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## Industrial Democracy

Along these broad lines America has moved: First it broke the shackles of monarchy and the sway of kings, to achieve free government by free men. That was oligarchical democracy.

Then it broke the shackles of a closed society—a society in which every man was born to a fate, which he could never leave—and achieve an open society in which every man was given a chance to find a place proportionate to his abilities. That was social democracy.

Now it is trying to solve the problem of industrial democracy. A defense emergency is not perhaps the ideal time and place to solve that knotty problem, but solution will not wait. Modern industry is an industry of great units in which impersonal masses of capital employ the services of great masses of men at work. It created new relationships with little similarity to the old relationships between one employer and a few employees. America, late in tackling this modern problem, found itself in the midst of it when the depression came. It is still in the midst of it.

What progress have we made? This: We have generally agreed that masses of men employed by masses of capital must deal collectively to assert their rights and make themselves felt as a force in modern industry.

But the exact techniques to which the organized labor of men may organize and treat with organized masses of capital and come amicably to sane and workable relationships are in their experimental phase. Such a condition, with labor exercising a share in the conduct of industry in some way proportionate to its importance, is industrial democracy.

Yet labor has not itself learned perfectly the lessons of democratic conduct of even its own agencies. There can be no real industrial democracy when the parties to the control of industry, the organizations of capital or those of labor, are themselves undemocratic.

The American Civil Liberties Union announces a study of democracy in trade unions. That is a proper subject of study, for it is obvious that it is just as bad for an individual workman to be robbed of his democratic rights by an oppressive union domination as by an oppressive employer. The twenties were spent in examination of the means by which capital was undemocratically controlled; how unscrupulous people often wielded power by undemocratic control of Other People's Money. It is quite as evil to control undemocratically Other People's Labor.

It is only through study, experiment, practice, that we can improve these techniques, and it is idle for either capital or labor to try to avoid the utmost searching into their technical practices on the pretext that either is in some way holy.

## LATE COMEDIAN

Here's your weekly chance to fill in your own black spaces as you work this puzzle.

### HORIZONTAL

- 1. A Fictitious late comedian.
- 10. He became a stage at an early age.
- 14. Age.
- 15. Dexteros.
- 16. Story.
- 17. Atmosphere.
- 18. Extreme fear.
- 19. Munitions.
- 20. Writing table.
- 22. Turf (pl.).
- 23. Top of a wave.
- 24. Editor (abbr.).
- 26. Tone D (music).
- 27. Part of foot.
- 28. Provides refreshments.
- 31. Sour.
- 32. Sailor.
- 33. Soon.
- 36. Greater quantity.
- 37. Pale.
- 39. Abrupt nasal sound (pl.).
- 41. Symbol for calcium.
- 42. Hawaiian bird.

### Answer to Previous Puzzle

- 1. SATURN
- 2. PLANET
- 3. AMID
- 4. RIDER
- 5. PLACE
- 6. NET
- 7. DOPE
- 8. TON
- 9. RAT
- 10. AGE
- 11. JOCK
- 12. STORY
- 13. TEMPI
- 14. PENT
- 15. SEMI
- 16. PLANET
- 17. CO
- 18. OIL
- 19. PROT
- 20. CIGARETTE
- 21. SATURN
- 22. TURF
- 23. TOP
- 24. EDITOR
- 25. SURELY
- 26. TONE
- 27. HEEL
- 28. PROVIDES
- 29. VERTICAL
- 30. CONDUCT
- 31. GREAT
- 32. LAKE
- 33. EMBROIDER
- 34. OBES
- 35. DAY
- 36. ROMAN
- 37. MONTH
- 38. MISTAKE
- 39. DOMINEER
- 40. GOD
- 41. STREET
- 42. AIR
- 43. FORM
- 44. ENCOUNTER
- 45. POPULAR
- 46. NEAR
- 47. WEIGHT
- 48. ALLOWANCE
- 49. ANYTHING
- 50. GIVEN
- 51. GRATUITOUSLY
- 52. REMAINDER
- 53. TYPE
- 54. MEASURE



## A Kiss for Cinderella



## OUT OUR WAY BY WILLIAMS



## Farmers To Elect AAA Committee Friday, Dec. 6th

COLLEGE STATION. — The State AAA Committee has set Friday, December 19, as the date for election of community committeemen and delegates to the county convention.

The same procedure will be followed in the committee elections this year as in previous years, George Slaughter, state committee chairman, said. Farmers in each community will elect three committeemen who will serve during the coming year. At the same time, they will elect a delegate and alternate delegate to a county convention which will be held the following day. The convention will elect the county committee of three members and two alternates.

"Selection of the right men to serve as committeemen is more important this year than ever before," Slaughter, a Wharton county farmer, declared. "The Food-For-Freedom campaign has resulted in more work for committeemen, and it is expected that the following on the campaign will require that committeemen spend more time working with the program than in previous years."

The AAA official emphasized the added importance of electing the right man as county committee chairman, especially since he serves also as chairman of the county USDA defense board which administers the Farm Defense Program.

"County chairman should be good organizers and leaders, capable of obtaining the fullest cooperation from all board members and farmers," Slaughter said.

**\$65 COAT FOR 40 CENTS**  
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (UP)—Mrs. W. H. McCallum, of St. Paul, would like to find the man who bought her \$65 coat for 40 cents at a rummage sale. Mrs. McCallum was one of the volunteer workers at the sale. She hung her coat too near a counter. Another worker pinned a price tag on it.

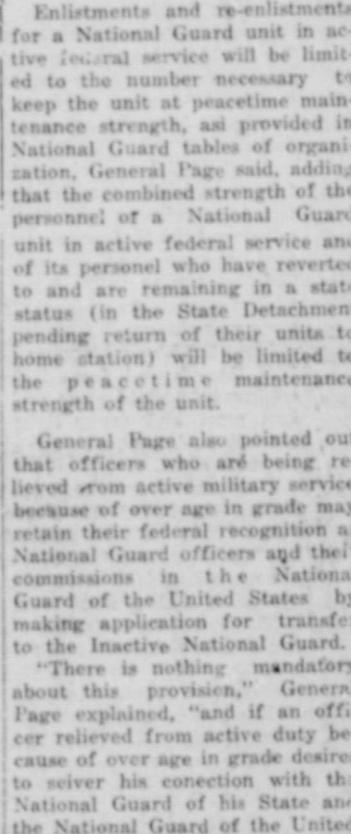
## State Guard May Re-Enlist In The National Guard

Enlistment and re-enlistments for units of the National Guard of the State of Texas, while in active Federal service, have been authorized in accordance with War Department policy for preserving organization entity of the National Guard, it was announced today by General J. Watt Page, Adjutant General of Texas and State Selective Service Director.

General Page stated that the following policies have been established in regard to such enlistments and re-enlistments:

1. Upon completion of their normal term of enlistment in the National Guard of the United States, enlisted men of a National Guard unit in active Federal service may re-enlist in their present unit in a dual status as members of both the National Guard and the National Guard of the United States.
2. A selectee assigned to a National Guard unit of his home state may, if qualified, be enlisted in such National Guard unit in a dual status as a member of both the National Guard and the National Guard of the United States in active federal service; all such men to be required to serve a minimum total of twelve consecutive months in active federal service. Furthermore, selectives sent from replacement training centers as fillers for a National Guard unit will be, as far as possible, registrants of the home state of the National Guard unit concerned.
3. Qualified men who have been discharged or released from federal service after nine year's list in their home community

## Tommy's Terrific



Tommy Gray of unbeaten Hopkinsville, Ky., Tigers scored 217 points this season to bring three-year high school total to 495, believed to be a national record.

always left behind, which, however, is not always found by the investigator," Kirwin said.

## ALLEY OOP



## By Hamlin

## RED RYDER BY HARMA



SERIAL STORY

LADY BY REQUEST

R. WOODWARD

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THE STORY: It is obvious that spoiled, temperamental Adela...

over the household affairs with simple dignity and more than once wondered if she'd really ever known any other life than this.

shining waves of red gold; her skin glowed from exquisite care and attention; and the warm white of her beautiful neck and shoulders rose from the folds of black chignon where white garlands lent fragrance and beauty.

MRS. STEPHEN CURT was launched into a new and very exciting life, made all the more glamorous because she knew it was not to last.

She smiled at the picture she presented. "I suppose it's useless to tell you how lovely you look, since you've no doubt been standing before the mirror for the last half hour," he teased.

THORPES COME TO DINNER

CHAPTER X

MRS. STEPHEN CURT stood before the triple mirrors in her room and surveyed her several lovely selves therein reflected.

All in all, it was a pleasant, orderly, abundant life—except for Adela. From the first, Stephen's sister had resented Diana's presence in the house.

He raised his dark brows in surprise. "You don't mean you're letting the thought of Richard Thorpe get you down?"

It was Adela who had invited the Thorpes and when she had told Diana that they had accepted the invitation, it was with a malicious smirk which Diana was quick to see and understand.

Now, putting the finishing touches to her make-up, Diana was pleased with her reflected image.

Diana shook her head. "Somehow I don't believe it will go that far," she answered wryly.

School Lunchroom Program Enlarged In Texas Schools

COLLEGE STATION. — Undenourishment of Texas school children is being ameliorated by expanding the community school lunch and increasing the participation of pupils in it.

Johnson Fights For Power in the Rural Localities

WASHINGTON. — So that rural electrification lines in Texas and elsewhere may be expanded to give farmers power to produce for defense, Texas Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson and W. R. Ponge today went to bat with the Office of Production Management for priorities on copper essential to REA development.

RED RYDER

Insurance company executive advises salesman seven hours is enough sleep. We didn't know they ever slept.

OUT OUR WAY By Williams



To Near East



William C. Bullitt goes to Libyan battlefield as President Roosevelt's special representative in the east.

Freckles and His Friends By Blosser



Ickes-Jones Squabble Over Aluminum Plants Divides New Deal Over Basic Defense Drive

BY PETER EDSON NEA Service Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—The way Harold Ickes has been carrying on about Jesse Jones and the contracts made by the Defense Plant Corporation for production of aluminum for defense purposes, you may have gained the impression that Harold thinks Jesse is such a lowdown, contemptible, anti-New Deal rascal that he would be guilty of hauling his eggs out of a government car during a gasoline shortage.

The dispute is still on, but the climax of hysteria on the subject came in September when Ickes screeched into the picture with a letter which attempted to give Jones a public beating for a \$22 million contract Jones's Defense Plant Corporation negotiated with the aluminum company for construction and operation of one 400 million pound alumina plant in Arkansas and three alumina plants at Massena, N. Y., Bonneville Dam, Ore., and some place in Arkansas—the combined output of which would be 240 million pounds of aluminum a year.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



ALLEY OOP



By Hamlin



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