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The Outlook For Peace

THE abandonment of Ethiopia to the Italians has not disappointment to the pacifists who have clung to the must be far in excess of that sum. and influence of the League have been rudely shat- money.

which will strengthen its control of the Mediterranean. your home or your life's savings. under a 16-year-old boy. It is not surprising, then, that there is talk of an he observed temperate habits, and this was true in his vegetable crops answers: alliance between Britain and Italy, who were so lately case.

shaking their fists in each other's faces. Italy is in serious financial distress. Britain could give Musso-as well as wealth, because there can be no real thrift sometimes be desirable in the gar-and cheap as it is likely to get for being sold at lower prices. Asparalini's government monetary assistance at a time when that does not include care of the health. it is most needed. France might join in such an alliance for the sake of preventing an alliance between Italy and Germany. At the same time, there is talk sists in cussing capital, turn down his pay envelope on of financial assistance from England to Germany, to Saturday. keep Hitler from attempting the seizure of Czechoslo-Vakia and Austria. Meant!me, European powers are engaged in the greatest armament race in all history.

iously. In times like these, the nation that wants to that their viewpoint on every question is better. stay out of trouble needs to be prepared to meet trouble if it comes.

Prosperity and the Weather

TT IS reported from Washington that drought condicase of brain fog. tions thruout a large section of the wheat country of the West are very far from cheering. It is a little; boost some more. Department of Agriculture reports, with a possibility community. of material crop curtailment unless there are ample rains before the early part of June.

If the weather is normal in the great agricultural enough. regions the farmers' income this year will be close to might well result in a severe setback to the steady pro-imind some of the many draw-backs of communities gress of the country. People's memories are short you know. Few now think of the drought of 1930-31, which was always had a great deal more to do with economic good points! changes than politics.

How true it is that half of the men who look at have looked.

Some folks are known by the bill collectors they keep knocking at their door.



Health Angle of Thrift

T IS often said of a person that he or she is thrifty. Immediately we think of that person who makes good use of money and material possessions. But that). -is just as essenti**a**l.

to 300,000,000 working days' annually. The ratio is self-addressed, stamped envelope and ning to form the nests. These nests, tries, only three varieties, the same regardless of the number employed at any mention the name of this paper, you if left unchecked, in many cases Oolong and green, are grown. These given time

It has also been estimated that the time lost every query from the colleges. Do not Early efforts on control are best, year to the nation thru sickness of its workers is three ask more than one question in one according to Dr. A. B. Buchholz, ditimes greater than all of the working days gained an-letter or on one post card. Ask as rector of the Bureau of Plant Indus-These millions of days lost thru illness are in addi- make each one a separate comm

to 227,000,000 working days the United States cation. department of agriculture estimates are lost annually Statisticians have not been able to check the d

made the outlock for peace in Europe any bright-lars lost in wages annually because of sickness, but iner. Mussolini's complete conquest in spite of the pro-lasmuch as the wage loss from industrial accidents ex-

Much ill health is the result of carelessness. Guard Italy is now in a position to form new alliances, the reservoir of your physical strength as you would

Great Britain is unwilling to yield to Italy any control Men of strong vitality are tempted to overdo beof the approaches to the Suez Canal or the headwaters cause they are by nature energetic. An outstanding of the Nile. As matters now stand, Italy could effec. American once boasted that he works almost continu tively blockade the Canal, and has full control of Lake ally, with the exception of about four hours for sleep. Tana, from which the Nile derives most of its water. There can be nothing but admiration for a man England's supremacy in Egypt is also seriously threat- of this sort, but sooner or later nature will refuse to be be cultivated if there are very few i ened by the death of King Fuad, leaving the monarchy abused. Collapse is inevitable and the man's useful-weeds in it?"

When you think of thrift, think in terms of health allow rain to enter more freely may son. Pineapple, too, is as abundant are arriving in the markets and

We have never yet heard tell of the man who per-

A Good Habit

Perhaps all of this is of no concern to the people noosTing, like an infectious disease, is "catching of the United States, but it seems almost impossible D Those who boost, find in time that their whole that a European war would not affect this country ser-|system is permeated with the spirit of boosting and Honest boosting is profitable. It reacts favorably land brings results when everything else fails. Boosting renders a service for the booster. takes his mind off the petty things which occupy

Even the it be for selfish reasons, boost and then 1936 payments to farmers will be tively priced. Lamb is still high, Here is a menu made up of seatoo early, perhaps, to be definite about it, but there And when you get the right mental attitude for ernment. has been a serious shortage of rainfall this Spring, the boosting, take your early training in boosting for this

There is no better place in the world to live. all believe that, but we don't think about it often 1938), the funds are to be allotted With the exception of ducks, poul-This community which we call home, may have will be made by these states." estimators believe, some disadvantages. But when that idea works its way This would mean real prosperity. A serious drought into your thoughts, push it out by enumerating in your

Our community never suffers by comparison. one of the most important elements that contributed always will grow in your estimation if you will take a to the economic depression in this country. Nature has few minutes now and then to think over some of its

> And its disadvantages! They will disappear when we boost together as we should for its betterment. A thrifty housewife solves many a financial prob- $^{\prime}$

> A Western judge says the Osage Indians will drink anything. Just like white men.



"Destroy Tent WHAT HOW, and WHY?

The Andover News has arrang. will receive a direct reply to your will cover the tree or shrub. many questions as you like, but try. The small twigs on which the clothing experts; light weight cloth.

On the larger limbs the insect may properly fitted shoes help children to be wiped out with a cloth or brush. stand well and walk straight. Joining Pipes F. K., asks: "Do you think it ad- Select a time of the day, such as early morning, while the pest is in- a spray consisting of about three in the water supply to a house?" Professor B. B. Robb of the department of agricultural engineering

a limited number of trees to pro-lis best. tect, and where spraying may be im- | The warning is to make extra ef. The best protection, of forts against the pest early in the the course, according to the experts, is season. The work is much more of to protect the susceptible trees with fective done now than later. nect galvanized iron pipe to copper

Cultivation Needed? L., asks: "Should the garden

"Cultivation to loosen the soil and two as at any time during the sea-"Weed control seems to be the! only important reason for cultivat- Butter prices have risen a frac- moderate. Cabbage is again in t

the yield by one-half. times because it forms and main-bys of the good cook. Vegetables, Payments .

G. S., asks: "Who pays the farmer for taking part in the agriculturlal conservation program?"

approved plans (not later than are a pretty good value.

Second in Period

per thousand cubic feet for pa-

effective June 1, was announced

last night in a letter read to

trons of the Hornell Gas Light Co., ,

A gas rate reduction of five cents | Will Be Is-

hetore

Of Two Years

Common Council by May

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from J. B. Bradle-

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Mayor Wheatley

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which will be sent to M

Mr. Bradley stated u

that the reduction was in

a policy of passing on which have resulted from

gas fields in New York and

Last September the Bornell

Light Co. made reductions bea

or the first bracket and then

120 Men Attend

and Alderman F. J.

cost \$55,00\

Food Market Advice

Homespun Yarn

the leaves may be treated differently

pounds of arsenate of lead in 100

Freezing of fruits and vegetables

MAKING the country as a whole, cheap. The lobster season is in full ness will be over years before it would have been, had A. J. Pratt of the department of strawberries will probably be as swing. plentiful during the next week or | Vegetable Supplies Increasing den, even the there are no weeds. people who prefer to can their own. gus is cheap, peas are cheap, green, Butter Prices Attractive

Caterpillars Now!

nests are forming may readily

cut off and the caterpillars crushed.

Plant Industry of the New York effect on their vitamins

ling most crops, since even a small tion this week but not enough to cheap class along with beets, cargrowth of weeds will often reduce affect the consumer retail. With rots, various greens, onions, Boston both butter and eggs inexpensive, it lettuce and Romaine. Iceberg l "Cultivation generally increases is a good time to indulge in sauces tuce is lower and of fine quality." the yield of vegetable crops, mainly and baked foods which call for gen- matoes continue to be very high because of weed control, but some-erous quantities of these two stand-price and only moderate in quality too, respond to lavish butter treat-

This advice particularly applies to gallons of water. Spraying as 8000

Beef Best Meat Value Beef is by far the best meat value tho bananas, oranges and grapefru. available at the present time. Early are still the chief standbys with ap-Dr. V. B. Hart, executive officer next week steaks will be a special ples gradually passing out of the attention and prevents him from developing a clear of the agricultural conservation ser- value, but in general the chuck or picture. Rhubarb is still a delightvice in New York State replies: "In forequarter cuts are more attrac- ful spring appetite tonic. made directly from the Federal gov-tho there has been a slight drop in sonable foods which are moderate price. Pork, too, is a little lower in price:

"After states have enacted neces- while veal prices remain unchanged. Braised Chuck Steak with Onions | sary legislation and have submitted | However, forequarter cuts of veal to states and payments to farmers try is generally a little higher. Fish on the contrary is plentiful and

Gas Rates Reduced Five Cents

In Hornell, Wellsville Sections

Effective June 1: Council Votes \$40,000 Bonds

Teat III Cas

Increasing supplies of vegetables wax and lima beans and spinach a

Melon Season Opening Cantaloupes and honeyballs now coming to market from Califor nia along with fresh sweet cherries

Tomato Juice

Bread and Butter

Strawberry Shortcake

New Potatoes

\var_bonds, up to \$5,000 for immediate

Explaining the issue, Mayor

Wheatley said it had been recom

tee. There are no funds available

with which to purchase materials.

applies and hire equipment for pur-

tt of public works projects which

either authorized or contempla-

and \$20,000 is deemed suffic-

o carry through the year. Un-

ome relief, the city is now

only 40 per cent reimburse-

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To Meet City's Relief Needs

Green Peas

pounding. As she prepared her

first in more than a year. Anticipation of seeing her name i, porters, she had been stunned, stu- halted midway by a challenge from "goose woman."

positive in her statement-" etc. The other paper had been equally uncomplimentary. It referred to her as "the goose woman" and it described her as a "queer, bedraggled, old hag with the stride of an Ama-

zon and the airs of a queen." Mary Holmes had torn the papers co bits, and later, when representa-1 tives of the afternoon papers came! talk to them. But the Ethridge case had grown in importance; the! Chicago papers had rushed men Westland by the first train and these newcomers were even more inquisi-' tive than the local news-gatherers. This morning, in self-defense, Mary the facts and—" Holmes had wired up her gate and nailed a sign to it which read: Keep off. Reporters trespassing you?" on this place will be shot.

She sat now inside the open window of her front room where she night?" could watch the automobiles coming "Did I?" and going and hear what the occuat her premises or to read her sign. want to get your picture, too."

up by passing vehicles had settled the next Governor. Moreover, the yard when Mrs. Holmes cried: upon grass and shrubbery. It pene-manner of his slaying, the circum-

There was a second of the seco

the sightseers who had turned this ing; then it was found lying in a up and shook a fist at the woman, rect to the 4-H leader or Club back road into a busy thorofare. | lane which connected a back road shouting: "You damned old harpy! agent in your county. All were morbid curiosity-seekers; with the rear of his handsome esthey were bound to or from the tate and upon his breast was laid a d'you mean anyhow-?"

the crime while she was feeding er the body nor its immediate sur-hurriedly backed closer to the car. was recently purchased by the Alleher geese two mornings before, and roundings revealed any clue to the The photographer made haste to gany County Board of Supervisors had hurried up the road as fast as identity of the slayer; nothing indi-follow him. she could go. She had been one cated any reason whatever for the of the first to reach the scene of crime unless a letter found in one my fence again. I keep this gun camp site. Applications for use of the tragedy, arriving nearly an hour of Ethridge's pockets was an indi- for hawks, but it will do as well for the camp by other organizations

deal of questioning. She had little hand, and inside was a sheet to tell, nevertheless it had been an plain notepaper containing the one want to know who killed Amos Eth- Boys and girls of Allegany counexciting experience; it had reminded word "Thursday." There was no ridge, do you? Rats! You don't ty interested in attending a co-ed her of old times to answer and to signature. parry quick, searching questions, Why, in the first place, a bachelor is to choke your filthy papersr with forward their applications as soon

pace with her words. The reporters should make use of a narrow, un- you can write, all you can think had stared at her curiously and had lighted back road instead of the about. Lies! Dirt!" She had quite wanted to know who she was — all broad, macadam thorofare which lost control of herself now and broke about her, in fact—but she had passed his massive front gates was into an incoherent torrent of invecbeen sly enough to give them no puzzling; why that cross had been tive. She checked it only when laid upon the body; why, in fact, the objects of her wrath had slam-She had remained there all day, anyone should wish to kill Amos med the car door and the machine mingling with the ever-growing Ethridge—all were matters of pure had rolled away. crowd, discussing the case with conjecture. Questions like these

home at dusk with a new feeling of assignation spiced it with a suggesthan usual, and with her heart tensify general interest. Mary Holmes dozed in her rock-

supper she had even ventured cau-ing chair. She was aroused by the' tiously to sing a few notes—the blare of an automobile horn and the sound of voices. A car in which l were several men had stopped bein print once more had affected her fore her house; one member of the so queerly that she slept little dur- party had stepped down and was " ing the night and was up and wait- trying to disengage the wire fasten-

the house, and looked up to discov-"The person living nearest to the er that a tall woman in a faded the encounter she felt some pride in scene of the tragedy is Mary Holmes gingham dress had emerged upon the way she had carried it off. a middle-aged, slatternly creature the porch and was facing him threat- had been her scene; she had held the who occupies a wretched hovel and eningly. She was a vigorous wo center of the stage and she had runs a small chicken ranch at the man, long-limbed and erect, and rear of the Ethridge estate," the she carried her chin high. In spite could play such a scene, upon short first account ran. Mrs. Holmes had of her ill-fitting garments, her flat, notice. After all, only an artist can read on dizzily, "She is reputed to shapeless shoes, and her untidy hair, rise to dramatic heights; none but be a drunken, irresponsible charactithere was an air of command about the finished actor can portray sin-

prising intelligence and unmistak- fence climber to freeze into immoable signs of education. She was bility, however, was the sight of a violent temper!" She wished now shotgun in her hands. "Hello! You're Mrs. Holmes, take it," he began, cheerily. "Get off that fence!" "Tell her who you are," one

> clasps of his camera case. on the Ethridge case and we-"

"You knew Amos Ethridge, didn't "Perhaps." "You heard the shots Thursday

"That's what you told the local re-lit before.

Westland papers said about

his car that night? All we want is a brief statement from you." Un- 4-H CAMP TO obtrusively, the speaker shifted his weight, lifted himself further over "We city men have an different theory from

shotgun and raised it, "I shall count three."

like that. If she shoots you, it'll gany county on Sunday, July 5th. The trespasser now had one leg weeks period open to all 4-H memfront-page news, for he was more than a figure, of local importance. over the top strand of barbed wire bers enrolled in Western New York. For two days now an almost con- To begin with, he was, or had been, and he steadied himself upon a post The camp will be directed by Joseph uous stream of traffic had flowed a man of immense wealth—the rich—neither a graceful position nor Palone of Belmont. Other members back and forth along the road. The est man in the whole state—a poli-one of great stability. He was of the staff will be selected within weather was dry, and dust thrown tical power, and in all probability about to let himself down inside the a few days.

ered its scanty furnishings with a dent ferocity of his assassin, had grass and weeds beneath the teeter- be given by college trained counselthin, gray coating; it hung in the rendered the crime peculiarly shock- ing figure exploded into a dusty ors. Swimming, boating, canoing air and choked her. Dust was noth-ing. He had been shot to death, cloud as the charge of bird shot and group recreation will be including new to her—in fact, dust, grime, riddled with seven bullets, while re- mowed a path thru it. With a yell, ed in the year's program. disorder were nearly always present turning to his home late Thursday the man flung himself backwards, The camp fee as in previous years in her house—but now its taste was night. His body had not been dis-leaving a fragment of his trousers will be seven dollars per week. Apirritating and it caused her to revile covered until the following morn-upon the fence. He picked himself plications should be forwarded

'I'll have you arrested for that! What | Campers will live in new cabins |

ahead of the policemen and the cation. This letter, which, by the buzzards!" Mrs. Holmes voice was should be forwarded to Harry Goodnewspaper reporters. Inasmuch as way, was delicately scented, had harsh and strident; she appeared to rich, chairman of the Allegany Coun-

of now, so be as nasty as you can. You about June 1. care who killed him. All you want camp for one week or longer should while reportorial pencils flew to keep who could come and go at his will scandal and lies and dirt. It's all as possible to Lou L. Burton, coun-

When she was alone she strode. townspeople whom she knew only by lent mystery to the affair, and that back into her house and stood the sight, rubbing shoulders and talking laconic, perfumed note which might fowling-piece in its corner, then with utter strangers; she had walked have been either a warning or an home at dusk with a new feeling of assignation spiced it with a suggestable head high, her back straight, her consequence, with her head higher tion of scandal just sufficient to in- deep bosom heaving. So! They'd get a story out of her, would they? Publish her picture! Use her for

'The scum! The blackguards! She was sorry they had fled so swiftly -while her mouth was still so full ing agitatedly for the rural delivery- ings of the gate; another, with a in their lives they had heard someand her tongue so bitter. For once man. But when she had read the press camera over his shoulder, was thing which they could remember. morning papers, when she had seen getting out. The man at the gate They knew now that she was herself thru the eyes of those re-started to climb the fence, but he common country lout, no mere

As she reflected more calmly on ter of violent temper and eccentric her and an appearance of some con-habits, nevertheless she shows sur-sequence. That which caused the old hag." Old, at forty-five! "A drunken, irresponsible character of

> that she had shot that reporter in The next day, not only the local Westland papers, but also the big Chicago dailies carried amusing and the fellows in the car directed. The highly colored accounts of that shotphotographer hurriedly opened the gun encounter, and Mrs. Holmes de rived a grim enjoyment from read-"We're newspapermen from Chi-ling them. Again she flared into fury We've been sent down here at the uncomplimentary things they said about her; but indignation is a "If you are reporters, you can fire that quickly burns itself out probably read," Mrs. Holmes told and it gave her some satisfaction t "What does that sign say?" | read of her victory. This satisfac-"Now, see here, this is a big story tion increased as she reread the and it's getting bigger every hour, stories. After a while she exper-You can't shoot us for trying to get lieinced an actual thrill at realizing

that she had become a figure of importance in the biggest news sensation of the day and the people from Maine to California were reading about her. They saw the name of "Mary Holmes." And after twenty years! She wondered if any o them would remember having seen

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK)

Some of the oldest known varieties of potatoes are still grown a the New York State College of Ag-

action of bears in hibernation L Period at Eggleston Park.

-Joseph Palone of Bel-

mont to be Director. The fifth annual Western New "Go ahead, Jim!" urged the cam- York district 4-H camp will open ofera man. "She can't pull anything ficially at Eggleston Park in Alle-1. The camp will continue for a three-in

Regular courses in Nature Study, Camping and Woodcraft, Crafts, So- A Simultaneously she fired. The dry cial Recreation, and First Aid will

cross made of two twigs which had He paused as he heard the omin- al improvements at the camp are Mary Holmes had heard the news been hurriedly tied together. Neith- ous click of the second barrel, and now being made. The camp site "Don't let me catch you climbing organizations to use this year as a she had known Amos Ethridge quite come thru the mail and bore the lo-tower higher as her rage mounted. ty Park Commission. These will be well and was his nearest neighbor, cal Westland postmark; the writing "Poke fun at me, will you? Well, considered and the year's camping naturally she had come in for a good upon the envelope was in a woman's you've get something nasty to write program will he announced on or

The Alfred Co-operative Pictures plays "Mid-summer Night's Dream," Friday and Saturday, May 29-30. Matinee 2:15, evening 8:00. Balcony and half lower floor 55c. Re-Tests have shown that the heart i

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