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See It Through

When the allies were reeling under the blows of the Germans they held on with grim determination to see the issue through. In the darkest hour when they fought with their backs to the wall, the will to win prevented their collapse.

When Columbus, with a vision of a new trade route to the west firing his imagination, met re-buffs and refusals, he did not quail or give up in disgust, but held on until he discovered America.

John D. Rockefeller amassed millions and millions because he would not be shaken when oil was still an uncertain commodity. Andrew Carnegie had the nerve to buy out his partners when they became disgusted and tired over early defeats, and so he became a success.

The panic of 1873 did not deter H. C. Frick from staying with the infant coke industry. He finished the job, and success was his reward.

And so in other spheres also. It isn't always easy to carry on in the face of obstacles that seem to be insurmountable. Discouragements and difficulties usually invite the quitter to back down and out. He looks at the irksome hardships of the struggle and says, "What's the use?"

The successful man, in most instances, laid the foundation of his fortune in dark hours and amid discouraging events. He had confidence in himself and his cause.

No one loves a quitter or a shirker. Washington was great, not so much because he was a profound thinker, for other men in that great galaxy of revolutionary statesmen outshone him; not because he was a military genius, for his knowledge of military affairs was limited; not because he was a great financier, for others of his day knew more of money affairs. He was great

because he would not quit at Valley Forge, nor when congress was dilatory in raising men and money, nor when jealous officers plotted against him. He was true to his conviction, holding to the ideal even if it meant trial for treason and the loss of all his possessions.

Men, cities and nations that keep their eyes to the front, and keep marching on and on toward their goal, trampling down obstacles, marching over hard places, wading through discouragements, and fighting without rest or pause are the ones that win.

Little Belgium is pointing the way to the world. It is delivering a full load of energy, efficiency and effort each day. The disasters of war belong to yesterday. Its population is working today for tomorrow. It is not asking alms of the world or pity from the inhabitants thereof.

Belgium is restoring itself by the identical process with which the savage shaped his first stone hammer—work. It has galvanized the eternal principle of work with a national determination to see through its process of restoration to a glorious finish. Its workers and capitalists are committed to this program.

And so America as a nation and each of us individually as patriotic citizens of the republic must look at the problem of after-war adjustments with the resolute spirit of seeing it through, despite grievances, hardships and conditions that some times seem unjust and cruel.

The farmer who will not till all his acres because he believes the city man works only eight hours daily, is not doing his duty by his nation and is recreant to his own better self.

The worker who resolves to produce hardly enough to satisfy demands at home is untrue to himself and the destiny of his nation.

The capitalist and business man who refuses to see the new message of co-operation and mutual friendship in the great family of our nation is playing traitor to his own moral make-up.

If we are made of stern stuff, possess rugged determination, actually have the backbone and moral fibre of men who can keep on fighting even when the tide of battle seems against us, we will not waste precious hours in idleness or wild speculation, but work diligently and faithfully until the day of victory obliterates the toils of the struggle and effaces the traces of the conflict.

Bessie in the third round. Railroad men go on a strike for a two-hour day and \$500 a week.

Sugar drops to 9 cents a pound.

—Norman Stuckey.

BE COURTEOUS TO MANAGER.

The following sign has been noted by J. F. K.: "Patrons are requested to report any inattention or lack of courtesy to the manager."

Punch, Conductor: Punch with Care. (Transfer Slip, Peninsular Railway Company.)

This ticket is good for one continuous passage only in the direction shown by the conductor's punch in the face thereof.

King George has his trousers creased at the sides instead of fore and aft. Civilization seems to be progressing, but it is sometimes hard to say which way.

One of the hardest things to legislate out of existence, apparently, is a community thirst.

"Macks Play Cards," says a baseball headline. "When do they play baseball?" asks Harry P. Schmidt.

Overheard in a Department Store.

"Where will I find sweaters?" asked the fat lady, stopping at the notion counter for information.

"Any telephone booth," madam, replied the cute little blonde behind the counter, deftly putting on the finishing touches with the lip stick.

Ed Mills drives a milk wagon on Long Island.

Dinner Stories

Pangs of jealousy were in Miss Coldfoot's heart when she heard that her late admirer had been accepted by Miss Lovebird, and when she happened to run across her in the bargain rush she could not resist giving her a thrust.

"I hear you have accepted Jack," she gushed. "I suppose he never told you that he once proposed to me."

"No," answered Jack's fiance. "He once told me that there was a lot of things in his life he was ashamed of, but I didn't ask him what they were."

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Good Evening

By Roy K. Moulton

Michigan man hugged his fiancee so hard she fractured her collar bone. However, after they are married, he will want to do that but won't dare?

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NEWSPAPER ITEMS—1940.

The peace has been ratified with Germany.

A cigarette, a pipe, a cigar and a jar of tobacco have been placed on exhibition in the Museum of Natural History.

The city adopts plans for cleaning the streets.

Women's trousers will be shorter next spring.

Gumboot Gertie knocked out Bat-

ITCHING ECZEMA

DRIED RIGHT UP

WITH SULPHUR

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Menth-Sulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly soothes, eases from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It seldom fails to relieve the torment and disfigurement. Sufferers from skin trouble should get a little jar of Menth-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like a cold cream.

—Advertisement.

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Answers to Questions

Subscriber, Kitchel—What amount allowed an estate before being taxable in the inheritance tax law? What is the rate above that amount? An excerpt from the law, covering the question follows, but it would be advisable to consult an attorney if in doubt or if the answer does not give the desired information:

5. Where the person or persons entitled to any beneficial interest in such property shall be in any other degree of collateral consanguinity than is hereinbefore stated, or shall be a stranger in blood to the decedent, or shall be a body politic or corporate, at the rate of five per centum of the clear market value of such interest in such property.

Sec. 2. When the property or any beneficial interest therein passes by any such transfer where the amount of the property shall exceed in value the exemption hereinafter specified and shall not exceed in value \$25,000, the tax hereby imposed shall be:

1. Where the person or persons entitled to any beneficial interest in such property shall be the husband, wife, lineal issue, lineal ancestor of the decedent or any child adopted as such in conformity with the laws of this state at least ten years prior to such transfer or any child to whom such decedent for not less than ten years prior to such transfer stood in the mutually acknowledged relation of a parent: Provided, however, such relationship began at or before the child's fifteenth birthday, and was continuous for said ten years thereafter, or any lineal issue of such adopted or mutually acknowledged child, at the rate of one per centum of the clear market value of such interest in such property.

2. Where the person or persons entitled to any beneficial interest in such property shall be the brother or sister or a descendant of a brother or sister of the decedent, a wife or widow of a son, or the husband of a daughter of the decedent, at the rate of one and one-half per centum of the clear market value of such interest in such property.

3. Upon all in excess of \$25,000 and up to \$50,000, one and one-half times the primary rates.

4. Upon all in excess of \$50,000 three times the primary rates.

Readers may obtain answers to questions by writing the Palladium Question and Answer Department. Questions should be written plainly and briefly. Answers will be given briefly.

120 POUND BABY CALF

LONDON, Eng.—A British Friesian cow belonging to Lieut. Colonel Mirrice, has had a bull calf weighing at birth 120 pounds, or twice the normal weight.

Don't Spoil Your Hair
By Washing It

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain to much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap and beats anything else at drug store. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich cream, thoroughly cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh-looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.—Advertisement.

That's Right, Say "I Want
CELERY KING"

Take a cup to regulate your bowels to purify your blood and make you strong so you can withstand an attack of grippe if it happens to come along this winter. It's one great vegetable laxative and it won't cost you but a few cents to find it out. Children like it.

3. Where the person or persons entitled to any beneficial interest in such property shall be the brother or sister of the father or mother of a descendant of brother or sister of the father or mother of the decedent, at the rate of three per centum of the clear market value of such interest in such property.

4. Where the person or persons entitled to any beneficial interest in such property shall be the brother or

Memories of Old Days

In This Paper Ten Years Ago Today

Mrs. Eleonora Sands Likens, one of the most prominent women in the city, died at the Reid hospital as a result of injuries.

Announcement was made that "Clean-Up" day, to be observed gener-

ally throughout the city, was to be May 1.

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN

A certain Relief for Feverishness, Constipation, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, and other childhood Troubles.

Trade Mark. Colds in 24 hours. At all drug-

stores. Sample mailed FREE. Address MOTHER GRAY CO., Le Roy, N.Y.

SHOP AT ROMEY'S MAIN ST. CORNER NINTH

Money-Saving Specials for Saturday

O N L Y 89c **89c**
Large shipment of Dish Pans, granite, only 89c

BIG SIZE CLOTHES BASKETS \$1.25 value for Saturday only
98c
REAL ALUMINUM Roasters

The biggest little Roaster in the city, a regular \$1.50 value. Our price only \$1.19

SHOPPING BASKETS Pretty Shopping Baskets, durably made, only 69c, 79c and 89c
Only \$798 **Only \$798**

STURDY FERN STANDS \$7.98 A pretty William and Mary design in oak or mahogany, a big \$10.00 value for \$7.98

ALUMINUM PERCOLATORS \$1.98 values now only \$1.69
RICE BOILERS Worth \$1.98 now
ROUND ROASTERS \$1.69

GUARANTEED PURE ALUMINUM Regular \$1.98 values Saturday only
\$1.69

Ask For Our Very Special Value GRANITE STEW PAN, at only 39c

ELECTRIC IRONS

PREMIER ELECTRIC SWEEPERS \$2.00 Down \$1 Weekly
4.98 to \$7.25

NOTE SELF-ADJUSTING HANDLE **SPRUSTEX MOP**
Combination—The best Mop on earth and large bottle of Cedar Oil, only
\$1.50

ALUMINUM SPECIALS Ask for our convex \$1.98 value Preserving Kettle, only \$1.69. Convex Berlin Kettle, \$1.98 value, only \$1.69

SHOP AT ROMEY'S MAIN ST. CORNER NINTH

THE STORE WITH ONLY ONE PRICE

COATS

Price range \$15.00 to \$85.00: special values at \$25.00, \$29.98, \$35.00

SALE OF WOOL DRESS GOODS

Three Special Lots
88c, \$1.29, \$2.38

EASTER GLOVE SALE

Special Values
75c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00