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WHY EDITORS WENT BEFORE GRAND JURY

THE COUNTY Grand Jury wanted anything they could give it concerning the Waiters & Bartenders Union, their favorite target . . . that's why the editors of Miami's two daily papers were called before it, according to our investigation.

And the grand jury held its session, or sessions, at the Columbus Hotel . . . The papers said the meeting place of this secret body was itself a secret-whereupon every body immediately asked the same question: did Special State Attorney Dick Hunt tell 'em the secret?

We've always had the impression that ALL grand jury sessions were secret! Though, of course, the appointment of Dick Hunt, outand-out Tammany man, should have made us know that this grand jury session wouldn't be a secret possibly to a sacred few-although it would, of course, be a big secret to State Attorney G. A. Worley and his assistants! . . . (When the state attorney's office was asked by MIAMI LIFE where and for what purpose this super-secret session was being held, we got the old FBI squelcher: "No Comment.")

THE GRAND JURY WON'T FIND ANYTHING! We betcha! They-we mean, of course, the papers-would like to prove that Worley has "whitewashed" the union. They won't do it. Worley's probed this case most thoroughly. There's simply no case to it; and we don't believe one can be "framed" even by Tammany masters!

One thing is very clear: the Herald is out to get Worley, whom it once supported staunchly. Although Worley is as he ever wassterling, loyal, a gentleman, capable, conscientious, standing head and shoulders above any Little or Big Tammany officeholder we've yet observed-the papers have marked him for retirement from public

It's costing a lot of money to do it-but that doesn't matter to Big and Little Tammany. They've got their Dick Hunt in there, punching for 'em-and he's out to smear Worley, to smear Fred Pine, and anybody else his vixenish temper suggests . . . if Dick Hunt can turn the grand jury upon everybody he dislikes-or everybody who dislikes him!-our jails won't be big enough to hold his crop!

Now that the dailies have joined hands and brains-and hatesthey can suppress what might hurt their empire or hurl printed word or radio bombardment at their enemies. They control everything im-

portant. They make people's representatives in public office subserviant, NOT to the public as our structure of government intends, but to the ewspaper owners and editors (who, in this case, are Ohioans, not

Floridians)! This is the beginning of a Herald blitzkrieg. Hitler will appear a sister of mercy in comparison. With their little stooges out in front to absorb any unexpected shots in retaliation, we see them stalk Worley, as we've seen them stalk Fred Pine, or anybody who refuses

to be a stooge for their perverted minds. They'll have everybody goosestepping. They intend extracting the greatest possible profit from our people-and they'll smash all who

Clip this editorial-and see how truly we have warned.

Union Charity

THE Dailies that tried recently to blast the Musician's Union should L be glad to print this: The Miami Federation of Musicians PAID bands to play for the Ambulance Fund, and for the Woman's Club Red Cross benefit at the Olympia Theater Saturday night, as well as donating quarters for rehearsals of worthy benefits. The Federation will pay for a band to help the city's Irene Rich Red Cross show on July 5. President Roy Singer can prove that the Miami local has never failed to give more than its share to every worthwhile civic or patriotic cause, digging into its treasury to see that the union musicians at the same time receive a man's pay for it! . . . Yet, because Rotary convention biggies tried to get a WPA orchestra to play FREE for them-and union heads said No-the Miami local got razzed in print.

WF CRIMINAL Court Judge Ben Willard's face didn't burn secretly I when a woman witness unceremoniously and unexpectedly threatened to slap his face for shushing her when she was talking out of turn? . . . and hers, too, when she realized her error and what he could do to her? . . . She averted a domestic tragedy by apologizing quickly, but very completely-although she did refuse to leave the courtroom, as the judge ordered, until she got her witness fees.

Her name? If you must know, it was Miss Blanche Stedman, nurse, 4782 S. W. 5th Terrace, who told of a negro stealing jewelry.

HOAX" WAS BYOIR STUNT!

Shots in The Dark

.The Callahan quintuplet an eight-pound girl-has been born at last under the auspics of the Miami Herald and it has been named Earlene Emory, a combination of the parent's names, which seems like downright ingratitude. The Herald paid dough on the line for a piece of the kid, and the least the Callahans could do, you'd think, would be to name it "Akron" or "Power-Trust." But maybe the Herald is glad enough to drop the whole matter. We understand the theme song up there from now on is going to be "I Can't Give You Anything But Love, Baby"

> NOT TO MENTION HYGIENE

The following sign has been put up in the A. & P. market at S. W. First street and Twelfth avenue:

> PLEASE **Babies Not** Allowed In Baskets SAFETY FIRST

* * * War seems to touch off a hidden source of exhibitionism in Henry Ford. Back in 1915, you remember, this eminent mechanic chartered a boat, loaded it to the Plimsoll mark with serious thinkers, and set sail for the war zone with the idea that the presence, in one big gob, of so much brotherly love and idealism would make half a dozen great powers feel ashamed of themselves and suddenly abandon the world's greatest life-or-death struggle. The holy mission was, of course, promptly told to go climb an iceberg, and it furnished the only real laugh of the whole four-year

Now there is another war on, and Mr. Ford's ego, much riper than before, finds its peculiar satisfaction at this critical time in his refusal to build airplanes for the British-even though it is clear to everyone else in the country that America must help the British win if we are to escape war ourselves. Mr. Ford is ernment Prepares to Train experience going to waste! deal in publicity than the

TRENE RICH is a very lovely lady, a star we used to admire very much-and she, in the last decade, has become one of the wealthiest and most successful realty operators in Los Angeles. We know she's going to get a grand reception in Miami, although her business is luring newcomers to Los Angeles, and therefore away from Miami. We know Miamians will respond to her appeal for the \$5,000 Mayor Alex Orr told her would be forthcoming from his fellow Miamians. For this money goes to the Red Cross. Although Miami has already subscribed, it'll subscribe again-out of regard for our fair visitor, if not for the Red Cross.

However, we can't take, lying down, such a stunt as that pulled by the daily newspapers and our foreign-born mayor who, at 65, is trying to pose as a great patriotwhich he wasn't at 37, his age when he came to America just as his homeland was preparing for war with Germany. That so-called "hoax" message inviting Irene Rich to come to Miami to collect a donation from the city of Miami, which Orr denied having sent, is too serious to pass up.

The whole thing is apparently a Carl Byoir publicity stunt in behalf of Mayor Orr (we told you about the Orr-Byoir combination last week, remember, and this came a few hours after MIAMI LIFE appeared on the streets!), and served several other purposes.

In the first place it was a build-up for Mayor Orrwhose personal unpopularity, as evidenced in the recall election last year when he garnered only 36 percent of the vote, must be overcome next spring when he must run for re-

In the second place, because the papers made the original message appear to be a "hoax" message sent by "unknown enemies" of Orr, they succeeded in giving the public the impression that City Commissioner R. C. Gardner, the only anti-Power Trust man on the city commission, had

That's really killing two birds with one stone. The publicity angle was merely an excuse.

Here's the way the whole thing will stack up, in final

The people of Miami, most likely the already hard-hit city employes whose jobs depend upon how well they lick

Little Hitler's boots at city hall, will put up the money. Commissioner Gardner, who is the people's bulwark on the commission, gets damned. The worst enemy of the Power Trust's coming Steal

will, it is hoped, be thoroughly discomfited. Ernie Seiler, in whose lap Mayor Orr dumped the hard work of conducting the campaign and raising the money,

will do all the work. And Mayor Alex Orr, Power-Press stooge on the commission, will get all the credit.

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once more having his moment. His individual idealism .. transcends the safety of his country. He places himself, one man, athwart the path of national defense because he has the constitutional right to do so. But what of that? Does he not make America realize the importance now of the one-time bicycle repairman?

The preparedness news is not very encouraging to veterans of the last war. "Gov-

New Officers" is a common enough headline from day to day, but upon reading the story you find that what the government wants for officers are young squirts from 21 to 30. No mention is made of anybody above 40. Men in this latter class are probably destined for the Home Guard, or maybe theyll be drafted as a last resort and made to serve as privates again, which would be too bad. Think of all that rich

'WIDOWER' DRYS ARE HERE

New Circular Would List Exact Entertainment Offered by Abandoned Husbands and Thus Obviate All Misunderstandings.

By JOHN KIMBLE

UMMER Widower time is here again and at Miami's soda fountains, lunch counters, and cocktail bars, you can see an unsually large proportion of baldish, middle-aged business men accompanied by starry-eyed young women who can't possibly be anything else than stenographers or receptionists. These fellows are the advance guard of the Summer widower colony. They are also its upper-crust, for a Summer Widower who has his own stenographer or receptionist can start in widowering five minutes after the Streamliner has carted off his wife and kids. The lower class Summer Widower, the poor, browbeaten chump who works for someone else, isn't so well off. He must forage around a little, trying to get hold of somebody else's stenographer or receptionist. So acutely do I feel for him I lay awake all last night trying to devise some method of easing his path, and the result is a plan which I confidently predict will revolutionize summer widowering in South Florida.

The plan is simplicity itself, and its big, exclusive feature is that it will fit any purse, automatically guarding against getting the widower tangled up with some youthful sharpshooter who hides a Surf Club appetite under the humble-looking apron of a dentist's assistant. There will be no more of this stuff of inviting the little girl to have a 'bite to eat" and then finding her ordering everything except next Thanksgiving's dinner while you go crazy doing mental arithmetic. Under my scheme, all that is taken care

of in advance. You simply prepare a circular letter, a sample or suggestion of which will be found below. Then you go up to a public stenographer and have enough copies typed so that one may be sent to each of your female acquaintances. Then all you have to do is await results.

Here is a sample circular, as I have visualized it:

Dear Madam: The summer season is now

(And think of how heavy that damn pack can be!)

Somehow we think that Commissioner Gardner is barking up the right tree when he asks a thorough investigation of the Orr-Red Cross hoax telegram. We think it for two reasons. One reason is the savage, knowing promptness with which Mr. Gardner hopped on to the issue. The other is that Irene Rich will get more out of the here in earnest, and we wish to let you in on the ground floor of our Big New Entertainment Program. Never before have we been able to offer such a variety of dayand-night activities to the lonesome women of this city. Here are just a few samples of what we are doing for your sex during the dull days. Simply check service desired and return this letter (in plain (Continued on last page)

Red Cross will in money. Publicity men-particularly movie publicity men-are mighty devious performers, and there is a good chance that before long the whole puzzle will unfold, revealing Miss Rich as the star in a patriotic picture. If this turns out to be the case, we call it a pretty cheap kind of gag and we are not particularly struck by admiration for Mayor Orr's part in it, whether planned in advance

The Age We're Living In

THE MIAMI Herald, dominated by monopolistic Herald owners that they don't know it (we still epoch" we've been living in for the last twenty-five years, impressed mainly with the changing of the face of the globe through wars and aggressions. We're making history, opined the Herald, and reviewed how modern warfare has made lightning changes in our calculations of national safety.

We're in a history-making epoch, 'tis true. But the Herald has only touched upon surface events. Future historians won't care a hang about 'em . . . What future historians have to say about the Miami -and it is just as well, for the peace of mind of the longer is needed. Markets are controlled.

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I forces, ruminates about the "history-making vaguely guess who those owners are, although they show they're forces that make the biggest profits in the United States in war-times as well as in peace

For the last 15 or 17 years constitute a period in American life in which practically all advancement has been checked or stopped by monopolists-while they (this includes the Herald, of course) wring every conceivable bit of profit out of antiquated models and patents and devices for making money. This is the age of no-competition . . . because the Herald and the monopolists controlling it and other same compact group owns everything-or shortly American newspapers is going to be something awful will. There are only a few gaps left. Salesmanship no

erything from farms and factories to consumerunder one group—and profits growing bigger.

This will be known as the age of Monopoly and complete domination of the people by interlocking holding companies, controlling all of the Englishspeaking wealth----Monopoly utterly devoid of political ties, human sympathies, ideals, or good. Only the God of Greed-monstrously beyond the conception of nearly all humans—ruthlessly destroying all American ideals of "life, liberty, and pursuit of hap-

We see the situation more clearly in Miami than do other cities-because here we are closer to the big-wigs. We see 'em at play. They own our news- grounds!

Newspapers, banks, industrialists, chains-ev- papers. They own our Power Trust. They own our stores. They own our municipal, county, and state governments. Here in Miami they do not hesitate to team up with the Underworld-the Gambling Mobto more effectively command the political situation. They sell the people down the river at every opportunity-and no one yet has devised a method inducing them to show mercy. What they discover in this frontier, this new and rapidly growing metropolis, they put over in other cities over the United States. What has been done in Miami and in Florida can be done in every other center in the United States. Or

Maybe Miami has become Monopoly's proving

The Difference Between the Dunn Bus Franchise Orr Now Offers and the Termite Administration's Dunn Bus Franchise He Opposed Three Years Ago Is That This One Will Cost the Bus-Riders \$500,000 More Annually . . . And Out Of the City's Share, the Power Company Gets More Than A Half Million Dollars!

THEY TELL ME

THAT the reason Lonnie didn't

THAT a lot of people

wouldn't like County Com-

missioner Charlie Crandon

any more if City Commis-

sioner R. C. Gardner showed

the letter Charlie sent

make out that other people

Charlie shouldn't try to

THAT already little signs

signifying they have already

subscribed "100 percent" to

the Red Cross drive are

hanging up in various de-

Mayor Alex Orr will address

the various city hall em-

ployes next week, anent sub-

scribing still more to make

up the \$5,000 promised

Movie Actress Irene Rich of

Los Angeles for the Red

signs may as well be taken

down the mayor-who has

the papers (Big and Little

THAT since Dan Dunellon

has blossomed out with an

auto of his own, he is be-

ing accused of getting Fifth

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partments at City Hall .

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submarines-but his fear of a

certain person

him .

are crazy

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columnist

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"Labbages and

The time has come, the Walrus said, To speak of many things: Of ships and shoes and sealing wax, And cabbages and kings.

-The Walrus and the Carpenter.

Most reporters like to brag about their "scoops" but few are willing to elaborate upon their blunders . . . The passing years soften the humiliation of being "scooped" somewhat but there never will be enough years to make a conscientious reporter forget a colossal blunder which might have elevated him to the hall of fame instead of relegating him to the "doghouse" forever . . . For instance, your's truly . . . Not once, but twice!

The first time it happened in Boston . . . I was covering the federal building for the Boston Record . . . Federal Building reporters were working the well known "syndicate", which means they clubbed together to cover the entire building, compared notes in the press room with each man dividing his news with the rest . . . Of course editors frown upon the "syndicate" but it still exists in a big way . . . My predecessor on the federal building "run" had double-crossed the syndicate and naturally the Record was dealt out completely and I found myself a lone wolf expecting to be scooped . . . My expectations were correct but my city editor understanding the situation overlooked a majority of them . . . One day I roamed into the department of justice offices seeking a story . . . There was no news except one little item, the matter of some little "wop" being questioned about some sort of petty swindle . . . I didn't even bother to ask for details . . . Three weeks later -three weeks mind you-an alert Boston Post reporter "broke" the Ponzi story . . . Charles Ponzi was any attention to the Scot's the little "wop" whose doing I hadn't bothered to investigate . . . The reporter who "broke" the story won the Pulitzer prize for his paper that year, drew a \$5,000 bonus and a promotion . . . Incidentally he double-crossed the syndicate with his story and they kicked him out and admitted me!

-0-The next memorable time was right here in Miami... I was the Miami representative of the largest daily newspaper in the United States . . . I stood in Bayfront Park and saw Guiseppi Zangara shoot Mayor Anton Cermak of Chicago, four other persons and empty a flaming revolver at President-elect Roosevelt . . . There is a telephone beneath the bandshell of the Park and I could have reached it in one minute flat . . . In another minute I could have had New York on the wire with the biggest scoop in twenty years . . . Did I do it? . . . Hell no, I happened to have a girl with me and my first thought was to take her home, which I did . . . By that time the story had reached Europe and I was walking around with my hat in my hand . . . I wasn't the only one, however, who muffed a chance for fame and fortune on that story . . . Dale James, I believe it was Dale James, was handling the "mike" for station WQAM when the shooting started . . . He was standing on the side of President Roosevelt's car about seventeen feet from the murderous Zangara . . . The broadcast was a local one . . . Instead of screaming into the "mike" for a national hook-up, Dale calmly pulled the plug on the whole thing, cutting off even the local listeners . . . He said later he never knew why he did it.

Now for a "scoop" ... I had the Broadway "trick" for the New York Tribune . . . It was my duty to wander around the "street" spotting anything worth recording and phoning it in to a rewrite man . . . Shortly after eight o'clock one warm summer evening I happened to duck into the subway station at Times Square . . . It was the theater hour and the platform between the Uptown and Downtown trains was jammed . . . One little knot of women appeared denser than the rest . . . I tried to fight my way through to the middle to find out what had happened but a matronly looking dame put a big hand in my face and pushed . . . "Get away," she growled, "can't a woman have a baby without all the men in New York sittin' in ringside seats." . . . It was a story . . . A child being born in the Times Square subway station at the busiest hour of the day . . . A Flower Hospital ambulance clanged up . . . The women maintained their human screen around the scene and a moment later a tiny wail was heard above the noise of the crowd . . . The woman was carted off on a stretcher . . . I hurried to a telephone and managed to keep the hospital on the wire until the ambulance arrived . . . I learned that the woman was an, "Alice White" and that both she and the baby were doing well . . . I phoned the story in and scooped the entire city . . . The story received a big play on page one and the next day I found a \$50 bill and a note of thanks from Ogden Reid, publisher of

Over Files of MIRMI LIFE

Just Between Friends It Isn't Always the Company One Keeps, That Counts, But When One Keeps It

(July 3, 1926)

ORDY, the gin bottle, u raised a warning finger to his lips as the door of the cupboard flew open. Both he and the fat, pudgy John Haig with the three dimples, became silent and watched with keen interest as a stoopshouldered individual entered their midst and the door of the cupboard slammed shut again. It was dark inside with the door shut, but the moment of light which been afforded was enough for them to recognize the visitor as a Bacardi

"Howdy, stranger," ventured Gordy, the gin bottle, who had come from Homestead despite his resplendent foreign label, and who consequently spoke American without a trace of an accent. "Who are you, if you don't mind gittin' acquainted?"

The Bacardi bottle leaned weakly against the wall of the cupboard.

"Carramba" he cried with true Latin fervor. "I comm from Cooba just wan wik ago. Already you can see him, I am what you call? -all in. Nom de Dios!'

"Gee," muttered Gordy enviously, "y'all ben out an a pawty a'ready, have you?"

"Never do those bloody rapscallions geev us an airing the noo," growled John Haig discontentedly. "All ye can heer is 'Bacardi' these night.'

The Cuban did not pay complaint. He seemed totally absorbed by his own deplorable situation.

"Jus wan wik ago I comm here and the man who has brought me over, he sold all my brother and seester but leave me in another bunch. I could pop my cork out, I am so mad about him,but—" he shrugged his sloping shoulders eloquently-"what good it do? I am sold later, far from my family. I am a Gold Bacardi and yet I am put with all those swine of a Blanco family. They are nobody in Cooba ware I comm from. They are what you call -the trash? Over in la Cooba, my family is very high people. We are at all the banuets and all the "bailes" and even in the police stations we are the favorites. I do not spik very good Ingless—you will pardon, pleece.

Gordy, the gin bottle, turned to John Haig.

"These hyah damn foreigners is a-hurtin' us, John," he said in an undertone. "Take this fella f'rinstance. Hyah you and me ben a settin' on this damn hawk sheff two weeks, jes' a-waitin' fer somebody to come an' empty us so's we could git back to home fer a few days before the nex' trip an' I'll be hornswoggled ef ary a soul so much as given us a look. An' hyahs this knockkneed Spic

on'y ben in this country a week an' cain't speak English straight, comes along an' look at him now-he ain't got but one drink to go an' he'll be through. Durned ef I can see whar they git all this heah popolerity.'

"Ay mon," agreed John Haig, who had remained in Nassau so long on his way across that he frequently fell into the Bahaman dialect, 'you hovven't missed it, I tellin' you, mon. I come across from Nos-saw in a wessel t'ree month gone by an' nobody never touch at me ontil jus' lahst week. Mon, I tellin' you, it's toff on a mon.

Gordy turned his attention once more to the foreigner.

"Stranger, ef you don't mind my askin' it of you," he said in his rich Homestead drawl, "whar'd you git that thar scar acrost yo' label?"

The Bacardi bottle shuddered as if at a most unpleasant memory.

"Nom de hijo!" he replied. "When I am in Keyo Weso, you comprende-I am cut by a hombre there. It is terrible. Sacramento! And I-I am a Spanish war veteran, too. Si! Yes! I am Spanish war veteran—see these gold medals which I have had pinned to my label! Ah, yes, I am veteran, and I am seek to death of thees bootlegger bizness, but I am not dead soldier yet! Ha!ha! I make-what you call it?-wise split? I am not dead soldier yet!"

He chuckled at length at what was probably his first joke in English and seemed pleased with himself, although neither Gordy nor John cracked a smile. Just then the cupboard door flashed open and a hand reached inside tentatively. It passed over the sloping shoulders of the Cuban and felt about, touching both Gordy and

"Johnny, I bet it's for one of us!" whispered Gordy excitedly, nudging his stable-

"Ay mon, it sure look like it," answered the fat, dimpled bottle by his side. "Maybe he lookin' for you, Gordy. Luck to you, mon!"

Then there came a deep, masculine voice from without the cupboard—a voice they recognized as that of their master.

"Better take 'em both," it said. "Those Swigglesbys will probably be there and you know what hogs they are about somebody else's liquor. The missus particularly. That woman has a thirst like a circus elephant. Wish we didn't have to go.'

He drew Gordy and John from the cupboard and closed the door, but not before the two happy excursionists had been able to fling a parting shot at thir Latin friend.

"Stay thar, you skinny wreck and count yo medals!"

'the Tribune, in my mail box . . . I wish the story ended here but it doesn't . . . It developed that "Alice White" was an unmarried negress . . . I hadn't bothered to check up ... Boys on some of the other papers, sore about being scooped, did the checking up and the stories they published provided New SQUARE DEAL CLUB
GOOD FOOD - CLEAN SPORTS

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GREEBY TRACES FAMILY TREE

Finds so many patriots he decides to celebrate July Fourth in big way.

R. HAMMERHEAD GREEBY, who claims to be a patriot of the first water and points proudly to his ancestral uncle, Whoosh McFuddle Greeby, whose cattle boat was hitched onto the back end of the Mayflower, was found this week by the MIAMI LIFE reporter conning a fireworks advertisement.

"I do not desire no publicity," he yammered when the reporter Bunker Hill Barbecue Stand and arrived at the fish stand and plopped down on a stool beside

on," snapped the

scribe. "Huh," ejaculated the negro porter halting abruptly and paying no further attention to a vagrant tom-

cat he had seen stalking with a mop, "So dat's

Greeby took the hint and pulled on his shoes, favoring the reporter with a dirty look. "Why don't you mind your own business," he belched, "and don't be botherin' a patriot what is figurin' on settin' off some fireworks on the glorious Fourth."

"There is one big cracker I'd like to see some one touch off," sneered the reporter, "and it isn't a fire cracker either."

"I resent that," yammered Greeby, "You are just sore on account you ain't no descendent from a long line of patriots." "I suppose you are a genuine

green blood," snorted the scribe. "Certainly," explained Greeby, 'My Uncle Whoosh McFuddle Greeby started the line in this here country and they has been a Greeby mixed up in every war and everything what has happened since."

"I do not remember finding anything in my history book about any Greebies at Bunker Hill and I am quite sure it wasn't General Greeby who led the charge at the battle of Bull Run."

"Was you at either place?" queried Greeby.

"Certainly not," thundered the

"I thought not," yelled Greeby triumphantly, "Otherwise you would know that another one of my uncles, Elmo Goosegrease Greeby, was the owner of Ye Olde

jeered Gordy, "We're going out on a pawty an' then I'm a-goin' back to Homestead an' see mah folks. Whee!"

"Ay, ye scrawny Spic," supplemented John Haig, lapsing back into his native burr, "ye'll ken the noo what it means to wait in the darkness all through the nicht wi'out a soul to mak' merry wi' ya. Aweel, goo'by, lad.'

And then the door closed on the Cuban, leaving him with the almost certain knowledge that he would be shot at sunrise to make an eye-opener for someone.

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served the minute men with three minute steaks and two minute eggs when they went chargin' up "Shut up and put your shoes the hill to stick them in the seats of their pants. Ain't you never heard of Henry Clay, Patrick Henry and all them fellers?"

"Yes," exploded the scribe, "And now that you mention it you remind me of Clay."

"Henry Clay?" queried Greeby attempting to catch a glimpse of himself in a mirror.

"No, just plain old clay, the kind they make thunder mugs out of," sneered the reporter, "But go on with your story. Just what part did the Greebies play at Bull Run. Did they run or did they supply the bull?"

"I resent that," yapped Greeby, "I told you they was a famous Greeby mixed up in every important battle and-".

"In every bawdy house raid, brawl, riot and bread line ever since," interrupted the reporter, "But be specific and let's hear

about Bull Run." "Well," started Greeby, "Gimme a seegar and I'll tell you about another one of my uncles, Capt. Ironhandle Fishook Greeby

"Migawd," groaned the reporter. "Didn't you ever have anything but uncles. Weren't there ever any women in your family?"

"Certainly," defended Greeby, "Wasn't my Grandmaw, Petunia Mugwump Greeby a woman?"

"She could have been a ringtailed baboon," smirked the reporter, "but skip it and let's hear about Uncle Ironhandle Fishook Greeby, "what did he do at Bull Run that any other yankee didn't do?"

"He run like hell," beamed Greeby

"Does that entitle him to a niche in the hall of fame?" snarled the reporter in diisgust.

"It sure does," continued Greeby, "All the other yankees what was there and didn't run is there yet."

"Oh." moaned the scribe. "It is plainly apparent that you are a patriot of the first water, bilge water I mean, and therefore I think it is proper that you celebrate by shooting off a lot of fireworks on July Fourth. But if I were you I wouldn't start until the Fourth."

"I ain't goin' to," flared Greeby, "What do you think I am?"

"I think you are mistaken," grunted the reporter calmly lighting a giant cannon cracker which he disposed of by dropping it down into the seat of Greeby's pants and departing on the run.

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Twon't Be Sissy--This **Compulsory Training!**

Dear MIAMI LIFE:

President Roosevelt's proposal for compulsory training of young Americans has about it the pleasant, soothing vagueness that one might expect in an election year from a master statesman who is also a master politician.

In outlining his plan, the President steered nicely around the ugly aspects of emergency conscription, managing to give the general impression that the training would be more along semi-military than active military lines—the youngsters would be taught discipline, cooperation, and certain refined, behind-the-lines activities of modern war. Such harsh facts of life as the proper way to shoot a Springfield, what to do with a hand grenade full of TNT, the least messy technique of withdrawing a bayonet from a punctured enemy would be left, one gathered, to the future-of which we seem always to have a plentiful supply.

But this genteel, almost sissy way of preparing for an imminent life-or-death struggle need not be taken too seriously. President Roosevelt is probably the smartest man who ever sat in the White House. His sense of political timing is perfect. His ability to gain a statesman's end through a politician's cunning is already a legend. Franklin D. Roosevelt will not throw away the Democratic party's chance of victory in November by making sudden blood-and-thunder threats to tear our 20-year-old youngsters from their mothers' bosoms to become disciples of brute force and canned willie. President Roosevelt knows only too well that this nation's future policy will be decided, not by political platforms or wishful thinking, but by the brassy, insistent dayby-day demands of circumstances. He knows also, however, that the public-a perennial sucker-will never, never believe this until after it has happened. He has not forgotten that Woodrow Wilson was re-elected in 1916 under the battlecry: "He kept us out of war!" And he knows, finally, that, as far as the teaching of discipline is concerned, a good tough army sergeant with a curdled soul and plenty of chewing tobacco can do a better job in three months than any paternalistic, politically-controlled government agency such as the CCC can do in a year or in two years.

This is not to snap at the President; it is not even to faintly criticize his program; it is simply to reassure those who may regard it as weak and inadequate under the mounting torrent of world events. It is to point out that though the program right now has only one real tooth-the COM-PULSORY angle—there is nothing to prevent its sprouting many more teeth, of dragon calibre, as rapidly as changing circumstances dictate the need for them.

So sleep well tonight. No one realizes better than President Roosevelt that the way to train a potential army is to teach it the use of rifte, airplane, tank, and bomb, rather than how to conserve a forest or deal out Size Seven shoes for Size Ten feet over a supply sergeant's counter.

Editor MIAMI LIFE:

By 1945 out of the 500,000 planes of every description in use in the whole world, 400,000 of them will be used by Americans. By then, because of the mass production adequacy that will have been developed at Dearborn, Mich., the Stout "sky-car" a wonderful mechanical device will then be available to the 2 or 3 millions of well trained individuals at an average price of \$100 according to a recent announcement. The sky-car will eventually evoive into a land-and-air combination. That is Inventor Stout's objective.

In this land of great distances, and with such distant outposts as Alaska, Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Panama Canal . . . that natural handicap will soon be fully under control. With a Pan-American Airway system almost spanning the globe, domestic commercial lines growing steadily every year, and the present phase of national preparedness scheduled to employ millions of people in that industry and the allied airport and other activities, we shall indeed develop as absolute a mastery and supremacy in aviation as we have achieved in the automotive field.

Because of its peculiar geographic situation, the strategic importance of Dade County both from a commercial viewpoint and from that of national defense will cause this area to witness a progress in aviation that will astonish even the most enthusiastic here. Therefore Col. Gimbel's idea to create adequate training facilities miles west of Miami is excellent and should be materialized.

It also means that in all our local high-schools special courses in aviation mechanics, navigation ought to be given so that our Dade County youth has an opportunity to compete for the numerous jobs, which are going to be available here because of our certain expansion, in piloting and navigating as well as in ground crew demands.

When aviation will thus have been stimulated, trading with all the islands in the Caribbean Sea will be equally stimulated and most of the countries of Central America will naturally come within the natural geographic trading radius of Dade County. That is going to mean local trade expansion well beyond the hopes of even the most enthusiastic of those impractical and political Chamber of Commerce leeches, for they only parrot some of the things they overhear, whereas intelligent people see things for themselves and have what it takes to make sensible con-

In order to prepare for those days of certain aviation expansion, we must give our children here a chance to be thoroughly trained and fully equipped with the special technical knowledge essential in aviation. MIAMI LIFE should arouse public opinion and induce every PTA in the county to the necessity of giving the local youngsters what they will need to take full advantage of those certain days of rapid expansion in Dade County aviation growth.

I would like to know where John Knight got those 650,000 smackers for the new republican stronghold in this democratic county? Could it be that the so very much criticized WPA money found its way through merchants and their advertising exepenses into the coffers of the republican financial war chest. The irony of it! Money secured for humanitarian purposes finding its way into the hands of such soulless people; the traditional fiendish enemies of Democracy!

It is said that the progress secured for workers through New Deal legislation will have to be defended and guarded with unsual viguance and determination. On all sides already appears evidence of the old timers getting set to try and abolish the 40 hour week. The desperate efforts now being made, before Congress adjourns, to alter drastically the NLRA provisions ought to be a signal to workers that how more than ever it behooves them to keep in the White House the best friend Labor ever had.

It is rumored that because of the danger, ominously lurking on the workers' path, the CIO chieftains are ready to sign a peace pact with the AFL. The danger to them is so

SO YOU SAY... TOOTH PASTE RACKET

Scientists Have Not Yet Discovered "Liquid, Powder, or Paste That Will Prevent or Cure Pyorrhea or Decaying Teeth!"

(From AMERICAN BIZARRE, published at 110 Smithfield St., Pittsburgh, Pa.--Foremost Consumer Monthly)

DENTIFRICES are preparduction from this that the paste that will prevent or makers of many dentifrices cure pyrrohea or decaying of and paste. The .. powdered form consists essentially of a polishing ..agent ..such ..as to popularize the product by giving it an agreeable flavor and scent. Various ingredients, such as astringents, antiseptics, oxygen liberators, or any of a dozen or more other agents, represented as being effective in preventing or curing dental diseases, are generally incorporated merey to provide a basis for "selling points."

Tooth pastes are, in many instances, just a means for creating a broader outlet for the products of manufacturers whose prime interest is in another field. For instance, soap manufacturers load their tooth pastes with soap. Chemical houses specializing more or less in the production of milk of magnesia find that a tooth paste is an excellent vehicle for the sale of more of their product. Salt manufacturers, by cramming their tooth pastes full of salt, increase the sale of their extremely cheap product at a price that would pay for moderately expensive chemicals.

It has been well said that "the dentifrice problem as it exists today is largely advertising license run amuck." In other chapters will appear much evidence supporting this opinion.

J. K.

The best-qualified members of the dental profession frankly state that they do not know what the ideal dentifrice should contain. Manufacturers, however, maintain that they know, and yet strangely enough each produces a different type of dentifrice. Obviously, not all the manufacturers can be telling the truth, and a detailed examination of their claims indicates that most of them do not hesitate to resort to white lies, or even more colorful ones, to stimulate sales.

Some of the dentifricemakers boast that their products contain "fruit-acids", while others who use milk of magnesia brag about the remarkable anti-acid properties of their products-again someone is wrong. The producers of the powders brazenly claim that dentists use only powder in cleaning teeth, and that therefore powder is the best form of a dentifrice for the public to use. The tooth paste makers, while arguing for the superiority of their form of dentifrice, immediately meet the competition by bringing out powders of their own. In recent months three of the most prominent of the national advertisers of tooth pastes have resorted to this means of meeting the competition of the powder firms. Those manufacturers who resort to the inclusion of drugs of various kinds in their dentifrices, alas, do not agree as to which is the best drug. One uses potassium chlorate as the cure-all in his dentifrice; another uses hexylresorcinol; still another, zinc chloride. Then, of course, each manufacturer of a patent-medicine "antiseptic" prefers to consider that only by the inclusion of that particular agent in a dentifrice can the ideal product be formulated.

These various inconsistencies are presented to indicate that, although most of the makers of dentifrices claim the ultimate in perfection for their products, they all use

are more interested in selling the principal ingredients than they are in selling the chalk, and a flavoring agent public a safe and truthfully represented tooth paste or tooth powder? The situation also lends itself to another logical conclusion: If these manufacturers disagree so widely as to the essentials of a dentifrice, might it not be preferable for the public to take its advice from the dental profession regarding the desirable ingredients tooth-cleansing agents?

Let it be understood that neither the dental profession, the medical profession, nor the best-qualified scientists in either field have discovered any liquid, powder, or

makers of many dentifrices cure pyrrohea or decaying of teeth. When a manufacturer of dentifrices asserts that his company has the secret, the statement may be ignored as so much sales bunk. Much of the dentifrice advertising is untruthful and misleading and is on the sordid level reached by the cancer and tuberculosis "cures" a generation ago. The public is defrauded in the purchase of many of these preparations, and there is often the intention to make dentists "accessories before the fact" by mentioning in the dentifrice advertisements the obvious desirability of visits to den-

> (Read the book, "Paying Thru the Teeth!")

means a New Deal for the little satisfy her conscience bungalow that's the talk of the Shenandoah neighborhood

THAT Kathryn has just just discovered she has an inferiority complex-but she won't tell you the unusual

circumstances under which she found it out 1 ! ! THAT newspaper editors should know what the cus-

tomers are saying about the

lousy sheets they are turning

out these days 1 1 1 THAT Fifth Column snoopers are so disappointed at dearth of clues in this

they reported that people just don't seem to give a damn, one way or the other -and won't argue, under any circumstances

THAT Gerald has erased a circle around the June 24 date on his calendar but won't tell anyalthough he continues to look

happier and happier 1 1 1 THAT Florence isn't any too

sure he'll ever come back 1 1 1

THAT the party who called upon Paul the other night are still conjecturing over why he was so long opening the door, and why he appeared so ill at ease when they said they were going to

THAT Helen is still delighting folks (secretly) in bragging about her aristocratic relatives back in Georgia . . .

one jokester swears he's going to kidnap her old man and confront her with him some night when she's going full-blast

THAT Janet's orchids come from-but no, that'd be really mean to disclose 1 1 1

THAT the gorgeous subdeb who awakened early the next morning and looked out different ingredients. Does onto Biscayne Bay instead of it not seem a reasonable de- the Atlantic Ocean hasn't

evidently threatening that it has the beneficial effect of tending at last to a House of Labor strongly united. The indications point, very strongly toward an unqualified endorsement of President Roosevelt for a third term, endorsement which may emanate from the CIO Washington office shortly. From the same cause springs the rumor that Tobin, vicepresident of AFL is being considered as the possible new Secretary of Labor when the imminent Cabinet shake-up occurs in Washington.

THAT Davies will be off his thought up a good excuse yet vacation next week . . . which to tell her folks . . . or to

> THAT guys who get about say the defeatist attitude they encounter on their rounds is alarm-

folks out of fair jobs so long that they are willing to be shoved into military service so the worry of next week's existence will be

THAT the Grand Rapids girl isn't coming back this summer - which should please a North Beach wife or two

THAT the latest peeping Tom in the Coconut Grove neighborhood is suspected of having one of the super-sensitive cameras that take pic-

THAT out West Flagler street folks are still laughing about the good husband who came home unexpectedly the other night and found not only another man there

tures at night-which might

explain the dithers in a cer-

tain locality

-but two of 'em . . . One of 'em had caught up with the other one just before the husband caught up on the two of

after which, the three of 'em made a few passes at one another, the wife ran out screaming-and everything was in darkness when the cops finally came to the house 1 1 1

THAT Kenneth's a little too young for the dashing widow from upstate, but he's making

THAT the schoolteachers are coming in, for their annual vacations . . . and hail from many parts of the south ...

the Chambers of Commerce of this area ought to go in for some advertising that would bring more of 'em here-for there are still comparatively few people who know how fine are our sum-

THAT those who claim there is something in a name after all, point to the fact that a Myrtle Outhouse got a divorce in Miami this week

THAT the Daily News consciously and laboriously exn'aining what constitutes contempt of court is the source of a lot of secret laughs among Dade county judges

Huddleston's Views On **Budget Irregularities** Impress Commissioner

Following is a letter handed the Miami city commission by Commissioner R. C. Gardner, notifying them of his intention to refuse to vote for the ratification of the present budget if figures furnished by Clarence Huddleston, former finance director, are correct.

His letter follows:

Miami, Fla. June 20,1940

Hon. City Commissioners:

In view of the fact that there has been considerable rumor that our City budgets recently have not been conforming to legal limitations, I decided to ask some capable accountant outside of the influence of any political alignment or financial expectation to go over them and submit what he considered to be irregularities, with sufficient comment.

In looking about for such a person I know of no more capable and honest person to do that than our boom-time City Finance Director Charles L. Huddleston.

I want to say in all sincerity there are times when I have almost decided to "give the battle up" in fighting for the little tax-payers, for their apathetic attitude gives little incentive to "carry-on" but when I observe and receive the confidence of a few friends I have, who without thought of "Gold or Glory" enthusiastically come to my aid in times of uncertainty I again have the initiative "to fight ahead" despite my handicaps that are unprecedented in the history of our City.

There is not a better man known in the City Hall than Clarence Huddleston among the older department heads, and you will never hear from any of them one word against his sincerity, honesty and integrity. He is of the type of true Americans that are fast disappearing; the type who believe their elevation to official life is a sacred trust and beyond the influence of any selfish interest, however powerful they may be.

He proved that when he resigned his office rather than sacrifice his honor and principle to the Disciple of Greed.

In the comment submitted herewith, Mr. Huddleston was told to feel free to say what he believed was evident, but I wish to suggest that they are Mr. Huddleston's views. Whether he is correct in his contention I cannot say. It is his word against City department heads. I have referred his summing up to different friends of mine, accountants and attorneys and if they so advise me, that Mr. Huddleston's figures are comparatively correct, and his reference to Charter provisions justified, then I will refuse to vote for the ratification of our present budget unless it conforms to the law.

> Sincerely. R. C. GARDNER, Commissioner

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"Hoax" Was Byoir Stunt

(Continued from first page)

WHY? ONLY CARL BYOIR'S INTRIGUING BRAIN, WHICH HAS SERVED MACHADO AND HITLER, COULD CONCOCT SUCH AN ALL-PURPOSE PLOT!

Was it not Carl Byoir, when he assumed a publicity contract with the late old fraud, Henry L. Doherty, who immediately tied in the old skinflint with Roosevelt's Warm Springs, Ga., project, with the president's Birthday dinner, with other charity projects . . . to lead the public into thinking of Doherty as a benefactor and friend of Roosevelt, instead of a master crook . . .

And right now, with another World War looming and attention focused upon individual records in the last war, the promoters of the little plumber, Orr, are using every power at their command to make the people think of Orr as a Great Patriot, Great American Warrior, the Fighter.

How many times have you noticed the News (which always has shown a partiality toward Orr and Byoir) loses no opportunity to refer to him as the "doughty commissioner," "the fighting mayor." Last Monday it was "fighting Scotchman" in the News.

Catch the propaganda idea? . . . Trouble is, too many people personally know differently, because this is the most gossippy town in the country!

But even the Byoir brain slips sometimes. Or else his instructions miscarry.

See how the conspirators bungled in the following clippings (note the dates):

(Monday's HERALD)

Questioned about the matter. Mayor Orr told The Herald he had sent no such message and knew nothing about it.

An investigation brought the disclosure by Western Union Telegraph officials that someone had telephoned Saturday night and dictated the message containing the hoax offer. The mysterious caller instructed the Western Union clerk to charge the message to Orr's home telephone number.

. . . Orr's comment was brief. "That's just another one of the contemptible tricks by the groups that are working to destroy me."

(Monday's NEWS)

Miss Rich telephoned the mayor Saturday she would come for the money. Out of that conversation grew the mayor's determination to make a reality out of the hoax.

Early this morning, Orr, the "fighting Scotchman," communicated with the Orange Bowl committee which staged Miami's successful week-long fete last winter. Ernie Seiler, executive secretary, was immediately put in charge of a benefit show which will be staged in Burdine Stadium the night of July 5, at which Miss Rich will make appearance.

Meanwhile, Mayor Orr asked a score or more of business and civic leaders in the following wire, to meet with him tomorrow afternoon to plan the event:

"I want your help to call the bluff of the practical joker who sought to embarrass Miami by forging my name to a wire Sunday to Miss Irene Rich stating that Miami had \$5,000 for the Red Cross war relief provided she would fly here to receive it. * * "

(Tuesday's HERALD)

Receiving a telegram signed with Mayor Orr's name and asking her to come here for \$5,000, she telephoned Orr, who explained in bewilderment he had sent no such message. * * *

(Tuesday's NEWS)

News behind the news is how Mayor Orr became so impressed, even over the long distance telephone, with the patriotic fervor of Irene Rich, that he began toying, even then, with the idea of accepting her offer to assist in turning the tables on the hoaxer. It was only a matter of a few hours and a couple of telephone calls between Miami and Hollywood, and the whole thing was

OH, MR BYOIR, WILL YOU PLEASE STEP IN AND UNTANGLE THE MESS! ...

'Widower' Days

(Continued from first page) sealed envelope). Our representative will call at once to arrange a suitable date.

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2. MATINEE IDYLL -Three gorgeous, carefree hours in comfortable new sedan, leaving downtown Miami just after the third race at Boston. Includes ride up Beach to Hollywood, returning by U. S. 1 and N. E. Second Avenue; full discussion of Pan-American defense program; 3 musical selections, 6 ten-cent beers or 4 fifteen-cent beers. Your choice of restrooms (Gulf, Atlantic, Standard Oil or

3. PARFUM DE NUIT-Most popular of all our services among women under 35 years of age. A complete evening date, starting at any dark corner near your home at 8 p. m.; passing all famous night clubs, such as Bali, Belmont, La Paloma, close enough so you can actually hear the orchestras; exploring Greynolds Park, Maule rock-pits, Ives Dairy Road. Refreshments include four Tom Collinses or other 25cent drinks. Four musical selections) only 2 "I Sigh For You Selections). Your choice of parking sites. My choice of conversatoin, Returning to your residence at 12 midnight, probably.

4. SMALL-BEER JUBI-LEE-For older women. . . A pleasant three hours, from 8 to 11, with or without automobile. Includes tour of Miaami Avenue bars, also county bars on N. W. 27th Avenue. Refreshments: 12 small beers. Client is allowed 4 musical selections as desired (limit of 2 "I Sigh For You" recordings.)

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Radio Immunity

WE HAD to read it twice before we'd believe our eyes . . . Actually, the last Florida legislature slipped through a bill giving radio stations virtual immunity from libel suits, criminal or civil-unless they agreed to be sued! To state it ta dy, it gave radio stations in Florida carte blanche to libel their foes-or blackmail, whichever you please.

A circuit court judge in Jacksonville, in ruling the act unconstitutional last week, exposed the pernicious piece of

With such a bill what wouldn't happen in the Miami Metropolitan area, where the station owners are too inter-

locked, intertwined, and close now for the good of the community. A small group of men, apparently in complete accord with one another, has entirely too much air power here. We're glad they stand to be curtailed, even if only

Lyn Laurence, one of Major Bowes touring amateurs, was on his Sunday morning program, telling of delightful experiences on the road for a year or more. In one hall in which he sang a stage had been built of dry-good boxes, put closely together to form a platform. While she was on it, singing, there came a crackling-the boxes broke -and she hit the floor, sitting, but still singing her song. "And was your face red!" ejaculated Major Bowes. "More than my face was

It just can't be done. We can't picture the downtown army of panhandlers saying, "Brother, can you spare a dime-and a penny beside!" Or, "Brother, I need a dime for the feedbag, plus an extra penny to pay the bottled beer tax!"

That new federal defense tax is going to spoil the liquor solicitation along Miami's Rialto.

M/E'RE NOT surprised that there is a boost of 2-mill tax V forecast in Dade county tax rate. We'd be surprised if there weren't. America is probably the only place in the world where the cost of cooperative government goes up as the community grows larger, instead of downward; any good economist could tell you that the more people are cooperative, the less the individual expense should be. But in Miami the taxpayer pays through the nose-for every new inhabitant!

Our budget board has decided to make things higher than even the office-holders are asking. They're putting aside a half-million dollars in an item entitled "unbudgeted cash"-and naively tell the taxpayers that "there's a war on, you know-and there's no telling, etc., etc!"

The guy who can't pass his taxes onto anybody else gets sicker every time he picks up a Miami paper these

residence-or to mine, if you feel like it.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED-FILE No. 23365

Notice is hereby given that Arthur Blatt, holder as assignee of Southern Drainage District Tax Sale Certificates Numbered 1054, 1068, 1066, 1300 and 1321, dated the 5th day of August, A. D. 1929, has filed said Certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue thereon in accordance with law. Said Certificates embrace the folowing described property, situated in Dade County, Florida, to wit:

Lots 13-14, Block 13, Bird Road Estates, Sec. 2, Plat Book 21, Page 51, in the County of Dade, State of Florida, as embraced in Certificate No. 1054. The assessment of said property under the said Certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

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sessment of said property under the said Certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

W-one-half of SE-one-quarter of SE-one-quarter Section 13, Township 55 South, Range 39 East, containing 5 acres more or less, in the County of Dade, State of Florida, as embraced in Certificate No. 1800. The assessment of said property under the said Certificate issued in the name of Miami Sec. Co.

Lot 3 in NW-one-quarter Miami Home Development Co.'s Subdn., Plat Book 2, page 57, in Section 35, Township 55 South, Range 39 East, containing 10.38 acres more or less, in the County of Dade, State of Florida, as embraced in Certificate No. 1321. The assessment of said property under the said Certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said Certificates shall be redeemed recording to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1940.

Dated this 14th day of June, A. D. 1940.

E. B. LEATHERMAN, Clerk of Circuit Court, Dade County, Florida

By N. C. STERRETT, D. C. Circuit Court Seal

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