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"It's Your Decision"

Numerous pamphlets, under the above title, are being circulated in Decatur about the King-Anderson bill, a proposal to insure medical care for the aged through one-quarter of 1% Social Security payments.

Under the bill, all persons who are now eligible for social security, regardless of age, would be covered. Those 65 and over could draw benefits immediately. The patients would be required to apply \$10 a day towards their hospitalization for the first nine days, and \$20 towards each diagnostic study, but otherwise the entire hospital bill, nursing care, therapy, etc., would be covered by Social Security insurance.

There is no limit of choice of physicians, nurses, or hospitals, except that hospitals must be accredited, so that the quality of aid would be raised. Following hospitalization, home nursing care, or nursing home facilities, would be covered.

This bill is entirely in the American tradition of requiring each citizen to provide for his own future and take care of himself. The alternative is expensive public welfare aid, through the property tax and Federal income tax. The alternative means going "on the township" as a pauper, or applying at the public welfare office.

The King-Anderson bill would make a fine law. It would eliminate the possibility of people spending every cent they make while working, and then being on the public welfare rolls in their old age for others to support.

At the present time, only 24 states have taken advantage of the Kerr-Mills law, which provides, at state tax expense, medical care through the public system. This has nearly bankrupted the state of West Virginia, while those who need the help have not paid a dime towards it.

Why not finance hospitalization for the aged through a social-security administered program in which workers will pay in advance for their own hospitalization?

Editorial Writer Today ----- Dick D. Heller, Jr.

TV PROGRAMS

Central Daylight Time

WANE-TV
Channel 15

MONDAY
6:30-7:00 Life of Riley
6:30-7:00 Tom Calenberg News
6:30-7:00 Doug Edwards-News
7:00-7:30 Shotgun Slade
7:30-8:00 To Tell the Truth
8:00-8:30 Father Knows Best
8:30-9:00 Pete and Gladys
9:00-9:30 Danny Thomas
9:30-10:00 Andy Griffith
10:00-10:30 Hennessey
10:30-11:00 I've Got a Secret
11:00-11:30 Phil Wilson-News
11:30-12:00 Vic Sterling Sports
12:00-12:30 Two Blondes & a Redhead
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SUNDAY

WKJG-TV
Channel 23

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TUESDAY

11:00-The Price is Right
11:30-Concentration
12:00-News
12:10-The Weatherman
12:15-The News at 12:15
12:30-Truth or Consequences
12:35-NBC News Day Report
1:00-Your First Impression
1:30-The People's Choice
2:00-Jan Murray Show
2:30-Loretta Young
3:00-Young Dr. Malone
3:30-Our Five Daughters
4:00-Make Room for Daddy
4:30-Here's Hollywood
4:55-NBC News
5:00-Kukla & Ollie
5:05-The Bongo Show
Evening
6:00-Gateway to Sports
6:15-News
6:30-Weather
6:35-Pete Smith Show
6:45-Huntley-Brinkley Report
7:00-Ripcord
7:30-Laramie
8:30-Alfred Hitchcock Presents
9:00-The Dick Powell Show
10:00-Cain & Abel
11:00-News and Weather
11:15-Sports Today
11:30-Tonight Show

WPTA-TV
Channel 21

MONDAY
6:00-Poppy Show
6:30-Quick Draw McGraw
7:00-Mr. Magoo
7:30-21 Evening Report
7:45-ABC Evening Report
7:50-Cheyenne
8:00-Rifleman
8:30-Surferide
9:00-Eddie Adams Show
10:30-Academy Awards
11:30-ABC News
12:25-What's the Weather
TUESDAY
6:30-Four Jack & a Jill
11:00-Tennessee Ernie Ford
11:30-Yours for a Song
Afternoon
12:00-Camouflage
12:30-Window Shopping
1:00-Day in Court
1:30-ABC News
2:00-No Time for Susan
2:30-Jane Wyman Show
3:00-Seven Keys
3:30-Queen for a Day
4:00-Who Do You Trust
4:30-American Bandstand
5:00-Squad
5:30-Cimarron City
Evening
6:00-Poppy Show
6:30-Mr. Magoo
7:00-21 Evening Report
7:15-ABC Evening Report
7:30-Bugs Bunny
8:00-Scholarship Boy
8:30-The New Breed
9:00-Tours for a Song
10:00-Alcoa Premiere
10:30-Bell & Howell
11:00-ABC News
11:30-What's the Weather
11:57-Big Time Wrestling from 21
ADAMS
"Pinocchio" Mon. at 7:25; 9:20.

Minnesota Is Prepared For Flood Threat

By United Press International

Minnesotans mobilized against another flood threat today and areas from Utah to the northern Plains dug out from under a blizzard-like spring snow storm.

Sections of North Carolina and Virginia cleared rubble from Sunday's tornado-like wind storms.

Heavy rain from Chicago to the Atlantic Coast caused minor flooding at Philadelphia. Dust storms darkened Texas and New Mexico skies. A Southern California heat wave abated slightly.

Balmy temperatures in south Texas Sunday brought families to the beaches. One woman drowned and four others were missing in the swift-flowing Brazos River. Near Peoria, Ill., a woman was pulled from a car by a wind gust and killed.

Lifeguards rescued dozens of swimmers from Southern California's crowded surf Sunday.

The weekend rains brought New Jersey reservoirs up to 70 percent of capacity, but authorities said more showers are needed if a serious summer water shortage is to be averted.

More than 100 volunteers maintained a vigil in St. Paul, Minn., early today, awaiting a crest on the Mississippi River. Seven families were evacuated from their homes and authorities said if the river rose more than a foot another 45 homes would be flooded. A dozen homes were surrounded by water and the South St. Paul Gun Club was inundated Sunday.

A storm described by the U.S. Weather Bureau as a "severe wind or a small tornado" damaged farms, unroofed a clubhouse and lifted a police car from a southeast Virginia highway Sunday.

A similar wind storm in North Carolina unroofed five tobacco barns in the eastern part of the state, uprooted trees, and knocked down television antennas and utility poles. Hickory, N.C., got more than 2 inches of rain.

Girl Scouts

Troop 178 met in the kindergarten room after school recently. We the Girl Scout promise. We had had roll call and said the Brownie promise. Then we made a bird house. Sandy and Vickie brought the treat.

Modern Etiquette
By Roberta Lee

Q. When the woman, in whose home a bridge party is meeting, achieves the highest score, should she keep the prize?

A. A hostess does not take the prize that she herself has furnished. If, however, the prize has been bought with money contributed by members of the bridge CLUB, then she may accept it if she wins.

Q. Our daughter has just informed us of her secret marriage two months ago. Would it be proper, under these circumstances, for us to mail our marriage announcements now?

A. This would be quite all right. Q. Is it proper for a divorcee to have bridesmaids attendants at her second wedding?

A. No. Her wedding must be as simple as possible, and she should limit her attendants to one.

Q. How do I go about introducing my stepfather?

A. Introduce him as "my stepfather," and, of course, follow with his name, as "Mr. Allen."

Q. Is it proper for engaged couples to mail birthday cards to their friends signed with both their names?

A. This is quite all right. Q. Our widowed father is marrying again. Are we, his children, supposed to give them wedding gifts?

A. And why not? It would be tactless and thoughtless if you were to fail to give them some token of your good wishes. Either something for their home, or a personal gift, would be appropriate.

Q. I've been told it's improper to chew gum in public. True?

A. If true, pity the poor chewing gum industry! Only if you're the nervous, noisy type of chewer would it be better to refrain from public gum-chewing. But otherwise, if you can keep gum in your mouth without its being obvious to others, there is nothing at all wrong with it.

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Here's good news for you! Exclusive new "hard-core" SYNA-CLEAR Decongestant tablets act instantly and continuously to drain and clear all sinus-sinus cavities. One "hard-core" tablet gives up to 8 hours relief from pain and pressure of congestion. Allows you to breathe easily—stops watery eyes and runny nose. You can buy SYNA-CLEAR at all Drug Stores. Without need for a prescription. Satisfaction guaranteed by maker. Try it today!

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Lincoln Is Typical American Abroad

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following dispatch by the national reporter of UPI draws on his recent observations as UPI's news manager in Europe.

By HARRY FERGUSON
United Press International

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Kennedy has asked Congress for \$4.9 billion dollars to bolster the might and morale of eligible nations under the foreign aid program. There is a high content of dynamite in this issue—as we shall see and hear when Congress debates it.

But here is a tip: If \$100,000 could be spared to bet on a horse named Abraham Lincoln, the payoff would be generous. Honest Abe is the No. 1 American throughout most of Europe. If it's good will we're after, he is our man.

There is a statue of him near Big Ben in London that is surrounded all day by tourists chattering in Italian, German, French and Swedish. Lincoln has just risen from a chair and is in full stride as though he were en route to emancipate the world of all its trouble. Nobody has to explain him to the tourists.

Picture In Beer Hall

There is a color photograph of him in a German beer hall between an opera singer and a movie starlet. The proprietor thinks it was placed there years ago by a GI, but he has no intention of letting anybody remove it. He has become a Lincoln fan.

This correspondent once had a plane seat, Rome to London, beside an Italian student who was brushing up his English. He was reading, over and over, the Gettysburg Address because his professor had told him this was English prose at its best. He knew all about Lincoln.

A British journalist, a frustrated actor if there ever was one, one, hauled an anthology of world poetry out of his rancincoat in a London pub one night and offered to wager \$2.80 of Her Majesty's money that he could recite a longish poem letter perfect, including punctuation. Instead of choosing a British poem that every school boy is compelled to memorize, he picked Vachel Lindsay's "Abraham Lincoln Walks at Midnight" and gave a flawless rendition

amid complete silence. Reckless with success, he doubled the stakes and went into "Kubla Khan." He muffed the seventh line and faded into the fog. Alcoholic, not meteorological.

Explains Lincoln's Success

Opportunity arrived one evening to ask a British psychologist to explain Lincoln's success with Europeans.

"It's quite simple," he said. "More than any other of your heroes he was the typical American. Born in a frontier log cabin. Self educated. A good athlete. A sense of humor. An ugly face that radiated honesty and integrity and, right up to this day, gives a ugly men a sense of well being and security."

"Then there is the important fact that he was assassinated. Public figures who are killed automatically gain stature. They trade a few years of life for immortality and in some cases, almost all, it saves their reputations."

"Had Julius Caesar lived out his life, the odds are very strong that he would have become a windy old bore, endlessly repeating the story of his victories in Gaul and his romance with Cleopatra."

"Lincoln was killed when his life trajectory was at peak. He had freed the slaves, won the war and preserved the Union. Who knows what would have happened to him if he had been plunged into the turmoil of the post-war reconstruction? Events might have whittled a giant down to the size of a normal man."



PRAIRIE HOME—Stamp commemorating the Homestead Act shows a couple whose courage, determination and hard work made a home of a mud hut on the hostile Great Plains of the West.

Lenten Message

By The Rev. William A. Kees
Minister, Grace Methodist Church
Baltimore
Written for UPI

Lent is observed throughout Christendom in two different ways. With some it is traditionally a period of penitence and self-denial. The Scriptural pattern is the wilderness, fasting and being tempted, or the forty hours he spent in the tomb. The danger, if there is a danger, is that our devotions may become seasonal or that our Lenten denials may be vitiated by after-Eastern dissipation, or, worse still, that our religion may become negative, morbid and cheerless.

With others, Lent is the time of intensified religious activity. The Scriptural pattern is those weeks of resolute action at the end of Christ's ministry rather than the weeks of solitude at the beginning. For those who choose this way of observance, Lent is a time of consecration, of recruiting and of witnessing before others for Christ.

It is, perhaps, more positive than negative. It calls us not to look inward to our own sins, but outward and upward to the perfection that is in Christ. It directs our attention not to what we must give up but to what we may come to possess.

It is not a condemnation of what we are, but a challenge for what we may become. It holds before us the example of One who, knowing that the days were well-nigh come that He should be received up, steadfastly set His face to go to Jerusalem; but it brings to us His compelling exhortation, "Follow me!"

This be my Lent: to set a goal At some far-off horizon for the soul; Then, day by day, with steady fast will, Unflinching tread the path, until O'er Calvary's slope, thru

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Estate No. 5732
In the Adams Circuit Court of Adams County, Indiana, Notice is hereby given that Martin J. Miller was on the 23rd day of March, 1962, appointed Administrator of the estate of Lucy A. Miller, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not now due, must file the same in said court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Decatur, Indiana, this 23 day of March, 1962.
Richard D. Lewton
Clerk of the Adams Circuit Court for Adams County, Indiana.
Seymour H. Schurger, Attorney and Counsel for personal representative.
March 26, April 2, 5.

death's dark vale
Where one must grope a mid-
night trail
I see the Easter sun arise,
And find myself with glad sur-
prise
Arrived at my far goal!
To climb, however steep th'
ascent,
To pay, however great the toll,
To reach at last the heart's
desire,
This be my Lent, O Soul!

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Estate No. 5732
In the Adams Circuit Court of Adams County, Indiana, Notice is hereby given that Myrtle Walters Workinger was on the 31st day of March, 1962, appointed: Executrix of the will of Barton F. Walters, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not now due, must file the same in said court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Decatur, Indiana, this 31st day of March, 1962.
Richard D. Lewton
Clerk of the Adams Circuit Court for Adams County, Indiana.
Robert S. Anderson, Attorney and Counsel for personal representative.
April 2, 5, 16.

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