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The employment by business and industry of such portion of the unemployed as can be so absorbed is an imperative duty of business men today. Concerted action in this respect will accomplish much good.

AN UNFAIR RETURN

The citizen who has invested his capital and savings in industry is finding it increasingly difficult to realize an adequate profit on the investment made. Complicated provisions of many tax laws, meddling annoyance by repeated visitations from government snoopers, numerous and long questionnaires to be filled out, and apparent unreasonable demands for files and letters, and statements that require enlarged staffs to provide duplicates of office records are some of the added expense and difficulties which hamper business and result in diminishing profits to an unfair net return.

THEY ARE SCARCE

Every once in a while somebody's name will be mentioned and everybody present will say: "He's a good man". But how often are most of us moved to pay that tribute to one of our fellow citizens?

The truth is that good men are scarce. Good men, that is, in the sense of being first-rate workmen at their trades or professions, honest and upright, in all their dealings with others, independent and self-reliant, industrious and sober. The highest tribute one man can pay to another is to say "He's a good man".

Of how many in a community can that be said? How many farmers are really good farmers? How many workers in any trade can be relied upon to do an honest day's work, and do everything as well as it can be done?

From all over the country the complaint is heard that good men are scarce. Industrialists are saying that there is a real shortage of competent workers, in spite of all the talk about unemployment. Good men are seldom unemployed and never for long.

Public attention has been directed in these recent years to the plight of those who, for one reason or another, have not been able to earn a living. It might be a good idea to pay a little attention to the good men who have got along without calling for help. These men rarely make a wail about their lot in life. Maybe there are a lot more of them than we realize. They are not heard from so loudly as are the second-raters and the no-goods.

DAY OF YOUTH

"We are only young once", you often hear some person remark as an excuse for "hitting the pace".

True, we can be young but once, and the pleasures of youth must be crowded into a short space of time.

Many a man is still young at sixty years of age. Remember always that your youth is your own. It will be prolonged or curtailed by your own acts.

SIMPLE INAUGURATION

Spring comes to Washington early but the change in inauguration date from March 4 to January 20 is putting a damper, this year at least, on the idea of a huge inaugural parade with hosts of marching clubs often in attire unsuited to Winter's severest blasts. President Roosevelt has wisely determined that simplicity shall rule, though there will be a formal parade limited principally to the Army, Navy and Marine Corps and the regiments of cadets and mid-shipmen from West Point and Annapolis. Also, there will be no inaugural ball.

At that the inauguration will afford enough show for the tens of thousands who will journey to the capital to see it. It is presumptive the crowds will be smaller, and hotel keepers and dispensers of viands will not like that particularly. But because the election retained the administration in increased power, there is not the same urge for jollification as when a party newly come to control celebrates "turn-the rascals out". Mr. Roosevelt's decision not to put on a big show for his second inaugural is in line with the best traditions.

STILL GROPING

What is the precise extent of unemployment in the United States? A number of estimates have been made within recent months, among them the following:

U. S. Chamber of Commerce—4,000,000.
New York Sun—6,000,000.
National Industrial Conference Board—9,000,000.
American Federation of Labor—11,000,000.

Obviously, these differences call for some authentic guide which the government can follow in charting its future course. The financing of relief and recovery cannot be done with intelligence and prudence so long as no one knows definitely just what need exists.

There is a good chance, fortunately, that the present session of Congress will witness the enactment of long over-due legislation calling for a reliable count by government experts.

If the nation is ever to escape the tentacles of unrestrained spending, it must first procure an exact estimate as to the real demand for government aid.

Colored Teachers Salary Issue Reaches Court

The colored school teachers of the county recently petitioned the Board of Education to grant them an equal salary as prevails with the white teachers, and the board refused the request. Their claim was hailed into the Circuit Court this week, when a suit was filed in behalf of William B. Gibbs, jr., principal of the Rockville colored school, a four-room school, by Charles S. Houston, Thurgood Marshall and W. A. C. Hughes, jr., of Washington, his attorneys against the Board of Education members, Thom. as C. Darby, Julius P. Stadler, E. F. Kohman ,Mrs. Julius Hall and Mrs. Daniel C. Walser, and the superintendent of schools, Dr. Edwin W. Broome.

A rule to show cause was issued by Judge Charles W. Woodward requiring the board and the superintendent to show cause why the mandamus should not issue before February 6.

The petition sets forth that Gibbs is a colored teacher at the school and that he is a normal school graduate holding a first grade teacher's certificate issued by the Maryland State Department of Education and now is in his fifth year of teaching in the county schools.

It further points out that Gibbs receives $612 a year salary, while a white teacher with comparable qualifications receives $1,125 a year and additional compensation for acting as principal, while there is no provision for additional pay for colored principals.

Also, the petition sets forth that this difference in salary is based solely on the race and color of the teacher and is unlawful, and arbitrary and a violation of the Maryland constitution and law and the fourteenth article of the United States Constitution.

Finally, the court is asked to require the defendants to adopt and establish salary schedules for teachers and principals in Montgomery County without distinction as to race or color of teachers or the school taught.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Sacrament" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, on Sunday, January 10. The Golden text will be from Psa. 23:5—"Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies."

Among the citations comprising the Lesson-Sermon will be the following from the Bible—Mark 10:40, "To sit on my right hand and on my left hand is not mine to give; but it shall be given to them for whom it is prepared."

The Lesson-Sermon also will include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, page 242—"The finger posts of divine Science show the way our Master trod, and require of Christians the proof which he gave, instead of mere profession."

Read The Montgomery Independent weekly for all county news.

Independent Stores Gaining

The latest figures show that we have 300,000 grocery stores and that 60,000 of these are chain and 65,000 are independents, belonging to protective, co-operative retail associations; also that the balance are unaffiliated, independent stores. It will not be long until the amalgamated concerns are in the majority.

DISCOVERIES OF 1936

Great discoveries of the past year are listed in an unusually interesting article based on scientific investigation. Many fine illustrations. Don't miss this feature in the Juanuary 10 issue of the American Weekly, the big magazine which comes regularly with the BALTIMORE AMERICAN. Your newsdealer will supply your copy.

In The Circuit Court For Montgomery County

In Matter of the Petition of Robert W. Benner and George E. Good and Joseph Childs, Anna Eleanor Childs and Rosa McCeney Childs, for partial abandonment and re-location of alley.

No. 8141 Equity.

Order of Publication

The object of this suit is to procure a decree authorizing the abandonment of part of an alley known as Selway Lane in a subdivision of land in Montgomery County, Known as Montgomery Hill and to relocate said alley and to dedicate another portion of land in place of that to be abandoned and to also obtain a decree for the abandonment of a portion of another alley bearing no name in the subdivision of land aforesaid, which last named unnamed alley intersects with the said Selway Lane.

The Bill in substance states as follows:

That your said petitioners, Robert W. Benner and George E. Good are the owners in fee simple, as joint tenants of certain lots of land known as Lots No. 1 and 20 in Section 1 and Lots No. 7 and 8 in Section J, of a subdivision of land in said Montgomery County known as Montgomery Hill as per an amended plat of Block J thereof as recorded among the land records of said County in Plat Book No. 4 at Plat 401, filed by these petitioners with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Montgomery County, under the laws provided for the recording of plats, on the 17th day of October, 1929, That there is in said subdivision on a certain alley known and designated as "Selway Lane" which is bounded entirely by the aforesaid lots of land, its intersection with Seminary Road, a State Road and an unnamed alley as shown on said hereinafter mentioned plat, and on the northerly end by a certain undeveloped tract of land which is not subdivided, belonging to the said petitioners, Joseph Childs, Anna Eleanor Childs, and Rosa McCeney Childs, as set forth on the foregoing plat and as set forth on the plat filed herewith as a part hereof and prayed to be so taken and marked petitioners "Plat Exhibit No. 1."

That the said last named undeveloped tract of land owned by said petitioners Joseph Childs, Anna Eleanor Childs and Rosa McCeney Childs, and said Lot No. 8 belonging to said petitioners Robert W. Benner and George E. Good bounds on the northeasterly side of a certain alley shown on said plat of said subdivision and on said plat Exhibit filed herewith as aforesaid, which alley is unnamed, the said unnamed alley being bounded on the South by lots 1-A, 2-A 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of Block J in said subdivision as shown by said plat Exhibit No. 1 filed as aforesaid, that the said Lot 1-A is also owned by the said petitioners Joseph Childs, Anna Eleanor Childs and Rosa McCeney Childs, the said lots 2-A and 3 are owned by a certain Herman Rosin and Yetta Rosin, his wife, and said Lot No. 4 by a certain Frederick M. Marquette and Lillian W. Marquette, his wife, and said Lot No. 5 is owned as joint tenants by your said petitioners Robert W. Benner and George E. Good, and said Lot 6 is owned by a certain Richard J. Dietle and Matilda E. Dietle, his wife, and said lot 7 as aforesaid is owned by said Robert W. Benner and George E. Good as joint tenants; and that said unnamed alley which runs from said Selway Lane in a northeasterly direction and thence in a southeasterly direction is bounded entirely by the aforesaid undeveloped tract of land, the 3 lots herein last mentioned and the said Selway Lane as is shown by said Plat Exhibit filed herewith as aforesaid.

That your petitioners desire to abandon a portion of said Selway Lane which was dedicated by them by virtue of the filing and recording of said Plat of "Montgomery Hill" recorded at Plat Book No. 4 Plat No. 401, as aforesaid, and desire to relocate the same and dedicate certain other portions of said alley division for the use of said alley, the portion of said alley to be vacated and abandoned to be a part of said Lot No. 7 in said Section J and having been shaded on said Plat by dots in red and the portion and area proposed to be dedicated being part of said lot 1 and 20 in said Section J and being shaded on said Plat by Straight lines.

The object of this petition being to straighten said Selway Lane and to make it of same more convenient and safe for public travel and use.

That your petitioners further desire to abandon that portion of the aforesaid unnamed alley which is shaded by dots as is shown in said plat Exhibit No. 1 filed herewith as aforesaid, the same being a small triangular area at the Southeasterly end thereof, as shown by said plat, and the piece thereof to be abandoned bounding only on the lands of your said petitioners Joseph Childs, Anna Eleanor Childs and Rosa McCeney Childs and said unnamed alley.

That your petitioners have had prepared and executed the said plan filed herewith as a part hereof as petitioners Plat Exhibit No. 1 aforesaid, which said plat has been duly accepted and approved by the Washington National Capital Sanitary Commission and the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission as will more fully appear by reference to said Plat which said plat is to be filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said County, for recording in accordance with the laws in such cases made and provided, immediately following the passage of a decree herein for the abandonment of those portions of said alleys hereinbefore set forth and for the dedication of that portion of said Selway Lane herein-before set forth, should this Honorable Court deem it fitting and proper that such a decree be passed herein.

That the said unnamed alley is bounded entirely by its intersection with said Selway Lane, the lands of your petitioners and the said Lots 2-A, 3, 4, and 6 in Block J of said Montgomery Hill as aforesaid and that all of the owners of said land named five lots except the said Herman Rosin and Yetta Rosin, his wife, owners of lots 2-A and 3 in said Block J of said subdivision, have assented to the abandonment and vacation of that portion of said unnamed alley as shown on said plat as proposed to be so abandoned and vacated, and execution of a certain deed dated October 28, 1936 from Richard J. Dietle, Matilda E. Dietle, his wife, Frederick M. Marquette, Lillian W. Marquette, his wife, Robert W. Benner, one of the above named petitioners, Milfred R. Benner, his wife, George E. Good, one of the petitioners and Gladys E. Good, his wife, to the said petitioners Joseph Childs, Anna Eleanor Childs and Rosa McCeney Childs, in which deed that portoin of said unnamed alley as proposed to be vacated as per plat filed herewith as aforesaid being described in said last named deed by metes and bounds, courses and distances, a certified copy of which said deed is filed herewith as a part hereof and prayed to be so taken and marked petitioners "Deed Exhibit No. 2."

That no part of said unnamed alley proposed to be vacated and abandoned abuts on the said two lots namely, lots 2-A and 3 in said Block J of said subdivision of which the said Herman Rosin and Yetta Rosin, his wife, are owners, your petitioners however, are credibly informed and verily believe that the said Herman Rosin and Yetta Rosin , his wife, desire to make no objections to the vacation and abandonment of any of the portions of said streets herein named but are unwilling to execute any paper writing which will require them to place their signatures on the same.

That your petitioners believe that it will be to the interest and advantage of all of the parties interested and to the public in general that the prayers of this petition be granted.

That the said lot 1-A in Block J was acquired by the said Joseph Childs, Anna Eleanor Childs and Rosa McCeney Childs, by deed dated July 29, 1936 from the said Robert W. Benner, et al which said deed is of record among the land records of said County in Liber No. 632 at folios 425, etc., and that said lots 2-A and 3 in Block J, were acquired by the said Herman Rosin and Yetta Rosin, his wife, by deed from Robert W. Benner and George E. Good dated February 10, 1931, which said deed is recorded among the land records of said County in Liber No. 518 at folios 166, etc., and that said Lot 4 in Block J was acquired by the said Frederick M. Marquette and Lillian W. Marquett, his wife, by deed dated January 18, 1936 from the said Robert W. Benner, et al which said deed is of record among the land records of said County in Liber 614 at folios 434, etc., and the said lot 6 in Block J was acquired by the said Richard J. Dietle by deed dated July 19, 1930 from the said Robert W. Benner and George E. Good which said deed is of record among said records in Liber 508 at folios 408, etc., and the said lots 5, 7 and 8 in Block J and said lots 1 and 20 in said Block I were acquired by the said Robert W. Benner and George E. Good as set forth in the plat of said "Montgomery Hill" as recorded at Plat Book No. 4 at plat No. 381, and as set forth in the amended plat of said Block J on the said Montgomery Hill as is shown on Plat No. 401 in said Plat Book No. 4, and the said undeveloped tract of land belonging to the said Joseph Childs, Anna Eleanor Childs and Rosa McCeney Childs, aforementioned, being bounded on the Northerly side by Brookeville-Tenleytown Road on the Easterly side by Georgia Avenue and on the Southerly side by said subdivision of land called Montgomery Hill, as shown on said Plat Exhibit filed herewith.

It is thereupon, this 20rd day of December, A. D. 1936, ordered by the Circuit Court for Montgomery County, State of Maryland, as a Court of Equity, that the Petitioners by causing a copy of this Order to be inserted in some newspaper, printed and published in said Montgomery County, once in each of four successive weeks before the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1937 giving notice of the object and substance of this petition and warning any and all persons interested in the subject matter thereof to be and appear in this Court on or before the 8th day of February, A. D. 1937, in person or by Solicitor to show cause, if any they have, why a decree should not be passed as prayed herein.

CHARLES W. WOODWARD,
Judge of the Circuit Court for Montgomery County.
True Copy Test:
CLAYTON K. WATKINS, Clerk.

PUBLIC NOTICE

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Gaithersburg, Md.

Dec. 11, 1936

An election for Directors will be held at the Banking House of the First National Bank, in Gaithersburg, Maryland, Tuesday, January 12, 1937, at 1 o'clock p. m.

C. O. BOURDEAUX,
Cashier

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NOTICE

All of the capital stock of the Poolesville Bank, located at Poolesville, Maryland, having been sold to Farmers Banking and Trust Company of Montgomery County, and all obligations in the form of notes, mortgages and other debts due to the Poolesville Bank, will be payable to Farmers Banking and Trust Company of Montgomery County. The business and affairs of the Poolesville Bank will be liquidated and the charter of the Poolesville Bank surrendered.

Notice is therefore given that any creditor or creditors of Poolesville Bank are hereby directed to present their claims against the said Bank for payment.

This notice is given in compliance with Sec. 60, of Art. 11 of the Annotated Code of Maryland.

(The above advertisement is published pursuant to the requirements of law, but such advertisement is a formality because the business of the Poolesville Bank will be continued by the Farmers Banking and Trust Company of Montgomery County, at the same location.)

POOLESVILLE BANK
George L. Smith,
President and Cashier.

Nov. 19, 1936 J15

Notice to Creditors

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Subscribers of Montgomery County, and District of Columbia, respectively have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery County, in Maryland, Letters testamentary on the Personal Estate of

RUFUS J. BURDETTE

late of Montgomery County, deceased. All persons having Claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, legally authenticated to the subscribers on or before the 8th day of June next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said Estate. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 8th day of December in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six.

ETHEL E. DUVALL,
Gaithersburg, Md. R. 2
HELEN M. BOLTON,
3723 9th St., N. W.
Washington, D. C.
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CASH for OLD GOLD

Watches—diamonds and Silver, gold teeth and old discarded jewelry. For over 50 years we have been buying old gold and paying Spot Cash.

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In the Circuit Court for Montgomery County, as a Court of Equity.

No. 5924 Equity.

In the Matter of the Petition of BENJAMIN LENOVITZ for a Writ de Lunatico Inquirendo for THEODORE H. LENOVITZ.

ORDERED, this 23rd day of December A. D. 1936, by the Circuit Court for Montgomery County, as a Court of Equity, that the Auditor's Seventh Report filed in the above entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 23rd day of January next: Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in said Montgomery County, once in each of three successive weeks before the said 23rd day of January 1937.

CLAYTON K. WATKINS,
Clerk of the Circuit Court for Montgomery County.
True Copy—Test:
CLAYTON K. WATKINS,
Clerk.

MORTGAGE SALE

of

Combined Dwelling House and Store Property

Located on the Conduit Road at Cabin John, Montgomery County Maryland, within the same Block shaded blue on the same side of the Conduit Road as the Cabin John Fire Department Building.

By virtue of the power and authority contained in a Mortgage from David S. Tuohey and Mary A. Tuohey, his wife, to George C. Fry and Harold C. Smith, Committee of Theodore H. Lenovitz, dated the 28th day of February, A. D. 1936, and recorded the 28th day of February, A. D. 1936, in Liber 619, folio 429, one of the Land Records of Montgomery County, Maryland, Harold C. Smith, Attorney named therein for the purpose of foreclosure, the undersigned will on

Saturday, the 9th day of January, A. D. 1937

At the hour of 11:00 o'clock, A. M.

in front of the Court House Door, Rockville, Montgomery County, Maryland, offer at public auction all the land and premises mentioned and described in said Mortgage, to-wit:

Beginning for the same at an iron pipe at the end of 416.46 feet on the 3rd line of a conveyance made by and to Jerome A. Fox, dated, by J. D. W. Moore, et ux., to Dennis Tuohey for part of a tract containing 3 5-8 acres of land, more or less, recorded in Liber E. B. P. No. 34, at Folios 397, etc., one of the Land Records of Montgomery County, Maryland, and running thence with said third line South 16 degrees West 242.75 feet to end thereof, it being on the northeast boundary line of the Washington Aqueduct, then with part of the 4th line of said conveyance and bounding on on said Aqueduct South 86 degrees East 140.0 feet, then leaving said line and across said conveyance North 16 degrees 26 minutes East 225.65 feet to intersect the 4th line of a conveyance from Dennis Tuohey, et ux., to Irwin N. Hoffman, or 3.69 acres of land, dated the 28th day of July, 1924, and recorded in Liber No. 354, Folio 480, etc., and running thence with said conveyance and the 4th line thereof reversed North 77 degrees 19 minutes West 140 feet to the place of beginning, containing 749-1000 of an acre of land, more or less.

Only a small one story frame building with a two-story building, downstairs is used as a lunch room and beer parlor, upstairs is used as a residence. This property is commercial and residential and is a very low commercial properties on the Conduit Road.

TERMS OF SALE: A deposit of one thousand dollars ($1,000.00) cash or certified check will be required at the time property is knocked down at said sale, and the balance of the purchase price to be paid five (5) days after the ratification of the sale by the Circuit Court for Montgomery County, Maryland, or property will be resold at buyer's risk.

Conveyancing, Revenue Stamps, Title, etc., to be at the cost of the purchaser.

HAROLD C. SMITH,
Attorney named therein for the purpose of foreclosure.

Notice to Depositors

Notice is hereby given that the deposit liabilities of the Poolesville Bank have been assumed by the Farmers Banking and Trust Co., as of November 20th, 1936, in which case all deposit liabilities are insured in the manner and to the extent provided for by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation of Washington, D. C.

Signed: RICHARD GREEN, Pres.
Farmers Banking & Trust Co.
Date of publication: Dec. 11, 1936 4t

BABY CHICKS

DAY OLD and Started Barred Rocks, White Rocks, White Wyandottes, R. I. Reds, White Leghorns, Cornish Leghorn cross and Red Rock cross. All Breeders Officially Blood Tested by Maryland State Department of Markets.

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THE NEW MOVIES

LYRIC

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 10, 11 and 12, Clark Gable, Jean Harlow, Myrna Loy and Spencer Tracy in "The Libeled Lady".

Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 13 and 14, Johnny Weismuller and Maureen O'Sullivan in "Tarzan Escapes".

Friday and Saturday, Jan. 15 and 16, Bruce Cabot and Marguerite Churchill in "Legion of Terror" and Charles Starrett in "The Cowboy Star".

CAPITOL

One of the most discussed events of the motion picture world, the magnificently transformed beauty of Marlene Dietrich in Technicolor, is scheduled for Loew's Capitol beginning Friday, with the arrival of "The Garden Allah", the David Selznick production of Robert Hichens' great love story.

Charles Boyer shares a desert romance with Miss Dietrich in this moving story of a man and woman of different worlds who find a great love under the spell of a desert moon.

Tilly Losch, who has danced with the Ballet Russe and Fred Astaire, makes her debut in this picture which also lists in support C. Aubrey Smith, Basil Rathbone and others.

The world famous Salecci Pupetta, the only organization of its kind in the world of entertainment, will occupy the Capitol stage for the same week and promises one of most unusual stage presentations ever seen in Washington. A Phil Lampkin overture, news events and short subjects will also be shown.

EARLE

"Sing Me A Love Song", new Cosmopolitan production released by Warner Bros., will come to the Earle Theater Friday, January 8. On the stage Ken Murray will appear as headliner of a fast-moving program.

James Melton, Patricia Ellis, Hugh Herbert, Zazu Pitts, Allen Jenkins and Walter Catlett are featured in the cast of "Sing Me A Love Song" which is a hilarious comedy with music. Melton's voice, which has brought him stage and radio fame, is heard to advantage in several numbers, while Hugh Herbert leads Pitts, Jenkins and Catlett in sparkling comedy sequences.

Oswald, the original "Oh Yeah" man, and charming Marlyn Stuart, appear with Ken Murray on the stage. All three have been assigned to favorites and Murray is, of course, well-known not only as a stage entertainer but also for his screen short subjects. Others include the Original Dixie! and Jazz Band and Chuck and Chuckles.

LITTLE

"These Three," the highly successful film based on Lillian Hellman's "The Children's Hour," which is now playing at the National Theatre, opens Friday, January 8, at the Little Theatre. Merle Oberon, Miriam Hopkins, and Joel McCrea are the stars.

One of the finest dramatic pictures of the year, "These Three" is the story of a child's malicious lie —a lie that started a tragic scandal. When the screen rights to "The Children's Hour" were purchased and Lillian Hellman engaged to make the adaptation, it was generally assumed that the producers were buying only the title of the play, for certain elements were considered unsuitable for screen material. But the picture, released with an entirely different title, proved to be one of the most popular pictures of the year, and was considered by many as superior to the stage production.

In addition to the inspired performances of the three stars, "These Three" is notable for the work of 12-year-old Bonita Granville, who plays the role of a malicious child. She is considered one of the "finds" of the season.

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METROPOLITAN

A new and lovely screen star comes to the Metropolitan Theater Friday, January 8, Dorothy Lamour, radio singer and Paramount Pictures' latest discovery.

"The Jungle Princess" is the name of the film which serves to introduce Miss Lamour, and it is said to be the first time in film history that a woman plays the leading role in a jungle picture.

Miss Lamour appears as a young and beautiful Malayan, orphaned at an early age, who brought herself up in the jungle with a man-eating tiger and a chimpanzee as her only companions. Then she meets explorer Ray Milland, the first man she has ever seen, and soon he is forced to choose between her love and that of the English girl to whom he is engaged.

A hundred elephants in a mad charge, a battle in the treetops with a horde of baboons, the death-leap of an infuriated tiger—these are some of the exciting highlights in this thrilling film.

Akim Tamiroff, Lynne Overman, Mala and Mollie Lamont appear in the supporting cast.

Beck idolizes Donlevy, who is really the tool of a foreign spy ring. To excite Beck's sympathy he tells him that the manufacturer for whom Beck's sweetheart works, has stolen the plans of a propeller which he invented. At Helena's office that night Beck steals the plans from her files, without her knowledge, and gives them to Donlevy.

The plans are missed. Helen questioned, and investigators realize at once they are on the plane. Lorre, a stowaway, appears and says he is the foreign spy to whom Donlevy is to sell the plans. A dramatic radio message from Helen tells Beck the real truth and he savagely attacks Donlevy with Lorre joining in the battle for the plans. The plane crashes during the fight and is sinking rapidly. The final scenes provide a most unusual and thrilling climax to a picture loaded with thrills.

PALACE

Mirth and melody cut loose high, wide and very handsomely in "College Holiday", the star-filled comedy with music which will be the Loew's Palace attraction starting Friday.

Jack Benny, George Burns and Gracie Allen, Martha Raye, Johnny Downs, Mary Boland, Marsha Hunt, Eleanore Whitney are the gay funsters who provide long, loud and lusty laughs and general insanity in this 'super' comedy. "College Holiday" is an original story screenplay by J. P. McEvoy, which tells of a group of scatterbrained cultists who take over a hotel to test their theories and scientific mating. Thats the beginning of a plot that holds no end of goofness.

News events, a comedy and other items will be blended to complete the forthcoming production.

COLUMBIA

Plenty of thrills are offered in "Crack-Up" the melodrama of flying-Pitts, foreign spies, and secret romance, which is scheduled to follow "Born To Dance" at the Columbia.

The story opens at the christening of a giant plane designed to pioneer trans-Atlantic travel service. Ralph Morgan the builder of the plane, Brien Donlevy, famous ace who is to fly it, Thomas Beck his co-pilot, and Peter Lorre, a mad cripple, are present.

Right Guidance

"The best laid schemes o' mice an' men
Gang aft a-gley."

IN THESE words the Scottish poet, Robert Burns, expresses the fallibility of human planning. And yet our young people are admonished constantly to plan their careers carefully and to work earnestly toward the consummation of their human plans. On leaving school these young people often seek the advice of those who are older than themselves, though often those whom they seek are in no way fitted to give them right counsel. How, then, shall one be protected from following mistaken advice? This is a question one has a right to ask.

Those who have been reared in homes where the Bible is loved and constantly studied are more likely than others to be led aright in the selection of a career, for the Book of books is filled with the wise counsel of those who looked to God to show them the way. "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths" (Proverbs 3:5, 6). No better advice can be given today than that contained in these verses from Proverbs. Note that not only are we to "trust in the Lord," but we must also acknowledge Him at all times and under all circumstances. And just what does it mean to "acknowledge him"? Does it not mean always to seek His guidance through prayer, while acknowledging His authority? . . .

How comforting and helpful it is to know that we may have that right guidance wherever we are! No matter where we may be, or how difficult the circumstances in which we may be placed, we have only to seek God's direction and then obediently take the human footsteps that unfold to us in answer to our prayer. It is also helpful to remember that we do not need to know today the human footsteps which may be required of us tomorrow.

But, one says, my affairs are so unimportant; surely God does not care for such trivial things as my problems! Here we may learn a useful lesson from our experience in using numbers. We do not feel that the law of mathematics is too vast to give the right answer to the smallest calculation, as often as we need to use it. A million people may need to use the simple set arithmetical truth, such as "one and one is two," many times each day; yet none of them doubt that each one will attain the right result in making the calculation. In the same way God, divine Mind, being infinite, stands ready to direct all the working out of even the smallest detail of their daily experiences.

History furnishes many examples of those who have sought God's guidance and have thus brought blessings to individuals and nations under trying circumstances. During the darkest days of the Civil War, Abraham Lincoln often spent the night in prayer for divine guidance, and in the morning would make a decision which was perhaps contrary to what his closest advisers thought he practically had a right, and his divinely guided judgment was fully justified. . . .

Seeking God's guidance in every detail of our experience does not in any sense indicate weakness or an unwillingness to accept the responsibility for our own actions. Rather does it indicate wisdom, and the understanding of man and his relationship to God, whose image and likeness he is. On page 3 of "Pulpit and Press" Mary Baker Eddy gives us this inspiring statement: "Know, then, that you possess sovereign power to think and act rightly, and that nothing can dispossess you of this heritage and trespass on Love. If you maintain this position, who or what can cause you to sin or suffer?" Each one, then, under God's infinite direction, has the sovereign power to follow His leadings and hence to make right decisions in every case. So as we consistently study that great guidebook of life, the Bible, and raise our thought in prayer to God for the unfoldment of His purpose, we shall never lack right guidance.—*The Christian Science Monitor.*

Schools Worth Billions

America's school property is valued at $12,050,000,000, according to the Federal Office of Education. This includes $2,150,000,000 held as endowment and other trust funds. While the sum is a large one it represents an investment of only $400 a pupil.

"Tommy, can you tell me one of the uses of cowhide?"

"Er, yessir. It keeps the cow together."

CIVIC FEDERATION

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enactment of legislation placing all non-elective employees, with the exception of school teachers, under Civil Service. The language of the resolution is as follows:

"RESOLVED, that the Montgomery County Civic Federation seek legislation which would result in placing all positions connected with Government of Montgomery County, including positions connected with any Board or Commission not directly responsible to the Board of County Commissioners, save elective officers and school teachers, under a competitive merit system and that in installing such system all incumbents in office at the time the law becomes effective shall be regarded to take an open competitive examination, attain an eligible rating and be within line for proper appointment otherwise they shall be dropped from the payrolls as soon as proper persons can be qualified."

This recommendation will be resubmitted with the following revision: "Provided further that an employee be entitled to an increase of credit of 1 per cent per annum for each year of service in the position held for a period not to exceed five years, if and when said employee is required to take a civil service examination, and that preference be given to residents of Montgomery County in making appointments to the list of eligibles certified."

The committee will also present a recommendation urging the enactment of legislation creating a Comptroller for Montgomery County comparable to the position of Comptroller General of the United States. The recommendation follows:

"RESOLVED, that the Montgomery County Civic Federation seek legislation at the next session of the General Assembly creating the position of Comptroller of Montgomery County, such position to carry a salary of $5,000 per annum, and to be filled by appointment by the County Commissioners. The nature of such position shall be for a period of ten years and no person may immediately succeed himself in office. The law shall specify among the various duties to be performed by the Comptroller, that the Comptroller shall establish a uniform system of accounting throughout the different departments of the County Government, prescribe standard forms, the terms to be embodied in invitations to bid, contracts covering purchases for County needs, form of vouchers upon which accounts due by the County shall be stated; to audit all accounts and expenditures to see that they are legally proper and duly authorized by proper officials, to deny payment of accounts which are in improper form or without proper authorization.

"Immediately following the passage of the necessary legislation the County Commissioners shall call upon the State Civil Service Commission to announce an examination for the position of Comptroller of Montgomery County. Such examination shall be open to all persons, regardless of residence, who have attained the age of 30 years, who have been admitted to the practice of law before the Supreme Court of any State and who have qualified as a Certified Public Accountant and have had at least five years of responsible experience as Senior Certified Public Accountant or who have had ten years responsible experience in charge of an auditing division in the office of the Comptroller General of the United States or of a state or other political subdivision in which the volume of accounts handled annually exceed $6,000,000.

The Comptroller may be removed from office only by the Civil Service Commission and then only for neglect of duty, incompetency, physical disabilities which prevent him from performing his duties, political activity, malfeasance, or misfeasance in office, and conduct prejudicial to or unbecoming a public official, and in no event shall the incumbent be removed until after specific charges under oath have been filed with the Civil Service Commission, a hearing has been accorded him and the Commission finds the charges to be well founded."

The committee acting as the Executive and Advisory Committee placed the subject of the school building program for 1937-1938 on the Docket of the Committee on Schools.

The Committee also referred the question of classification for taxation purposes, to the Committee on Public Finance and Budget for study and report. They also voted authorization of the preparation and publication by the Secretary, of a Federation directory.

HOLLYWOOD—RADIO

Don't miss your copy of "The Green Spotlight," a new kind of a section which starts in the BALTIMORE SUNDAY AMERICAN on Juanuary 10. Hollywood previews, news and pictures of famous screen stars, movies in the making. A four-page section filled with the news of movieland you like to read. Make sure of your copy. Place your order with your local newsdealer.

Famed Vessel Serves South

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"A famous ship, once known in all the headlines of the nation, but now among the host of forgotten vessels that ply the waters in simple commercial trade" was how the Hopewell, Virginia, *News* recently described the sturdy *S. S. Vamar* after they learned her story.

Although by far not the newest or the biggest of the steamers which call at Hopewell for cargoes of American nitrate of soda, the Vamar has a proud record. Years ago she accompanied Dr. Fritjot Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, to the North Pole. Later, she carried supplies for Admiral Byrd's first Antarctic Expedition. When the Hopewell *News* found her at the nitrate of soda plant, she was discharging soda ash and picking up American "soda" for use on the fields of American farmers.

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