

Ever notice how many persons close their doors to the world when it is needed, and check them in the rack? It is one of the evidences of human impotence... that attaches to so much of our American living?

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Mankind Rises and Falls — But Man Also Rises Again!
It is admitted by close observers of mind that human beings will, for the most part, suffer many types of indignity from others, especially from those who govern them. Human beings, in a monarchy or in a so-called democracy, will always be made subject to many forms of control, as well as to patterns of taxation that are almost confiscatory.

In brief, most people are interested in their own little world and do not want to be left free to "get along somehow," to gripe now and then, but mostly to suffer in silence.
Rulers who remain in power for a long time know this, and refrain, if they can, from adding the last straw that breaks the camel's back in every phase of life.

Today, on all sides of this whirling globe, we witness great changes in every phase of life. Most of it stimulated by the tremendous strides of physical science. The eagles have struck to a vast neighborhood; the problems and troubles in one part of the world affect, to some small degree, the remainder of the human family.

THE ART of propaganda has developed to a point where truth is difficult to separate from half-truth, or falsehood; there is so much worship of Mammon that, in spite of increased church attendance in many places, God plays so little a real part in human affairs.

AS ONE may read in Luke 6:24: "No man can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon."

There is, indeed, a cyclical pattern in the affairs of everything upon this earth, both animate and inanimate.
There are the changing seasons, the wonderful transmutations of earth from its mineral, gaseous, liquid, and solid states, the necessity to minerals and to vegetation-bearing soil; there are the thought processes that have been made known from caves and cliffs to present material environments; and, over and above all, the wonderful mental and (See THIS & THAT, Pg. 2, Sec. 1)

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Mrs. Quinn Resigns UF Post Here

Walter C. Laidlaw, executive vice president of the United Foundation, today announced the resignation of Mrs. J. Rowland Quinn, of Birmingham, as Torch Drive suburban director for the Birmingham-Bloomfield-Franklin region.
Mrs. Quinn, who has been seriously ill at her home at 451 Park, resigned at the request of her physician. She has been carrying on the duties of her position by telephone from her bedside for the past several weeks.

Mrs. Quinn was dean of the UF suburban staff, having served with Mrs. Allen and daughter Mollie, in an old fashioned carriage drawn by a matched team of Tennessee walking horses owned by driver Jerome Geisler of Wing Lake road.

ALL SEVEN of the Torch Drives directed in this region were successful. Up to three of them, Birmingham-Bloomfield-Franklin, all suburban regions amount raised over quota.
"Mrs. Quinn will be greatly missed," Laidlaw said in accepting her resignation. "She is highly respected by the entire community."

Laidlaw said that Hal Goode, UF suburban director, would carry on Mrs. Quinn's duties, assisted by Northern Territory Director Al Turner of the Ferndale UF office and Mrs. Herb, of Royal Oak, women's coordinator for suburbs.

A MEETING of the regional advisory committee has been called for the first week in July by William Bachman of MacManus, John Adams, committee chairman, for the purpose of appraising the situation.
Chairmen who have accepted responsibility for the 1956 Torch Drive in this region are: Ernest A. Jones, president of MacManus, John Adams, campaign chairman; Granville A. Morse, manufacturers' representative; and Elmer L. Sylvester, manager of Bastian Bros. Co., 10690 Puritan, governmental chairman.

Zoning Is Extended
Extension of terrace classification for three large areas in Bloomfield county, has met Birmingham city commission approval. The new zoning covers an average of several hundred feet west toward the River Rouge.

Rubbish Burns
No loss, but a lot of smoke and blaze when a trailer filled with rubbish outside of Wrigley's burned Tuesday afternoon.

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TROY — A Clawson man who became the first person to be brought into city court after failure to answer a traffic summons, spent Saturday through Monday in Oakland county jail and paid a \$20 fine and \$15 costs.

Fallen Tree Blocks Road, Motorist Hurt
BLOOMFIELD HILLS — George Couzens, 18, of Wabek Farms, W. Long Lake road, suffered concussion, face cuts and leg injuries Sunday afternoon when he swerved to avoid a storm-felled tree on Lusher road and struck another tree off the road.

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Hear, See Your Aug. 7 Candidates

Party candidates for national, state and county offices, headlined by Donald S. Leonard, Republican gubernatorial hopeful will ride through Birmingham tonight in the Old-Fashioned Torchlight Parade beginning at 7:30.
Immediately following the parade, candidates will be introduced at a rally in Shain Park. A special "birthday party," for all new voters, will conclude the evening in the parlors of St. James Church.

Both Gov. G. Mennen Williams and Albert Cobo, Republican candidates for governor, had to decline Couzens' invitation because of former commitments.
Congressional and state candidates for the Senate and House of Representatives will speak at the rally.

THOSE attending the rally will have opportunity for personal contact with the candidates there.
All young people, 21-24, who have not voted in a presidential election before, will have an additional opportunity to meet the candidates at a special birthday party following the rally.

Asks No Parking Along Eton Road
Following up her pre-election promise to have "a clean-up" of the city, City Commissioner Florence Willett suggested a clean-up of the boulevard along Eton road, from Lincoln to Yosemite.

City Forces Take Flag Display Job
Flags, as usual, will announce the arrival of the Fourth of July in the downtown Birmingham square. But this year some flags will be put up and taken down by the city forestry department.

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FROM THE COMMENTS made by several residents in the area, they believe it is a very fine and safe method to honor this holiday.

THE CHAIRMAN has engaged a member of the Birmingham Fire Department to discharge the fireworks.
A newly-arrived resident to the community, Mrs. R. E. Forbes, 2120

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Two cars of Birmingham police assisted in directing traffic around the area afterward while crews worked to repair a fallen high tension voltage wire, so active with 1800 volts that it snaked along the ground.

A telephone call to the Grand Trunk railroad station warned workmen that parts of the sparking wire were on the railroad track. Ticket Agent H. J. Wichman expressed his thanks to the unknown person who made the call, enabling the railroad to take precautions to protect passengers and equipment.

Twelve minutes after the wire was downed, lightning again hit, this time causing \$100 damage to the home of J. S. Marshall of 4900 Burnley, a block away from the transformer.

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ADMISSION TICKETS for the fireworks entertainment are available free from the various Birmingham merchants.