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Sweating Candidates Coming Down the Stretch Will Soon Know What Is In Store

The candidates for the various civil offices are now coming down the stretch. Some are developing considerable speed while others are merely marking time.

Up until Wednesday, at the time this is being written, the only democratic candidates for mayor who has been actively at work in the campaign is R. H. Bunch, former mayor. The other democratic candidates for mayor are said to be quietly organizing and that a real contest may develop in the final week of the campaign.

The primary will be held Tuesday, July 19, one week from next Tuesday. There have been many calls for absent voter's ballots and the workers of both parties are confident that a big vote will be polled. There were a little over twelve thousand votes cast in the city manager contest and it is believed that the primary vote will reach the fifteen thousand mark.

The republican candidates for mayor are hammering away at each other with but slight regard for the rules laid down by the celebrated Marquis of Gossberry. Hitting below the belt, thumb biting and eye gouging are being indulged in without restraint on the part of the referee and the embattled candidates have even been caught on several occasions, making faces at each other.

Willard Bartlett is making a picturesque campaign for the nomination, backed by a miniature newspaper which relates conditions in Muncie as Willard sees them. His campaign is being operated under the auspices of an organization entitled the Republican Square Deal Club, composed of himself and another man.

Willard's word pictures of conditions in Muncie presents our city as a rival of Sodom and Gomorrah. He says he knows where all the blind pigs are located and is all set to put them out of business. It has been suggested by some that such valuable information ought to entitle its owner to a job on the police force instead of the mayor's office.

Walter Steele is still regarded as the organization candidate and he is receiving the support of George B. Locwood, of Washington, owner of the newspaper on which he is employed. Owing to the stand the Press took on the city manager question, it is said that Mr. Steele has lost considerable support, but he claims to have gained votes from other sources to make up for this defection.

Jack Fitzgibbons, who is making the race on his labor record, having been a factory worker himself from the age of nine until long after arriving at manhood, is making a game fight against odds. Jack has always taken a leading part in republican politics and while he has helped dozens of aspiring republicans into office, many of those whom he helped in times past have held aloof and compelled him to construct and maintain his own organization.

Dr. Quick has developed unexpected strength and Dr. Coffman has a personal following which makes him an important factor in the race.

The unknown quantity in the republican race seems to be Charley Watkins, who entered the race after the city manager election. Mr. Watkins is the only mayoralty candidate who supported the city manager movement and if he should happen to secure the cooperation of a large group of those who joined that celebrated crusade, he might become a formidable candidate.

The republican candidates for mayor, practically without exception, have been encouraging the candidacy of Pea Nash, colored, who is seeking the nomination for councilman at large. There are seven candidates, six whites and one negro, who have fought to elect, and the republicans of Muncie are keeping out trial by the colored voters. The colored population declare that the defeat of Nash will mean that the republicans are insincere in their professions of everlasting friendship for their colored brother and sister.

As usual, there are dozens of patriots at work for the various candidates on both tickets. Some of these men and women are working under the personal friendship for the can-

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candidates, but the majority, as usual, expect to cash in on promises of appointments.

The Post-Democrat knows of several candidates who have promised the job to two or more persons, but what is a promise between friends, and who ever heard of a political contest that did not develop astonishing examples of playing both ends against the middle.

These "promising" candidates are like the man, possessed of a litter of four bull pups, who promised pups to seventeen different friends. Asked how he expected to perform the miracle, he said he didn't intend to try. "It's a dam mean man," said he, "who wouldn't promise a friend a pup."

If dog tax were paid this year on all the political pups promised in the city of Muncie, the township would have plenty of money

DRY LIFE FOR SEA LION

New York—Unless Volstead, the sea lion pup born at the Aquarium and the first to be born in captivity, is kept absolutely dry, he will expire. That is the reason he is named Volstead. At first it was feared he would die anyway, but hope is now held for his life.

CLAIRVOYANT PREDICTS CARPENTER WILL LOSE

Paris—"Our dear Carpenter" will lose his forthcoming fight with Dempsey, declares a clairvoyant quoted by the Matin. She writes: "The fight will not be a very long one. I see him receive heavy blows in the chest and side and another in the face, on the nose, or near the ear. He will then fall and the fight will be lost."

MARRIED TO TWO BROTHERS

London—Two brothers who married charged together with bigamy, told a same woman, and the latter, strange tale of mixed marriage. John Rowling admitted having married a young woman whom he met while in a London hospital. She stated she was married to John's late wife was charged with marrying his brother Leonard and the latter was accused of aiding and abetting her All were remanded.

POOR RICH CHILD

Chicago—Pity the poor rich child of Chicago. The Infant Welfare Society finds the children of the wealthy 50 per cent below normal in weight, while in the tenements only 15 per cent are under weight. "Poor mothers know more about children," says Superintendent Sarah B. Place. "Children of the wealthy get too much rich food."

FISH STOPS AUTO

Nellsville, Wis.—Running his automobile through a shallow stream while on a fishing expedition, Floyd Hanson found that the machine refused to move after reaching the opposite shore. An examination revealed a large black bass wedged in between the accelerator lever and the frame of the car, shooting off the gas supply.

DOG CATCHES FISH

Green Bay, Wis.—The two fish catching geese in Natches, Mass., have nothing on a Green Bay dog, according to those who have seen an English bulldog brought by Jerome Villegas, bay shore fisherman, in action. The dog swims about in shallow water and grabs the fish in his mouth, then heads for shore and deposits the fish at the feet of his master.

REAL BACKSLIDERS

New York—Home brewers in America are amateurs compared with the negros, says Rev. William C. Terrill, Methodist missionary in South Africa. Savages brew alcoholic drinks from anything that grows in the jungle—oranges, limes, lemons, sweet potatoes, roots and other plants. The liquor is so powerful it makes the blacks want to walk backwards.

LITTLE PARK

Visalia, Cal.—Visalia boasts the smallest municipal park in the State. It measures eight feet square and contains one large oak tree, symbolic of the "City of Oaks" for which Visalia was famed at one time. The park stands in the center of the city's main thoroughfare and is under the personal care of the Mayor's wife.

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PROFITEERS STILL AT WORK

A studied effort is being made to educate the public that the cost of living has been greatly reduced and that there should be a corresponding decrease in wages.

As a matter of fact the cost of living in Muncie has not been reduced to any noticeable extent. Shoes are still ten or twelve dollars a pair, notwithstanding that the farmer does not receive enough for a hide to buy a dozen shoe laces.

The people are still paying fifty cents a pound for bacon from eight cent hogs. The price of dairy cows has dropped to one third of the ruling price two years ago and the farmer does not receive enough for his milk to pay for the feed, but milk is still twelve cents a quart in Muncie.

Wheat is lower in price than it has been for years but bread is still retailed in Muncie at war prices.

The saloons are out of existence and red eye whisky and lager beer are only procurable at outlandish prices from bootleggers, consequently the thirsty ones are compelled to patronize soda fountains where the prices of plain and fancy soft drinks and sundaes are still being held to the top notch prevailing during war times.

Rent, the greatest of all family expense with the probable exception of food, has not been reduced in Muncie. In fact in many instances rentals have been advanced recently both on business rooms and private dwellings.

Rent hogs are taking advantage of the scarcity of houses and notwithstanding the depression in business and industry which has been the means of throwing thousands of working men and women out of employment in Muncie, these grasping profiteers insist on the payment of rentals entirely out of reason, considering the fact that wages and salaries have been reduced and business curtailed fifty percent or more.

The candidate for mayor on either ticket in Muncie who is big enough to outline a program which will curb the rent hogs and put a ring in the nose of greedy profiteers could certainly make a hit with the voters of Muncie.

There never was a time in Muncie when the people were in such sore distress. Hundreds of families are out of work and money with nothing in sight in the way of relief.

Men by the hundreds are tramping the streets looking for work, many of them offering to take employment for a dollar and a half a day, or less. Their families are in need and their condition is desperate.

With this condition existing, the profiteer who deliberately keeps prices of necessities at war levels is not a good American citizen.

The national administration is doing absolutely nothing to relieve the situation. The people last fall voted for a change and they got it with a vengeance. Instead of the sane and humanitarian policies advocated by Woodrow Wilson, they must now rely upon Warren Gamaliel Harding, who is surrounded and influenced by such men as Penrose, Watson Smoot, Lodge, Fordney, and Harvey.

These men, who are wholly committed to the interests of the railroads, public utilities and big industrial combines, have no sympathy with the worker and are coldly and unconcernedly viewing his distress from afar while they play the game of politics in the interest of the organized wealth of the country.

The cowardly separate peace that was made last week by congress and the president is but a sample of the shifty policies of the administration.

Had it not been for Senator Lodge and his gang of obstructionists, an honorable peace would have been made with Germany. America would have occupied a proud place in the league of nations, and the world would have been prosperous today. As it is, the United States has been fenced in by political muckers who care more for the political fortunes of themselves and their followers than they did of the welfare of the people whom they deceived in their campaign of misrepresentation.

These so called statesmen now have the supreme impudence to propose a high tariff law as a remedy for the desperate disease with which our country is now suffering.

What is to become of these people who are out of work and out of money? The Post-Democrat knows of one man, who secured temporary employment with a construction gang, whose pitiful lunch pail contained nothing but a few handfuls of parched corn. When his fellow workmen discovered the poor fellow sitting aloof from the others, devouring his parched corn, they offered to divide with him their own frugal fare.

The man proudly declined, telling them mournfully that he would choke on the food they offered him because his family at home had nothing to eat but parched corn and that they had subsisted upon it for several days.

Can the average citizen realize that such things are happening in free America—right here in Muncie, if you please?

It is high time that the big financial combines get their ear to the ground. The people will not permit honest workmen and their families to be starved to death while selfish big money keeps the wheels of industry idle in order to force the workman to accept the wages that are offered to him.

NEWS OF THE FINANCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL WORLD

Final settlement of the British coal strike has been the outstanding economic event in foreign affairs during the past week. Coupled with the successful payment of Germany's second instalment of her reparations bill, bringing the total now remitted up to a quarter of a billion marks, the effect upon foreign exchange has been good, although less conspicuous than would otherwise have been the case had not these events been so fully "discounted." Lord Curzon's address in the House of Commons relative to the conciliatory intentions of the British Government with respect to the mandate question also promises well for the adjustment of our larger economic relationships in foreign affairs.

moderate only, this is in some respects regarded as a beneficial factor in the situation on account of the large carryover from last year. Agriculture is one industry in which readjustment has reached a fairly advanced stage, both labor and food supplies being lower than at any period for a long time and in many regions being practically on a prewar basis.

The prices of the manufactured goods the farmer must buy are not as much reduced but are much more moderate than they have been. All this makes for a peaceful year's output in the farming districts.

Railroad and Industrial Conditions

Improving conditions on the railroads are reflected in rather better current net earnings. Revision of freight rates has already progressed much further than is realized, there being a serious attempt to get an adjustment of charges, especially on long distance hauls, including those on staples between the coasts. This should tend to relieve some of the congestion or lack of adaptation that has existed for a long time past and ought to help some manufacturers who have been suffering from high materials and finished goods.

Meaning the volume of business has held up well in those industries which had shown a fair capacity to take a fresh start during the spring. Only slight seasonal reductions have been witnessed in those cases, while in others there has been at least some

tendency toward actual growth of business with a view to the autumn trade. Continued passing of dividends has been observed during the week, though at a lower rate than heretofore; but it still remains true, as often stated in the past, that the number of companies regularly paying their dividends is far greater than the number of those which have suspended or cut them. While the prospect for the mid-summer period is therefore, as often happens, one of comparative dullness there is fairly general agreement that the autumn outlook is hopeful.

Financial and Banking Outlook

Much easier call money and far more abundance has accompanied the greater activity that has prevailed in stock market during the past two weeks. Time money also has shown the effect of the easier conditions by holding somewhat in rate, notwithstanding the arrival of the mid-year dividend and interest disbursements made on the first of July. Exchange has been unexpectedly strong due to the hopeful European developments which have tended to sustain it for some time past owing to the confident belief of operators that they would take place. Accumulation of gold has continued in the Federal Reserve system, but in various parts of the country there has been an increase in the volume of bills held, which shows that the system is accommodating the community to a considerably larger extent than heretofore. These conditions show that our banking mechanism is operating smoothly and that it is furnishing normal amounts of assistance to legitimate business. The adoption of the Penrose bill to permit the Treasury Department to fund Allied indebtedness, subject to its general discretion, is expected at an early date and should finally dispose of an important matter which has been overhanging the international finan-

Dynamo Club Celebrates at Expense of City of Muncie

To Give Aid

To Rural Homes

The much heralded Fourth of July celebration, put on by the Dynamo Club, one of the offshoots of the Chamber of commerce, has left a bad taste in the mouths of citizens of Muncie and surrounding territory.

The Dynamo Club, or rather its parent, the commercial club, put on the entertainment and obtained money under false pretenses. Hundreds of people from this city and surrounding cities went to the fair grounds Monday with the idea that they were to be given free entertainment by the city of Muncie.

The advertising and literature used by the commercial club to herald the event was adroitly worded in order to create the impression that the club was speaking for the city of Muncie, and that the entertainment was distinctly a Muncie affair, instead of a commercial club stunt.

When these people found that they were to be held up at the gate for fifty cents, automobiles twenty-five cents extra and grand stand twenty-five cents more, their indignation knew no bounds.

Many mothers took their children to the fair grounds and were unable to enter because they had no money. Efforts were made to drive from the public highway people who sought to witness the fireworks without being ginned out of four bits.

There was nothing at all in the advertising of the event that made mention of its being a pay affair. The wording of the dope put out by the club made it appear that it was a patriotic event contributed to the citizens of Muncie and eastern Indiana as a "free will offering of the Dynamo Club.

To show the civic pride of those who put on the stunt, it might be remarked that the advertising matter placed in the windows of Muncie merchants bears the imprint of a Cincinnati printing firm.

Equally the young men of the Dynamo club were badly advised by some of the seniors of the commercial club. The next time they attempt to put on a big show they will probably take the people into their confidence before putting it over.

MUNCIE BRIEFS

WELL KNOWN GLASSWORKER DIES AT EAST HAVEN

Harry Neuman, a well known glass worker, who was taken two months ago to East Haven Hospital, at Richmond, died in that institution Saturday. The deceased was a member of the Eagles and Moose. He leaves a wife and three children.

WON'T JOIN INCOME TAX, MAN WRITES OFFICIALS

Washington—There is one man in the United States to whom the notice that the quarterly income tax was due didn't bring a frown. Instead his letter of acknowledgment to the treasury officials says: "Dear Treasury—I received your application blank. But I already belong to several good orders and do not care to join the income tax at this time."

ROW ON "LOVING SMILE"

Berlin—The whim of a German to name his boat the "Loving Smile" (in English) has almost precipitated another international complication as a result of the appearance of the boat on the Alster Lake in Hamburg. Local Hamburgers warned the owner to change the legend to one more German. Instead the owner printed the words in larger letters. The proprietor and his brother were ducked in the lake and the name erased from the boat.

People who drove here on the Fourth from surrounding towns to enjoy the Fourth went away mad. When they were held up for fifty cents at the gate they reared, and roared plently. Some say that they will never come back.

One candidate advertises himself as "The People's Choice." Good Lord, won't some of those poor devils have a lot to back after the election? The people sometimes fail to choose the people's choice.

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NEW AND BEVERIDGE

The republicans of Indiana are all set for a titanic struggle next year between the New and Beveridge forces.

Senator New is a reactionary of the most pronounced type. He is a standpatter and will be backed to the limit by the old guard.

Beveridge, idol of the dead and gone Progressive party, is preparing to enter the lists against New and will endeavor to wrest the senatorial toga from his standpat adversary.

Already signs of the coming conflict are apparent in Delaware County. All over the state may be observed a reopening of the breach which split the republican party asunder in 1912.

In the state and nation the reins of government are in the hands of the old guard statesmen. The Bull Moosers, who were coaxed back into the republican party, have discovered that they were merely invited in to be slaughtered.

The old gang gave them the horse laugh and relegated them to the rear. The ex-progressives have stood their punishment but know when they have got enough.

How can any honest ex-progressive, who fought with Teddy at Armageddon, stomach the sight of Harding, surrounded and advised by such men as Boies Penrose, Reed Smoot, Joe Fordney Jim Watson, Henry Cabbage Lodge and Filander Knox?

Dissillusionment has come and next year will witness the fall of the Babylonian hosts of the plunderbund.

The courageous Johnson of California, "Little Bob" LaFollette from Wisconsin, Borah, the Idaho bulldog and the whirlwind Beveridge of Indiana, will make the stupid standpat bunch go to the mat for the final count, if political signs have any significance

Another jail delivery was attempted one night this week. Breaking in and out of the county jail has become a popular outdoor and indoor sport in Muncie. The fellows who broke in jail and stole two thousand dollars worth of whisky hold the record however, for audacity. If there happens to be any money left in the county treasury this year after Commissioner Shoemaker gets through paying Billy Williams's claims, it might be well to fix up the old trap that is called, by courtesy, the county jail.

MADAME CURIE'S GIFT

When Madame Curie recently sailed for home after a visit of a few weeks in America she carried with her two very precious packages, gifts of the women of America, besides many degrees from American Universities. One of the packages contained a single gram of radium, valued at \$110,000 and the other a half gram of mesothorium valued at \$30,000. The latter will be used by this distinguished scientist in her search for a cure for cancer. Wonderful and costly gifts certainly but only small ones in comparison with Mine Curie's gifts to humanity in her wonderful discoveries. America was proud to entertain and honor this woman and these gifts expressed only a small amount of the gratitude felt to her by American women and are an assurance of high hope for the future.

Busy America stopped a minute in its mad whirl to honor this little old woman, simple and modest, for she has become the most noted scientist of the time and a world benefactor. A visit to Dayton had been planned for her, but was necessarily cancelled to the great regret of the women of this section of the state. Honored by an entire nation she has returned home to further her work for humanity's sake.

Marshal Foch after considerable effort has been induced to make America a visit and he too will be heartily welcomed and honored through the country. At least two definite dates for his visit have been made, one in Kansas in October and another in Washington in November.

OUR CHIEF JUSTICE

Friends of William Howard Taft are highly gratified over his appointment as chief justice of the supreme court. Mr. Taft has long been in public life, serving in various important offices from the highest in the gift of the people, president of these United States-on down the line, including secretary of war, governor general of the Philippines, member of the U. S. circuit court of appeals, solicitor general of the United States, collector of internal revenue and others. He is firm in his convictions and has taken a decided stand on the important questions and agreed with ex-president Wilson on the covenant of the League of Nations, some changes suggested by Mr. Taft by cable being adopted in the ultimate draft. It is said he has ambition for many years to become chief justice and it is believed he is a man well fitted for the place and the appointment met with wide approval over the country. Another Honor For Ohio.

Things We Think

Things others think, and what we think of the things others think.

A fast young man keeps about three laps ahead of his salary most of the time.

It's hard work for a girl to keep her hands soft and pretty as she would like to and still do her duty by her mother.

A New York physician says chewing tobacco will ward off typhoid fever. Typhoid fever is more dangerous than we thought it was.

There are a lot of men who think they know more than the boss and who have had better opportunities to start with than the boss ever had.

Onions and sour milk are advertised as conducive to long life. Anyone who obtains nourishment from a diet like that then attempts to associate with his fellow men ought to be chloroformed at once.

Love is a dangerous disease but the fatalities are very light.

A woman may think a man has a soft heart when it is merely a soft head.

The more a person becomes puffed up with an o'erweening sense of his own importance, the more likely he is to exhibit insane jealousy of someone else who gathers a few laurels.

We could be prosperous without money if we didn't know we didn't have it.

It is quite noticeable that the man who knows the most about building up a business seldom does it.

It is hard to have a hot time without cold cash.

Matches may be made in heaven but you have to go to the other place for the sulphur.

The girl who poses is not always a posey.

When we hear the statement that if we were not for a man's family such and such a thing would happen, we can't help but feel sorry for the family.

The man who does things without effort usually gets more credit than the man who lets awake nights devising ways and means.

Don't be so outrageously respectable that you can't say a kind word to the struggling ones below you.

The person who is satisfied with himself and the way he does things is a dead one—and he might as well be, for he hasn't anything to live for.

If you want to get married, don't worry as to whether or not you will be able to support two—there won't be but one, and she'll manage it some way.

When you contract a bill without any intention of paying it you are as dishonest as if you took the money out of the till.

If we had a goose that laid golden eggs we wouldn't be satisfied unless they were double-yolked.

Bandits held up a summer resort hotel a short time ago. There is no honor among thieves.

There must be lots of milk in the milky way if all the babies in heaven get their meals there.

So many unusually bright children turn out just like their parents.

FARM EXPENDITURES FOR LABOR, FERTILIZER, AND FEED, IN THE UNITED STATES

Washington, D. C.—The Bureau of the Census, of the Department of Commerce announces subject to correction, the following preliminary figures from the 1920 census of agriculture for the United States, with comparative figures for 1910:

FARM EXPENDITURES FOR LABOR, FERTILIZER, AND FEED, IN THE UNITED STATES: 1919 AND 1920.

Labor:

Total expenditure—

1919 \$1,363,454,380

1920 651,611,287

Increase 711,843,093

Per cent of increase 16.9

Amount in cash—

1919 \$1,101,586,466

1920 521,729,941

Increase 579,556,515

Percent of increase 11.1

Value of rent and board furnished—

1919 \$261,867,924

1920 129,581,346

Increase 131,986,578

Per cent of increase 101.6

Fertilizer:

Amount expended—

1919 \$329,189,912

1920 114,882,541

Increase 214,307,371

Per cent of increase 186.5

Feed:

Amount expended—

1919 \$1,101,228,543

1920 299,839,857

Increase 801,388,686

Per cent of increase 267.3

Cost of Farm Labor

The total amount expended for farm labor in the United States in 1919, according to the Fourteenth Census, was \$1,363,454,380, as compared with \$651,611,287 in 1909. The figures thus show an increase of \$711,843,093, or 90.2 per cent. This increase was due in large part to the high wages paid for farm labor in 1919.

Of the total expenditure in 1919, \$1,101,586,456, or 80.8 per cent, represented cash payments, and \$261,867,924, or 19.2 per cent, the value of rent and board furnished. The corresponding figures for 1909 were \$521,729,941, in cash and \$129,581,346 in rent and board.

Six states reported expenditures for labor of more than \$60,000,000 in 1919

is follows: California, \$126,096,152;

Texas, \$88,092,368; Illinois, \$80,389,710;

Ohio, \$70,989,060; Kansas, \$67,873,484; and New York, \$64,324,931.

Expenditures for Fertilizer

The amount expended by farmers for fertilizer in 1919 was \$329,189,912, as compared with \$114,882,541 in 1909, representing an increase of \$214,307,371, or 186.5 per cent. Of the total expenditure for fertilizer in the United States in 1919, 91.8 per cent was reported by the states east of the Mississippi River.

The states reporting the largest expenditures in 1919 were South Carolina, with \$52,548,795; North Carolina, with \$48,796,694; Georgia, with \$46,943; Virginia, with \$17,564,769; Pennsylvania, with \$15,761,308; New Jersey, with \$15,067,371; and Alabama, with \$14,966,108. The chief reason for the large outlay for fertilizer in the southern states is found in the character of the crops grown, cotton and tobacco being crops which require a great amount of fertilizer. Pennsylvania and New York are also tobacco producing states, and besides they contain numerous truck gardens.

Time for the completion of said work will be agreed upon after the letting of said contract by the Board of Commissioners and the award of the bid.

Attest: JAMES P. DRAGO, Auditor, Delaware County, Ind.

July 5-1921

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

OFFICE OF THE BOARD
212 Wysox Block,
Muncie, Ind.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: July 1st, 1921.

The Trustees of the school city of Muncie, Delaware County, Indiana, will receive sealed proposals for the furnishing of coal for use in the several school buildings in the city of Muncie as per specifications on file in the office of the Board of Education.

Proposals will be received upon any or all of the following named coals and upon mine run and screened lump of each kind:

Best quality West Virginia coal, No. 4

Best quality West Virginia Fairmont coal.

The option being reserved by the said trustees of contracting for either kind of coal or coal for bidding upon in such quantities as may be required.

For bidding upon any or all of the above may be had at the office of said trustees 226 High School building, Muncie, Indiana.

To secure the same, the bidder must file his bid in writing, and the same must be accompanied by the affidavit required by law.

The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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July 1-8-15

NOTICE OF CITY PRIMARY ELECTION STATE OF INDIANA, DELAWARE COUNTY, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of said county, at their office in the Court House at Muncie, Indiana, will receive sealed proposals for the improvement of a certain highway, 13,200 feet in length, in said county, by grading, draining and paving with gravel as set out in the specifications, and profile now on file in the office of the auditor of said county, by and under the laws of the State of Indiana.

The said sealed proposals will be opened and the contract awarded for said improvement on the 2nd day of August, 1921.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

Philip H. Turner, 122 South Elm Street.

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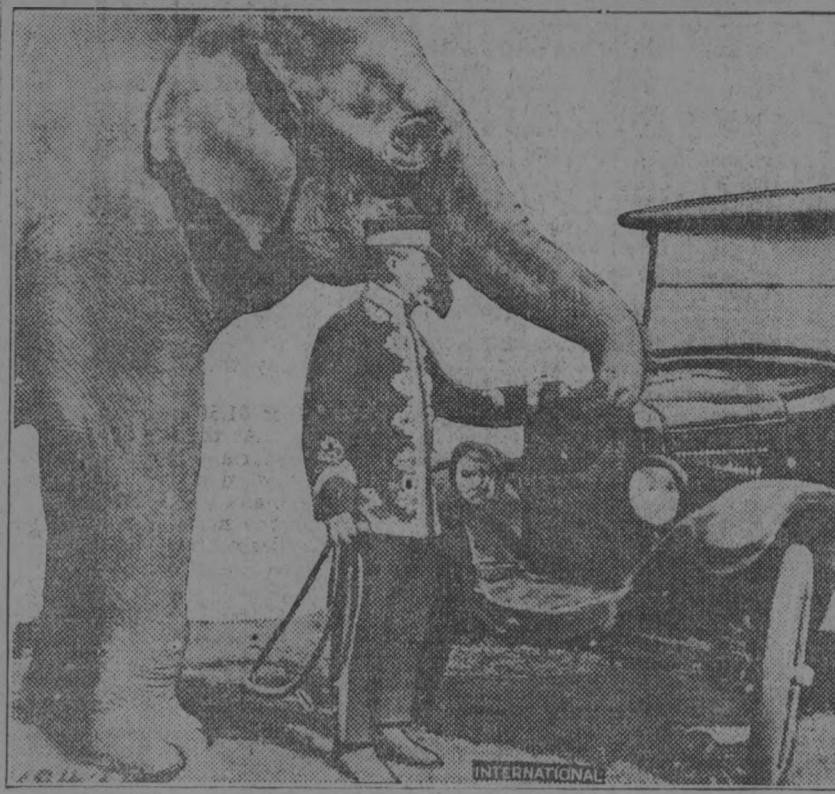
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ELEPHANT WILL FILL RADIATORS



If you own an automobile you should also own an elephant. Henry Be- shane, head elephant trainer of a large circus, now on a tour of the country, says "Old Buck" one of his herd, is the greatest garage assistant ever. Be- shane has taught "Old Buck" to fill the radiators of the circus autos with water when necessary. "Old Buck" carries water from a tank to the auto in his trunk. Why haul pails of water when an elephant will do the work for you?

PROVIDE ENGINE WITH LUBRICANT

Liquid in Crank Base Sometimes Thinned Out With Gasoline and Disaster Follows.

MAKE CERTAIN OF RIGHT OIL

Old Material Should Be Drawn Out and New Supply Put in for Every 1,000 Miles of Driving—Keep Close Watch on Gauge.

The wise car owner obeys his instruction book explicitly. He fills the base of his engine with lubricant when oil is necessary, as indicated by the gauge, but the instruction book does not always advise him further regarding the oiling system. At the present high cost of lubricant more instructions are necessary.

You may have liquid in the base of your engine, but is it lubricant? Many times this liquid is a combination of cylinder oil and gasoline. Its lubricating properties are poor and should the bearings burn out through lack of oil the owner is apt to blame the oil for the trouble. Then he immediately buys oil of another grade, without knowing the real reason for his trouble.

Make Sure of Right Oil.

The best way to make sure of having the right grade of oil is to religiously follow the oil recommended by the manufacturers of the particular car you drive. Depending upon the type of engine, crank-case oil should be changed regularly. Old lubricating oil should be drawn out and new oil put in for at least every 1,000 miles of driving. In special cases it is advisable to renew the oil much oftener, but this is the usual length of time it may be left in the engine.

If the engine doesn't get a sufficient amount of oil it will run hot. If the driver does not notice that his oil gauge is failing to indicate, it is doubtful that he would know the engine was hot until it stopped and wouldn't run any more. In such a case he would probably find that one or two, perhaps all, of the bearings are burnt out.

Something Wrong.

When the engine is not getting enough oil it is usually because the oil supply has been allowed to run low or there is something wrong with the circulating system—either the pump is not forcing the oil to the bearings properly or the pipes are plugged or the connections are loose or the strainer is obstructed with foreign matter.

Whenever the gauge does not function properly the trouble should be investigated at once. Make sure first of all that there is enough oil in the crank case. Then take a careful look at the oil pipe connections to make sure that they are not leaking. If these are tight take out the oil strainer and clean it and if the trouble is still in evidence disconnect all the oil pipes and stick wires through them or blow them out with the tire pump. Finally, a better adjustment of the oil pump may be made to cause it to pump more oil, provided indications prove it to be improperly adjusted.

STEEL TO REMOVE BUSHINGS

Tool Should Be Bent Slightly Near End and Long Enough to Pass Through Knuckle.

A tool for removing steering spindle bushings may be made from a piece of $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch round steel, which should be bent, slightly about two inches from the end. The tool will have to be long enough to pass through the steering knuckle and leave an inch or two sticking out, on which to hammer.

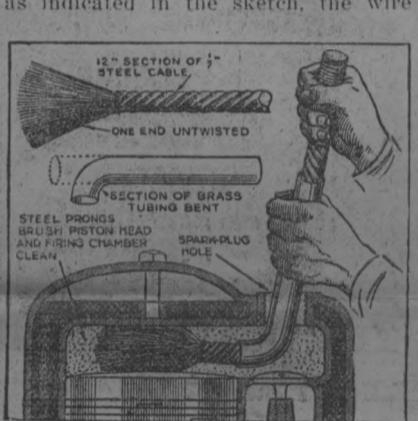
The starter should not be abused. If the engine does not start on the first few turns, stop and look for trouble.

REMOVE CARBON WITH COMMON WIRE BRUSH

Ordinary Scraper Is More or Less Unsatisfactory.

Special Device for Purpose Consists of Some Stranded-Wire Cable and Brass Tubing—Illustration Explains Fully.

The ordinary carbon scraper is a more or less unsatisfactory tool, especially where the only access to the piston and cylinders is through the spark-plug hole. A special tool for the purpose consists of some stranded-wire cable and a piece of brass tubing. One end of the tube is bent slightly, as indicated in the sketch, the wire



A Carbon Remover Which Has a Very Direct and Positive Action Is Made From Stranded Steel Cable.

cable is placed through the pipe, and the end frayed or untwisted. The opposite end of the cable is tied and wound with twine to afford a convenient handle.

The tool is used as illustrated: gripping the pipe with the left hand, the right hand is used to move the cable back and forth in a pumping fashion. The projecting prongs scour the piston head and cylinder walls.

After the carbon is pulverized, the motor is run for a few minutes with the spark plug left out, when the suction and compression of the piston blows most of the loose carbon out of the exhaust port and the plug opening. A piece of steel wire should be used in using this tool; soft iron wire is not stiff enough to be effective.

—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

AUTOMOBILE GOSSIP

Don't fail to keep an eye on your ammeter.

See that the oil gauge always works and that there are no oil leaks about the engine.

Attend to lubrication regularly, so the moving parts will not be dry, even for a moment.

It is remarkable what vibration will do in the way of loosening up greases that have gone in stiffly and apparently been absolutely secure.

After a casing has been long in use stretching sometimes results, so that it takes longer to inflate it. A stretched tire should not be pumped too tight.

The engine should never be run when the storage battery is out of the car or disconnected unless the generator has first been rendered inoperative.

Drain your engine oil every 500 to 1,000 miles. It may seem cheaper to use the old oil now that oil is higher in cost, but repairs are more costly than oil.

The starter should not be abused. If the engine does not start on the first few turns, stop and look for trouble.

boy in the local children's home. The court ordered that the knives should be purchased from the store that was entered.

WEED DISASTROUS TO TIRES

Washington—The "Tribulus Terrestris" is a new peril to autoists. It is known as the "puncture vine" of the West and Southwest. One Californian reported to the government that he counted seventy punctures in one tire, committed by this weed. It is believed to have come from Southern Europe.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON Petition for Gravel Road in Niles Township, Delaware County, Indiana.

Notice is hereby given that certain freeholders and voters of Niles Township, Delaware County, Indiana, will appear before the Auditor of said County, their petition praying for the improvement of a highway in Niles Township, Delaware County, Indiana, known as the "Green Street Road" in Niles Township, Delaware County, Indiana, Commissioners' Court, August Term, 1921.

Petition for improvement of a Public Highway under Three Mile Road Law.

The undersigned petitioners would respectfully represent to the Board of Commissioners of Niles Township, Indiana, that each of their numbers is a freeholder and voter of Niles Township, Delaware County, Indiana.

There is a public highway in Niles Township, a Public Highway, heretofore laid out, approximately thirty feet wide in between fences and extending due north and south from the southeast corner of section 26 in Township 22 North, Range 11 East and from the east line of said section 14 to the northeast corner of said section 14.

The same public highway above described is three miles in length and connects at the north end thereof with a free gravel road running east and west connecting known as the "Delaware and the "Dunkirk Eaton Pike" and connects at the south end with an improved free gravel road in said Township which extends in a southerly direction to the southeast corner of said Section 26 to the Albany, Eaton Turn Pike.

Your petitioners are desirous of having said highway improved by grading, draining and paving the same and by grading the roadway thereof to the width of twenty feet and by paving the said roadway with gravel to the width of eighteen feet and to the depth of twelve inches in the center and eight inches on the side thereof.

Your petitioners also further show to the Board that said highway above described for many years has been known and designated by the people in said Township and adjoining Townships as the "Green Street Road" and they are desirous of having same maintained and so designated on the roads of said Board and the bonds issued and sold for the payment thereof all in the name above indicated.

WHEREFORE, your petitioners pray the Board that said Public Highway will be improved by grading, draining and paving the same in the manner above described.

—Signed, T. Wingate.

Albert F. Vincent

Robert O. Taylor

William R. Shirk

Harold E. Bales

Charles M. Bullock

Fainy J. Bales

George W. Ritter

Charles W. Shirk

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James P. Drago

Auditor of Delaware County.

WHITE & HAYMOND, Attorneys.

July 8-15

NOTICE TO DEALERS IN SCHOOL FURNITURE, MANUAL ARTS AND DOMESTIC SCIENCE EQUIPMENT AND OTHER FURNISHINGS

The Trustees of the School City of Muncie, Indiana, will receive bids on the 26th day of July, 1921, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., at the office of the Superintendent of Schools in the High School Building, on the following furniture, Manual Arts and Domestic Science equipment, utensils and school furnishings for the Junior High School.

Junior High School

1 Roll top desk,

1 Piano,

19 Wind shade,

550 Steel lockers,

Under school saw bench,

1 Band saw,

16 inch hand jointer,

Oil and gasoline

Wood speed lathe,

Manual Arts tools and vices for 20 boys,

One dining room suite,

Silverware, consisting of knives, forks, spoons,

China for dining room,

Linen for dining room,

Chairs for two sewing rooms,

Sewing machines for two sewing rooms,

Lunch room tables and chairs,

One wash tub and foot lunch room,

One refrig. for lunch room,

One hotel range and utensils,

Lincoln School

80 Pupils desks,

3 Teachers desks,

6 Domestic Science tables,

75 Wind shades,

Blaine School

180 Pupils desks,

36 Arm chairs,

5 Teachers desks,

80 Domestic Science tables,

Manual Arts tools and vices for 20 boys,

Kitchen utensils and chinaware,

Specified quantities and descriptions

will be furnished on application at the office of the Superintendent of Schools.

Weekly Marketgram

U. S. Bureau of Markets
Washington, D. C.

Chicago July wheat dropped 6½¢ during the week, closing at \$1.17½; July corn down 2½¢ at 59½¢. The highest prices were made on the 29th induced by hot dry weather over grain belt and reported drought in Europe and Argentina. On June 30th and July 1st market unsettled and fluctuated nervously with trade local and evening up in character for triple holiday. There was a big drop on the 5th on account of hedging by cash interests and pressure from local interests on report that weather conditions had improved over the holidays. Market unsettled at the close. Export demand fair with Germany in market for wheat and rye on credit basis. Country corn offerings moderate. In Chicago cash market No. 2 red winter wheat \$1.18; No. 2 hard \$1.19; No. 3 mixed corn 57¢; No. 3 yellow corn 57¢; No. 3 white oats 38¢; For the week Chicago September wheat down 6¢ at \$1.17; September corn down 3¢ at 59½¢. Minneapolis September wheat down 6½¢ at \$1.21; Kansas City September down 6¢ at \$1.09. Winnipeg October wheat closed at \$1.35½.

Dairy Products

Butter markets very firm with price tendency upward. Supplies light especially of fancy grades, which are becoming scarcer as hot weather has become more general. Consumptive demand so far has been good. Closing prices, 92 score New York 37½¢; Chicago 37¢; Philadelphia 38¢; Boston 38½¢.

Hay

Market continues dull. Light receipts give more strength to eastern markets. Transactions small and demand limited to local needs. Practically no change in situation in markets in central west. Receipts and demand light. No. 1 timothy quoted New York \$29.50, Minneapolis \$18; Atlanta \$27; Memphis \$25; No. 1 alfalfa Omaha \$17; Memphis \$20; Atlanta \$29; No. 1 prairie Omaha \$12; Minneapolis \$15.50.

Feed

Wheat feeds except red dog continue weak. Standard bran season shipments offered at \$21.75 delivered northeastern markets. Improved export demand caused firmer feeling for cotoneed meal. Linseed meal steady, output of mills light. Alfalfa meal unchanged but demand very dull. Corn feeds easier, especially hominy feed which is ample supply. Barley feed in good demand. Beet pulp situation unchanged. Quoted: bran \$13; middlings \$12; Minneapolis; bran \$21.50.

Fruits and Vegetables

Eastern shore of Virginia Irish cabbages potatoes generally higher in eastern centers. Prices advanced 75¢ \$1 per bbl. in New York, reaching \$2.50-4. Other eastern markets range \$3-4.

Florida and Georgia Tom Watson watermelons, medium sizes, declined \$200-300 per car in New York, reaching \$250-350. Prices down \$50-150 at shipping points, closing \$75-300. Movement good.

Livestock and Meats

The trend of Chicago livestock prices was upward the past week, hogs show a net advance of 60-70¢; fat lambs and yearlings 50-75¢ per 100 lbs. Best butcher grades of beef steers advanced 10-25¢; best butcher cows 50¢. Feeder steers unchanged, July 1 Chicago prices: hogs, top \$9.75; bulk of sale \$9.9-7.50; medium and good beef steer \$7.75-8.50; feeder steers and heifers \$7.75-8.50; feeder cows and heifers \$7.75-9.75; fat lambs \$8.75-11; feeding lambs \$5.75-8.75; yearlings \$6.85; fat ewes \$2.75-5.15. Stocker and feeder shipments from 10 important markets during the week ending July 1 were: cattle and calves 27,331; hogs 3,545; sheep 17,592.

Eastern wholesale fresh meat prices were generally firm to higher than a week ago. Lamb up \$2.5¢; fresh pork loins \$2.3¢. Beef ranged from steady to \$1 lower. Mutton practically unchanged. July 6 prices good grade meats beef \$13.75-15; veal \$14.17; lamb \$23-25; mutton \$10-16; light pork loins \$20-23; heavy loins \$16-19.

HARD TO BELIEVE

Kansas City—When John H. White an overseas veteran reached home from work one night he found a notice from the War Department advising his wife that his body had arrived at New York from France and would be forwarded to her immediately. The official notice said that he was killed in action September 17, 1918.

SKIRTS CONTINUE TO SHRINK

Paris—Still shorter skirts are in vogue this year as may be seen by visiting any of the Parisian race track where the latest styles are displayed. Gowns are of a sombre hue, ranging from dark blue to dead black.

London—Twin chicks, united at the body like the famous Siamese twins, have been hatched by a Grimsby poultry dealer. The two heads and bodies face in opposite directions. The birds are healthy and will survive.

CANOEISTS AND CAMPERS SPEND HAPPY SUMMERS 'MID ANCIENT PLEASURE GROUNDS OF INDIANS



TUB RACE AT ALSTONY LAKE RESORT

PREPARING HONEYMOON DINNER ON KAWARTH

Ages are the voyageur and the Cameron, Balsam, Pigeon, Bald, month-long delightful outing. A missionary penetrated the wilds of Ontario, Kawartha was what it is today, a summer playground. Only the original name remains to remind us that this was the "Bright Waters and Happy Lands" of the Ojibways, the Hurons, the Algonquins and other Indian tribes. Through its maze of waterways glided their birch bark canoes and on the tree-bordered shores of mainland and islands burned their camp fires.

The paddle still sings its summer song and bright colored canoes slip through the blue waters while camp fires gleam nightly in Kawartha during summer months, but it is an army of pleasure-seekers pale-faces who enjoy this pine-scented lake district today.

Kawartha embraces fourteen beautiful lakes—Scugog, Sturgeon,

Sand, Buckhorn, Chemong, Deer, Lovesick, Stony, Clear and Katchewanooka. Each has its unique attractions while sandy beaches and excellent fishing are common to all. Accommodations for visitors are abundant and varied. Cottages, isolated and in colonies, and hotels ranging from simple cabin type to large, well-staffed establishments, are strewn about the shores. This is the region of summer homes, here the tired statesman builds himself a lordly retreat on some commanding site; here the busy city mother houses her kiddies in a cozy cottage and turns them loose to play in the woods and water while she enjoys a book and hammock beneath the pines.

But above all, this is the paradise of the canoeist. Padding and drifting may be lengthened into a

with as little as \$100 to invest safely in first mortgage on real estate," continued Mr. Kelley. "The development of large business buildings in cities made it necessary to finance large mortgages in such way that investors could get a fractional part of the mortgage as low as \$100 in the form of a first mortgage serial real estate gold bond. The man who holds a \$100, \$50 or \$1,000 real estate first mortgage bond actually owns a part of the mortgage and is protected in all his rights as though he owned the entire mortgage outright.

"The real estate first mortgage bond is really a first mortgage note put out in bond form for convenience, with coupon attached, calling for semi-annual interest. The bonds themselves mature as to principal from one to 10 years, as the mortgagor pays them off. Thousands of millions of dollars' worth of these real estate first mortgage bonds are sold annually by bonding houses engaged in providing safe investment in mortgage to the small and large investor."

BONDS VS. STOCKS

Investors' Protective League Proposed to Educate People to Difference Between Various Forms of Investment.

Columbus, O.—(Special)—H. S. Warwick of this city, representative of the American Bond & Mortgage company, is preparing a prospectus for an Investors' Protective League, having as its object the education of the public to the difference in various forms of investment.

"When people buy stocks they should realize that they are becoming partners in an enterprise; that they profit when the company profits, but can not gain when the company is losing," declared Mr. Warwick.

"They should be shown when they buy a bond that they loan their money and become creditors, not partners, and that their money comes back to them, if the bond is good, at a certain time, bearing in the meanwhile a definite rate of interest."

Investment houses of Ohio will be asked to participate in a conference on the subject in Columbus in the early fall.

A NEW PROFESSION

Bond Salesmen Now Number Thousands as the Result of the Great Impetus Given by Treasury Financing.

Columbus, O.—(Special)—The Ohio office of the American Bond & Mortgage Company has just issued a pamphlet calling attention to a dignified and new profession which has arisen in our midst since the war—that of the bond salesman. Where there were only a scattered few selling bonds a few years ago there are now thousands of men who are specialists in various forms of bond salesmanship, especially that of the first mortgage on real estate. The pamphlet explains that this will be a great benefit to the country in

EX-KAISER'S BUSINESS DEAL

Paris—A report has reached here that Doorn Wood, part of the ex-Kaiser's domain, has been sold at auction by his order. The property was acquired by the Commune of Doorn for a total sum of \$31,175. The former Kaiser paid \$125,000 for the domain, and the wood is only a tenth part of it.

BIG CATTLE BAN

London—Owing to a further outbreak of foot and mouth disease in North Derbyshire, an extensive area in North Midlands has been put under the ban. The removal of store stock is totally prohibited and fat meats can only be moved on condition that they are slaughtered within four days.

AT 78 INHERITS FORTUNE

Rahway, N. J.—Alfred T. Crane has received word from C. B. Norton, a lawyer of Northampton, Mass., that he and his sister, Emma, are sole heirs to the estate of Stephen Squier Crane, valued at \$116,500. Crane is 78 and his sister 81. He is a drawbridge tender.

Columbia Theatre

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PLANT LICE IN SCOTLAND

London—Attacks of the wooly aphid or plant louse, and of a new species of destructive fungus observed in many parts of Scotland are threatening the existence of the Douglas fir, a North American tree which has been widely used of recent years in British forestry schemes. The fir produces a large amount of timber, induces a large amount of timber, and the wood is only a tenth part of it.

GERMAN RACES FRAUD

Berlin—Horse races in Germany generally were honest affairs before the war, but scandals are the rule nowadays. Typical of the rest were the recent Carlsbad races, where the racing society kept the purses. The jockeys in a race would not trot their horses in order that they would not finish in the agreed maximum time and the association would therefore decline to give up the purse.

Judge William A. McClellan,

Candidate for

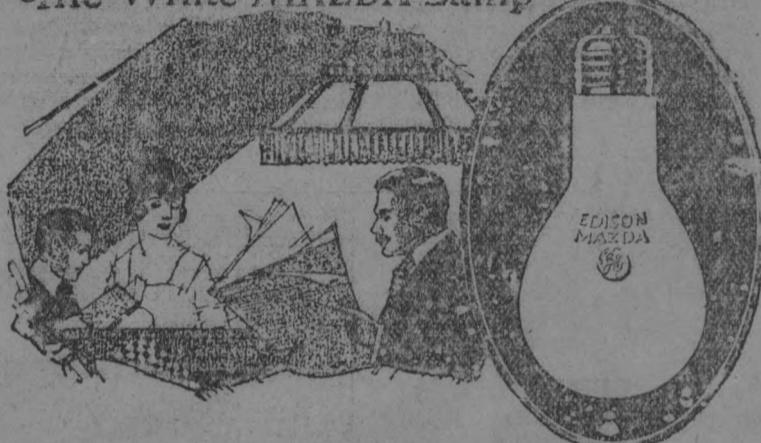
Renomination for

CITY JUDGE

Subject to decisions of primary election to be held

Tuesday, July 19, 1921.

The White MAZDA Lamp



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These new 50-watt White Mazda Lamps can be used in any socket or fixture where you now have 40, 50 or 60-watt clear bulb lamps. They burn in any position. They are suitable and satisfying for every room in your home.

The china-white glass bulb gives an evenly diffused, soft light—brilliant but without glare, kind and pleasing to the eyes. In these new

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The "Merry-Go-Round" may stop before you get around to it again!

Only Apterix in England is No More Wingless Bird Is Believed Nearly Extinct.

LONDON MOURNS FOR ITS KIWI

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The total extinction in England of the kiwi (or aterix) has become a reality. The London Daily Mail announces the death of the Regent's park zoo's only specimen. The species is nearly extinct in New Zealand now, but the British Zoological society has written to the New Zealand government asking if just one more kiwi could be spared from the island sanctuary.

Zoologists will mourn the loss of the dwarf wingless ostrich more than the zoo visitors, for not one in ten thousand ever saw it while it lived there more than nine years. The keeper would turn out this queerest of birds every now and then, but the long-billed bundle of apathy and sleepiness scrambled back into its box as soon as released.

A curious point about the kiwi is the fact that its nostrils are at the tip of its long worm-hunting beak, and in the ardor of the chase it emits an unpleasant snuffling noise. Its mating call is a pig-like squeal.

England is responsible for the virtual extinction of this rare bird. British ships brought rats to New Zealand, so weasels were sent to exterminate the rats. When they had nearly wiped out the kiwi, the New Zealand government found a ratless island and consecrated it to the poor bird. But the problem of saving an idiot bird that puts all its eggs into one shell, so to speak, was a difficult one. The kiwi laid one egg a season, nearly as big as itself. Exceptional mothers would lay two eggs and then find it almost impossible to hatch both, as the ends would project out beyond their feathers as they sat on them.

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We invite your investigation. Call at our office or have our representative see you and explain this Opportunity in greater detail, and we believe your good judgment will point out the advantages of enrolling among the other farsighted investors who are congratulating themselves upon their acumen.

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