

THE TRANSCRIPT

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THE FIRST DIRECT evidence that men on strike receive a weekly payment from the State and Federal Government under the unemployment compensation law was received at our office in a news release this week. We quote "Baltimore, April 25. Despite the fact that many bituminous coal miners in Allegany and Garrett Counties are idle because of a wage dispute with the operators the total of new claims received by the Maryland Unemployment Compensation Board in the first four calendar weeks ending in April were only 3817, compared with 3803 in the corresponding weeks of March. This indicates a continuation of the generally favorable trend of industry throughout Maryland." The State law requires all employers of four or more persons to pay as a tax a certain percentage of their payroll into the State fund which is then paid out to people who are unemployed. The idea and theory of the act is apparently sound from a general view point but when sifted down to the facts it hardly makes sense. In order for one to receive compensation payments under the act they must sign an application blank in which they state that they are able to work but unable to secure employment. While we make no comment as to whether the miner's strike is justified or not, we cannot understand how an individual can be considered as unable to secure employment while at the same time he is on a strike and refusing to work. The fund received by the State from tax imposed on the small business man is apparently being shipped to Western Maryland and paid to men who have employment but refuse to work at it. It is very evident that the State of Maryland is aiding in and assisting in prolonging the strike by accepting applications of strikers based on what appears to be a false statement. We are not familiar with the various Federal labor laws with reference to strikes but are basing our opinion on a bit of common sense reasoning. Recently an employee, with fourteen years of steady employment with a business firm in Chestertown, was sick for a period of weeks and the unemployment insurance tax had been paid on his salary since that tax law had been in effect; yet he was unable to receive any of the money paid in for him because he could not qualify under the provisions of being able to work and unable to secure employment. If this requirement holds up payments in one instant, why not the other? It will be remembered that the Federal law subjects only employers of eight or more to pay the tax based on the fact that in small businesses with less than eight men the employment is much more steady and therefore the unemployment provision is not necessary. The Maryland Legislature, two years ago, however went a step further and reduced the limit to four making it include practically all business concerns. A move to repeal this State law was made at this session of the Legislature to repeal the present law and make it conform with the Federal law of eight or more employees but it did not get to first base because it was apparently frowned upon by the "Powers To Be". To sum up the effect of the present law, it appears that the small business man whose records shows steady employment over a period of years is paying a tax into the State Treasury that in turn is dealing it out to employees of large business concerns who refuse to work pending settlement of disputes as to wages and working conditions.

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TUES., MAY 23, 1939
between the hours of 2:00 P. M. and 2:30 P. M.
ALL that tract, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the Second Election District of Queen Anne's County aforesaid, and described as follows, that is to say: All that irregular lot of land situated on the left side of the public road leading from Rolph's Wharf to Chestertown, beginning at a point called in a former deed Red Oak on the West side of said road and running a west course eighty two yards, then South two hundred and fifty yards to the public road, then with the said public road and thence yards to the place of beginning, containing

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Attorney named in the Mortgage

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHESTERTOWN, MD.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF The First National Bank OF CHESTERTOWN, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND.
At the close of business on March 29, 1939.

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 3211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$412,251.23
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	66,259.69
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	14,000.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	174,617.50
Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve bank	3,000.00
Cash, balance with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	129,524.71
Bank premises owned \$37,000.00, furniture and fixtures	41,675.00
Other assets	62.34
TOTAL ASSETS	\$841,390.47
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	200,107.14
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	441,687.84
Deposits of U. S. Government (including postal savings)	50,000.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	41,676.83
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	111.39
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$733,582.20
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$733,582.20
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	
Common stock, total par	50,000.00
Surplus	49,000.00
Undivided profits	8,087.27
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT	\$107,887.27
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNT	\$841,390.47

MEMORANDUM
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities..... 34,000.00
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills discounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)..... 60,000.00
(c) TOTAL \$94,000.00
(d) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law 91,676.83
(d) TOTAL 91,676.83

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss:
I, W. R. HUEY, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. R. HUEY, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
STEPHEN R. COLLINS, President. W. R. HUEY, Cashier.
T. D. BOWERS, Vice President. R. R. WILKINS, Asst. Cashier.

DIRECTORS
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