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One Third Thin Air

By Paul Mallon

WASHINGTON THE price level which Mr. Henderson has frozen over, the cost of living is about one-third of what it was.

Not Ready?

The Public Is Raring To Go —But Is the President?

In his column the other day, Raymond Clapper said something that sort of sticks in the craw. He allowed: "President Roosevelt watered down his anti-inflation program because he was sure that the American public was ready to go as far as some of his advisers felt he ought to go."

Hand-Sewn

In the Army, It Is Still Synonymous With Quality

There was a strike in a war industry in Wisconsin last week. It was only a short disruption of work. On Monday, 32 non-union, unorganized workers at the Dize Awning & Tent Company walked out. By Wednesday night the dispute had been settled and work went ahead full speed on the company's orders for thousands of U. S. Army tents.

Scrapbooks

By Herb Cook



Letters to the Editors: Waitresses Depend On Tips

Editors, The News: We, the waitresses of Charlotte, would like to make an answer to the article written in last week's News. The restaurant manager, waitresses could make 20 and 30 dollars a week and they couldn't serve them. Even if she is an inferior waitress in Charlotte.

WAR NEEDS MONEY and the money must come from You INVEST IN VICTORY BUY U. S. WAR BONDS OR STAMPS EVERY PAY DAY

Children of the Charlotte schools There is a teacher in these schools that commands the admiration, respect, and love of every student in this city. When he corrects a pupil for a misdeed the students don't grumble, indeed they laugh and when he is sad they are very sad.

Canada's Price Plan

By Bruce Hutchison (From Baltimore Evening Sun)

CANADA'S pioneer price ceiling has been greatly strengthened by the new price policy of the United States, and might have been ruined eventually without it. But Canada, out of a wealth of difficult experience, was the American experiment with some skepticism. If the Canadian experience is worth anything, the United States will have to go much further than it has gone so far to prevent inflation.

IN CANADA, THEY PAY SUBSIDIES The second vital difference between the American and Canadian plans is the use of subsidies here. Right now the subsidy feature of the Canadian scheme is in the process of careful study, for it is the very core of the economic system erected in Canada for war purposes.

GORDON "ROLLS BACK THE SQUEEZE" But when the retail price was fixed it was found immediately that in many cases the retailer could not operate. He had ordered goods from the wholesaler months before at rising prices which compelled him to raise his prices also.

SQUEEZE WAS HARD TO AVOID Even after all this rationalization it was found that the squeeze could not be absorbed at any level. There were goods that must rise in price because raw materials were more costly, transportation rates had increased, or other unexpected conditions had intervened.

Visitin' Around Keeping Ahead Of the Joneses (Rt. 4, Jensen, Stateville, Wis.) One of the families had a blue oval daisy strawberry shortcake for dinner Tuesday from strawberries raised on their own farm.

Side Glances

The Japs are trembling in their boots As well they have a right to; We take no prizes for being recruits. Just a bunch of oldsters, this crew.



"Would you like me to give you a few of the recipes for cakes and pastry my boy likes?"

Axis mind and how best to work on it. We might begin with the older half of the German population, who remember the Republic. They are the backbone of the munitions industry. A little slowdown or sabotage on their part would cripple the Nazi war effort.

Blames Politics For Loss of Sides

Politics is a game. So called "big-wigs" of it usually consist of cheating the little man out of something. These men go to church every Sunday, they listen to the preacher while he spreads the golden rule and the love each man should have for the other.

"Curb Your Rheumatism" By C. W. Bunt The 21th of April 1942 This was a history-making day. The first news registered as it is through And no one can see any ray.

But the stigma is there, a will to win The pagan heathenish foe Slept in the world, ravishing, sin filled world with anguish, woe.

Let's annihilate them from the map, In darkest hell release them. So it goes in the mention of "Japs" Will be a word of opprobrium.

Do discard your crutches and hobble down, Throw toward victory way Curb your rheumatism, stiffle a tremor. Throw back your shoulders, act gay.

And when peace does come anon You too will have this satisfaction. Tho' you old to fight, couldn't hit a bull's eye.

You ran be of some use to your nation.

TODAY'S BIBLE THOUGHT There are no limits to God's power even in our own lives: And, they were all amazed at the mighty power of God.—Luke 9:43.