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## LATEST NEWS FLASHES

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THE DIVINE HEART UNDERSTANDS AND SYMPATHIZES WITH US: For we have not an
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ing of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted ing of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted
like as we are, yet without sin.-Hebrews 4:15.

## Debunking Defunct Funk Bunk

to it requires many kinds of men.
It requires street brawlers like Rudolf Hess to overawe physical opposition and beat helpless minority people into a bloody pulp. It requires wily intriguers like Von
Papen to beguile diplomats. It requires traitors to their countries, like Quisling. It requires masters of manipulation of the massmind, like Goebbels. It also requires at least one oily but respectable voice to assure everyone
that all this is being done for their own good and for the that all this is being don
good of all the world.
"Such a voice is that of Dr. Walther Funk, the shrewd "economic brain" of the Reich. His mission is to appeal
to business men throughout the world in an effort to assure them that all Germany wants is prosperity for all, and that dealing with the economic colossus she is trying to set up will be pleasant and profitable for the rest of
the world. the world.

So the plausible Dr. Funk is out with another of his frequent efforts to reassure an alarmed world. As usual,
there is just enough truth in what he says to make it persuasive. And as usual the basis and the conclusion are as false as a shot-glass in a clip-joint.
barriers, says Dr nomic collapse before the war.. Right. No use trying to reconstruct the world on principles that led to collapse, he insinuates. Right.
long-range co-operation of equal partners to Dr. Funk, is pressions and make everybody in the world happy happ

What "co-operation"? What "equal partners"? The kind of "co-operation" that France and Italy and Bulgaria and Hungary and Rumania, are now giving Germany at gun point? The kind of "equal partners" that Mussolimi Michael and Boris and Pu Yi and Wang are to Hitler?

No, thank you. It may be, and it probably is neces-
sary to remake the international economic mold of the world. But it is not going to be done at gun point, against of Adolf Hitler, or even that of Dr. Funk

The eminently respectable Dr. Funk probably never ingle man or woman standing in defense of their homes But the economic blueprint extended in his immaculately-ed-Great Heavens, man, look out there! That's blood
ent The Pot Called The Kettle--
"You're a sad-looking specimen," said the pot to the of the cellar for the last two years, no good to man nor beast."
"There' except for the cobwebs. You aren't even fit to hold old right", sighed the pot "I hope some body will remember us when the national drive to collect old aluminum comes along. I'd rather be part of a bomber than a dust collector in this old cellar.
your cellar or attic talking in those terms, bettles in em over. An opportunity is going to be offered soon to make them useful once more in the nation's service.

## Ersatz May Be Better

Ersatz is a German word meaning substitute. It became known in English-speaking countries when, before the war, they were discussing Germany's building of a war
machine with unorthodox materials. People used to like to chuckle over German ersatz, believing that German tanks and planes were put together with string and chewing gum. Now the world has learned, to the cost of much of it, that many of the German ersatz materials are all
We will probably learn a good deal about that ourselves in coming months. We, too, will find that substi-
tution of an accustomed material for an unaccustomed one doesn't necessarily mean inferiority. It may, but not necessarily. So let's not holler before we're hurt. If a
familiar article comes up in an familiar article comes up in an unfamiliar material, let's

They Still Marry
In spite of everything, people still marry During the past 12 months there must have been quite a few people in Cook County (Chicago) who didn't believe
that everything was headed for the demnition bow-wows for 46,914 couples stepped up to the marriage license desk, an increase of 27.5 per cent over the year before.
Meanwhile divorce also increased, but onl
cent to a total of 9737 , about one-fifth as fast.
cent to a total of 9737 , about one-fifth as fast.
Since it has been jestingly argued that a man an optimist to marry at all, it must follow that those whe marry at a time like this disagree profoundly with the prophets of doom who keep croaking that all is lost and prothing remains but to take to the lifeboats.


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NEA Service Staff Writer
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The labor unions representing engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen and switchmen are demanding a 30 per cent increase in wages, amounting to 190 million dollars a yearalthough their present rates of pay are the highest in history.

Other unions representing a greater number of railway employees are demanding wage increases ranging as high as 95 per cent averaging 47 per cent-and amounting to 580 million dollars a year-although their present rates of pay also are the highest in history.

Thus the wage increases being demanded by the labor unions amount to $\mathbf{7 7 0}$ million dollars a year, an average increase in excess of 41 per cent.

In addition, certain of these labor unions have demanded advances in their pay not included in the above figures, and more rules for the creation of unnecessary jobs.
The situation, then, is this: The total cost of complying with all the demands made would be approximately 900 million dollars a year!

The average weekly earnings of railway employees are now 15 per cent higher than in the peak year 1929, while the cost of living is 12 per cent less.

The demands of the railway labor unions are being made when the entire nation has just been asked to make a supreme effort for National Defense.
The railways cannot meet these demands without a great increase in the cost of transportation. They exceed by more than 700 million dollars the income that the railways had left after paying their annual expenses, taxes and charges in 1940.
The railways have a vitally important job before them. They need all their resources to continue adequately to serve you and contribute effectively toward the National Defense Program.

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