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### RHEUMATISM — AND SOMETHING OF IT

Kings are on the way out. But not the king of human misery — rheumatism.

There is more rheumatism in the United States than any other chronic disease — with an estimated 6,500,000 sufferers.

There are twice as many cases of rheumatism as heart disease, and 7 times as much rheumatism as cancer and other tumors.

Rheumatism was responsible for more days lost from work — 97,200,000 — than any other chronic disability except nervous and mental disease, which last year caused a loss of 132,500,000 days of work.

Rheumatism, in its broad definition, includes arthritis, gout, neuralgia, ligaments and bones.

In general, the layman applies the term rheumatism to painful affections of the locomotor apparatus — diseases of the joints, muscles, ligaments and bones.

The word "rheumatism" is derived from the Greek word "rheum," or humor.

Early Latin and Greek writers used it to indicate the flow of a painful fluid from one affected region of the body to another.

The word "rheumatism" was first used in 1643 to describe rheumatic fever.

Half of the victims of rheumatism who are permanently disabled are under 55 years of age.

Annually about 1,500,000 persons in the United States are disabled by "arthritis" and at least 1,750,000 others are disabled by neuralgia, neuritis and lumbago.

Cancer, tuberculosis, heart disease and other diseases have been dramatized until the nation is more or less aware of them.

It is difficult to dramatize rheumatism.

But it threatens to become definitely a serious physical and economic handicap to one in every twenty persons.

An educational campaign, long continued, both among physicians and laymen, is considered the only answer to a reduction in the countless victims and the great suffering caused by rheumatism.

Down with the King of Misery — rheumatism.

### THE CAT IS OUT

(From the U. M. W. A. Journal)

Newspapers, a few days ago, published an article that ought to open the eyes of the American people to what is actually going on in this country. The article said that the big financiers and industrialists are not going to do anything toward a revival of business and industry until President Roosevelt announces positively that he will not be a candidate for a third term as President. This is about as brazen a statement as has been made in these United States in a long time. It is susceptible that only one explanation, and that is that these big money sharks hate President Roosevelt with such a consuming fire of bitterness that they would be willing to see the nation in a state of demoralization and misery, if necessary, to beat Roosevelt. They don't like Roosevelt because he has tried to do something for the common people throughout his administration. They are willing to watch people go hungry if by that means they can destroy Roosevelt. That's how much they hate him.

As far as we know, there is no one who knows whether Roosevelt intends to run for another term as President. It is doubtful if even the President himself has decided that question. No one has any right to say that he will or will not run, for no one knows. But there is one thing certain, such statements as the one published in the newspapers will never help to eliminate him. Instead, such statements might make him decide to fight back and run for another term.

Whether Roosevelt again becomes a candidate is wholly immaterial at this time. This is 1939, and the next election will not take place until November, 1940. The big bankers and owners of industries can, if they will, relieve the present deplorable economic situation in this country, and as good citizens it is their duty to do so. There is no logic, no justice, no patriotism in their holding back merely because they do not like Roosevelt.

### OVER-BOOTED ANGLER



Opening of the New York state trout season, April 1, didn't catch young Albert Welch unprepared. Not to be outdone by the many men who were out for their first fish, the over-booted angler caught this prize near Theresa with an 8 1/2 lb. and line.

Let 1940 take care of itself. The country needs relief in 1939, and if the sharks must take the blame. There is no longer any doubt about the reason for continuation of hard times and unemployment. The article published in the newspapers let the cat out of the bag.

### DR. GEORGE NAMED HEAD OF CO. DIRECTORS GROUP

The annual election of officers was held last Friday afternoon by the Cambria County School Directors Association at the concluding session of the annual two-day convention held in the courthouse at Ebensburg. Dr. H. V. George of Southmont was elected president of the organization, succeeding Harvey C. Hunt of Conemaugh R. D. 1, who was not a candidate for reelection. George was elected without opposition.

Other officers elected are Dr. C. E. Overberger, Barnesboro, first vice president; E. P. Gallagher, Summerhill, second vice president; M. C. Lynch, Lilly, secretary; C. M. Harriger, Summerhill Township, treasurer; John Howe, Croyle Township, and Van S. Harver, Barnesboro, delegates to the state convention; Mrs. S. A. E. Brallier, Conemaugh, and E. O. Constable, East Taylor Township, alternates to the state convention; S. E. Wissinger, East Taylor Township, auditor. The state convention will be held in Harrisburg next February.

Preceding the annual business meeting D. William Mather Lewis, president of Lafayette College, Easton, spoke. Dr. Lewis urged teachers to inculcate into the youth of the country the teachings of democracy and all the United States stands for.

A. K. (Rosey) Rowsell, Pittsburgh humorist, spoke at the dinner last Thursday at the Ebensburg Congregational Church and also at the afternoon session.

### DIRECT RELIEF CONTINUES TO DROP IN THE STATE

Harrisburg — The downward trend of unemployment relief in Pennsylvania accelerated during the first week of April with increasing spring seasonal employment.

The Department of Public Assistance reported that a five week decline had brought direct relief rolls 35,500 under the winter peak of 798,000 persons dependent on state aid in February.

Secretary Howard L. Russell said the relief rolls "declined more sharply" during the last reported week "than at any time since the beginning of the current downward movement."

The reduction brought the total number of persons on unemployment relief to 762,201, with expenditures of \$1,772,288, about \$32,000 less than the previous week.

"For the tenth consecutive week, the net effect of changes in private employment on general assistance rolls was more favorable than during the preceding week," Russell said.

### Franco Representative Makes Initial Visit



Juan Francisco de Cardenas, charge d'affaires of the Nationalist Spanish government, made his first official call on Secretary of State Cordell Hull recently, inaugurating diplomatic relations between the Franco government and the United States. Left to right: Cardenas, Senor Don Felipe A. Espil, Argentine ambassador, and George T. Summerlin, chief of the division of protocol of the state department.

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## Banner Day Coffee, 3 lb. bag 35c

GIBB'S BEANS, WITH PORK 16 oz. cans 25c

## Hurlock Green Beans, No. 2 can 5c

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- GREEN GIANT QUALITY PEAS, 2 17-oz. cans ..... 27c
- CLAPP'S STRAINED BABY FOOD, 2 cans for ..... 15c
- Hurf's Quality Cooked SPAGHETTI, 15 1/2 oz. can ..... 5c
- SLEIGH BELL BEVERAGES, 2 quart bottles ..... 15c

## Armour's Corned Beef 12 oz. can 15c

MORTON'S FREE RUNNING SALT— Plain or Iodized, 26 ounce pkg., 7c

FINE QUALITY OLEO— 3 one lb. prints 25c

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## CHUCK ROAST End Cuts from Young, Tender Lean Quality Beef, LB. 16c

## Home Dressed Fancy Quality Veal Sh'lder Chops, lb. 19c

- LEAN SMOKED PICNIC SHOULDERS, lb., ..... 16c
- LAKEVIEW SLICED BACON, 2 - 1/2 pound pkgs., ..... 25c
- TENDER SLICED PORK LIVER, 2 pounds ..... 25c
- O. & H. SUGAR CURED LEAN BACON, pound ..... 19c

## NATIONAL CITRUS FRUIT SALE! ORANGES: Sweet Seedless Navels, dozen 19c Sweet, Juicy Florida's, doz. 25c

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- Fancy Snowy White CAULIFLOWER, large head ..... 15c
- NEW TENDER GREEN PEAS, pound ..... 15c

He attributed 1,823 persons dropped from relief lists to reemployment in private industry.

Another 4,300 persons were changed from general assistance, where the state pays all the expense, to old-age assistance and aid to dependant children, two special forms where the government shares costs with the state.

The department began to feel the first effects, of a general curtailment in the Works Progress Administration program, with 471 new persons coming on state aid from WPA projects.

Largest number of cases closed were reported in Allegheny County, 1,105 cases; Westmoreland, 212, Indiana, 179 and Erie 96.

For the fourth consecutive week, Sshuykill was the only county to show more than 100 new cases. This hard-hit coal county reported 138 new cases, and about three times that many additional persons dependent on relief.