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NOTE: The Eccentric is pleased to publish stories of events of the common of the commo

Seems to be lots of anxiousness about Communism making inroads in the United States these days. Communism will never get far in a land where real freedom exists—so lets never let any public official refuse a single American the right to speak, to print, to assemble, to petition government for redress of wrongs.

The British Asker Poblished Severy Thursday at Birmingham Mich. in The Georgia Bullingham Asker Brown Tedgingham 1, 12 and 13 and 13 and 14 an

national virtue to be found in the fact that the United States sold other lands more than we bought from them. There might have been a time when this was a sound and logical delight, but, just now, with most of the world's gold and eur position as a creditor nation to consider, it doesn't make too much sense.

Let's take the case of Rumania, for example. We do not like to believe that this Balkan nation will ally herself with the totalitarian State and there are some people who dislike the recent commercial agreement between Germany and the Rumanians, part he Rumanian perchased \$1,300,150 worth of Americans products. This, it is true, is a small business for matches the state of the st

the properties of the properti

WE WOULD RESPECTEBLEY SUGGEST to our pious Government lore D. Dickinson that words without action are not given high marks in Holy Writ. Even Jesus stopped his preaching long enough to "drive the money-changers from the Temple."

BIRMINGHAM'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS will open Monday, September 11. That is not far away, Summer's almost gone, autumn soon will be here, our action are not given high marks almost gone, autumn soon will be here, or action are not given high method of the winter, and so on and so on . . . the seasons come and go and humans are reluctant to esome of them go. (But, generally speaking, not the kids relative to school days.)

The Nose Is News



File fitness of leaders is to be judged onto by the extent to which they yield to popular clamps and demand, but by the firmings with which even at considerable accrince they stand considerable accrince they stand to the long run it is this type of leader who most truly represents the people and who becomes established in popular regard. Our authoral merr of honor have control and self-seeking politicians, but the men who showed one allegiance to higher ideals of statesmanship and service. The considerable was a king of this was a king's part simply to give the people what they wanted the people toward what was been people toward what was been people toward what was been making for the debasement of the people. Majority rule does not alter making for the debasement of the people.

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Majority rule does not alter
the rigorous demands of rightcousness, truth and justice. A
task of democracy is 30 to educate and train a people that
these fundamental things become the basis of all thought and

and his capacity for service as much in opposing the popular trend as in expressing the will of the people. In our modern democracy where so much stress is laid upon majority rule, we is laid upon majority rule, we are to refer that there are great no reget that there are street majorities.

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that are never settled by mere majorities.

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The Good Lives, Too!

The BARD OF AVON WROTE: "The evil that men do lives after them, the good is oft interred with their bonce,"—but I fond believe it!

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I have just it with the Father of the Chinese Renaissance," and he points out beautifully that the its of the too!

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The Good Lives, Too!

28—Petroleum was first discovered, 1859.

30—The Soak the Rich Tax bill was passed, 1935. 31—Delaware was granted to William Peru, 1682

2—Gold was discovered in the Black Hills, 1874

Happenings of Long Ago

Bits Of News Gleaned From Old Files Of The Eccentric-The Items That Make Up The Historical Background

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Alex J. Groesbeck "is cert brook no more delays" in the pletion of Wider Woodward nue if he is returned to the ernor's chair. This was the of a statement received this by The Eccentric.



Double Talk: Through all it apparent nonchalance regarding the national debt, the desire of the administration to formulate an accounting system to minimize the counting system to minimize the counting system to minimize the off borrowed me and accounting system to the from the people, keeps coming to the front.

rolled them over and drove them back to Francisch as joined with the plant to build by an experiment of the plant to build up an American merchant marine.

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Joseph Buerckel, Reich Commissioner for Austria:

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