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"Give Mr. Broughton the benefit of the doubt and concede that he has at least professed interest in bringing members of the Roxboro mob into court. But, in a practical sense, if justice continues to operate at such a slow pace, the incident will have been forgotten by most people, witnesses will have dispersed, and, the whole office will have become historical

ole affair will have become historical the time such a trial is held.

Seven City Councilmen Seck "The Golden Fleece"

Like the Argonauts of Greek mythol-

or accounts of Orcek mythology, the so-called "Seren Iron Dukes" of Charlotte's City Council have girded up their ioins and led by Mayor "Jason" Currie, gone forth in a quest for a peculiar kind of Golden Fleece.

This modern ""

culiar kind of Golden Fieece.

This modern Argany differs somewhat from the original. The "Fieece" is simply a City Manager for Charlotte, yet a man of such unusual and virtuous sorts that he may well be as rare as the prize sought by the crew of the ancient Argo.

cient Argo.

Already the way has been fraught with adventure and hardahlp. Once, when negotiations were underway with City Manager Yancey of Durham, the prize seemed almost within grasp. Then, rearing like one of the brass-lunger, fire-breathing bulls of Hephestus, Mr. Yancey believed insuit upon our brave Argonauts and galloped away.

Bill more tribulation is in store for ur heroes, we fear. Their discarded

Still more tribulation is in store for our heroes, we fear. Their discarded City Manager, Mr. Armstrong, was cast into outer darkness because, for one thing, he dabbled in politica. At the time of his going our lasty Arconauts declared that the new City Manager must eschew matters political. Where is there a man who is intelligent enough to run the City of Charlotte but who will be insensible to the political wishes of those who give him his job?

Where? Perhaps, hidden away in some land' are beyond the treacherous and of Lemnos, past the dreaded Symplegrades—rocks that close in like political expediency—above the false rumors which spring up like the serpent's child offer.

Little expediency—above the false rumors which spring up like the serpent's dead of Lemnos has the such a man. Perhaps he exists and will come to Charlott for what the City can afford to offer.

But we doubt it. There is no reason

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Mu we doubt it. There is no reason why we should expect to get a Super-man or why we deserve more than a good City Manager who is discreet about his political activities.

Criticism? Like Hitler! M'sleu Gaston Henry-Haye is outrage. He is insult. And the source of his dis-pleasure may be found in the scores of American newspaper cartoons which have endowed Chief of the French State

Petain with a number of uncomplimen-lary resemblances, not the least com-plimentary of which is that of a rat;

So Mister the Ambassador has been quietly elipping these mechani cardoons and grilling his treth in private. Yea-lerday, with the still restraint of Gallic exasperation cauding from the person. At situ Henry-Haye marched into Secretary of State Hull's office, cartoon collection under arm.

Later he told newspapermen that the

Later he fold newspapermen that the publication of such cartoons were "not helpful in maintaining the friendly real lations that have existed for 160 years between the United States and France." Because the American press is free, he added, "it should show restraint and not added," it should show restraint and not

publish these cartoons insulting to the Chief of the French State, a man much

too high to be touched by anything of that kind."

Mais Non! Petain of Vichy Above

Argosy

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The Biggest Reason Why We Could Lose This War

Epitaph

Mr. Ickes was wrong. If the United States loses this war, the Aluminum Company of America's recalcitrance will be so much to blame as the sicken-

ing condition which yesterday prompted Shipyard Workers, to declare after anconference with management of the Kearny, N. J., yards:

"We were unable to aprec on any-

Bing.

If has come to this. Confronted with the greatest menace of our times, caught with a labor dispute that has sloped work in our most vital shippards for thirteen days, the man who leads the sarkers admits that he and L. H. Korn-disk and L. erff, president of the yards, can agree

learl, president of the yards, can agree on nothing.
Take note of this sentence, men who write history. Here is your epitaph of a nation rich, powerful, and free. A selion that had everything exceptions of the property with the property with the property of the property

Meet PWR

Its Acquaintance Is One That We Should Cultivate

With a sort of reverse twist on the old stage, the Government in time of war in preparing for peace. Opening ofa in Raleigh as in other state capi-

Sees in Raicigh as in other state capi-dia, is a new alphabetical agency—the PWR, or Public Works Reserve. The function of PWR is what its name flapiles. After this war there is going to be a severe let-down in industrial neitivity, a period of nation-wide adjust-ment. Against that day the Administra-tion (forehandedly); is getting projects lead up and ready to turn over to the sumitry; old-depression stand-by, PWA. The importance locally of failing in the bis undertaking can hardly be

The importance locally of falling in the this undertaking can hardly be asserated. Here, Messires, is both stunity and an obligation to look

shout me and see what major improve-ments this city may advance with Fed-cal aid, which is to say largely at smebody clest expense.

High on the list, we should think, would be that shopworn item in this sweingaper's Hope Chest, an uplown the-der-auditorium. This would do as a starter, but the number and size of pro-starter, but the number and size of pro-

sees which may be filed would be limitseed only by our wants and consideration
for int. Morgenthau's pocketbook.
As any rake, the Covernment is issuing
the invitation. Our city and County
governments should accept it with alacrity and begin now to put their pet imgrovements on paper so that this comshunity will be among the first served
when the bugier blows "Come and Get
It."

Slow Steps

Gov. Broughton "Confers" About the Roxboro Mob

Governor Broughton says "steps have een taken" in an effort to prosecute Governor Brougnoun asymptomic tent taken; in an effort to prosecute members of the mob who participated for the armed assault on the Person County Courthouse Saturday with intent to lynch an alleged Negro rapist.
What steps?
Well, the Governor R. E. Harris whose

Ment, the Governor Ras conferred with Heutenant-Governor R. L. Harris whose Bome town is Roxboro, scene of the riot Mr. Harris was not in Roxboro on the

Sould town is a function, seeing of the riot.

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absorbing the completed praching, but
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what doo if of three steps a mount to?

Ar far as the public is allowed to know,
they are just a meas of worlds, full of
conderence, signifying nothing.

It is reassiving to know that the Covsenor is "taking steps," that the Lieusmant-Governor thinks the matter
should be investigated and those responshible pumished. Even on this sixth day
after the crime, such news is most tomserving.

that kind.

Too high for what, did you say, brother? Too high to he, this mherable, philiful little half-trattor? Sacre blew. Let us be frank, Micu. Your Petalin, your Chiff of State as you call him, is nothlam on the head of the same state of the horizont him, be nothlam with exaggerated zest every time Adolf Hillers henchmen pull the strings. He is less guilty, to be sure, than the gang of traitors standing at his side—Darlan, and the rest of those who, unlike the galiant Norweglands and Dutch leaders, gave up too easily and who crawled to be crumbs at the table of the conqueror.

Too high to be touched by criticism. ording.

Bet what, beside conferring, is going

be done about the Rozboro mob?

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Bed settlon, if any, does the Governor

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Bed devernor makes a few passes at the

Conferring to the Tool, taste is Too high to be touched by criticism, is he? Then let him live up to his no-

The Will To Work

By Dorothy Thompson LONDON. - (By Wireless) - An



Except for the groan of the machinery and the rat 1st lat of small tools the great areas is quiet. Men and girls glance up returned to the small tools the great areas is quiet. Men and girls glance up returned and look back again with steady watching eyes. It is goes on day and nucht, night and day.

Taxing out of the factory the proceedings of the look of the small process of the look of the small process of the look of the unlikely that plance will come to-night.

unlikely that planes will come to-night.

This factory makes the famous Bofors anti-sircast gun bombs blew up the railroad tracks four hours before a sulpinent of guns port, and the middle east workers hid them sagam and the guns passed out on schedule.

SIX DAYS A WEEK; ELEVEN HOURS A DAY

LEAVEN HOURS A DAY
Men and women stream into
the factory at 8 octock in the
morning and stream out again at
7:30 at night as fellow workers on
the night shift stream in. Six
days a week and rometimes or
sunday; riever hours a day, mitheir minimum.
"Now it is not right;" says the
manager. "We ought to have
three light-hour shifts. But Britand is short of man power, we
are injuring an enemy with the
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are fighting an enemy with the buman resources of a continent to draw on."

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of energy the, sary, sary. The ordinary man is much great-er than he thinks or seems 10

War By Decrée

By Hugh S. Johnson

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In these modern days it seems that if a particular down a set of the particular down as the particular down as the particular down as the property of the particular down as the prophets.

It is accepted in the current beautiful prophets, and the prophets witch seems to be on the ways to this distinction it that, regardless of the constitutional provisions requiring treaties to be reallished by the Benate and declarational problems of the president of the pre

USING THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE AGREEMENT

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The usual path of this argument is to say that Jefferson completed the Louisland purchase without consulting Congress, that Monroe pormulgated the Monroe Decline withments of the Jefferson and Jefferson and

voked the Civil War by attempted to releve For Sumpler without mailtime Congress, and the Congress of the Cong

TODAY'S BIBLE THOUGHT

Do not exhaust God's patience; Practice charity and humanity; Whoso privily siandereih his neighbor him will I cut off; him that hath a high look and a groud heart will not I suffer—

A Chance To Hit Three at Once



Letters to the Editor:

What Arc Isolationists?

What are isolationists? "By their fruits shall ye know them."
Judging by the innumerable repetitive letters in open forums in newspapers, ratio speaches and least fruits shall be know them."

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lacking in Christian, brotherly love.

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out that he hay down that he hay down has life for another?" Does not the Bible say: "No man can live unto himsel?" Does not the most hand the bible say: "No man can live unto himsel?" Does not a wrathful Christ throttle say: "No man can live unto himsel?" Does not have been been controlled to the policities of the world being violated to be supported to the controlled to the controlled

406 Jefferson Ave.,

And Accidents

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Judices, The News:

We are now having so many unnecessary accidents in the automobiles that are running around
our street at 175 and 50 miles an
hour. This is something that should
be regulated at once. Now my
that the motor people should so
by and one that is very important
is not to take a five-passenger car
and put from seven to ten people
to allow over two people. In the
ton take of my car—where the and but from seven to ten people in it and in addition to that not to allow ever two people in it to a seven the control of the control of

is not to declare universal prohibition, as in nearly all of the act gasoline and whistey don't into the case of t

Wheeler and Nye Need Engrossment

Teelitors. The News:

The editorial page of The News is very interesting. Mrs. Hendricks of Dalias has langled with Charlotte's Copperhead No. 1 and the hig box is hot on the trail of that much-married man, Robert Rice

mindo-married man, Rosecs.
Reymolds.
It would be a fine thing if Vinceler, Nye & Co. would find a personal matter to curront have to much time to try to make the Western Hemisphere safe for the Nazlt, is ee that Nye has gone stife the Jess in true New York, N. RAMSEY.

Route 4, Lincolnton.

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Editor, Tits News
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ward, arrogant ennoyer. Adolfs an accurred, annoying, antichristian anomaly. Adolfs another Attla. All abbor Adolf, and are awfully appalled in Adolfs another adolfs. After all a seted, actileved and accomplished, Adolf antical all and anomaly adolfs another all anomaly after all accomplished. Adolf and alle all another adolfs annihilated. Alleidalfi Another Alleida Another and another another anomaly and another anoth —ALICE McFARLAND
1223 Camp Green Ave.
Charlotte.

(Note: This is positively the last piece of pure alliteration this page will publish for the duration of the emergency.—Editors. The Nzwa).

Suggestion for Inquiring Reporter

Inquirting Reporter Editors, The News:
Your questions are all richt and to entoy reading the answers, however why not ask a question that is most pertinent at this time, namely, "Why Did the Gity Council discharge Mr. J. Warmy did they not discharge thrometers and appoint the old Council to take their Council to take their Council to take their Council to take their Remarks and the will be all the sense. The sense where we stood, but we don't know, but we stood but we don't know. E. F. BAESEL Charlotte.

Charlotte.

A Question About

Bob Reynolds

Bols Reynolds
Editors. The News:
I thoroughly enjoyed your editors in the Season of the Control of the Control

Side Glances



"It sells for five cents, mister-but when Rusty wags

London is Buoyant

By Reymond Clappe



what the newspapers call a 'full psychol-cay," which one pap-er describes as Enti-ain's No. 1 Fifth Octomist. The Coand No. 1 Fitter
Oblumnist. The Gorsemment is being
urged to shake, the
country out of Unia,
and to force civilimasks as a reminder

and to force chris-man to carry as masks as a reminder that danger is over-present. The facts that London has not had an air-raid alarm in many weeks, that fewer han 500 Nast raiders have crossed the British Coast in the last four weeks, and that a new pattern of victory is discerned in Russia's unexpected re-sistance to the German Army, a new discerned in Russia's unexpected re-sistance to the German Army, a new experience in this year. These things more than offset the disappointing dis-covery that Roosereit and Churchili in their meeting at sea were not taking America into the war.

America into the war.

A STRANGE VICTORY

COMPAINO OF WHISPERS

The newspapers report a strange whispering campaign throughout England pointing to an early victory, even maning Sept. Jo as the day when Germany is to fall. Every responsible person here knows there is no ground for any such hope of an early peace. Long months of war still the sheet. The most that is hoped for this year is that the Russians will come under the protection of Winter weather with their Army relatively linker.

Nevertheless the runner will not

Irmy relatively intact.

Neverthelees the rumore will not down. Even the stock exchange is affected by what are described as the hallocinations of rumarmongen. Children who have been evacuated sivile or three times are coming back to the dangerous areas. Hundreds of special holiday trains are run, sithough the Government has appealed to the public or refrain from travel in order to rease the cost shorters, which is the subject of shortage, which is the subject of considerable criticism in Commons.

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The American film 'Cone With The Wind' is breaking all records here. Dining rooms and dance floors in the big hotels are crowded. Serious concert audiences listed to Wagner, while inserter persons mockingly and Die Wacht Am Rhein. Laughter and music come out through curtained windows as one walks home through black-out streets. The streets are busy during shooping hours.

THE HAND OF WAR

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MAS TOUCHED THE CITY

Nowerer, I would not suggest that
there is no evidence of war in Landon.

Those ugly runs of wrecked buildings
and homes that note the streets in
every part of London—they tell you in
unmistakeble language that the war
has been here in London.

has been here in London.

On a bright Sunday morning I went to Kermington Gardena to visit the Niatute of Peter Fan as for personal sentimental reasons I always do when in Leadon. This time there was not a child in sight. One adult was attaining there when I came up. The absence of young laughter cut one with a chill thrust. Cobweb hour in intense from the pipes of the lonely little (figure, though the luny ears of the small mice around the pedestal were still strangely bright from the fundamentaries of many children's hands. You know that under the Dave Suce

You know that under the brave face of London there is the alient agony of the control of the con You know that under the brave face

driver barking beer the right of way, WAR INCLUDES MANY INDECISIVE GLIMPSES I will never be able to felt you very much about this war. Nobedy will. This wartime life has many facets, some-right, some dark, some that are better not thought about. You get one glimpse bere, another quite different glimpse somewhere else. All the while the visitor knows he has seen nothing at all that enables him to comprehend the full enaming of this cure that has fallen slike upon the just and the unjust.

Visitin' Around

Lookadoos Lookinbetter

(Moorsaboro Rem. Rutherford County News) Mr. Bud Looksdoo and children are now recovering from messles.

Almost News (Reidaville Rt. 1 Item. Caswell Messenger)
Mr. R. V. Smith is expeciling to leave
for Canada soon.