The government is WPB has issued a ruling that com- is it obtained? Building, Washington, D. C., if you butter.



have any information. Only clear, The answer is still to be found. separate, individual crystals will do. Groups and grainy masses are use-

Gals who were hoping that synthetic rubber might be used to make the girdle supply stretch till war's end are doomed to disaping amendment to curtail trim- pointment. One particularly promising elastic is now being used ening made now must conform to re- tirely for canopy suspension cords have the same sweep, hip and derwear and exercise uniform sleeve circumference as "store- waistbands; metatarsal pads for inboughts" unless the patterns you dustrial workers' feet; elastic tape

ODDS 'N' ENDS

sending out an SOS to all citizens mercial dyers can now get all the who know where quartz can be dyestuffs and organic pigment remined. There's a critical need of quired for dying used apparel that the crystals for oscillator plates might otherwise be discarded . . used in radio equipment for the Because manufacturing costs are armed services. Write to the Mis- higher, unsalted butter can be sold Blessings Flow"? cellaneous Mines Division, WPB, R at % of a cent more than salted



Q-What is the derivation of the name of the first First Lady, Eve? A-It comes from the Hebrew, Harvah, meaning "living."

Q-What was the gadget used in selecting stations in the era of the radio crystal set?

A-A small flexible coil of nire, with a sharp prong, operated in most cases with a ball-and-socket control, and popularly called a "cat's whisker."

Q-Name a large sea-going mam-

mal inhabiting waters off the southern Atlantic coast which is protected by law from being caught or shot. A-The harmless sea-cow, or manatee.

Q-How can you determine when Leap Year occurs? A-Every year exactly divisible

by four, except those that are divisible by 100 and not by 400, is a Leap Year. Q-Lanolin is used as a base for ointments, and in many facial

creams and some soaps. From what A-It is prepared from "suint," or the grease of sheep's wool.

Q-Who wrote the familiar doxology, "Praise God From Whom All

A-Thomas Ken, English prelate and hymn writer, one of the "Sev-

# Trans-Atlantic Air Service Impressive, But Still Can't Compete With Cargo Vessels BY PETER EDSON

(Second in a series on post-war the operation and the figure must aviation.)

TIVE HUNDRED trans-Atlantic way of Iceland, non-stop from or 21/2 cents per passenger mile for Newfoundland, by Bermuda and the passengers. Azores, or over the South Atlantic BY AIR AND BY SEA crossing to Africa.

the average cargo which one of 20 cents per ton mile. these planes can carry on a transair each week.

One ordinary Liberty ship can earry 10,000 tons of cargo. Assuming that it would take the Liberty ship two weeks to make a shipping cost figure of less than 1 crossing, it could still deliver 66 cent per ton mile-about \$30 per per cent more freight in its one ton for 3,300 miles even in war crossing in two weeks than can time with higher insurance and now be hauled in 500 plane cross- crew bonuses to pay—and you ngs a week for two weeks.

There you have in proper perspective the air transport situation as it is today, without taking into consideration the element of cost. When you start figuring up the costs of moving freight by air, you run into some really astounding

DOMESTIC AIRLINES COSTS

EDWARD WARNER, vice-chair-man of the Civil Aeronautics the week-end with his parents Mr. Board, delivering the Wilbur Wright memorial lecture before the Royal Aeronautical Society in London the other day, cited the cost Sunday visitors at the R. H. Gruenexperience of U. S. commercial air-ke home. ines to put this factor in proper Mr. and to go out and compete with steamship companies and still show a

es, maintenance, ground services, with their daughter, Sister M. Stedepreciation and solicitation of bus- phenie who is teaching at the Holy ness. Most of this business was, Family school at Ashland. of course, passenger carrying, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hartl and cargo being only 4 per cent of the family accompanied by Mrs. Franpassenger load.

ng mixed freight by air, exclusive home at Neillsville. of ground services and business solicitation, is now 20 cents per ton mile. Substitution of freight for passengers by the use of all-cargo planes cuts the figure to 15 cents per ton mile. Allow for a profit on

en Bishops", sent to London Tower in 1691 by King James I.

Q-Our swift P-T "Mosquito" boats have written naval history in this war. What does the designa- farm north of Pittsville. tion "P-T" stand for? A-Propeller torpedo.

Q-The modern phonograph record, of course, is a flat, circular the St. Josephs hospital in Marshplatter." What was the shape of field. the original record?

HORIZONTAL

22 Maxim

him

30 Guides

32 Apparel

23 Dutch city

25 Belonging to

28 Footed vase

35 Whirlwind

fishline

savings

(abbr.)

39 Hymn

45 Seine

36 Weight on a

43 Collection of

44 Right (abbr.)

star

1 Trust

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ence (abbr.)

volving on a shaft.

become 16 cents or more. But Mr. Warner anticipates an increase in the efficiency of planes airplane flights are now being in the post-war period, with a conmade each week, exclusive of the sequent reduction in costs which he ferrying flights to deliver combat carefully estimates may be as much planes on the other side, which go as 15 per cent. Applying those one way only. The 500 flights re- figures to his previously developed ferred to are transport flights, haul-ing passengers, mail and cargo best possible post war rates will They cover all routes, whether by be 14 cents per ton mile for cargo,

rossing to Africa.

If the 500 flights per week, over under 200 miles an hour and 70 flights per day, sounds impres- on flights where frequent refueling sive—and it is when you compare is possible. If the speed requisite it with the pre-war schedule of is to be 250 miles an hour, the cost three flights per week, get out your per passenger mile must jump to 4 pencil and figure it a little further. cents and the cargo cost to 19 or

Taking the lower figures for oceanic hop is six tons. Five hun-slower, most economical flight dred planes carrying six tons apiece speeds, the best commercial rate is 3,000 tons of cargo moving by that can now be anticipated for moving a ton of cargo by air, the 3,300 miles from New York to Lisbon or Liverpool is \$462.

Compare that with the accepted begin to get the real feel of what post-war flying development is up against if it is to pay its own way, without tremendous subsidies.

### Arburndale

Mrs. R. H. Gruenke spent a week Friday for a few days' visit.

and Mrs. Wenz Schill. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilhorn and daughter Gertrude of Nekoosa were

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Markee and ight when commercial airlines have family of Marshfield were Sunday visitors at the John Kieffer home. Pvt. Edward Hasenohrl of Camp Gordan, Johnson, Fla., is spending The cost of operating a domestic his furlough with his parents Mr. commercial airline is figured at and Mrs. John Hasenohrl. Mr. and over 68 cents per revenue mile Mrs. Hasenohrl, sons Frank, Wildown, but that includes all salar- liam and Edward spent Wednesday

assenger load. ces Hartl of Hewitt were Sunday dinner guests at the Jud Lyons

### Cary Bluff

Bernice Minor, who has taught the Veedum school the past two years, closed her school Wednesday with a picnic. She will teach the Rocky Run school next year.

Margery Jossie of Pittsville spent the week-end with Rae Minor. C. F. Shreve sold his farm and is moving to the former Kiesling

Pvt. Art Lobdell of Camp Claiborne, La., is spending a 15-day furlough at his home here. Mrs. A. J. Burt is a patient at

Edward Morrison of Amelia is A-It was cylindrical in form, re- employed at the Paul E. Minor lhome.

22 Affirms

### SCREEN ACTRESS

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1,7 Pictured motion picture actress

13 Red

14 Lincoln's first name

16 Forgive

17 Wayside hotel

19 Exists

20 Symbol for cerium

21 Annular die for making drain pipe

22 Affirms

24 Inevitable

24 Inevitable

25 High school (abbr.)

26 Device for drying

27 Choose

29 Nova Scotia

(abbr.).

31 Wapiti

33 Legal point

36 Symbol for samarium

37 Gnat

37 Gnat

38 Burmese wood

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34 Prevarication 57 Expunge 7 Surgeon fish 59 She is a well- 8 Symbol for rubidium known \$ Siikworm 62 Earned 64 Small wig 10 Urn 65 She is a —

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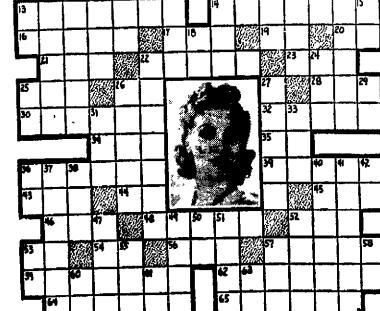
58 Editor (abbr.) 13 Credit (abbr.) 60 Toward 61 Compass point 18 North Amer- 63 Out of (prefix)

52 Great Lake

53 Laughter

sound

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