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## Rushing Upon The Spears

John Lewis Carries Labor Toward a Fight Which Is Sure To Bring Repressive Legislation. May Bring Ruin tism has not run him utterly mad, to tion has red run him utterly mad, lo take warning.

Its says what, is faitly not true when the charges that the Defense Mediation Board is set up to break strikes. Labor is asked to surrender none of its rights, on the contrary, the Board is explicitly charged with the defense of Labors right to organize. The right of Labor, to a full share in the profits, of roaring business is granted. All that is asked of Labor is that it keeps the wheelshowing while an acceptable settlement is arranged. It is not even denied the right to strike in the end, if it still finds the settlement unsatisfactory. But if John Lewis continues on his present course, it will be denied the right to strike at all. The American people will use every possible device to see that one man and risk middle device to lowing do not wreck the will of the

The setton of John Lewis in summarily rejecting even the possibility of the Defense Mediation Beard interventice in the coal strike and the coming attrike which fair refusal even to consider having the C10 men continue at their lobs while the hope of an acceptable settlement is explored—raises questions of the most serious memorial for the most serious memorial fo of the most serious moment for the na-And for none more serious than for Labor itself.

for Labor itself.

Any fair evaluation will give John
Lewis credit for having rendered steat
service to the cause of union labor, in
the past, though sometimes be has also
done it grave disservice with his bullhead-dense and egotium. But, now he
as on the verge of doing it the gravest
modified by the of more than time.

as on the verge of doing it the gravest possible had turn, of more than undesing all that he has done for it.

The facts are plain enough.
On the one hand there is a little group of hardshell manufacturers who hade the Wagner Act and are bent on defying it directly or indirectly, even though it is the law of the land. Part of the blame for the present and growing danger to Ald-to-Britain and the defense of the United States plainly was sourcely on their shoulders. But, defense of the United States plann, rests squarely on their shoulders. But, as High Johnson has pointed out, the Government already has the power to defense it de-

as High Johnson has pointed out, the Government aiready has the power to bring these to heil whenever it deares—largely by the exercise of priorities, which can choke any of them to death at will, and completely by taking over the plants if necessary.

But the primary responsibility in coasind steel nests on the shoulders of CIO. And above all upon those of John L. Lepits in person, who rules with an iron basid and balts the more concillatory seen in CIO ranks, like Philip Murray. One thing that Lewis has clearly determined upon is to take advantage of the national crists to organize all the hidd-outs. That is his right under the law. But the method he proposes to use is the organization strike, it happens, halls Ald-to-Britain and national defense, leading the the seen and there is more than a little ground to believe that he also proposes to use

to believe that he also proposes to use these arther deliberately to frustrate and undo the foreign policy of the United States—to make his own favored policy of solation and appeasement pre-vall in spite of the Covernment and the majority of the people. That raises the question as to which

Inter raises are question as to we also be greater, as to which is the raising power in this republic.

Lewis, or the Government and the week. There is only one possible swer.

wer. When old Gene Cox of Georgia and Howard Bmith of Virginia yell Red Spolithan, John Lewis can afford to Howard The Market and Afford the Howard Spolithan Communication of the Howard Spolithan Communication and Afford man, who has fought for inhor begind to talk of anti-atrike legismanor begins to talk of ani-strike legis-lation, when the House votes—as it voted yesterday—with only one dis-senting vote, to have two committees in-restigate and draw up anti-strike legis-lation, it is time for Lewis, if the eno-

#### A Censor

Who Sets Up An Odd Rule For Literary Criticism

Boston has developed the finest

reductio ed absurdum of censorahip yetceen in America.

In that city, which has long mainsined a-rigid censorahip of Illerature
and drama in defiance of the American
Bill of Right, Cardinal O'Connell is up
with a demand that the city authorities ban from sale John Marquand's
H. M. Putham, Eag." Ground is that
it "assalls Boston womanhood."
Marquand is in fact one of the midest
of modern novelists, affecting the grand
style of scaller Bostontans and being
shoot, fincking in his treatment of

nicking in his treatment bjects that other novelists wade into

with whoops of joy.

Sometimes, indeed, he is a little acid,
and sometimes he lets it out that little
diffs are not in this hard world always
made of sugar and spice. That's about

arently it is Cardinal O'Connell's be represented as holy vessels. If so the had better fall to work on Nathaniel Swithorne and William D. Howells, not the meation Mary E. Wilkins Freeman,

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lowing do not wreck the will of the nation and give aid and comfort to the

It may well be that coercive legisla-tion against Labor will fail. It may well

tion against Labor will rail. It may be in the attempt will simply end in chaos and ruin for the nation. But If so it will be Labor that suffers first. And the full and terrible responsibility of the catastrophe will rest squarely upon John Lewis.

"Fact" Book

Here's How It Is Going

To Save a Board's Face

The uprear about the selection of Julea Warren's history of North Carolina for the fifth grade in the State schools has finally brought about his reaganation as secretary of the North Carolina Education Association. But the announcement of the Education Board that his book is to be "revised" is surely not a rational solution to this political scandal.

political scandal.
Neil Battle Lewis, writing in her column in the Raleigh News & Observer, has listed more than fifty errors of fact, grammar, and spelling which she has found in the book, and says that that is only a beginning. Many authorities at the University and claewhere bear her out.

Samples of errors she reported:

The two James Iredells, father and son are made to be one person. Edward Moseley is made to be "de-manding liberty" 23 years before he was hore.

bont. Grace nector he was bont. Charles McDowell is made to die in 1775, and also made a here of Kings Mountain, fought in 1780. I have first hought in 1780. I hance Shelby, who dired in 1856, is made to be offered a Cabinet peat by President Pearce (sic), who took uffice in 1833.

in 1833.

The Education Board, made up of Democratic politicoes, ignored the unanimous recommendation of the Textbook Commission in favor of another book, authored by two University professors, for this book of another Democratic politico. Beason given was that the recommended book was full of mere opinions (it did not paint the Democratic Party as immanulate and that what was wanted was a "book of facts." And now they propase to save their

what was wanted was a "book of facts."
And now they propase to save their
face by having the book "corrected."
Does that mean that Mr. Warren and
his publisher are going to buy back all
the thousands of 'books already in the
hands of the State? Not at all. It amply
means that pages of "Errata" are
to be inserted in them, "without additional expense to the State." And
what, precisely, do you think the schoolhoys and schoolgiths are going to 'think
of "facts," after all? Of all this blundering in the text they use?

The whole business smells to high

The whole business smells to high heaven.

Another great Americanism is creating a city plan commission 100 years after the city is planned.

"Giants look aluggish in early games" is the sports advice from Havana. What luxury! — Going to the Tropics to meet Spring fever half way.

A psychologist familiar with his subject says there are two distinct Hitlers-a clear case of supply exceeding the de-mand.



WASHINGTON.—There is com-siderable agitation in Congress for a law permitting the Government to "take over" article in congress of the control o

Coercing

By Hugh S. Johnson

Labor

CLAIM IT WOULD

The only catch in it is that our
constitution of the control of t

without raising that colorion. While must of this country is resentful and impostant about rules and innecessary in the tention of "country line" and innecessary in the talk of "countripting" labor, there extendly is no great sentiment for compulsory labor and, thus far, man excessity for it. There are too many other things less Nazified that should be tried first.

GOVERNMENT HAS ALL POWERS NEEDED

TOWERS NEEDED AND A CONTRIBUTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPER

labor.
It is high time for Covernment
to get tough with jug-headed obstructors in both management, and
labor but "taking over" plants is
the weeklest way that could be
insigned to do it.

magned to do it.

Government is not manned or coupled to manner factories. It does not follow, however, that because Government is not manned or equipped or empowered to manner or equipped or empowered to manner the manner of the manner of

ment of factories.

Under simple war powers of priorities, price - frising, commandering and control of communication and supplies, any industry is at the nerely of Government if it does not perform satisfactority process, Government is too inspit to making management that certainly makes no argument that it should or could take over and manage industry.

#### How One Distaste Was Acquired

Well, It Was Time To Move. Wasn't It?

Editor & Publisher

BORIS KARLOFF RENTS EAST SOTH ST. SUITE

Other Tenants Go to East and West Side Houses

inday amissments are aplended shiring arounds for becoming a sample through the sample th

Sees Hitler On A Spot

England, he said, will be our next op. control of Europe, I'll be on With control of Europe, I'll be on top.

This' was his dream as he looked

beyond,
Just another task that won't take
long. But since his arrival on the English Channel

Hall, Hitler, the king of might, At the drop of the hat he is ready

Letters to the Editor:

uered nations with no opposition.

And left their people in a serious

Channel

His war machine begins to knock
and then to ratile.

With only a few more miles to reach
his son!

But to go those few miles he'il pay
the toll.

Not only with money, but also with out that time, Russia will

And about that time, Russia will more in. This he knows, as he hangs his head. But unless he acts his people can-not be fed.

Sees Sunday Movies As Damning Souls

Dear effir:

It takes a magnanimous authoritative group to be strong enough to foresee the Batanic evils to attend the repeal of the slunday blue lows in Charlotte. But I feel that in Mayor Ben Doughas and histocowriters, you people of Charlotte have litt the

lows in Charlotte. But I feel that in Mayor Ben Dougha and his-co-workers, you people of Charlotte and the Charlotte and

57 No Ferry book connections

From Long Carry diner. Does not carry diner.

Runa only on certain days.

Coops to refuel every five

Round trip only Returns Stops to discharge generals. Krive packward on eldings.

on7 MRS. MARY TALLEY MULLINS 2 S. Railroad Avenue, logs Mountain.

ings Mountain.
(Nois: Charlotte, which has no maday amusements; has the high-st murder rate in America—elight mes that of the badecity of hicago which does have flundsy missements.—Editors. The News)

In Which Two Good Men Drink Together

Louis Graves, Chapel
Hill Weekly
A few minutes before we were
to dine the other night, Harry
McMullan and I went into my
study. Not so many years ago,
study. Not so many years ago,
made the occasion for sooking up
a couple of good attle highballs.
Fut not now, I took a vitamin teblet from a little bottle on the table
and proceeded to be up year
"And the manufacturing chemist
is Re Harris, who used to live
here." I said. "So, while I build
up my system I am helping an old
how the manufacturing chemist
is Its Harris, who used to live
here." I said. "So, while I build
up my system I am helping an old
how the first pause in my gulogy.
Mr. McMullan broke in saying:
"Iti John you."

What John you!"

What John you well in the
leaning carelessly sealing a bar or
sitting at a table in some freendly
secorgian, in Dultham back around
the turn of the century; or it
might have been when listry was
in New York and we had kum-

The News and Plenty Of Flying Rumors

Panifest Correspondence.
Printams (Control) Observe Many people sits about two pittings are not work to pitting are bed by the thankful they are not worse, they say.

Not much sectionest around except at mail time; lot of new reported but it has to be cheened the ported but it has to be cheened the notified but it must be considered by the sax seed tasking about and they gave him a whale of a party.

That mitisks tiffed out to great advantage luckily for us. They have had your correspondent divorced, but, for the land above, given that the considered the considered by the con

TODAY'S BIBLE THOUGHT Riches and honor are with me; yea, durable riches and righte-ousness.—Prov. 2-12,

## Side Glances



"Here she comes now—just for excitement, let's snub her cold!"

# Convoy

By Roym



the latest and most spectacular of these revealing school. This is the kind of action President Rosevet had in mind when he said in his Jeckeno Day address that it had become more than are clear that the time called for Courage and more courage action and more action.

SRIPS WATCH JAPAN. FROM AUSTRALIA

FROM AUSTRALIA
Recently we sent trulers and destroyers to Australia. Presumably they are
remaining for the time being within
quick reach of Singapore. The fact this
this was called a "Good-Will" crusis does
not subtract from its importance as a
maintary more. While Japanese Previeta
Minister Mateuola listended in Berlin
to Herr Elitler his thoughts must have
strayed frequently to those American
wanhips in the Fer Faction and to the
meaning of their presence, as the outrunners of the great U. S. Pacific Freet
which in the judgment of superis is the
mightest array of naval force even

which in the judgment of asperts is the mightlest array of naval force ever assembled in one unit. Furthermore, the lend-less powers are not only strengthening England's Island defense but are capable of practing Yugoslovia and Greece, and are permitting the Entitlah to pursus with more during the Mediterranesis and African campaigns which are on the point of inflicting decisive defeat upon Italy.

Bôt it is probable that President Recerved was foreshadowing semi-thing more than this when he told the country of the need for "courage and more courage — action and more action." It is the belief among more action." It is the belief among almost all informed persons here that conveying of goods to Britain will be undertaken soon. The is the step that will require course on the step that will require course on the part of the Administration, because it means the risk of action hostill ties—it within a considerable socious of public options is still opposed.

peech. Evidenti President Roccevett believes that this country should not allow love of peace to prevent it from doing whatever may be necessary to schiere the riotal victory" which he has set as the national stm. In his Jackson Day speech. President Rocsevelt said that those who attempt to exploit the nat-ural love of Americans for peace are ural love of Americans to peace are actually serving the most brutally war-mongers of all time. Although they rep-resent themselves as pacifists. Mr. Etoosevelt said, they are either agents of Nazism or else its unwitting tools. for America, he said, will be ad not through weakness but through

HE MAY SHELLY USE

EXECUTIVE POWER

Thus far in the long course of our
despenting intervention a clear line of
demarkation has been maintained. We
have refrained from any action which
might bring us into physical secounter
with Axis force. The Administration has
advocated no measure that would inletsuch a collision. A few weeks ago, when
saked about conveying, President Reoseveit said that might mean shouting,
which was something we wished to avoid,
Although he has said nobling since to
directly silver that position there has directly alter that position there has

directly alter that posttien there has been a possible change breard a sore aggressive tone since the Lend-Clease Bill. Was passed. He has indicated that he thought the time for symment as to our policy had passed. He has called for national unity in support of actions necessary for violal victory.

Ower the week-end Sanstor Wheeler, Representative Plate, and President Futchina of the University of Chicago ware on the raide with specker in emphatic resistance against going any further. Mr. Roosevelt has the choice of inviting further debate by seeking Conjectional approval of new policy seps. gressional approval of new policy, steps, or of attempting to ignore the opposi-

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