### The Charlette Rews

The daily edition of The Charlotte News was established in 1858. The Sunday edition was added in 1910. The Evening Chronicle established in 1863 was purchased by and consoli-dated with The Charlotte News May

standings.

factories and buy new machinery and provide employment. It's a

beautiful theory, but it doesn't jibe with the Virginian's.

gains tax.

And one of the reasons businesses
and industries do not rush to the
banks to borrow money, no matter
how cheaply, is that when the time
comes to pay back that money out of
profits, if any, the Federal Government taxes them up to 15% on all of
it and up to 27% in addition on any
weethers on the backs tures of

part they pay to the banks instead of to their stockholders. This is called the undistributed profits tax.

The Great Wall

ty-two degreese of longitude and, fini-lowing its curvatures, runs to 1,500 miles! Its height is generally from twenty to thirty feet and at intervals of every 200 yards there is a tower forty feet in height. At the base it averages twenty-five feet in thick-ness, and at the top twelve feet. Be-ginning on the Gulf of Lias-Lung, where the Chinese and Manchurian frontiers meet, it goes eastward past Peking tabout 35 miles to the south of 181 and then trends south and

of iti and then trends south and east across Bhansi to Hwangho, From Peking to Hwangho it is double.

men to penetrate the bounds of fabu-lous Cathay.

Man of Law

Life offered no auch stresses and

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1937

We deplore the ethics of Sheriff Shery Adam of Ordway, Colorado, But the man we don't like in the parsion who snooped and turned him in. The Sheriff was having a 'friendly Shife nickel-ante session' in a room in his home with "at you's I used to go to school with." And the parson symmhods around to the back window and peeped. Then he was a wall to be the ward of the property of the school with." ge to sensoi with. And the parson spunshoed around to the back win-dow and peeped. Then he went to philes headquarters and swore out a warrant, and isnded the Sheriff and his cronies, in court on a gambling

The Sheriff had no budness doing it. The Sheriff is charged with the sentorement of laws against gambing, whatever he thinks of them in spirate. And the sheriff has no busness bresking any of the laws his technique with enforcing, though spoodness knows if he kept em all hard have very little fun. Still, the sheriff had no busness doing it. But that parson — we had a name for his like long ago when we were sisted boys. It's a good name still entitch.

#### Gesture in a Desert

The Young Republican Clubs of Smath Carolina have petitioned the Republican National Committee, which meets at Chicago Friday ==== ich meets at Chicago Friday and urday, to pitch out old "Tieless" "Tolbert as National Commit-nan for the Palmetto Blate and lace him with a "illy-white."

We confess to some little curlos-y as to those "Young Republican Rubs." For in a state which voted We confess to Suns assa-lify as to those "Young Republican Guba." For in a state which voted \$44% pure Democratic in the last election, it must be almost as hard to form a club of Young Republicans as of young diplodocuses. But that's by the way, as for what they pro-pose, it's all right by us. Indeed, on general moral grounds it might be a very good thing, for "Tieless Joe" has never been our idea of an April

But what practical advantage the Tong Republicans may hope to garner from it is a deep dark mystem of the property of the state of the But what practical advantage the Carolina alive for so many years, there just ain't none in these Rooseweitian times. What's more, the stars, it seems to us, look little auspicious for a long time yet.

### Pour Ol 42!

It has been a sort of game with as to point out how, in any table sisting the 68 states in the order of their standing, North Carolina always tended to gravitate to 4rnd place. So frequently has this happened that finally we have come to mefer to North Carolina, affection-lately and not without understanding, as Of 42. She might alp a sooth in this table or gain a notch fat that, and in certain characteristics, such as the reproductivity of has people auch the prepoductivity of has people auch the prepoductivity of hear people auch the prepoductivity of hear people auch the prepoductivity of hear people aim the prepoductivity of hear people aim the prepoductivity of hear people aims to hear the productivity of hear the h Life offered no auch stresses and strains and confusion to Judge Thomas J. Shaw as to the common run of us mortais. He had found something as a guide to subject and he relied upon it on the superior court bench and off. Law, it was. He lived by law and died by it and it was sufficient. Once he said: "I am not afraid to die, but it could be a bother." Therefore, yesterday, it may be usually and the sufficient of the superior court of the superior super of Rivaries and books and the obser, and capacity of monabina is setted, whe sometimes shot to-d the top or the bottom, which way you looked at it. But usu-in those tables dealing with this, health, public order and serial all-round enlightenment. roling was either in 42nd

scording to per capita in-

prising though — for the thought of being that was tolerable as long as we had come up in the last inf-teen or twenty years from an even lower standing — is to discover that the state was 40th in 1834 and 39th TAXES HURT POOR MOST in 1933; in short, that relatively have lost ground under the 1 WASHINGTON .- The President's re-

The cent expressions about the current perspaper discussion of Federal taxes—sepecially the undivided profits and capital gains tax, must be disappointing Deal. Our income has increased, but kota, which have displaced us in the standings.

Poor Ol' 42! Poor Ol' 42, indeed!

To be 42nd and headed up is one thing. To be 42nd and headed down is something else.



THEY CHOKE OFF JOBS.

This column has discussed these taxes repeatedly and never from any other vivexpoint than that of the "have-note" and the sub-standard groups. The point is that these taxes keep money from origing to work to create new business and expand industry. "Nen can't go back to switch most live with mill money were lasty to back to switch multil money were lasty to with the Virginian's.

One of the easons that speculation in slocks is more than ever a losing game under present rules to that the dods are heavily against the speculator. If he loses, that's too bad, and he can deduct from his income tax return losses up to the amount of his winnings, if any, or to \$2,000 only if he has none. And if he wins, why, he Federal Government imposes taxes and surfaxes reaching a peak of 194. This is called the capital gains tax.

and expand industry. "Men can't go back to work until money goes back to work."

Since it is difficult or impossible to get money in wink in the face of those tares, those tares are perpetuating unemployment. The 60,000,000 in the substandard income groups don't want the pinch-penny starration incomes of relief, they want jobs-regular self-respecting jobs. It is to their interest more than any other class in this company to have those enterprise-destroying unemployment-making tare revised.

### NORODY SORRY FOR RICH

called the undistributed profits tax.

Senator Glass's, idea of how to
atimulate husiness would be to repeal the undistributed profits tax
and modify the capital gains tax.
We believe it goes more to the roots
of the trouble than the Reserve
Board's artificial stimulants. is entall, but it is a Dome-prous crises on safety.

There are two factors which increase revenue. The rate of insation is one. The other is the volume tared. A tax of ene per cent on fifty billions of national income would return five billions in revenue. But a jax of only alk per cent would return its billions on a national income of one hundred billions.

# Yesterday we carried a picture or Yesterday we carried a picture on the front page showing a modern-lzed Chinese army, under steel hei-mets, moring along the Great Wall of China. Everybody has heard of that wall, but not many of us seem to know anything about it. The other night, for instance, we heard a radio quizzer propound a question as in its length to three people. One guessed severty-live miles, another 130, and the third 700. Actually, however, it streiches through twen-ty-two degrees of longitude and, fin-lowing its curvatures, runs to 1,500 REDUCE REVENUE, TOO

REDUCE REVENUE, TOO
These takes are not only too high in
rate to get maximum revenue for the
overnment, but they are also confinetory on expansion of new business. It
isn't a question of these revenue at all.
Most apperts seem to believe the taxes
could be revised to return more revenue
by a different rate on more business,
more employment, more wages and more
income.

The affect of bringing the "have-note" The effect of bringing the "have-noise" and the "have-" into the discussion is to make them think that anyone who criticizes those taxes is arguing against the "have-noise"—when the reverse is the fact. It injects an emotional element of hatted signant the "have" and against anyology who tiets to argue this case on its plain merit. That might have on the plain merit, that might be all right if the argument were being made signant this interests of the substandard forly million. But when the truth is exactly otherwise, it is too had there into a referee somewhere to keen there isn't a referee somewhere to k controversial punches above the belt.

And He Don't Mean Mebbe

From Pexing to Hwangno it is double.

The building of the wall began in the Third century B. C., and was completed in the Sixteenth century A. D. The occasion of its building from beginning to end was the desire to secure protection against the Mongol hordes which eternally have poured down upon China through Manchuria from the ateppas under the Great Gobl. Here long ago. Genghis passed Here Kublal, sweeping in from the non-exitant pleasure domes of Xanndin, stormed and slew and won and lost. And here too came Minser Marco Polo, the Venetian, first of all Western imm to penetrate the bounds of fabries and services the first of the fir And the John's Mean Mehbe
[Adsertlement, Whiterlile News-Repurter)
To Whom H May Concern Take Notice!
The Writer doesn't know whether
George T. Shivey is or has been the perpetrator of or in any manner connected
with any fraud, embessiment, shortage
or deshonest dealings with any Automoble Association or Insurance Company
or not, but if he has, any person who
hat hadd or shall say, Hint, Imply, Insituate or otherwise intinsite that the
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deed in any case or manner whatsorer. secajon, or any other unlawful act or deed in any case or manner whistoerer, or ever was connected in any manner at any time, anywhera with any dishonest act or acts, is an INSIGNIFICANT, ORNERY, DASTARDLY, PUSILLANI-MOUS LIAR.

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October 14, 1937.
W. H. RORDEAUX.
Court House Square,
Whitevills, N. C.

In Defense of Women

(Detroit News)
"The AAA finds that men park better
than woman drivers." A woman doesn't
park. She leaves a seden somewhere
and lets the situation adjust itself to the
car.

### Feat for a Hero

(Atlanta Constitution) Hitler's half-brother has opened a cafe in Berlin, and an tron cross awaits the first customer who sake if the corned heef is strictly knaher.

## Seed Law Is Nuisance For Rural People

New License Fee Will Make It Necessary To Travel Far For Small Quantities.

property based on insturning confidence through fax reform. North Carolina's seed law is absolutely may add that he was add that he was add that he observed the paper stories and open merchand out-of-800-that ranks a peculations a bout profit ever and above the fax. The peculations about profit ever and above the fax. The peculations are profit in the part of their seed from some multiple of the profit or their seed from some multiple of the profit or their seed from some multiple of the profit or their seed from some multiple of the profit o

cenator Larter Glass apparently have different done to "stimulate business."

In done to business which just now is angulating alarmingly. The boards-deep, as ladicated in its medification of margin in easier to be sub-standard forcome control to the law is going to be this if you want a package of seed that loop epople in the sub-standard forcome control to the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that control to the sub-standard forcome control to the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that control to the sub-standard forcome control to the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that control to the sub-standard forcome control to the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that control to the sub-standard forcome control to the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that control to the sub-standard forcome control to the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that control to the sub-standard forcome control to the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that control to the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that control to the sub-standard forcome control to the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that control to the sub-standard forcome control to the sub-standard forcome will be no way for the state and the provided on the subon Meltitr they have been incogely, tested or not the law is going to be that if you want a package of seed that coats only five cents, you may have to go fifteen or twenty miles or maybe swent Jurther than that in order to get it. To link that the public sends men to Ralight and then they pass such a thing as this. This kind of man is not fit to be sent anywhere. This absolutely is the shallowest thing I ever heard of. Every merchant should order his seed just as he siways has and retuse to pay the license fee, which is \$10 for each firm that sells seed.

It is time for the public to wake up

firm that selfs seed.

It is time for the public to wake up and demand that this kind of thing be alopsed. I hope serve idition will take lime to write to his representative at Raiselyh and burn him up for this. The trouble at Raiselyh is that they are all sucking at the public lest. What the public has the public is taken the fatter. The public is taken to death now and is getting tirred of it.

J. L. KEISTLER

indicates. Note-North Carolina's Leg-lizations Note-North Carolina's Leg-Lization passed a Pura Seed Law in 1923, Phylic Law 1929, Chapter 189 under which seed merchants were required to submit seed offered for sale to the Agri-cultural Commissioner for tests. The law was mended in Chapter 309, Pub-ile Laws of North Carolina 1927, to pro-vide that every seed wholesaler must pay a license fee of \$25 and every relative \$10. Our correspondent seems to sugue that the fre will'absorb the profits for-merly made in seed by small country insechants, that in consequence they will be the seed of \$25 and \$25 and \$25 and the passed of \$25 and \$25 and \$25 and the law for seed of \$25 and \$25 and \$25 and the law for seed of \$25 and \$25 and \$25 and the law for seed of \$25 and \$25 and \$25 and consequent licenseeming to rural poor the who want to buy only small quanti-lies.]

RE'S TEMPTED TO RUN AGAINST THEIR BOB ON A SURE-FIRE PLATFORM

Dear Sir:

I am tempted to anter the contest for the United States Benate, for the place R. R. Reynoids now holds.

My platform:
20-cent cotton.
50-cent cotton.
50-cent cotton.
50-cent cotton.
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I. м. темртер. Charlotte.

Honesty Is NOT the Best Policy

(Excerpt, H. L. Mencken by The Balti-more Evening Sun) The Hon. Benito Mussolini seems to be reaping the ancient and inevitable harvest of sin. That is to say, he seems to be putting it all over the vir-

# Visiting Around

Stay Outs the Rye, Beys (Headline, Tayloraville Times) UNITED DRYS WILL HOLD FIELD DAY IN ALEXANDER ...

When Any Gal Gow Home Nowadays,
It's a Surprise
(Tish Hum, Monroe Enquirer)
It's was another of her nice surprise visits.

Yeb, But How Is Me At Makin' Sweet
Patentiser
(Franklin Times)
Clerk of Court W. V. Avent doesn't
want people to believe he cannot make
want people as and is displaying a huge
tuber in his office as groof that he can,
and he howes at that. and in town at that

# BELIEVE IT OR NOT .-- By Ripley



Explanation of Today's Cartoon

THE RAPTISM OF FIRE—The from back "Afa Iredair," built in 1872, was abandoned by hir crew on Cor 15, 1876, with her cargo of coal burning directly in mid-ocean. The burning derrilet, at the merry of
and current, alonly driftled to Papeter. The fire lasted until May 1878, when the shop was finally
ad out. The hulk was sold at auction for 1200, being purchased by Capitan J. E. Thayer of San Fran, who repaired her rend saided her to California. Renamed the "Annie Johnson," he did active saiting
the for 64 years more. In 1876, the "Annie Johnson" was sold to a French copps trader in Tabill, who
are considerable. The "Breisane" a burned-out hull in 1878, it still outgestries as a copys trader at

policy and bracking, ingisterion.

These are the facts, and the President knows them. They are not, as the President to lightly indigated, a matter of which economies chool-one happens to belong to. Unless, of course, one is a Socialist and believes that the preface to Socialism is to make it impossible for capitalistic contempt to function. Inside the Espitalistic, or a semi-capitalistic system, the demand for a reversal of the tax policy is not made in the interest of creatin selbs, wealthy group. But in the interests of a functioning economy.

# ON THE RECORD

#### Honest Questions and Nuisance Answers

AN RONERT questions and Nuisance Ansiters —

AN RONERT question, it seems to me, with the third quarter of this year, it not only added nothing more to the pressure of the propriate and explaining the promits and explain pains asked concerning the promits and explain pains asked and promits and explain pains asked and promits and explain pains asked and the profits and explain pains asked to the purchase and the propriate and explain pains asked to the purchase and the profits and explain pains asked to the purchase and the profits and explain pains asked to the purchase and the profits and the prof Preserves his honest answer. At his press conference on Priday, President Rooserell was asked concerning the prespects of recision of the surplus prefits and expital prints have. An honest answer would have been that although the Administration was not ready to amount a decision one way or the other with respect to lax adjustments, it was very exercisely considering both—the financial policy and the tax structure with a view to doing recypiling it could to meet an unforeseen crisis. Inis could to meet an unforeseen crists, instead, the President again referred to
the "ull fed, ill clothed, ill housed onethird of the Appetican population" as
being his chief concern, and inferred
by open inclination that the public concern over New Deal financial and taxdion policy remandes solely from selfish
inferents.

Mr. Roosan's teams of the public onMr. Roosan's teams of the public onments of the banks up to the limit of
the law, and strellized about a production and a half of gold, whose induce a

Mf. Roosevelt knows that this is not live. Mr. Roosevelt knows that a retounderstion of policy is being deunder not in order to recreate or to
save the jobs of millions of seconds.

For the tenth consecutive time the For the tenth consecutive time the business index of the last were above a sharp decline. If it continues at the rule and tempo, of the last ten weeks, we shall reach, the fore months the bot-tom point of 1933. In Gary, Todane, steel workers are employed for only three days a week; in many Pitthough plants have shut down. Foreight car-loadings for the week of October 33rd week of 1938 by 4.5 per cent, the must week of 1938 by 4.5 per cent, the must acqueut shirtness in rail movements.

were less than for the corresponding week of 198 by £ 4 per cent, the most serious shirinkage in rail movements since March 1998, and excluding the time of flood disturbance, the sharpers decline in more than two years. All other indices in ceptial goods industles point in the same direction.

Up to a formight ago it may have been doubtful whether the President resident the same direction. The tendent was the more than the seriousness of the situation. It cannot be doubted any more. Mr. Roosewelt knows what is happening. By the limited the same time to the limited the similar than the memory has in be dealt with. The whole country knows now that this business recession has not developed in the normal course of a trade cycle. The country knows that it is seeing an unparallisted example of a government made over the standard that the tendent of controlling a boom, stopped it altogether. The new politics of a managed conomy turns out to be the philosophy of a man who, out of fear of too green happiness, commits cuteries.

This column has no doubt that the government is at this moment weighing carefully sensible and necessary measures to be taken. Why then, while we wait for a reasonable and reasuring word, must we get one which insulin the intelligence? fear of too great napputers, suicide.

Beginning in spring, 1937, the Tréasury initiated a serious attempt to [valance the subsets. The Treasury contracted spending to a degree which the public did not notice, so that, beginning

# Earlier Days

News of 75 and 100 Years Ago From Files in the State Library at Raleigh

NOVEMBER 4, 1962
15 YEARS AGO
FROM THE ABMY IN NORTHERN
VIRIGINA
Richmond:—There is nothing in the
letest address from our army on the Potomac to loadcase that a grarest eneasement is near at hand. Indeed or
are more disposed to believe, notwithstanding the brue and bluster of the
Abditton ment that the near was not a are more disposed to believe, notwith-standing the bring and bluster of the Abolition press, that the enemy has not crossed the river in force at any point and is in no condition to advance through a country aiready devolated by the presence of contending armics. Pascengers by the central train last evering report that a brick skirmish took place on Sunday morning between a small body of our troops and a recon-Anall body of our truops and a recom-noisering party of the spemy, which re-sulted in the rout of the latter and the capture of 30 prisoners.

—Richmond Whig.

that certains on turne olition dollars by purely monelary measure.

All this is lytical of the behavior of the New Deal. There is no quarrel about intentions. It might have been desirable to do somethins about an incipient boom in the Spring of 1837, under the formula of fronting out the peaks and valleys of the trade cycle. But, as a forten, what was done was done without adequate thought, without consideration of consequences, by hept means and in a permicious hurry.

The effect of this policy would, of course, have been less radical. If the body to which the cure was administered had not been weakened by four years of rough treatment. It is now apparent to all but the willful that the policy of the New Deal have been dependent of the new Deal have been deal to the policy of the New Deal have been deal to the policy of the New Deal have been deal to the policy and the New Deal have been deal to the policy and the new Deal have been which economic life depends in a capitality as the heart depends upon the blood aircam, has been paralysed. Everytody now known that this market was weakened by serious mistalage and Tarpolley and basking legislation.

These are the facts, and the President FROM THE NORTH
The latest New York Resald says that
McClellan's "marvelous strategy" has
ut off General Lee from Richmond and
alowly but surely McClellan is capturing

cut or create a control of the contr

freshorn, Tenn. and that Lisco Cented-erals cataly were at Somersel, Ken-tucky.
The "United States steamer Cahawba, arrived at New York on Tureday from New Orleans, having on board the Rer. America. Leacock, Goodfich and Pulton, pastors of Episcopal chutches in New Orleans, who were sent to New York for

Orleans, who were sent to New York for requiring to gray for the President of the United States.

The Herald asys:—One by one all classes of isboring men are industing in atrikes. The cause of the strikes is, of course, the depreciation of the currency.

—Payetteville Observer.

Stop Us If You've Heard This Оле

Deacon Brown (waking up sac "Load? I just dusia"

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RIPTION BATES 

RIDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1937

Out Argue Ourselves

a these can't be. On no rational side one interest to rate it in the between the incipient failure his Comminity Chest to raise it is comming upola, and the number of deriff. In Charlotte last month can't even divide murders into gree or subtract corporate from un-readvenant.

ins these facts, wholly unrelated in the facts, wholly unrelated in the facts, wholly unrelated in the facts of the facts

Shat there were five murders

ariotte last month,
result are for the police to
la, not the Community Client,
clies of the Community Chest
of forces of detection and punent; they are forces of adjust-Say! Maybe, after all, there is remote connection between as and Community Chesta be by graventing delimquency in our properties, by preventing want and critice is far as possible, by suting family disintegration, by suting the neglect of children sathly mentally — maybe pre-tion of these preventable blue d, in time if not sooner, have effect upon our terrible murder e by meventing deling

de not guarantee it, merely y Be worth:

Set It to Milelo

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many atti-deling still a royal per-the Duke naturally got feted by Natis — anathema to labor in democratic countries. And after it magnificent start from the mg feet, he prepared quite chrer-y and in, all innocence to visit the tide Bigles under the austices of fittend 'Charles Bedaux. But, Bedaux 'Intitis or woner's is fled in the mind of American Abor with 'the hated "atreth-out.'
And so now the sovereign powers of
AFI. and CIQ are having running
fits. 'Then to cap the climax, 'Dr.
William E. Dodd, Jr., son of the
Assertican Ambassador to Germany.
Assertican Ambassador to Germany.
The street of the Assertican Ambassador to Germany.
The first has stories of Hitlerism'.
The street of the stories of Hitlerism'.
This only a pity, we think that Bir
Assertic Sullivan and W. S. Gilbert
Lines. They would have had in these
Makanassir of bufforiers the pits for ectly swell super-light opera.

Schole in Wage-Fixing

District of Columbia has w Wage Law and a Minimus bard, both much on the or

Percuary I.

As a forerunner of wage-ming generally, this sample of Pederal zales is interesting. Washington is also display the impercuality of exception of the percuarity of the percuarity of the percuarity and the percuarity and the percuarity and the percuarity which is percuarity with the percuarity and the percuarity and the percuarity of the per

Frank R. McNinch, temporarily cleaning the house of the Federal Communications Commission but permanently in charge of the Fed-eral Power Commission, addressed permanently in charge of the Federal Power Commission, addressed investment bankers at their convention yesterday and childed them for not being builtsh on utility stocks. He had charts and graphs apd camera shots to show that despite the boger of New Deal competition, the power industry had been doing more and more business and making more and more money. Its fears and forebodings he called "lit founded."

fears and forebodings he called "ill founded."

Okay, Frank: okay. The power industrys a sap. The life of Commonwealth & Southern's trade is TVA compellion, and the investment bankers are saps for not buying Commonwealth & Southern's atock at 17-6, yesterday's close. The investment bankers are saps for not rushing in to bid up the stocks of power companies in the seren areas to be served by the seven TVAs for if one TVA causes the power industry to make, more and more money, it follows that seven TVAs will cause it to make sevent times more and it to make seven times more and more money

nore money. And closer home, Frank, the stock of Duke Power Company will be a buy, we take it, the minute the Subuy, we take it, the minute the Sus-preme Court gives the go-shead sig-nal to PWA Administrator Ickes and its Greenwood County power pro-ject, and the stock will go up and up if Mr. Ickes is permitted to build a power plant for the municipality of High Point, and the stock will go sky high if the government's 255, 000,000 Santee-Cooper navigation and power project materializes. Is that the idea, Frank?

Self-Defense, New Style

We have remarked before on the development within this American country of a unique theory of self-defense, whereunder it is a valid plea to the shooting of a man seven times in the back while he is running away

in the back while he is running away as fast as he sign will carry him, or in the killing of a married man in his own house to which a winnan, unmarried and armed with a gun, has gons at night.

But of course this theory of self-defense is not really peculiar to America. It seems, in fact, to be establishing itself all over the world, and nowhere more clearly than in the realm of international relationships. A dozen instances immediate. A dozen instances immediate. ships. A dozen instances imme-diately come to mind, but we con-tent ourselves merely with quoting an extract from a speech made in New York recently by Shingore Takatahl, editor of the Tokyo Nichi-Nichi and the Osaka Malnichi, now touring among us to correct our mis-understanding of the Japanese war

arms."

From that we may conclude, then, that wars of self-defense as we are to know them in the future will be (1) fought against powers admittedly much more poorly coulpped to fight than the defender, and (2) that they will be fought entirely in the territory of the augressor.

### False Alarm

Mr. Boske Carter's logic some-times escapes us. Tuesday he was commenting upon local elections in which candidates supported by AFL were pitted against candidates supcommenting upon local elections in which candidates supported by AFL were pitted against candidates supported by CIO, and he saw it as the dawning of the second phase — just how and at what o'clock does a phase dawn? — of the struggle to form a labor party in the United States. And when that should happen, oh, worry, worry!

Here, then, will be two groups, should very divided in numbers, the structure of the control of the

overlooks is that labor is fighting its post and that by just so much as its political attempth is divided will it be rendered inpolent. To say that industry, business and consumers will be pliniched between its as specious as saying, that the nepublicans; astendard, the beautiful properties of the widesing split is been because of the widesing split in the properties of the plant of the properties of the plant of the p

Store in the capital at 117 a from two labor factions, string. The order will take effect on against each other, than it, from one which moved as a foregrammer of warr-fixing lowerits goal. It, Booke?

### COYLE BOOK RACY STUFF

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things that have
been recently said
done by leading

WOULD CONTROL BY DEST

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Mr. Cople wanta a very large Federal
dobt to be held in bonds by banks. The
present debt, relative to others, is a
title. The proposed mammeth debt is
to act as a centrol of economic forces.
But you must have a big budget of
spending—about ten billion dollar is,
suggested. When depressions come you
borrow billions and force them on the
banks. This increases the amount of
money the banks can lend to start busireas—the more they lend the overreas—the more they lend the overreas—the more they lend the overreas—the more they lend the overmonry the banks can lend to start busi-tiess—the more they lend the govern-ment, the more credit they have to lend business. When booms come you in-crease taxes and take the bonds back from the banks. This restricts credit and, throttles business down. The less the banks lend to government, the less they can lend to business.

the baths frein to business. They can lend to business. High taxes are a blessing. They are not just for revenus. Their beneficent uses are to take from the "haven" to give to the "have-not" and to punish wealth, break up large business enterprise and generally to regulate everything and extrabod?.

WIDOWS SHOULD BE WART
The undistributed profits and capital,
gains tares need some revision, but not
in principle. They permit government
to requists the conduct of all corporate
business. But we should also have a
graduated corporate income tax—penalling mere gise regardless of the return
on investingnet or to stockholders. This
may pinch some poor widows, but poor
widows have no business to invest in
such "a dangerous enterprise"—dangercus because government is going quining for them.
Business, lawyers and the rich we be-

ning for them.

Business, lawyers and the rich are the
criminals in his dog-house. All high
personal tax returns should be examined with, "the loving care that was
used in examining those of Al Capone."

He wants to centralize government in

ANOTHER EXPLODING THEORY
It is a Jrank book that discloses factof-faces much of what we have recently
seen through a glass darkty. Its dogma
is theoretical, contrary to all human experience, never yet tried without disaster, and now advanced solely on the
authority of a purely speculative radical
theorits. But on such aweeping tangenis
toward the infinite unknown we move
in our questrock theory of governmend.
—Iry sampthing once—a punt, a pass, a
prayer. At intervals, some new familiar
spirit must perch on the shoulder of
suprems authority with a complete new
formula. ANOTHER EXPLODING THEORY

of pump-priming tarried abortly then blazed up into this flery Coyle cept—a hot hash of Huey Long, Pather Coughlin, Mussolini and the witch burnpression seems to be exercising this lat-est familiar.

# Visiting Around

Ev're Ours: 'Ee 'Eft 'Em 'Ers 'Ast 'Eek

A Times subscriber, who sake that his name be withheld, reports finding a set of false teeth parked on the back seat of his automobile. How they got there or to whom they belong he has no idea.

Who Burgled Mrs. Laney's Bunnies? (Headline, Monroe Journal)
WHITE RABBITS GONE
Lancy Auxious To Recover Figtires That Have Long Set In
Her Yard

Anyway, It Was a Nice Night for a Ride

(New Bern Tribune) Piremen were called to box 27, Pollock

Gentlemen, Bo Sented (Franklin Times) Work on the walls around the Co-Square have about been completed.

io Have 100 Per Cent Atte (Waxhaw Enterprise)

The young ladies Sunday school class is to have a Hallowen party at the parsonage. They have invited the young much class and a few others.

# Shyster Hunt Will Hurt No Good Lawyer

Newell Was Justified In Speech But Did Not Indict the Entire Profession.

the press started the ball rolling. There have been some who have criticised Mr

or was considered to the fact.

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The rank N. Littlejolm, child of detective of the Chariotte police forms, in a speech, made he charge that the officers were handlespeed by the unstitued and criminal percitice of lawyers, and asked the question: "Row can I Motors ha law when jeavines will take stolen stoney to defend thirves!" And, "Yellow and in more the law when lawyers will come to the police department and say lay represent criminals who are in custofy, and I bring the criminal of and the does not know the criminal of and the does not know the criminal point? I know that even one shigher to be supported that lawyer?"

Why. Newell hawwerd M. Littlejohn.

is employing that haver?"

"Mr. Newell answered Mr. Littlajohn
by saying that the only objection he had
to Mr. Littlajohn's statement was that
he Galtisjohn' did not hame his man
or men, and that doesn't lawyers would
not object to his doing so. Its then said
that there were at least a few lawyers'
how were not "mitty" that he Innew
many fine men who were lawyers' but
there were some he thought should be
in the penitentiary.
I hold that Mr. Newell should have

I hold that Mr. Newell should have replied as he did: and that if he had replied as he did: and that if he had falled to do so, he would have preven trailor to his profession and its hon-orable traditions. I have heard him say that anyone charged with crime, innocent or guilty, had the right to have an atterney to represent him, and that this right should not be denied; that any lawyers had the right to accept or decline any employment offered him, and that this right should not be denied; and that any lawyer who engaged himself to represent an accused person should do all in his power for his client within the hay, but nothing against the law. I have heard him say, too, that if a lawyer engages himself on a relationd heats to represent a a source rainfail whose business is to violate the law. that lawyer, in his opinion, is a spirator against the law,

infrator against the law,
Many norsyspers and magazines are
carrying on compatinu against crimnal and unchical lawyers. The charges
are made by no less personages than
United States Atomy Orneral Cummings and the Pereident of the Amarican Bar Association. Of course, but
are not condemning the whole bar our
all lawyers. But they are condemning
the inertia and apathy in the profesalon which permits the stryater lawyer
to conflicte to do bustness and remain a
stigmal on the profession.

A. A. TARILTON.

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ANY ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE

ACCIDENTS, AND THERE
ARE CONCLUSIVE TESTS

Dear Sir; Everybody knows that one uraneous driver is a meane. Everybody knows that drunken driving should be stopped. But who knows how much alcohol it takes it make a man a menaco? How to determine whether a man has had too much? At the bottom of all controvers over the fluor question are those two questions: How much is Ursafe to two questions: How much is Ursafe to irink? By what tests may a drinker

That drinking is a major factor in the nation's increasing traffic toil was shown on charts produced by Dr. Herman A. Helse of Milwaukee at the meeting of the American Association of Molor Vehicle Administrators recently held in Cincinnati. Major Thomas Macledo, Dritish aviation authority, declared in an address over the ratio. The two wind of speed today there should be no place for beverage acknoloty, . Alcobol, even in small doses, affects 'adduction,' or the power of adjusting the focus of the speed to approaching objects. This same traffice authority asid that a small amount of alcobol disturbed the driver's judgment and his concentration and might slow down his reaction, some 21 per cent. The National Safety Council has repeatedly emphasized the dangers of small amounts of alcohol on the highways. Yet we read of "reckless" drivers acciutted because the court could not prove they were "under the influence." But now an important change of facilities vialently with this problem of the drinking driver. Judgs J. M. Braude plans to systematize the evidence of drunksmess, reports the Chicago Delly News. Re will demand a urinalysis from drivers booked for driving under the influence of alcoholten of drivers booked for driving under the influence of alcoholten. That drinking is a major factor in the

BELIEVE IT OR NOT ... By Ripley



Explanation of Today's Cartoon WONDER—That Plat Arch of the ruined church of Santa Domin of engineers ever since the church listed was destroyed by fire in 11 med the constitution of the Panama canal, engineers was used to P in the Company of the Company of the Company of the Company is was finally located in Panama. If this arch could withstand it was finally located in Panama.

## IT SEEMS TO ME

WHAT this country needs is a good 15 stock. Of late certain efforts have been made to turn the blue chips into white, but most of the gith-ended securities are not yet down to the githern bread levels whose we commoners can call our cake.

Once I certain whose we commoner can be our cake.



disappeared. It seems the edition ran out and there was not sufficient demand for

printing. another printing.

Silli, I was never bitter at the evaporation of my investment, because from the very beginning I had an inkting that some such thing might happen. My rescoting was, Yohn Doe silver could go up a hundred points. It can go down only once. The percentage is entirely

And I still feel that there is more oom at the top than at the bottom, an so I am about to buy a low-priced

HANG THE FUTURE
It, seems (hat there is a thing called depreciation. That's plaw. If you take oil out of a well there is no longer as much oil in that well as before you took some of it out. The man also says that we must say some of our oil and some of our profile for posterity.

of our profile for posterior.

I'm against that. Did these generations yet unborn-your grandchildranot my grandchildra-fait the indians, conquer the widerness, raise up
old stripks on land which was once
barren and hideous? You know that
they did not. What right. Usen, have
they to come around surveiling about deman the come of the

have decimal point \$49. But in either case I think it, is unreasonable that we should be called upon to etint ourselves much for children who are at best po-

Our company is not listed jet but we have a nice roomy office with two sis-nographers who overlook Park Ave.

DO BROWN

Above the fireplace is a large photograph of the chairman of the board. He would be in his setty 60s, and he is clean sharest. A very pleasant smile animates his countenance. Apparently he is thinking of the fire dollars a share which we are almost certain to make

Our product is varied. In addition oil three of our wells are bringing salt water, We may decide to produ-taffy as a sideline.

tairy as a sidetite.

The man says that if I get in now on
the ground floor I can come to the directors' meeting and have a voice. He
says that the officers want to know
the stockholders and that if the stock-

surprised.

We are much more dupby than U. S.

Steel. Being a member of that organization is about as exclusive as belonging to the Yale Club. You can't possibly know at the railows. You wouldn't care to know some of them. I am latking, or course, of Big Steel and not of the Yale Club.

Yale democracy I admire very much, and I like their clubhouse. It is ex-tremely convenient to the Grand Central

trendy convenient to the Grand Gentral Terminal, and I know of no better place in which to wait for trains. I can't arre-with those who maintain that the sta-tion rest room is more homelias. Our offices are also convenient to the station. The man says that the presi-dent of our oil company siwars likes to have a railroad station hand just in case it becomes necessary for him to leave town in a hurry.

The Last Never Changes

(Mrs. Thee B. Davis, Zebulan Record)

I. was somewhat surprised when a
man who has traveled far more than I
wer shall, declared that if a person
really known his own neighborhood he
known be world, insofar as human nature is concerned. He saked me if crainso types were not in my community
when I was a child; and if I had not
tound those same types erreywhere I
went; adding that he had never fasted
to find them to matter where he lived.
Since than I've been studying over it
and aim almost pertunded that he is
table. As a child inner the local
miner and apendiratif; the first who
fanced her beauty would carry her
through tife and the one he minded
der more the things of the-spirit; the
philosopher and the hall-wil; the drunkand and the andert temperance worker; philosopher and the half-wift; the dr and and the andent-temperance we the man who labored far into the : and the one who refused to labe ati; the man who pretended to hav more money than he did have and now whose great fear was that 'o might know how much he owned,

Earlier Days.

News of 75 and 100 Years Ago From Files in the State Library at Raleigh

NOVEMBER & IMI

THE YANKEES IN MARTIN COUNTY THE YANKEE IF MARTIN COUNTY.
We have some interesting ascounts of
the recent Yankee generalization in
North Carelina. The freese of the enenry, forming about 7000 nees under
the cromanul of Major-Coursel Poster,
made a raid on Martin County last
week. The destruction done by the soenry is said to be irightful. The county,
from one end to the other, it said to
be a complete scene of desclation and
nin. The Yankee army left Washingtion on Stunday the second last, on les
march for Williamston, and rarrived at
Ravit Mill at aundown, where it was
engaged by the 28th North Carelina
engaged by the 28th North Carelina mitted by them.

mattered not whether the owner was in or abort. Done were broken open and houses entered by the soldiers who book entry thing they saw, and what they were unable to early away they broke and destroyed. Furniture of every descriptions was committed to the finner and the citizens who deared to remonstrate with them were thereaftend, carred, and buffstied about by the Yankew villaina. Cattle, hopes and poultry were shield down