The Kent News

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WHERE BUSINESS IS GOOD

We note a full-page advertisement fo a Washington, D. C., newspaper Business is better for that newspaper the copy declares; "acute depression is notably absent in Washington;" "business here is pursuing the even tenor of its way."

Well, why not? Most everbody else in the country has taken pay cuts, some of them cut so far that there is nothing left. But not Washington. Nor has the federal government personnel been reduced. But if congress is as responsible to public sentiment as it is supposed to be there will be bad news for the payrollers before the winter is out.

DAY OF THANKSGIVING

President Hoover has proclaimed Thursday, November 26, a day of national thanksgiving for the— advantages enjoyed despite a "measure of passing adversity."

"We approach the season when, according to custom dating from the garnering of the first harvest by our forefathers in the new world, a day is set apart to give thanks, even amid hardships, to Almighty God for our temporal and spiritual blessings. It has become a hallowed tradition for the chief magistrate to proclaim annually a national day of thanksgiving.

"Our country has cause for gratitude to the Almighty. We have been widely blessed with abundant harvests. We have been spared from pestilence and calamities. Our institutions have served the people. Knowledge has multiplied and our lives are enriched with its application. Education has advanced, the health of our people has increased. We have dwelt in peace with all men. The measure of passing adversity which has come upon us should deepen the spiritual life of the people, quicken their sympathies and spirit of sacrifice for others, and strengthen their courage.

"Many of our neighbors are in need from causes beyond their control and the compassion of the people throughout the nation shold assure their security over this winter that they too may have full cause to participate in this day of gratitude to the Almighty.

"Now, therefore, I, Herbert Hoover, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate Thursday, November 26th, 1931, as a national day of thangsgiving, and do recommend that our people rest from their daily labors and in their homes and accustomed places of worship give devout thanks for the blessings which a merciful father has bestowed upon us.

"In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed."

PAY YOUR BILLS NOW

The most practical and simple means of starting money into circulation and so stimulating the return of prosperity was put forward the other day by Alvan Macauley, president of the Packard Motor Car Company. Mr. Macauley pointed out that if everybody who owes money would begin at once to pay his bills, to the extent of his ability to do so, the wheels of commerce would be instantly speeded up.

We believe that is true. We know many people and we have heard of many more, who are not paying their bills because they are afraid to reduce their cash resources. Business men tell us that collections are slower than they have ever known them. Customers whose credit is perfectly good and who have cash reserves in the savings banks and elsewhere, are holding off payments of accounts long past due, apparently for no other reason than timidity. It is easy in these days for a doctor to get a long extension of credit. Many who are not entitled to it are taking advantage of this situation to postpone payment of their just debts.

Mentality at Its Best

It is generally agreed by psychologists that the threshold of highest mentality is reached at about 11:00 a. m. One authority says that tests made in various colleges prove that the mind is less active when fatigued

Mrs. Oshkosh—Did you really ask the cook to eat dinner with us? You know that it will be embarrassing.

Oshkosh—Well, maybe so, but I'm sick and tired of her always keeping out the best of everything for herself.

"What in the world is the matter?"

"My son Billie is in financial difficulties."

"Nonsense! The child is only one year old."

"Yes, but he's swallowed a penny."

KEEP TAXATION WOLF AWAY

The Lincoln, Nebraska, Star editorially: "Senator Hitchcock returns from Europe with a familiar but nevertheless well-founded criticism of governments as they exist there. They are bleeding their people white Mr. Hitchcock declares.

"The American taxpayer feels he has grievance...but if he were to review the economic conditions of Europe he would return to the United States with a feeling of gratitude and thankfulness in his heart. He hasn't even begun to feel the pinch of taxation to the extent of the peoples of the British Isles, Germany, France, and Belgium. In Britain, particularly. the attempts of the government to extricate itself from the mess in which it was plundged, has placed such a terrific turden upon business, and upon the individual, the struggle has become a life and death matter.

"Europe will find it necessary to secure relief from the tax load, and apparently the easiest avenue out is through reduction in cost of armaments. Although she is still bound by suspicion and fear the pressing needs of the hour made it the more certain there will be an entirely different attitude revealed when the nations meet again to consider possible steps of reducing the burden of preparing for war. The United States should be ready to offer every support and encouragement to such a step."

If Sun Should "Strike"

It is estimated that it requires only about 499 seconds for the light from the sun to reach the earth. Thus, if the sun should suddenly cease to exist, light would come to the earth for only 499 seconds longer.

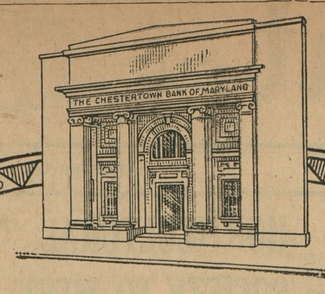
A NATIONAL NEED

The development of farm-to-market roads is a national need, according to Charles Ross, general counsel of the North Carolina Highway Commission. "Every advanced thinker in the effort to lift agriculture from its present slough of despond comes to the conclusion that organization and cooperation in the assembling and the packaging and marketing of the products of the farm is the only solution," he said recently. "The perfection and development of labor-saving machinery in the industrial world has turned back to the farm of migration that has been running so swiftly for half a century from the urban centers, and last year 1,225,000 more people left the cities and the towns to seek a livelihood in the country than went from the country to the towns. The social and economic welfare of these people is vitally tied up with the question of the local road."

Mr. Ross' statement will strike a responsive cord in the hearts of those millions of farmers who, at present, are completely cut off from contact with the outside world during a month or more of each year by impassable, flooded roads. Farm roads are food roads—and their construction is not a luxury, but a social and economic necessity. To deny them to agriculture is to deny agriculture the efficiency and economy of transport —at any and all times—that is vital to its welfare. A number of progressive States are now conducting intensive farm road-building programs—and all other States should follow their lead.

Congressional Funerals

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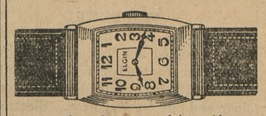


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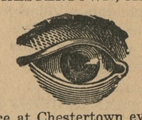


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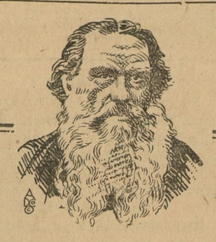
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