

STRESSES ACUTE HOME SHORTAGE

Need For 800,000 Dwelling Units Annually For 5 Years Cited

Threads of the news must be read not singly but together as events spin them out, if it is to exercise balanced judgment concerning housing and real estate demand-supply as it is in the making.

Former Hills School Student Now Editor At Wisconsin Paper Chemistry Institute



Dr. Clarence West

When Clarence J. West, a native of Franklin, Mich., was a boy and walked in from Franklin to Birmingham each day to go to school it was doubtful that he was aware of the heights to which he would eventually arise in professional fields. However, the fact that he completed his high school course in three years serves as some indication that he would do startling things in the future.

Today, Dr. West is editor of scientific and research publications at the Institute of Paper Chemistry in Appleton, Wisconsin and has just been notified that the State Board of Education of Michigan State Normal College at Ypsilanti has voted to confer upon him the honorary degree of Master of Education at the June commencement exercises.

Graduating from Normal College in 1907, Dr. West continued work there another year and was awarded the degree of Bachelor of Pedagogics. In 1909 he completed work at the University of Michigan and in 1912 received his Doctor of Philosophy degree.

Following this, Dr. West went to the Rockefeller Institute, for Medical Research in New York engaged in "chemical" research work. For sixteen years he served as director of this research (Information Service) and as Associate Editor of International Critical Tables. These two branches of the industry were connected with Washington, D. C.

In July, 1926, Dr. West was appointed Editor at the Institute in Appleton, and on Feb. 24 of this year was presented with the gold medal of the Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry in recognition of his bibliographic services to the industry.

Dr. West has served as chairman of the committee on abstracts and bibliography of the Technical Association since 1929 and has published through the Association two volumes covering the literature of the industry from 1900 to 1935. In addition to this he has prepared annual bibliographies of the paper industry since 1929.

Dr. West is the brother-in-law of R. K. McCallan of 502 Riverside, and has been in this city on numerous occasions.

Facts Needed!

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN National Chairman Sentinels of the Republic

Census Bureau officials, it is reported from Washington, are proposing that the customary ten-percent of our population and resources be taken this Fall, instead of waiting until 1940.

They believe that information thus gained could prove helpful in formulating a practical policy in the distribution of Government relief funds.

Whether or not this change would have the desired effect only actual experience could tell. But the great need of a practical basis of facts for our high relief program is widely recognized.

The responsibility for adequate help to the jobless and other unfortunate is acknowledged by all Americans. They want them to have the required help. But they want that help applied through practical means, free not only from needless waste, but from even the suggestion of political favoritism, manipulation or control and within the ability of the nation to pay.

They believe that to achieve this end a reliable picture of actual conditions is essential. Such a picture has been hard to find. Here, the number of our jobless are frequently contradictory. Records of those in actual want are similarly vague.

When the real facts are known a definite program can be approved by all.

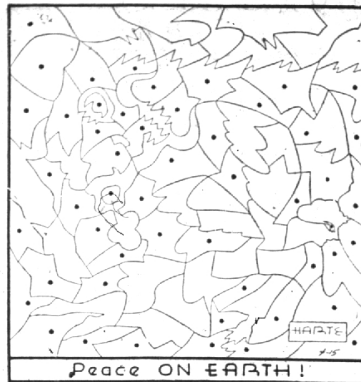
Perhaps the process of moving up the census date will supply those facts. If so, it would be undoubted appropriation from the great body of American citizens who willfully pay the bills, but who want to be assured that the money they supply is being spent in a way which will achieve the most effective results.

They want their money's worth not for themselves, but for the families whom the billions of relief dollars are collected to help.

Such a relief program based on actual facts would help more than its needs beneficiaries. By decreasing waste and confusion it could speed our entire nation along the road to sound and lasting recovery.

Enthusiasm
"Why do you call this an enthusiastic statement?"
"Because the work put every thing he had into it."

JIGGLETTES



PARAGRAPHS

Lyman P. Powell, preacher: "Much of the best work done by man today is done in their seventies."

L. L. Williams, doctor: "We will always have some mosquitoes in the United States, but only those which can jump fast and fly farther are likely to survive."

Karl Barth, exiled German theologian: "Never since Mohammed has Christianity been so threatened as it is in Germany."

Harold B. Butler, economic expert: "One lesson learned from the depression is that deflation is not cure, cutting wages and curtailing production, is no way out."

R. C. O'Brien: "The highest development of art of government requires a sense of humor."

William C. Rivers, Major General, U. S. A. (Retired): "The future of Eastern Asia will inevitably be settled by the people who live there—by Japanese, Chinese and Russians."

Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labor: "If widespread strikes do not justify any widespread movement to defy the law or change the current conditions of property rights."

Burton K. Wheeler, U. S. Senator from Montana: "How can anybody be sure that if you put six new justices on the bench they won't turn out to be reactionaries?"

George Black, British theatre man: "I'm wearing an American 'stupid'." "It may be all right, it's the hat for England."

Edgar A. Lowner, Minister, San Francisco: "There should be a voluntary investigation of the factors that send girls into prostitution—including starvation wages."

Geraldine Farrar, former opera star: "I am one of the people who make a bad farewell and 'stay farewell'."

John Arnold Rackwell, doctor: "If some one else takes your girl out and you don't feel the urge to punch him in the nose, well, you're not in love."

Math. Professor: "If there are 48 states in the union, and super-heated steam equals the distance from Bombay to Koonana, Indiana, what is my age?"

Student: "Forty-four sir." Math. Professor: "Correct, and how did you prove that?" Student: "Well, I have a box, there who is 22 and he is only half nuts."

Smart Man: "Jack, I say, waiter, here's a half a dollar." Waiter: "Thank you, sir. I suppose you want me to receive a table for you?" Jack: "No, I don't. I shall come in here with two ladies, and I want you to tell me that all the tables are engaged." Montreal Star.

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Picking Oysters Off Trees



Do oysters grow on trees? Well, they do in Florida, anyhow, as this picture illustrates. The lady shown here is picking them right off a tree in the Everglades territory, west of Miami. The oysters, as good as any other, are grown by the Florida Growth-Incubator for eating purposes, cling to the branches of the trees at high tide and continue to grow here after the tide recedes.

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BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY HOUSE

GROUP OF 16, REPRESENTING 13 NATIONALITIES, HERE SUNDAY

Sixteen members of the Practical Bible Training School of New York, representing 15 different nationalities, will present a unique program of entertainment Sunday evening, April 18, at the First Baptist Church, 300 Willets Street. This students' league of many nations, in giving their program, will dress in their native garb, group by group, sing in their native tongue and give snapshots of their personal experiences. This prominent group has traveled through every state, in addition to Canada and Mexico. Thousands have heard their message in song and story, cleverly and interestingly presented.

THIS AND THAT

(Continued from Page One) it is to a similar degree, police depend upon public cooperation for their efficiency. But in the sense of real social justice, your government gets little private cooperation. You cannot expect the rules of plain human decency and justice to prevail without the people themselves, lending a helping hand. Many people will call the freedom to put out a fire, or the police to apprehend a burglar, but will do little or nothing at all to enhance TRUTH in human relationships.

The printing press did more to liberate human beings from feudal slavery than anything else—and now the radio, with its ability to reach people without the obstruction of an editorially biased pencil, brings the people information and argument direct. As with the printing press, the radio has its trouble with the demagogue. The solution lies in the improvement of the public itself. People must be able, in political and economic affairs, to realize that two plus two can never equal five.

To a Lady
Boston Transcript: Though Titian might have done your hair, Da Vinci done your smile, though Botticelli's talent rare might be behind your charms, though Georgia, were he here, might lend that glow of health, there isn't any doubt, old dear, you did your lips yourself.

Where Are They?
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Just A Call

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"Of course you understand that \$250 a week is merely what we call it—you will get \$25—Atlanta Constitution.

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CHANGES IN BANKING HOURS

To Our Customers: Effective May 15, 1937, and until further notice, banking hours FOR SATURDAYS ONLY, shall be from

9:00 A. M. to 12:00 Noon and 6:00 P. M. to 8:00 P. M.

There will be no change in banking hours for the other days of the week, which remain as heretofore—

9:00 A. M. to 3:00 P. M.

The change in banking hours for Saturday involves closing at 12:00 o'clock Noon instead of 1:00 o'clock P. M., as in the past. This change is made in the interest of our personnel and we solicit your cooperation in that you arrange for your banking requirements by 12:00 o'clock Noon on that day; otherwise, our facilities will be available to you again between the hours of 6:00 P. M. and 8:00 P. M., SATURDAY ONLY.

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