

Individual Freedom A Must

In critical areas throughout the world, Vietnam, Korea, Dominican Republic, Germany (Berlin) and others, our military are "on the alert" to defend the rights of man to be free.

The Peace Corps is also working in remote corners of the earth to encourage self-determination and a true understanding and appreciation of freedom.

Thus, thousands of young Americans are sacrificing to bring the fruits of freedom to the world about us. Yet at home the Administration is furthering the substitution of force and compulsion for freedom of choice by urging the repeal of Section 14(b) of the Taft-Hartley Act.

In the military, strife is always around the corner. Absolute discipline and control are necessary throughout the line of command. However, in business and industry, absolute employee discipline by union leaders not only undermines freedom but also could induce industrial strife.

Compulsion has no place in a republic—every American should have the right to work, whether he wants to join a union or not. Freedom of the individual demands the retention of Section 14(b) on the statute books.

Selling LBJ's Idea

We are frankly wondering about what has happened to Lester B. Dill of Meramec Caverns on US Route 66 in Missouri who undertook awhile back to help out the President with his "See the USA" program to solve the balance of payments problem.

Mr. Dill, whose fortunes depend upon the visitors to his caves, and being a patriot, went all-out, according to his own report, and "put up signs all over" to call attention to his "Lucky Seven Point Check-List for Americans."

Presented under the heading: "See the U. S. A." these are: 1. No passports, 2. No shots, 3. No language barriers, 4. No customs inspection, 5. No food or water problem, 6. No confusing rate of exchange, 7. No limit to duty-free purchases.

And to give his message an official flavor, he included that quote of the Vice-President's: "In this land you can see beauty the likes of which no other country on the face of the earth can possibly give you."

Next, Mr. Dill had undertaken to urge his seven-point billboards on the automobile and oil industries, hotels, motels, rent-a-car companies, resort operators, credit card firms, etc.

So we wonder which bothers the White House more—the money crisis or reading matter on our highways.

What Might Have Been

There is a somber irony in the fact that this year marks the 20th anniversary of the founding of the United Nations and that commemorative medals are to be sold to observe what is called International Co-operation Year 1965.

That brave phrase brings back the high hopes that were held the world over when the UN came into being in San Francisco. Once again, there was the feeling that was born in 1918—that the war to end wars had been fought. From now on the nations, meeting together, would see that reason, justice, truth and understanding prevailed.

We all know what has happened. How much of this may have been the fault of the UN is a matter of opinion and interpretation, and there is no profit in raking over tortured ground. But the world was never more disordered and that, tragically, is true at a time when its resources and incredible scope of knowledge are more than sufficient to make possible a civilization brilliant almost beyond imagining. The UN medal is a tribute to what might have been—not what is.

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What America Needs

David Lawrence is one of the many thoughtful writers who are gravely concerned with the government's continued deficit spending: This, for a time, may help to create and maintain economic booms. But in the long run, it can be the source of runaway inflation and fiscal disaster.

In a recent U. S. News & World Report column, Mr. Lawrence said: "What America needs is a comprehensive program of expense cutting, along with a stimulus to business which will produce more tax receipts. Such a plan cannot be confined to a single year. There ought to be at least a five-year look ahead, with a program for a balanced budget which would be accepted as the reasonable reflection of a sound trend in Government finance."

"The American people would welcome an end to the deficit era—a total deficit of \$40.8 billion in the last 10 years, with \$30 billion of this piling up in the last five years. The official figure for the public debt now is close to \$317 billion. It's the biggest debt that any nation has ever faced in the history of the world."

Babson's Point of View On Mortgaging A Home

By ROGER W. BABSON

Babson Park, Mass., June 17—Young couples today often feel that they are pouring money down the drain if they rent an apartment or a house. "Why support a landlord," they say, "when our monthly payments could be building up an equity in a home of our own?" There is, of course, logic in this attitude; hence millions of our young people are now living in residences that they have bought or built themselves.

LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAP, IN HOME BUYING

Many young husbands and wives today find it is not much more complicated to obtain a mortgage and arrange monthly payments than it is to move into a rented establishment and send regular checks to a landlord. However, they are often greenhorns in the matter of budgeting for a family, and do not give enough time to figuring out their income and deciding how it can be made to meet all their living requirements. That is why many counselors for young couples advise rental of a small, reasonable apartment for the beginning of their lives together.

In this way the bride and groom can determine just how much they make, after all taxes, and how much they will have left over, after the essentials for living. If the girl works—as is often the case today—an apartment is easier to maintain, demanding a minimum of upkeep and housekeeping during the early days of adjustment. This period also should provide time for building up a savings account, life insurance coverage, and house furnishings to be used when the couple move into their own place. Equally important, it will give the young couple time to figure out what they most want when they go out to buy a home of their own.

SHOP FOR HOME FINANCING

When the time comes to go house-hunting, the young folk should also go shopping for the best place to obtain a mortgage. Possible lenders will include commercial banks, savings and loan associations, life insurance companies, and mortgage bankers. In some areas, institutions known as co-operative banks and homestead associations fall into the same category for mortgaging as do savings and loan associations.

Interest rates currently range from 5% to better than 6%. If an older house is under consideration, the down payment may constitute as much as 20% to 25% of the total cost. Under certain conditions a new house can be taken over with a down payment of 5% or even less. Loans backed by the VA or the FHA carry 5% interest, and usually include longer-term mortgage payments. It is wise for couples in the market for a home to discuss such matters with several mortgage outlets before deciding on what steps to take. Advice from older, more experienced family members or friends should also be sought.

LONG-TERM FINANCING OFTEN PREFERABLE

The longer the mortgage, the more money is paid out in interest. Sometimes this prompts young people to attempt the shortest-term financing possible. This, however, can be a heavy burden to a limited budget, and may soon become a bone of serious contention when the payments—along with the pressures of other purchases—intrude on regular living requirements. Most financing specifies monthly payments for 20, 25, or 30 years. Under particular conditions, shorter or longer periods are possible.

Generally, for young families of restricted means, a long-term mortgage is safest for the budget, despite the larger amount paid in interest. Another factor to keep in mind: If money is likely to be needed for repairs or child education, an open-end mortgage can ordinarily be extended or renewed after enough equity has been built up over the years. As a general rule, avoid second mortgages; they usually entail heavy interest and service expenses, in addition to the primary mortgage.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Making Second-Class Citizens



Stories Behind Words

by William S. Penfield

Money

The Romans looked upon Juno as the queen of the goddesses because she was the wife of Jupiter, the Romans' chief god.

Juno was the special diety of women, and of marriage. She also was known as the goddess of good counsel and in this capacity was referred to as Juno Moneta, "moneta" being derived from the Latin verb "monere"—to advise.

The mint where the Romans made coins was located in the temple or shrine of Juno Moneta. The coins thus acquired the name "moneta."

The word passed into Old French as "moneie" and into Middle English as "moneye." The final "e" was dropped, resulting in the present-day word "money."

Gets Lion of the Year Award

Mac L. Williams (left) was chosen to receive the Lion of the Year award by his fellow members of the Joama Lions Club. The presentation (above) was made at a meeting of the club last Thursday by Wendell W. Hair, retiring president.

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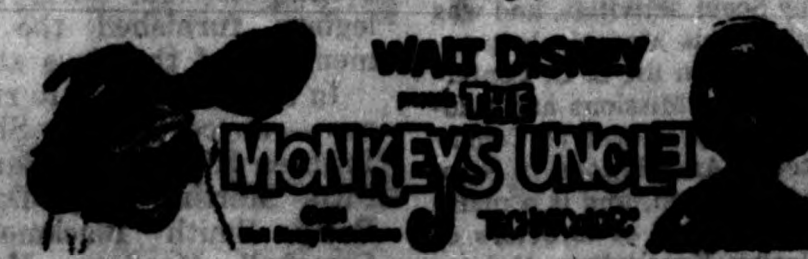
Shows 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00 — Sat., Starts 1:00

Monday-Tuesday, June 21-22



Shows 3:00, 5:00 7:00 and 9:00

Starts Wednesday, June 23



Clinton Youth Baseball

Standings Through June 11

Team	W	L	Pct.
Joanna	2	0	1.000
Bailey	2	0	1.000
Lydia	1	2	.333
Hampton I	1	2	.333
Hampton L	0	2	.000

INTERMEDIATES

Team	W	L	Pct.
Bailey	3	0	1.000
Lydia	2	1	.667
Joanna	1	1	.500
Hampton L	1	2	.333
Hampton I	0	3	.000

JUNIORS

Team	W	L	Pct.
Bailey	3	1	.750

Joanna 2 1 .667 the birth of a son, Stewart Watson, June 2 at Self Memorial Hospital in Greenwood. Mrs. Owens is the former Elmita Wilbanks of Laurens. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Owens of this city.

Schedule For Small Fry and Intermediates
June 17—Bailey-Hampton I.
June 18—Hampton-Bailey.
June 21—Joanna-Lydia.
June 22—Bailey-Joanna.
June 23—Hampton I-Hampton

Schedule For Juniors
June 17—Lydia-Bailey.
June 21—Lydia-Joanna.
June 22—Joanna-Bailey.
June 23—Hampton-Lydia.

Births

OWENS
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richard Owens of Laurens announce the birth of a son, Robert Bruce, May 31 at Self Memorial Hospital in Greenwood.

LYNN
Dr. and Mrs. Robert Lynn announce the birth of a son, Robert Bruce, May 31 at Self Memorial Hospital in Greenwood.

DeYOUNG
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy DeYoung of Greenville, former residents of this city, announce the birth of a son, William Marvin on June 9th, at the Greenville General Hospital. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin DeYoung of this city.

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