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Careful Planning Needed for German Refugees

It is a safe bet that every sparsely-settled bit of land on earth will eventually be suggested as a possible haven for the Jewish refugees from Germany. Already such widely separated spots as Alaska, British Guiana and Tanganyika have been proposed—and the end is not yet.

While the open season for such things is on, it can do no harm to make suggestions; but before any such proposal can be taken seriously there will have to be some straight thinking about the needs and qualifications both of the refugees themselves and of the lands which are proposed as havens.

That is why it is possible to sympathize profoundly with the refugees' plight and still see a good deal of point to an objection raised by the Ketchikan Chronicle, Alaskan newspaper, concerning the proposal to settle the refugees in the Matanuska Valley.

"We need population, but it must be reasonably selective," remarked the Chronicle.

It is perfectly true, of course, that the rigors of winter weather in Alaska have been exaggerated. From all accounts, Matanuska has a climate not greatly unlike that of the northwestern United States. Anyone used to a Minnesota or a Dakota winter, for instance, would have no trouble surviving one in southern Alaska.

But the weather is only one factor. Alaska has great riches, and it will ultimately support a large population; but that population needs to be chosen with care. Right now the need is for farmers, woodsmen, people used to life on the soil and fitted to pioneering frontier life. The government acted wisely in choosing farmer folk from upper Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota for the Matanuska colony.

But the bulk of the German refugees for whom a haven is being sought are not of that class at all. Most of them are city people, engaged in the professions or in trade. To settle some thousands of them on the Alaskan frontier—where agriculture must for years to come be the basic occupation—would be as sad a mistake as it would have been for the U. S. government to populate Matanuska with unemployed factory hands and white collar people from New York.

It is quite possible, of course, that by a process of examination and selection a considerable number of the refugees might be found qualified to undertake such a life. In that case, the question of settling them in Alaska might very well be considered seriously. But it ought to be pretty clear that Alaska does not offer a solution for the problem as a whole.

And the same thing is true, in different degrees, of most of the other spots that have been suggested. Simply finding an unoccupied bit of territory and dumping the refugees on it, willy-nilly, won't do. The problem is extremely complex, and fitting the needs of the refugees to the needs of the available territories is going to take a great deal of the most careful kind of planning.

JOHN T. FLYNN

BY JOHN T. FLYNN
N. A. Service Staff Correspondent

It is difficult to see what has been added to the sum of human knowledge by the opening statement with which the long-heralded monopoly investigation was launched. The statement was made by Dr. Isador Lubin, commissioner of statistics of the Labor Department, and it has been understood he has been working on this for some time.

Dr. Lubin revealed that our rate of population growth has been diminishing, that our rate of production goods has been diminishing and that wages and employment have diminished.

From all this he drew the profound conclusion that employment has decreased because business has shrunk. He added the further conclusion that because of technical developments less labor was required to produce more goods. There is scarcely a school boy who would not have been able to duplicate these revelations. One might, however, suppose they were introduced as the beginning of a picture of the American economic scene which is to be painted in larger detail as the inquiry progresses. Perhaps so.

But there were other statements which leave much to be desired on the score of illumination and, to put it mildly, precision.

Dr. Lubin informed the committee that this was a durable goods depression. That, incidentally, is not a new pronouncement. In 1929 when economists first began to point out the facts on which this idea rests, it was little understood by the business world and even less by most statisticians. But it has had eight years of intensive advertisement.

The chief criticism of this statement, however, is the use of the term "durable goods." Occasionally writers refer to it as a "heavy" goods depression, meaning the same thing.

The use of the term "heavy" and "durable" goods is quite inadequate to describe the phenomenon.

Dr. Lubin has included automobiles as durable goods. But are watches durable goods? A watch will outlast several automobiles. An evening coat may well last a man twice as long as a car.

Besides, this is not an "automobile" depression. While automobile production has suffered along with every kind of coamers' goods, it has done better than many.

This is a capital goods depression. It is a depression caused by the falling off in the production of goods, whether heavy or not, durable or not, which are produced on long term credit, such as buildings, plants, machinery, railroad equipment, utility equipment, houses, etc.

The depression proceeds from the fact that when goods made to be sold on long term credits are not produced, then the production of new supplies of money and income are not produced.

Dr. Lubin's own statement reveals this fact for he found the weak spots to be in the industries which supply building construction.

Another odd statement is that in the depression years we "lost" 133 billion dollars.

Taking 1929 as his base, Dr. Lubin concludes that if we had gone on making what we made in 1929 we would have made 133 billion more than we did make. This he calls a loss of 133 billion. Thus if John D. Rockefeller made 10 million in 1929 and no profit in 1930, Dr. Lubin would say Rockefeller lost 10 million in 1930.

This is one of those statements which are all right at a Chamber of Commerce banquet but have no place in a supposedly scientific study of our economic situation. (Copyright, 1938, NEA Service, Inc.)

Sketch of Saga Swindle



A career of swindling that almost out-ran the notorious Ponzi began when a boy was born to the Italian immigrants Antonia and Asunta Musica in 1884. He was named Philip. The boy grew up in New York's East Side squalor. At 25 he was convicted of bribing customs officials. The following year he was pardoned from Elmira, N. Y., reformatory by President Taft.



Within a year Philip Musica was rising high, with plenty of money to dine high-coiffured darlings along Broadway. It was those high-coiffured hair-dos that brought Philip his money. He and his father formed a human hair company and sold their product as high as \$800 a pound. But profits weren't enough; there was tampering with bills of lading and drafts on the part of young Musica.



In 1912 Philip Musica was revealed as a big-time swindler. He fled with his family. Arrested on board a vessel bound for Honduras, Musica tried suicide unsuccessfully. He got off with a suspended sentence in 1916, and sank into obscurity. In 1922, one F. Donald Coster, a hair tonic manufacturer, appeared. He bought McKesson and Robbins, Inc., made money hand over fist.

ENGLISH NURSE

HORIZONTAL (Answer to Previous Puzzle) 21 Drama.

Crossword puzzle grid with clues and answers. Clues include: 1 Florence pioneer in nursing, 10 Sea eagle, 11 Expert flyer, 12 Stomach, 13 Set with pearls, 15 Mystery, 16 Starting place in golf, 17 Hazard, 18 Pronoun, 19 Wise man, 21 She was an English (pl.), 27 Lacquer ingredient, 28 Dark red vegetable, 29 Enormous, 30 Alas, 31 Perished, 32 Crawling animal, 33 Musical note, 34 Breakwater, 35 To frustrate, 36 Gleeful, 37 Bugle signal, 38 Knife, 39 Moist, 40 Policemen, 41 Opposed to warm, 42 Branch, 44 Beer, 45 Will not, 46 Beast, 48 She is still considered the ideal for, 49 She insisted on hospital conditions of fire. VERTICAL: 22 Genus of pine tree, 23 Rounded convex molding, 24 Distinctive theory, 25 Street, 26 To kill, 31 Kinds of candles, 32 Room side, 33 Obese, 34 Document, 35 Shoes, 36 Undeveloped bud, 37 Balsam, 38 Buddhist festival, 39 Written document, 40 Food container, 41 Kind of lettuce, 42 Cuckoo, 43 To soar, 45 You and I, 46 Form of "a" Measure of area.

Portrait of a woman and a small crossword puzzle grid.



Coster's wealth pyramided, he was hailed as an executive genius. But last month Wall Street heard he was shaky. This month the company treasurer found an \$18,000,000 shortage in a department Coster ruled independently. Coster's fingerprints revealed him as Philip Musica. Musica-Coster drank through the night of Dec. 15, next day shot himself to death as federal officers came for him.

Boy Preacher Wants To Be An Engineer

By United Press

DAYTON, O.—Eight-year-old Charles Jaynes, the nation's youngest ordained minister, thought it was "fun" marrying a Dayton couple. However, his serious advice is that "young lovers should get married and stay married."

Young Jaynes, a disciple of Aimee Semple McPherson, lives with his parents in Cleveland but has been preaching sermons throughout the country since he was 3. His ambition is to be "a combination engineer, firmman and brakeman on a streamlined train."

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX
BLOW hot, blow cold, a meat loaf is always your friend. For the pre-Christmas droppings in of friends on their way home from shopping, a meat loaf in the refrigerator is a welcome gesture.
Ham and Veal Loaf (Serves 6 to 8)
Two cups chopped raw veal, 1 cup chopped raw smoked ham, 2 cups bread crumbs, 2-3 cup grated cheese, 1 cup cooked macaroni, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley, 1 clove garlic chopped, 2 eggs, pepper, paprika, 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce.
Beat eggs slightly. Moisten bread crumbs with water. Mix all ingredients in the order given. Place in well-buttered bread tin and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 45 minutes.
Serve as cold meat, or hot with tomato and mushroom sauce.
An eggless loaf can taste wonderfully good, too. Try these two for proof.
Savory Meat Loaf (Serves 10)
Two thin 2-inch slices salt pork (diced), 2 tablespoons minced onion, 2 pounds round beef ground, 1-2 cup quick-cooking tapioca, 2 1/2 teaspoons salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper, 2 cups strained canned tomatoes (juice and pulp).
Try out salt pork, add onion, and cook until golden brown. Add pork, onion and drippings to other ingredients and mix thor-

oroughly. Bake in loaf pan in oven (450 degrees F.) 15 minutes. Then decrease heat to moderate (350 degrees F.) and bake 30 minutes longer, or until done. Garnish with parsley.
Veal Loaf Roast (Serves 10)
One tablespoon minced onion, 2 tablespoons butter, 1/4 cup quick-cooking tapioca, 2 1/2 spoons salt, dash of cayenne, of celery salt, 1 pound ground, 1 pound pork ground, cup milk, 3-4 cup hot water, tablespoons butter.
Brown onion slightly in butter. Combine with tapioca, season veal, pork and milk. Turn loaf pan. Bake in hot oven (degrees F.) 15 minutes. Decrease heat to moderate (degrees F.) and bake 30 minutes longer, or until done. Garnish with mixture of butter and drippings.

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Electrical gifts advertisement showing various appliances like percolators, mixers, irons, and lamps with descriptive text and prices.

Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including "TUE", "OU", "MY", "GOOD", "NEW", "AROL", "HIA", "ALL", "WHO", "BEAL", "SHO", "BR", "Oil P", "Mis", "Marg", "ST. J", "northern", "make a", "margina", "hope wi", "hundred", "land in", "next pp", "More", "veying a", "section", "Missouri".

"OUT OUR WAY"

By Williams



THE BUMP READERS

SERIAL STORY

SKI'S THE LIMIT BY ADELAIDE HUMPHRIES

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Yesterday, Corey comes to see Sally, feels her hand...

CHAPTER IX

COREY'S words, that Dan would walk for the rest of his life...

But Corey had not taken such pains. Corey did not know how responsible Sally felt...

She had promised Corey, before he left, that she would pay up...

"You must be my girl all through spring vacation," Corey named them...

"DADDY," she spoke to her father, after dinner that evening...

Her father looked down on her fondly, patted her hand...

"I thought we'd done about all we could for the lad," Mr. Blair said...

and field men in many cities because of lack of accommodations...

switched from talk of fertilizers to build up the depleted soil...

Oil men first became interested in northwest Missouri as a possible oil field...

mother before her had been. The thought held all the aching beauty...

"We've only started," Sally said. She had thought it out...

HER father took a long draw on his fine cigar. "That's a big order," he admitted...

"Not too big," Sally dimpled up at him. "Nothing's too big for my Dad."

"Cut it out!" her father warned her, giving her another playful little pat...

"What's wrong?" Corey asked. There was a wounded expression in his blue eyes now...

But Sally, with both hands, held him firmly away. "No, Corey, please don't," she said...

But she did not tell him that she was saving all her kisses for someone else.

"Let's not dance any more," Sally said. She drew away from Corey's arms...

"I'd rather go home—if you don't mind," Sally returned. Perhaps tomorrow Daddy would fix it...

"Just as you like," Corey said briefly. But he was surprised again...

He was very tender, tucking Sally into the roadster, very gallant and gay...

"But I don't want you to think this is a line," he told her, leaving her at her door once more...

But Sally, with both hands, held him firmly away. "No, Corey, please don't," she said...

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: No. This advice is the result of inaccurate abbreviating. The original warning ran something like this: "He who is fool enough to feed a cold will have to starve a fever."

JOHN T. FLYNN

NEA Service Staff Correspondent

THE prologue to the swelling theme of the monopoly investigation has served at least one good purpose...

Most important in his respect, though least helpful of the three performances, was the dissertation by Mr. Willard Thorp...

Of course it was not necessary to have Mr. Thorp spend six months in research to tell us that...

Following this Mr. Thorp completely revealed his mind. He said...

By HARRY GRAYSON

NEA Service Sports Editor

DR. JOCK SUTHERLAND definitely has decided to quit Pittsburgh, where he played and where he has coached for 15 years...

Iowa wanted Dr. Sutherland. U. C. L. A. would like to land him, but Navy would perhaps have the inside track...

He believes that the Panthers would have repulsed the Iron Dukes by that margin at Durham but for the slipperiness of the field...

It will be interesting to see whether the Carnegie Tech end can stifle Davey O'Brien's passes...

district has predicted a depression such as Japan has never known. The same woman known, throughout Tokyo as a soothsayer, has hinted that events in China also may be seriously affected by this latest, rashest move of the government.

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse - By Thompson and Coll



ALLEY OOP - By Hamlin



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS - By Blosser



UNION NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Nabors were Eastland visitors Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Rainey of Desdemona visited her parents...

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Terry and Miss Arieta Terry were in Eastland Saturday. Miss Rose Zell Fox spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Greathouse at Eastland...

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Alford of Eastland visited her mother, Mrs. Taylor, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Canet were shopping in Eastland Saturday...

Mr. and Mrs. Zelvin Fonville of Desdemona were dinner guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Fox, Friday. Mrs. E. M. Taylor of Eastland Saturday...

Sister Morris of Ranger will preach Saturday night at the school house. Mrs. Carl Hill was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Adams, last week...

Mrs. W. W. Terry and daughter, Arieta, were in Ranger last Friday. J. W. Fox attended church in Ranger Sunday night.

Geishas Uneasy As Japan Bans Salt. TOKYO.—Thousands of geisha and restaurant proprietors throughout Japan are busy searching through old archives for some charm against the devil of bad luck...

Oil Prospects In Missouri Boon to Marginal Land Area

equal to that of the nation's greatest oil-producing areas. An oil company business representative, one of the many who have moved into the section, explained the sudden interest in Missouri's oil producing possibilities...

ST. JOSEPH, Mo.—Farmers in northern Missouri, many of whom make a bare living from their marginal soil, have found new hope with oil companies leasing hundreds of thousands of acres of land in preparation for drilling next spring. More than 300 geologists, surveying at least 20 counties in this section of the state, reported that Missouri's surface geology was

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bowden of Midland came Saturday to visit friends and relatives in Ranger. Mr. Bowden returned to Midland today but will be back the latter part of the week to spend the holidays with Mrs. Bowden here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Rawls moved to their new home on the corner of Walnut and Lula streets, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes of Graham, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McFatter. Mr. Hughes is also transacting business while here.

Miss Sammit Ruth Mathews, who is a member of the Little

Called meeting Ranger Masonic lodge Tuesday night at 7:30. Work in the Entered Apprentice degree. All members urged to attend. Visitors will be welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brashear and children, Billy and Col. Dan, of Eastland, will spend the Christmas holidays in Hope, Arkansas, with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Don Smith. Mr. Brashear is associated in business with his father, Col. Brashear and brother, F. P. Brashear of the Ranger furniture exchange.

Mrs. Jack Collins, Mrs. Conrad Reaves and Miss Beth Clifton of Eastland, were in Ranger, shopping, today.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Childress of Eastland, shopped in Ranger today.

Miss Mary Rose O'Neal came home Saturday from Denton, where she attends T. S. C. W., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Neal, Vitalious street.

Jack Mooney Jr., was expected to come home today from Lubbock to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mooney, and sister, Rita, who will arrive Thursday from Eric, Pa., where she is attending Mercyhurst college.

Pigeon Hatched Out Christmas Turkey
By United Press
AMARILLO, Texas—A motherly pigeon guaranteed a turkey dinner for young John Cox and his family this Christmas.

A friend gave John a turkey egg last summer, and he put it under the pigeon, which was trying to hatch some of her own, much smaller eggs.

She was surprised one day, however, when the gangly, ugly little turkey cracked through its shell. The turkey was rescued from the disappointed pigeon mother, and will weigh about eight pounds on Christmas, John said.

AFTERNOON TEA PRAISED
By United Press
MONTREAL—Afternoon tea is a definite aid to health, Dr. I. M. Rabinowitch told the McGill Chemistry Society here. Dr. Rabinowitch said drinking of a cup of tea during the afternoon had a definite value in keeping the efficiency of the body high.

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Jul	66 1/2
Oats—	
Dec	27 1/2
May	28 1/2

Russia's Air Force Numbers 4,000 Fighting Planes

By United Press
LONDON, England, Dec. 19.—Soviet Russia has 4,000 first line military airplanes. It is estimated by the authoritative publication, "Jane's All the World Aircraft," issued today.

With reserve and second line planes, that probably would make Russia's largest air force in the world, although Jane's does not attempt to guess the size of the German air fleet.

The controversy aroused by Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's alleged unfavorable comparison of Russian and German air strength remains unsettled.

(Informed quarters in Washington recently estimated the Russian air strength at a total of 5,000 to 6,000 planes; that of Germany at 4,000 to 4,500; 3,700 for France; 3,000 to 3,500 for Great Britain; more than 2,500 for Japan and 2,700 to 3,000 for the United States.)

The current issue of Jane's gives Britain credit for having the world's fastest fighting planes and Italy the fastest bombers. Jane's reveals that United States bombers and fighters are among the world's speediest but details of some of the newest United States Army machines have not yet been released for publication and their real performance is not known.

According to Jane's the British "Super-Marine Spitfire One," a single-seater fighter monoplane, is the world's fastest military aircraft. Although Jane's does not mention the fact, the air ministry has just revealed that the maximum speed of the machines—of which Lord Nuffield constructed 1,000 in his secret "shadow factory"—is 350 miles an hour plus, which may mean anything up to 400 miles an hour.

The world's fastest bombers listed in Jane's are the Italian Breda 88, twin-engine monoplane bombers. One of them, piloted by the Italian Furio Nilot in April, 1937, averaged more than 321 miles an hour over a 100-kilometer stretch (62.1 miles). No details of maximum performance have been revealed.

Former Roosevelt In-Law to Wed



Curtis B. Dall, former son-in-law of the President, is pictured with his fiancee, Miss Katharine Leas, in her Haverford, Pa., home, where they will be married.

13 Isn't Unlucky, a Park Head Believes

By United Press
EL PASO, Texas—Huro Meyer, El Paso park commissioner, hopes 13 isn't unlucky. For on Dec. 13 he will supervise cutting of the 13th annual city Christmas tree.

"Already selected, this year's Yuletide monarch stands 75 feet high and weighs 12,000 pounds. A truck and a trailer will be required to haul the fir here from Clouderoft, N. M., where it will be silvered.

The tree will be erected in San Jacinto Plaza for the Christmas season. It is 21 feet taller than the community tree set up in the plaza last year.

The firm will be lighted Dec. 18, with decorations which cost the city between \$700 and \$800 annually.

Cheering news for the man of the house who always gets stogies for Christmas is the announcement of a new odorless cabbage.

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Baker Hotel Will Sponsor Two Dances

Announcement was made today of two dances to be held at the Baker Hotel, Mineral Wells, the first, Dec. 24 from 9 to 12, and the other Dec. 31 from 9 to 12. Frank Bird and the Baker Hotel orchestra will furnish the music for both dances, and Margaret Holmes will be featured as a vocalist with the orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Horrigan and little son, Pat, of Houston, will arrive Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, Tiffin road.

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