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PIN BALL MACHINES

The law enforcing agencies of the State, local government are now at a standstill on the Pinball Machines, pending decision of the case sent from Baltimore to the Court of Appeals. A ruling will probably be given at the October term of Court. It is hoped the Appeals Court will clarify the situation so that our Sheriff and Police Officers will have a definite basis on which to act, and our State's Attorneys a decision on which to base prosecutions with a reasonable chance of success.

The flood of machines driven out of Florida and which have come to rest in our State is a menace to morals and a constant drain on the cash of the community. The owners are in nearly all cases out of state corporations, and most of the cash played goes to those corporations.

If the decision comes early this fall our police prosecuting officers are prepared to proceed at once against all law-breaking of this type. o

TAXPAYERS SAY "NO!"

Oot of the blue, the Carlton County, Minnesota, local of the Communist-inspired Workers' Alliance, so-called "union" of those on relief, collected at the county courthouse and attempted by force to compel the commissioners to consider higher relief grants. One commissioner was refused "permission" to leave the commissioiners' meeting and had to resign in order to leave the building.

The Board of Commissioners, however, decided not to tolerate such tactics and called upon the taxpayers to voice their sentimens. They did voice them loudly. Armed with petitions from several thousands taxpayers who could not attend, 1,200 citizens met at the courthouse—some even standing outside in the rain—and told the Commissioners what they thought about increased relief grants which would mean increased taxes.

And what theey told the Commissioners in no uncertain terms was — NO!

RELIEF—THE FOURTH LARGEST BUSINESS

America is a land that prides itself on its standard of living. And it is not a false pride, for Americans have more comforts and conveniences than any other pepole—all because America has pioneered in the development of these modern things through industrial expansion. With that expansion millions of jobs were created so those millions could buy the things they produced.

Now however, America finds itself alarmingly going backward instead of forward toward an even higher standard of living.

Consider the hundreds of ways in which the 130,000,000 people of our country earn or receive their living. Broken down into classifications, we find now that relief—at the expense of the t axpayer and the public purse—**ranks fourth.** That means that more people are now being supported on relief roles than by such other industries as mining, public utilities, transportation and construcion. Only manufacuring, farming and the services trades rank above relief.

Why, people ask, has relief become a "big business"? There are many theories, but it is interesting to note that it has advanced materially during the past five-year era of government pump priming and indiscriminate "emergency" spending.

Since 1933 the staggering total of more than $16,000,000,000 has been poured into the relief channels. By July 1, 1939, according to current government spending estimates, the total will mount to at least $20,000,000,000.

Some people say Federal spending is a political expedient. Perhaps it is, but we wonder if, in the long run, industrial America and its high living standards can survive if relief finally becomes the first ranking business of the country? Relief is not a productive enterprise and America must produce to exist.

WORKING TOGETHER

Commenting upon agricultural marketing cooperatives, The Sunkist Courier of California observes that "the success of a cooperative depends upon the men who are in it . . . A cooperative organization requires a closer working together than is customary in most commercial organizations The entire theory of cooperative activity is that better returns are made possible by this close coordination of interest.'"

A successful farm marketing cooperative must have officers and managers trained in business procedure, and wedded to sound business principles. It must have members who give the organization loyal, continued support, and who really make themselves a working part of the businesses. The outstandingly successful agricultural co-ops of this country have such officers and members. When farm co-operatives have failed, a common reason has been inexperienced management, and slothful and disinterested members. A related cause of failure has been a branching out by such co-ops into alien fields not connected with the marketing of farm products.

PUBLIC AWARENESS

Public awareness of the need for safe driving was given by the National Safety Council as the probable reason for the marked decline in traffic fatalities that has occured since November, 1937. The Council gives the press of the nation a large measure of credit for creating this "awareness."

Newspapers and magazines have joined whole-heartedly in the efforts of public safety agencies and organizations such as the American Legion and Parent-Teacher groups, to cut down highway slaughter. Tales of gore and horror, of mangled bodies and broken homes have confronted the potential drunken and reckless driver at every turn. Apparently these "messages from the dead" have had the desired effect. In addition to this form of "education," automobiles and highawys have been made safer from an engineering standpoint, better laws have been adopted and enforcement has been more rigid.

If the present downward trend of automobile fatalities continues, those who have died in automobile accidents will not have died entirely in vain. Their sacrifice will have served toward putting an end to needless slaughter of human life on the highway. But, in the months and years to come, there must be no relenting, no let-up in the drive to make our highways safe. The automobile must be "broken," as a domesticated animal, and made to serve man—not destroy him.

BUSINESS INDEX

The business indexes show little change. Minor rises are quickly offset by drops and drops by minor rises. The business journalist's main problem is to find something interesting to write about.

The apathetic state of affairs is neatly indicated by the stock markets. April 30 marked the second slowest market session in 20 years.

"You cannot win national stability by war. You cannot confirm democracy with hate. American plunges into Europe and Asia will not, unless experience lies, yield gains to the world or to the U. S. The one faint promise is that here in the U. S. a zone of sanity may be laid out, a bulwark for democracy in the midst of madness."—Herbert Herring

Veteran's Family Wins Test Case

Compensation Will Go to Mrs. J. H. Davis at Crisfield

Husband Disappeared in Husband Disappeared Disability

Representative T. Alan Goldsborough of Maryland has announced he had won a three-year-old battle with the Veterans' Administration and obtained a decision involving the family of a veteran at Crisfield, which has been established as a precednt to be followed in similiar cases.

In 1935, Mr. Goldsborough presented the case of Jesse H. Davis, a World War veteran, and succeeded in having full non-service disability allowed. Shortly after this Davis disappeared, leaving his family in desperate need.

After his disappearance the compensation was discontinued by the Veterans' Administration, and it was at this point the Maryland Representative again took up the case at the urgent request of a number of citizens of Crisfield.

Decision Reversed

Mrs. Davis was left with five children to support, and managed to get along by working in a seafood packing house.

Mr. Goldsborough said the regional college of the Veterans' Administration turned down a petition for compensation for Mrs. Davis and the five children, and he appealed to the Board of Veteran's Appeals in Washington.

After three years he succeeded in getting a decision reversing the Roanoke office ,and establishing a precedent to be followed in similiar cases, he explained today.

An existing regulations did not permit the payment of benfits to dependents of a veteran whose whereabouts were not known.

In this case the Boad of Veterans' Appeals established total disability of service origin and granted payments of benfits to the veteran's dependents.

Alaskan Seal Herd

Coast guard officers on the cutter, Redwing, reported in Ketchikan that they saw about 2,000 seals while convoying the famous Alaskan seal herd from Cape Flattery to Dixon entrance. The cutter, Haida, convoyed the herd from Dixon Entrance northward toward the Pribilof Islands. The herd is guarded by the coast guard to prevent poaching and is protected by international treaty. The proceeds of sale, above cost, are divided among the signatory nations.

New Beatitude

"Blessed is he who is animated with a high resolve and is found following that purpose."—Ben Douglas.

PROMOTIONS IN TELEPHONE CO.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore City held on Monday April 25, 1938 Lloyd M. Griffin was elected general

LLOYD M. GRIFFIN
newly appointed General Manager of The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore City operating in Maryland. Mr. Griffin was previously General Commercial Manager of the Maryland Company.

manager, according to an announcement just made. He succeeds Frederic J. Irish who becomes assistant vice president of The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company with headquarters at Washington, D. C.

Mr. Griffin entered the service of the Bell System with the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company in 1918. Since coming with the Chesapeake and Potomac organization in 1922, he has held the positions of general traffic superintendent of the Washington Company, general traffic manager and general commercial manager of the Virginia Company and, since April, 1936, general commercial manager of the Maryland Company, in which capacity he served until his new appointment as general Manager. He is a member of the Baltimore Association of Commerce.

Mr. Irish first came with the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore City in 1917 as an engineering assistant. He left Maryland for several years to work with the New York Telephone Company, returning in 1921 to serve successively as equipment engineer, chief engineer, and general manager. He is a director of the Baltimore National Bank, the Eutaw Savings Bank, the Baltimore Association of Commerce and treasurer of the Baltimore Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Birmingham Age-Herald: A lady budget expert says that $235 is sufficient monthly income for a family of three. What most people would like to know is not how to live on $235 a month, but how to get it.

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Los Angeles Times: A prowler after looking over several canvases in the studio of a western artist, took a pair of shoes. Six critics are under surveillance.

GROWING DAYS are BUSY DAYS

In the spring and summer a farmer can't waste *any time.* Everything needs attention at once.

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THE TELEPHONE COMPANY

THE FARM FAMILY NEEDS A TELEPHONE EVEN MORE THAN MOST FOLKS

Two Visiting Duchesses to be Presented at Preakness Ball

An international aspect was given the third annual Preakness Ball by the announcement yesterady that two visiting duchesses—one from Bermuda and the other from Washington, D. C., would be presented at the coronation of the Queen of the Preakness.

The ball, which is Batimore's gayest and most colorful civic festival, will be held at the Fifth Regimnt Armory next Sautrday evening, following the forty-eighth annual renewal of the historic turf classic at Pimlico.

Representing Bermuda at the Preakness Court will be Miss Patricia Mercer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Mercer, of Pembroke Prish, Bermuda. She is also a niece of the Hon. Howard Trott, a member of the Bermuda Parliament. The duchess from the national capital will be Miss Katherine Pearson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmonston Pearson, who is active in Junior League work in Washington.

Miss Mercer, accompanied by the Hon. A. W. G. H. Grantham, Colonial Secretary of Bermuda, and Mrs. Grantham, will fly to Baltimore aboard the Pan American Airways' Bermuda Clipper, making the trip probably on Thursday.

Maryland's fairest daughters will compose the Preakness Court. Miss Augusta Pos, who made her debut two years ago, has been selected for the role of Queen of the Preakness, and will have two debutants of the past winter—Miss Nancy Cadwalader and Miss Constance Franchot, as her two princesses. Miss Peggy Thom, a sub-deb, will be a page.

In addition, the court will include a duchess from each of the twenty-three counties of Maryland. They were chosen by committees of representative citizens in the respective counties. They are unmarried, between the ages of 17 and 24 years, members of representative families and known for their beauty and charm.

The complete list of duchesses follows:
Allegany..Miss Anne Frances Whiting
Anne Arundel.Miss Julia Ann Walton
Baltimore....Miss Catherine Jackson
Calvert.....Miss Elizabeth Weems
Caroline.....Miss Ellen Chaffinch
Carroll ..Miss Virginia Lethe Reifsnider
Cecil....Miss Marian Elizabeth Fehr
Charles.....Miss Mary Anne Mudd
Dorchester..Miss Lea Warner Henry
Frederick Miss Martha Larrick Conley
Garrett..Miss Mary Virginia Bolden
Harford.....Miss Beatrice Michael
Howard.....Miss Neville Lee
Kent.....Miss Elizabeth Dixon
Montgomery...Miss Geraldine Schuh
Prince George....Miss Dolly Sasscer
Queen Anne..Miss Dorothy F. Keith
St. Mary's..Miss Mary Gwynn Hamilton
Somerset....Miss Catherine Marshall Lankford
Talbot...Miss Helena Tilgham Johnston
Washington ..Miss Elizabeth Gaines Humrichouse
Wicomico.Miss Dorothy Anne Wheatón .....
Worcester..Miss Alexandria Corddry

Dance music will be furnished by two bands—Hal Kemp's and Bob Iula's—from 10 P. M. until 4 A. M., but promptly at the stroke of midnight, the coronation pageant will begin amid a flourish of trumpets. The duchesses, escorted by officers in military full dress, will for a procession to their designated places in the Preakness Court, then the officers will form a military arch of swords extending across the entire ballroom floor.

Another fanfare of trumpets will announce the entrance of the Queen. Followed by her three attendants, Miss Pos will proceed to the dais where Mr. Vanderbilt will place upon her brow a floral crown. Then, as the climax of the coronation, Mr. Vanderbilt will offer a toast to the Third Queen of the Preakness.

Advance reservations for the Preakness Ball indicate that last year's attendance of 4,000 persons will be eexceeded. Most of the stalls, or boxes, have been taken, acording to Mrs. Julian Chisholm Trenholm, who is in charge of reservations at Preakness Week Headquarters at the Southern Hotel.

Irving C. Millers Brown Skin Models

From the Hot Post of Harlem and from the glittering lights of the Broadway Nite Spots, Irving C. Miller has assembled the best of the Sepia talent obtainable. In presenting Brown Skin Models at the Gayety Theatre opening with a matinee, Sunday, May 15th. The jumbo of all colored shows a symphony in sepia a lavish bronze spectacle, featured in this all-colored show are 50 Sepia Beauties, 30 stars in the cast. The stage ablaze with a red hot Harlem Rhapsody of flaming color, headed by Tanya, exotic attraction in her own original dance. Al Stewart's recording orchestra. Jessie James the World's only crutch dancer. Alata Oates, Harlem's Mae West, Blanche Thompson, the bronze Venus. George Williams, top tenor. 3 Speed King, Gladys Ridley, Ernest Seals, assasins of Blues. A fifty-five people show, a two dollar attraction at Gayety. No advance in prices.

"Boost the Orioles"

The enthusiastic "Boost the Orioles" group of baseball fans, who took such an active part in the Opening Day International League Game at Oriole Park on April 21st last, have again banded together as the"Boost the Orioles Association" to arouse civic interest in the "First Night Baseball Game" of the Season, Thursday, May 19th at 8:15 P.M., between the Baltimore "Orioles" and Jersey City "Giants",

Prior to the regular league game, there will be special entertainment features beginning at 7:45 P.M.

In addition to the University of Baltimore Alumni Association, which is sponsoring this First Night Game, there will be largee representations from various local fraternal organizations, civic and other clubs.

Boulder Dam Lake Over Half Filled

The Reclamation Bureau estimated there was enough water in the reservoir behind Boulder Dam to cover Masachusetts and Connecticut to a depth of two feet.

Officials said the spring runoff had brought the storage behind the giant Dam on the Colorado River to 16,000,000 acre feet, or enough to cover 16,000,000 acres with one foot of water.

The reservoir, which has been catching surplus Colorado River water since February, 1935, has a capacity of 30,500,000 acre feet.

The lake formed by the Dam is now 109 miles long and covers 93,150 acres.

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Your kidneys are constantly filtering poisonous matter from the blood stream. The kidneys may become less active as you get older, so that some people find it desirable to give their kidneys a helping hand when the system pinch upon the whole body machinery.

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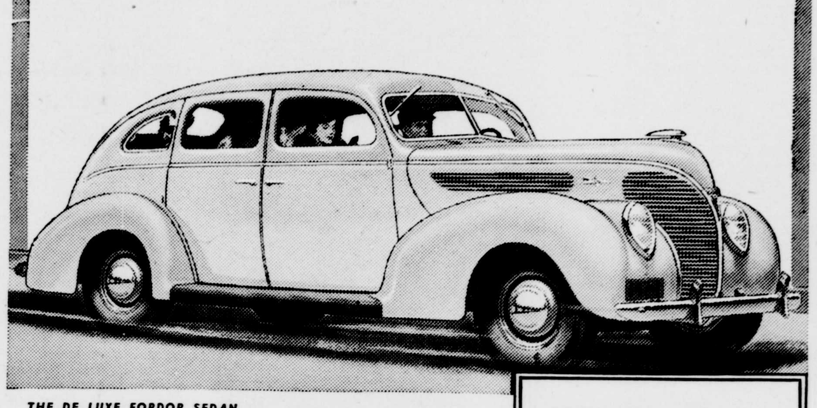

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HAROLD E. COBOURN

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FOR SHERIFF

I wish to announce to the Public that I will be a Candidate for Nomination for Sheriff of Cecil County, subject to the Democratic Primaries, in September next. I am soliciting the support of all voters.

ROLAND A. NICKLE
Elkton, Md., R. D. 4

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for nomination for the office of Sheriff for Cecil County, subject to the Democratic primaries in September next: I ask the support of all voters:

Ralph W: Robinson
149 East Main St:
Elkton, Md:

I wish to annaunce to the Public that I will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Cecil County, subject to the Democratic primaries on September 12. I take this means of asking the support of all voters. Owner and manager of Circus Park and a Taxpayer in Cecil County.

SANDY TAMARGO
RFD No. 4
Elkton Md.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Sheriff of Cecil County, subject to the Democratic primaries in September next. Should I be nominated and elected I will give the office my entire attention. I ask the support of all voters.

ROBERT A. BOYD
Colora, Md.

For County Commissioner

Having decided to be a candidate for County Commissioner from First Commissioners District of Cecil County, at the September Democratic primaries, I ask the support of all voters.

HOWARD S. VINCENT
Elkton, Md.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for County Commissioner, from the Third Commissioner District of Cecil County, at the September primaries. I ask the support of all the voters.

LAWSON C. TOSH
Rising Sun, Md

Having decided to be a candidate for County Commissioner from the First Commissioners District, subject to the Democratic primaries on September 12. I take this means of asking the support of all voters.

WALTER B. SCARBOROUGH
Elkton, Md., R.D. 4

For Clerk of Courts

I hereby announce that I am a Candidate for Clerk of the Court of Cecil County, at the Democratic Primaries in September next:

I ask the support of all voters:

J: K: Burkley, Elkton, Md:

I hereby announce my candideay for the officeof Clerk of the Circuit Court for Cecil County subject to the Democratic primaries in September and I earnestly solicit your support.

DANIEL H. GARRETT

I hereby announce my candidacy for Clerk of the Court for Cecil County subject to the Democratic primary, September 12. If nominated and elected, I will conduct th office to the interest of all citizens. The support of al lvoters is solicited.

WALTER E. BUCK,
Port Deposit, Md.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court for Cecil County, subject to the Republican primaries in Septembed. I ask the support of all voters.

Ralph R. Crothers,
Rising Sun

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Cecil County, subject to the Republican primaries in September. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

MARION E. ROSE
North East, Md.

For Register of Wills

I hereby annnounce my candidacy for the Office of Register of Wills, for Cecil County, subject to the Democrat primaries, September, 1938. I take this opportunity of asking for the support of all voters.

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Elkton, Md.

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