

Masonic Banquet Well Attended

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Aided by favorable weather and other things, the Annual Past Masters' Banquet of Livingston Lodge No. 76, F. & A. M. drew attendance of 250, over 40 lodges represented.

Attending the banquet, besides local members, were three past grand masters of Michigan Grand Lodge, Judge Louis E. Fead, Lansing; Hugh McPherson, and Homer Newton of Pontiac; three present members of grand lodge, Dr. Francis Lambie, Midland; Charles Sherman, Lansing; and Dewey Hesse, Saginaw; and two candidates for grand lodge at the convention at Traverse City next May, Paul Strawhecker of Grand Rapids, and Charles Fey of Royal Oak.

The visitors started arriving at 6:00 p. m., and an hour or more was spent in visiting and getting acquainted. However, as usual, had the largest number of visiting Masons present, some 35 coming from there. Every office in the courthouse was represented by Judge Lyons, who is nursing a broken wrist. In all, over 40 Michigan Masonic lodges were represented.

It was about 7:30 p. m. when they got seated in the dining room. This was found inadequate to seat them all. About 150 were seated and then the tables had to be reset for about 60.

The diners marched in to the strains of a march played by the



Judge Louis E. Fead

Howell orchestra, and the invocation was given by John Martin.

At the conclusion of the banquet, H. C. Veldner welcomed the assembly, Masons and introduced Lucius Wilson, the consummate Mr. Wilson called on Past Master J. H. Hooker, who responded to the welcome, on behalf of the past masters.

The following were then called upon and responded with short speeches: Dr. Lambie, Hugh McPherson, Chas. Sherman, Homer Newton, Paul Strawhecker. Dr. Lambie got off one of his inimitable Scotch speeches. Hugh McPherson greeted old friends, most of whom he knew when he was cashier in the McPherson-Bank at Howell. Homer Newton read extracts from the grand lodge proceedings of 1856, at which time said body granted Livingston Lodge No. 76 a charter. At that time there were only 78 Masonic lodges in the state. Today there are over 500. This copy he presented to the master of Livingston Lodge. Paul Strawhecker related some of his trying experiences as chairman of the grand lodge finance committee in the days of the bank holiday, and gave credit for bringing the lodges of Michigan safely through that crisis to Hugh McPherson. Charles Sherman told several stories and thanked Livingston Lodge for past favors shown him. Dewey Hesse of Saginaw stated this was his third visit, and he expected to return next year. Dewey is probably the tallest Mason in the state except Dan Reason.

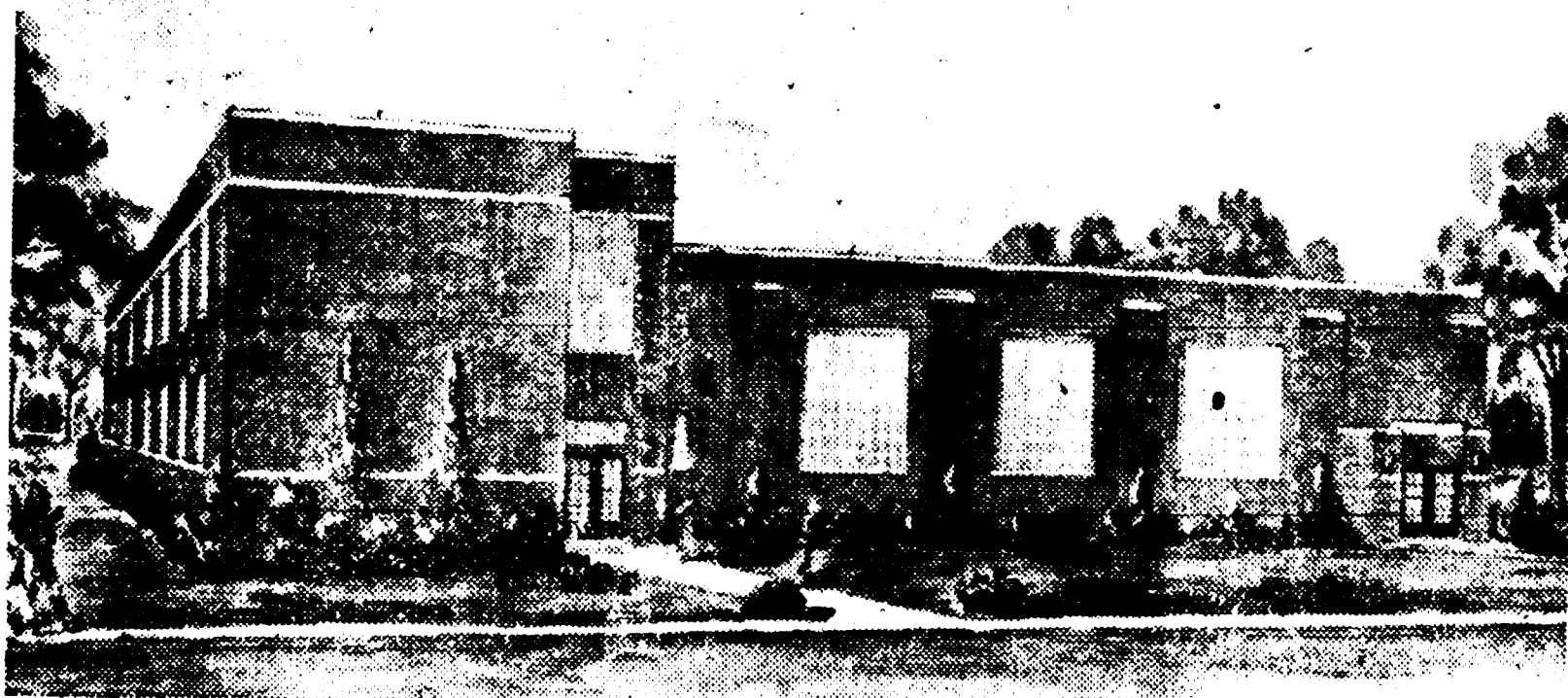
Judge Louis Fead then delivered the address of the evening, using as his subject "Masonry and Liberty." He traced the beginnings of Masonry through the ages, and stated that tyranny and Masonry had never been able to exist together. That, in Russia, Germany, Italy and Spain the first act of dictators was to suppress the Masonic lodges. That a majority of the signers of the Declaration of Independence and Constitution were members of the Masonic orders. He deplored the present tendency of local communities and states to rush to the federal government for aid in all their problems. This trend has been developing rapidly for the past 25 or 30 years and should be curbed. The judge is one of the best orators in the state and his address was very well received.

NOTICE

The regular meeting of the King's Daughters will held at the home of Mrs. George Reason, Thursday at 2 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present and bring a guest.

NOTICE

I am ready to receive wool at corner of Main and Dexter, Galloway barn. Give me a chance to bid before you sell. Phone-3F3. W. C. Hendee



New PWA school building under construction. This picture was made from the back of the church, the architect. It shows the four class rooms and gymnasium.

Work on School Is Progressing

Work of Pouring the Wall Now Underway. Much Material Is Already on the Grounds.

Work on the new Pinckney addition is going along nicely. The footings for the walls have all been poured and work is now in progress in pouring the concrete walls as high as the main floor. This will be the same height as the floor in the old building.

The gang of workmen has been enlarged and much building material has already arrived. The building tile are from the Clay Products Co. of Williamston and this was being hauled here by truck all day Saturday and Sunday. The brick are from Ohio and the cement from Detroit. Nearly all the material so far has been purchased through Theo. Rad Sons, local dealers. We understand this is also being done at Dexter, where a similar school addition is being built. The State of Michigan is said to be studded with similar projects at the present time and they are apparently the order of the day.

There was a question as to whether Theo. Rad Sons is a member of the school board. The attorney general was appealed to and he ruled that while a member of the school board cannot sell supplies to the school, he can sell to a contractor or who is doing school work.

CIRCUIT COURT NEWS

Richard Clendenen, 30, pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the auto accident case in which Mrs. A. C. Clendenen, son, William, and daughter, Ella, were killed on Grand River, west of Howell, March 14, and was sentenced to 5 to 15 years in Jackson Prison by Judge Collins at Howell last Wednesday. He admitted being drunk at the time of the accident. Previously he had been arrested for drunken driving in Ingham county. Prosecutor Herriman states that no leniency will be shown drunken drivers in Livingston county.

Earl Bohm, who had pleaded guilty to embezzling \$110 of township school funds, was placed on four years' probation by Judge Collins and ordered to pay back \$20 of the amount every six months until the debt was settled.

The two closing days of the circuit court term for March last week was occupied in trying the case of Emma Haviland vs. Gale Barnhouse to set aside a deed. Before the death of Mrs. Oliver Barnhouse in Cawway, she deeded her farm to her son, Gale. The other heirs sought to set aside the deed. Ellis Vailson of Owosso was attorney for the plaintiffs and Jay Sweeney for the defendant. Judge Collins took the case under advisement for ten days, when he gave his decision.

COMMUNICATION

March 26, 1936

Mr. Paul Curlett
Pinckney Dispatch
Pinckney, Michigan

Dear Mr. Curlett:
On the front page of the last issue of your paper is an article on the Township Treasurer law in which you quote Act No. 43 of the Public Acts of Michigan for 1935.

May I respectfully call your attention to Act No. 14 of the Public Acts for 1945 and more specifically calling your attention to Sec. 76 which reads as follows:

"The township treasurer shall receive and take charge of all moneys belonging to the township of which are by law required to be paid into the township treasury, including all moneys that accrue to his township on account of non-resident license taxes, and shall pay over and account for the same, according to the order of such township, or the officers thereof duly authorized in that behalf, and shall perform all such other duties as shall be required of him by law."

You will notice that the township office of the Township Treasurer is not limited in any way. Therefore, your many readers would be interested in knowing this.

Respectfully yours,
Stanley Berriman,
Prosecuting Attorney,
Howell, Michigan.

Several Deaths In this Section

FRED WYMAN

Fred Wyman, 75, died suddenly at his home in Dexter, Tuesday morning of a heart attack. He had been apparently in good health and was still able to work at his trade as a stone mason. He was well known in this section as he did much work here. He built the stone porch at the residence of Mrs. Emma Fisk on Main Street, and had taken the contract to build a stone fireplace and chimney for Mrs. Eleanor Pearson at her new house near Silver Lake. He was born in Ann Arbor, but lived in Dexter for about 50 years. The funeral and burial will be at Dexter, Friday.

MRS. CHARLES BOWMAN

Mrs. Charles Bowman passed away at her home in this village last Thursday at the age of eighty years. Although long a resident here, Mrs. Bowman had spent much of her later life in Detroit, returning last year when she purchased the Flora Smith home.

Besides the daughter, the deceased leaves two sons, Fred, of this village, and Earl, of Port Huron; two grandchildren and four great grandchildren. A brother, Mort Green of Clarkston also survives her.

Mrs. Bowman was affiliated with the M. E. church for forty-three years.

Funeral services were held at the home of Fred Bowman last Sunday afternoon with Rev. Zuse officiating. Burial was in the Pinckney cemetery.

CLYDE BENNETT

Clyde Bennett, 60, son of the late David Bennett of Pinckney, died Monday at his home in Lansing, where he has been employed by the State Journal for the past 13 years in the composing room. Surviving are his widow and two daughters. The funeral will be held at Lansing, Wednesday, with burial in Fowlerville.

He died as was well known here and at one time was associated with his brother, Delia, in the publication of the Pinckney Dispatch.

JUDGE SELDON S. MINER DIES

Judge Seldon S. Miner, former judge of the 25th circuit, comprising Livingston, and Shiawassee counties, died at Los Angeles, California, March 28, aged 81 years. He was born in Iowa and practiced law in Michigan and Owosso. He retired about 20 years ago. During his term on the bench he was noted for his severity in his sentences against liquor law violators.

TO THE VOTERS OF PUTNAM TOWNSHIP

During the past two weeks you have been led to believe that there is a lot of work to be done on the tax roll and that it will cost the Township a huge sum of money. The price for this work has varied from \$500 to \$900. Now this work was completed about six weeks ago. The work was done by W. P. A. workers at the State House in Howell, under the supervision of a state man, and it cost the Township one penny. The work consisted of a new system of entering descriptions in the tax roll.

I can assure you that your descriptions are correct and I will be pleased to check them with you at any time. We went over the whole book last year and corrected a large number of them.

When I took over the office three years ago the Township (due to unfortunate circumstances) was in debt. Since then your taxes have been reduced every year, until today they are the lowest in thirty years, and we have a balance in the bank of \$2100.

I want to thank you all for past favors and if my record is satisfactory, I would appreciate your support.

M. J. Hicel, Supervisor.

CHURCHES

Catholic Church Service

Rev. James Cardan
Masses 8:00 A. M. and 10:30 A. M.
Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help Saturday at 7:30 P. M.
Confession 7:30 P. M. Saturday.

Baptist Church

A. F. Brown, Leader
Services each Sunday
Morning worship 10:30
Special and separate services for the little folks.
Sunday School 11:45
Classes for all
B. Y. P. U. 8:00
Evening Worship 8:00
Thurs. evening prayer service 8:00

Congregational Church

Rev. C. H. Zuse, Minister
Mrs. C. E. Baughn, Organist
Sunday Services
Morning Worship with sermon by the pastor 10:30 A. M.
Theme: "The Triumphant Entry."
Bible School Session for all, 11:30
Come to church Sunday and bring someone with you.
Everybody is cordially invited.

Philathea Notes

The little blue star, denoting the fact of the payment of our church dues for 1936-37, was noticeable on Sunday on our church.

The attendance was small Sunday on account of the funeral services in the afternoon at the home of our president, Mrs. Fred Bowman, for Mr. Bowman's mother. The class extends since sympathy to the members of her family.

The lessons for the next quarter will continue the six months' course in the Gospel of Luke. For next Sunday the topic is: "Jesus Invites All People," Luke 14: 15-24. The application is: "To consider some modern responses to Christ's invitation."

Our contribution during the church hour for the Red Cross fund for the flood sufferers was generous, and we are sure all help will be appreciated.

The Church Benevolence Treasurer will be grateful for any pennies from your Cent-A-Meal boxes, or other gifts toward our Missionary quota, as we wish to send a payment as soon as possible. Please bear in mind the S. S. Missionary offering for next Sunday, and also bring your boxes for offering. If you have no box, we will be glad to furnish you one.

Several members of our class, with the pastor's family, were privileged to see and hear Toyohiko Kagawa on Thursday at Ann Arbor. The Barnes-Publishing Co., 907 15th St., N. W., Washington, D. C., lists "Songs from the Slums," by Toyohiko Kagawa, sociologists, philosophers, humanitarians and authors.

The time for the April class meeting is now Wednesday, April 8th.

TO THE VOTERS OF PUTNAM TOWNSHIP

First, I wish to say I did not attend either church. Also, that my platform, as the paper called it, is not state economy, but "common sense" instead.

I would like all who own property to please compare descriptions with your deeds. I promise to call on all taxpayers before making the roll, and will try and make you a good supervisor, if you so choose.

My platform is "Business", and not politics.

Thanking you,
Norman R. Aspin
for Supervisor.

Paul Hickle, of the Michigan Conservation Department, who has been in charge of the moose trapping expedition to Isle Royale, is spending several weeks at the University of Michigan game reserve out of town. He will study disease of rabbits and cause of the scarcity. He informs us no moose will be planted in the University Reserve as at least 10,000 acre range is required for them.

Township Election Is Next Monday

Last Week of Township Campaigns
Marked by Hot Contest. Both
Sides Claiming Victory.

The election for township officers was held last Monday night, and was one of the hottest yet. The contest was between the Democratic and Republican parties. The Democrats claimed victory, but the Republicans also claimed a win. The results were as follows:

Supervisor: J. H. Hickle
Clerk: J. H. Hickle
Treasurer: J. H. Hickle
Justice: J. H. Hickle
Constable: J. H. Hickle

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NO POSTOFFICE APPOINTMENT

As yet no appointment has been made of a postoffice for Pinckney. According to the Lansing State Journal, the Lansing Postoffice, Michigan, is the third smallest in the state. It has the lowest population of any postoffice in the state. An appointment for a postoffice is expected next Monday.

MICHIGAN WEATHER

You can't go to Michigan and not see a lot of snow. Only one month ago the snow was over four feet deep. Now it is back to Pinckney from Ann Arbor, we saw three feet of snow between Pinckney and Dexter, and engaged in plowing.

NOTICE

The residents of Pinckney, Michigan, are hereby notified that the Lansing State Journal, Lansing, Michigan, is the only newspaper in the state that publishes the names of the taxpayers who do not pay their taxes. This is a violation of the Michigan Constitution.

PUTNAM COME OVER THE TOP

Putnam, Michigan, is the only township in the state that has not yet elected its township officers. The residents of Putnam are urged to come over the top and elect their township officers.

ATTENTION, LIVINGSTON LODGE MEMBERS

On Thursday evening, April 2nd, Livingston Lodge No. 76, F. & A. M., will hold a special meeting at the home of Mrs. J. H. Hickle. All members are urged to be present.

MRS. MARGARET COURTNEY

Mrs. Margaret Courtney, 82, relict of the late Felix Courtney of Webster Township, died at the home of her son, Rev. William Courtney, at Owosso, March 25. The funeral was held at Owosso, Saturday, with burial at Dexter.

PAST MATRONS AND BIRTHDAY PARTY NIGHT, APRIL 3

On Friday evening, April 3, Pinckney Chapter No. 145 O. E. S. will have a combined celebration of Past Matrons' Night and the Chapter's Birthday Party. The program will take place at 7:30, after that potluck supper will be served in the dining room. Then will follow the inspection of the packages that have been presented to the Chapter. All Masons, Stars and their families are invited.

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Current Events in Review

By Edward W. Pickard

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Mussolini Abolishes Chamber of Deputies

BENITO MUSSOLINI evidently expects another European war, and in preparation for it he announced several drastic measures on the seven-teenth anniversary of the founding of the Fascist party. He abolished the chamber of deputies, substituting for it a council of guilds; and he also eliminated the country's large industries, leaving the medium and small private industries in existence. This latter move, he told the council of the 22 guilds of the corporative state, was to increase the nation's economic self-sufficiency. "When and how war will come, one does not know," he said, "but the wheel of fate turns fast."

Mussolini asserted the large industries, particularly those working for the defense of the nation, would be formed into organizations called "key industries." These, he said, "will be run directly or indirectly by the government. Some will have mixed organization."

He drew tremendous cheers from the audience, rising in the gorgeous Julius Caesar hall of the capitol building, on Capitoline hill, when he declared that with this reform, the Fascist party reached fulfillment of its purposes.

Russia and Poland Don't Trust Negotiations

EASTERN Europe, especially soviet Russia and Poland, is distrustful of the negotiations among the Locarno powers. Russia, according to Karl Radek, authoritative writer in Moscow, is convinced she must rely for her safety mainly on her own resources for defense, and accordingly will strengthen her armed forces, already numbering 1,300,000 men. He described commitments of the four Locarno powers in regard to future action as "so uncertain that they can be discounted as not existing at all."

Suggestions offered in London for the summoning of an international conference to discuss new agreements Radek found to be "so vague" as to appal the world to know we will never capitulate before the resolutions and for which Hitler has expressed no particular love.

The Polish government was decidedly worried by reports of secret negotiations in London behind the scenes of the conference of the Locarno powers. These reports were forwarded by Col. Josef Beck, the foreign minister, who scented a plot to secure peace in western Europe at the expense of eastern Europe by granting Germany a free hand in the latter region. Beck thought there were possibilities of revision of the Versailles and other treaties. The information he sent to Warsaw led the press there to publish bitter attacks on the course Great Britain apparently was pursuing.

Hitler Considers Reply to Peace Proposals

REICHSFUEHRER HITLER recalled Joachim von Ribbentrop from London, where that diplomat had heard Germany condemned as a treaty violator by the council of the League of Nations, and with him spent several days carefully planning his response to the proposals of the other four Locarno powers. Others of his advisers participated in the conferences, but there was no doubt that Hitler himself would determine the course of the peace, and from the demonstrations in his honor over the week-end it appeared certain the German people would sustain him in his decision. Going to Breslau, still accompanied by Van Ribbentrop, Hitler told a big gathering of citizens: "We will not make a single compromise in internal or external politics. We want the world to know we will never capitulate before the resolutions and formulations of others."

Declaring the world is getting itself entangled in military alliances, Hitler promised: "We Germans will not allow ourselves to be entangled, because we have reconquered our sovereignty and intend to keep it."

The Fuehrer answered charges that his peace proposals were merely a gesture by saying: "I make no empty gestures. These were proposals to insure the peace of the world for 25 years. Let other statesmen ask their peoples to express their opinion in votes as to whether they want war or peace. Maybe then the nations will come to agreement. May God show us the right way."

Parts of the peace plan offered by the four Locarno powers that were most objectionable to the Germans were the creation of an international police zone 12 miles wide along the Rhineland frontier, and the submis-

sion of the Franco-Russian mutual aid treaty to the world court.

Foreign Secretary Eden urged Von Ribbentrop before the latter left London for Berlin to prevail on Hitler to submit counter proposals. Eden emphasized that the four power proposals were not intended to be final. Believing Hitler would be obdurate, the French cabinet prepared a program of sanctions against Germany for proposal to the league, although Foreign Minister Flandin and others doubted that England would agree to support it. Flandin was prepared for a struggle to keep Britain, Belgium and Italy in a united front with France against German efforts to drive them apart. Four Locarno powers are agreed on a virtual military alliance if the reichsfuehrer fails to accept their proposals for a new Rhineland settlement.

Great Floods Recede and Reconstruction Begins

INTREPID citizens of scores of cities and towns in the eastern and New England states which were devastated by the unprecedented floods were digging out their homes and places of business from the mud and debris as the turbulent waters of many rivers subsided. Reconstruction and refitting began everywhere immediately, and this, as well as the relief of the suffering thousands, was aided by funds totaling more than \$48,000,000 allocated by President Roosevelt before he left Washington for Florida.

Rough estimates were that the total dead in 13 states were 189; the homeless were 221,500, and the total property damage, \$271,500,000. The last figure probably would be tripled if one took into account the losses from interruption to industry and trade and the stoppage of the wages of labor. Cities along the lower Ohio were threatened as the flood waters raced down to the Mississippi and the Gulf of Mexico, but they had had plenty of warning and were in a measure prepared. Of course many communities were submerged, but the residents had moved to higher land.

Everywhere in the devastated regions the Red Cross workers were busy with food, clothing and medical supplies, and in many places National Guardsmen were kept on duty to prevent looting. The people of the nation were responding liberally to the call of President Roosevelt and Admiral Grayson, head of the Red Cross for a fund of \$3,000,000.

Isabella Greenway Will Retire From Congress

ISABELLA GREENWAY, the capable lady who has represented Arizona in congress since October, 1933, has announced in Tucson that she will retire from public life at the conclusion of her present term. She was first elected for the remainder of the term of Lewis Douglas, who resigned to become director of the budget, and was re-elected in 1934.

Mrs. Greenway owns and operates several ranches in Arizona and New Mexico and a hotel in Tucson, and is also interested in some mining companies. Undoubtedly she could go back to congress without opposition, but she says she wants to devote more time to her private activities.

Doings of the Senators and Representatives

STILL refusing to appropriate \$12,000,000 for the Florida ship canal, the senate passed the army bill carrying approximately \$611,000,000. More than half the sum goes for the military activities of the War department.

There will be no reduction in the number of CCC camps during most of the coming fiscal year, and the enrollees will be kept up to about the 350,000 mark. This was the decision of President Roosevelt after a threatened revolt of Democratic representatives induced him to change his mind in the matter.

Senator Black, chairman of the senate lobbying committee, has added the Wichita Beacon to the papers whose telegrams he has seized or attempted to seize. The list also includes the Hearst publications, the Cowles papers, and the Times Publishing company of Wichita Falls, Tex. John Henry Kirby, an anti-Roosevelt Democrat of Texas, learned Black had subpoenaed all his telegrams and warned the senator not to exhibit to anyone any family or private business messages.

President Goes South on His Fishing Trip

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT packed up his fishing tackle and started South for his annual angling cruise, this time on the new Presidential boat, the Potomac. He made a brief stop at Winter Park, Fla., where he received an honorary degree from Rollins college. His plan was then to board the Potomac and spend about two weeks on his old fishing grounds off the Florida coast.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Lansing—To prospective prize-seekers at the 1936 Michigan State Fair, to be held Sept. 4-13 in Detroit, \$50,000 in premiums will be offered as usual.

Grand Rapids—Kent County public health workers have organized the Kent County Crippled Children's Society. The first project of the society will be conducting a seal sale for the benefit of crippled children.

Jackson—Federal approval has been given the erection of three bridges across the Grand River here at a cost of \$44,265. They will be of steel and concrete and will be built at Losey Ave., Bridge St. and Lewis St. The City's share of the cost will be about \$12,000.

Pontiac—Who was the first commuter in Oakland County, now a county of commuters? Well, it might have been George Malcolm, who lived at Orchard Lake more than 100 years ago. Every two weeks he walked 32 miles to Detroit and 32 back to provide groceries for his family.

Lansing—Commissioner Murray D. Van Waggoner has estimated that in 1935-36 Michigan would spend \$21,340,000 on State highways now the Hayden-Cartwright Bill now pending before Congress. The State would be required to match \$9,120,000 of Federal funds over the two-year period.

West Branch—Five new forest camp grounds open to the public will be added to the Au Sable State Forest, to make a total of 10. They will be developed by a CCC crew from Camp Au Sable. The new camps will be located on the Au Sable River, and will be accessible from forest roads or by canoe.

Cheboygan—Northern Michigan farm boys are being taught not only to know their onions but their oaks and elms as well. County champions in a 4-H Club wood identification contest based on 14 Michigan native trees will be selected this Spring, and will compete against each other next summer at Gaylord camp.

Jackson—Twelve hundred invitations have gone out from the Board of Commerce to members of the Michigan Industrial Education Society, which will hold its annual convention here April 23 to 25. More than 600 persons are expected to attend, including vocational industrial arts instructors of state, city and village schools.

Lansing—An epidemic of deer-killing dogs operating throughout most of the northern counties of Lower Michigan, has been reported by conservation officers. Hundreds of deer carcasses were found badly mutilated and they believe that this represents but a small portion of the animals slain. It appears the dogs kill purely for the love of killing, making no attempt to devour the carcasses.

Holland—A former Holland man, Alec Kole, has been sent to Mesopotamia to head a crew of welders who will construct a 1,200-mile gas pipeline across the Syrian desert to Haifa, near Jerusalem. Kole sailed recently to take charge of his crew of nine Britons and two Americans. He was selected for the work after he had topped a crew of 32 in Government elimination tests as a welder on pipelines in Texas oil fields.

Pontiac—A new type of relief program will be inaugurated in Oakland County in April and will be adopted in other Michigan counties if found successful. Called the Wage Relief Program, the plan is expected to provide at its inception work for about 1,000 relief clients on projects which include work on city streets and parks. Welfare clients working on these projects will be allowed a ten per cent cash increase in their food budgets.

Kenton—One of the heaviest penalties in years for deer law violation was meted out to Vincent Peterson, 22 years old, of Kenton, convicted by his own plea of guilty on six deer-violation counts. Peterson received fines totaling \$525 plus costs, with alternative jail sentences aggregating 330 days. Peterson had pleaded guilty to killing doe, killing buck, killing female fawn, killing male fawn, transporting deer and carrying loaded firearms in closed game area.

Lansing—A bulletin from the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service indicates that practically all farm homes in the State are occupied and in operation. Verne H. Church, senior Federal agricultural statistician for Michigan, estimated that total acreage for 10 most important field crops will reach 7,000,000 acres. He predicted an increase of 29,000 acres in corn plantings and 12,000 acres in soy bean fields. Church said that farmers probably will plant 22,000 acres less beans and cut wheat fields by 48,000 acres.

Escanaba—Help from the heavens came to George Petersen, Escanaba business man, when his car stuck in a snowdrift on the ice fields of Bay de Noc. After vainly trying to free the auto, Petersen was preparing to walk six miles to town, when he heard a plane. He pulled off his red Mackinaw and waved it. The plane circled and landed nearby. Lieut. Wally Arntzen and Joe Bonen, Escanaba pilots, helped him free the automobile, and after taking off obligingly followed him to shore to guard against further trouble.

Uncommon Sense

By John Blake
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Perhaps a great violinist is to be excused for thinking or talking more about music than about anything else.

Lopsided Tongues—It may be that an inventor is entitled to bore his friends and acquaintances by conversing about his hobby day in and day out.

But such people are geniuses and therefore exceptions. However, the person who talks shop and thinks shop constantly soon becomes a nuisance. He leads a lopsided life.

He is a burden to everybody with whom he comes into contact.

You may be "hipped" on your calling, but don't think that other people are.

A person's knowledge of his own trade is enhanced by general information and by outside reading.

If he can talk with some degree of intelligence about matters that are of interest to those whom he is speaking to he will cease to be a bore, and become good company.

A boy with a new job may be excused for harping on it.

But a man who can think of only one thing—his own profession or business, and brings it up at every opportunity is by way of being a pest.

If you want to be "good company" and who does not, listen considerably more than you speak, and speak as little as possible about your own vocation and its difficulties and delights, and the progress you are making in it.

Talk shop, if you must to your shop mates, but even they deserve and will appreciate a rest from the same old topics, discussed in the same old way. General conversation, if conducted intelligently, is stimulating and profitable.

An exchange of views and ideas is a stimulant to anyone who is not a loquacious egotist who is never happy unless he is doing all the talking himself.

Such a person is a lopsided thinker, and he leads a lopsided life.

Learn to talk convincingly, but sparingly.

If your views are asked for, give them.

But beware of being a chatterbox, whose only speech concerns your only little circle of ideas, and who is never satisfied unless all the talking is done by one tongue, when there are so many other tongues which are eager to be employed.

Talking is an art, if well done.

It is a difficult art, but practice it for a while and you will find that it was well worth all the trouble you took to cultivate it.

The early settlers in America continued to suffer from raids by the Indians till they and their wives and children were in fear of their lives.

Why Crooks Prosper—The result was the Pequot massacre. It was a hideous thing, but it put an end to frequent New England for a long time.

The honest and decent people in this country outnumber the crooks many hundred to one.

But the crooks are organized. More-over they are as a rule marked men and when cornered they know that they must fight for their lives or die.

The people whom they victimize read of a gunman massacre in the newspaper and say aloud or to themselves, "Something ought to be done about this atrocity." And then turn the newspaper over to the stock market column or the news from Washington or the yacht race.

There is no organized crime in this country which could not be stopped in six months if the people realized what it meant, and made up their minds that a stop must be put to it.

The depredations of organized crowds of murderers and robbers and yeggmen in New York would be ended in a few weeks if those who read about them took the trouble to think what it means to the people of a great city to be victims, or innocent bystanders at a shooting spree.

We are as a race and as a nation unthinking and heedless.

Things happen too fast among us, and are so interesting and exciting while they are going on that they do not sink very deep.

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A scare is always provocative of measures to restore peace and quiet.

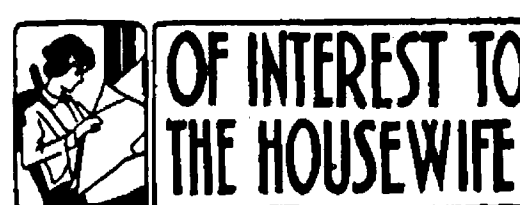
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Icing for cake may be prevented from cracking by adding one teaspoon of cream to each unbeaten egg. Stir all together, then add sugar until the icing is as stiff as desired.

To remove stains from a vase or bottle, put in it two tablespoons of salt and four tablespoons of vinegar and shake well. Let stand for several hours, empty and rinse out in hot soap suds.

Baking powder biscuits, corn breads and muffins may be freshened by brushing them all over with cold water and heating in a moderate oven (375 degrees F.) for five or ten minutes just before serving.

A worn whisk broom trimmed down to its stiffest part makes a very good scrubbing brush for the sink.

A little vinegar poured into a saucepan in which onions have been fried will remove the odor of onions from the pan.

To remove egg stains from a linen tablecloth soak it in cold water before putting it into hot soapsuds.

Set your alarm clock to notify you when baking period is completed. You may then continue your work in the other part of the house without worry.

Soft cheese may be grated by pushing it through a sieve with a spoon.

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Hamburg

George N. Burnett, a former resident of Hamburg, died at his home in Harvey, Ill., Tuesday night, Mar. 24, after an illness of two and a half years. He was the son of Charles and Mrs. Jennie Noble Burnett and was born in Hamburg, February 15, 1878. Upon his graduation at Cleary Business College at Ypsilanti in 1902 he entered a bank at Fowlerville. Here he was united in marriage with Miss Avon Cooper of Fowlerville, who survives him. Something over 20 years ago they moved to Harvey, Ill., where he entered the banking business and which has since been his home. Besides the widow he is survived by a sister, Mrs. Howard J. Ball and brother, Rex Burnett of Webster; a nephew and two nieces. Funeral services were held at his late home Thursday, and the body brought to the home of Mrs. Howard J. Ball where services were held on Saturday afternoon. Rev. A. S. Johnson, pastor of Webster Congregational church officiating. Mrs. William Wilson, accompanied by Mrs. Norman Smith, sang two selections: "The Old Rugged Cross" and "God Shall Wipe Away All Tears." The body was taken to Fowlerville for interment. The pallbearers were six schoolmates of Hamburg: John Buttersfield, George E. Sheridan, James DeWolf, William A. Sheffer, Thomas W. Featherly and Reuben A. Kisby. Among those attending the services were, Mrs. George N. Burnett, Mrs. Roger, Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Raymond Rodger of Harvey, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Helt of Detroit; Edwin Ball and Miss Lora Burnett of Ann Arbor; Mrs. Marion Burnett of Lakeland; Mrs. Effie Burnett of Green Oak; Hon. Lynn Gardner of Stockbridge; Mrs. Mary Burnett Platt of Flint; Mr. and Mrs. George Glover of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Glover of Fowlerville; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cooper and Mrs. Jane Coper of Grass Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Donahue of Gregory; Mrs. Ruel J. Conihue and Miss Mary Conihue of Ann Arbor; Edward Weber of Chelsea and many from Hamburg and Webster. The honor roll of Hamburg village school for the month of March, those who were absent or tardy during the month are announced as follows:

In Mrs. Grace Beebe Beckwith's room: Edna DeWolf, Elsie DeWolf, Betty Ann K'cher, Arlene Lear, Betty Ann Fume and Donald Shannon. In Miss Helen Wenderlein's room: Jeanne ennett, Donald Briggs, Ernestine Keenan, Kenneth Leach, Floyd McMichael, Mary Moore, Rita Paine, Bobby Roberts, Wesley Shannon, Garnet Stevens and Louise Stevens. But two names remain on the honor roll for the year, Jeanne Bennett and Mary Moore. Mrs. Nellie E. Pearson entertained Monday evening for her niece, Barbara Dellway, in honor of her fifth birthday anniversary. Guests were, Marie Hammell of Howell, Arlene Lear and Betty Ann Kuchar. A birthday cake with five lighted candles centered the table. Mrs. Edward J. Sheridan is still confined to her bed. Mrs. Richard Henry of Whitmore Lake is caring for her. Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Pryer and Dan Dickerson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pryer's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar G. Mayer of Ann Arbor. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Pryer's son, Ben E. Pryer and family, also of Ann Arbor. Mr. and Mrs. William H. Keedle had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. DeWolf and four children, George, Marion, Dorothy and Barbara of Ann Arbor township, and Howard and Miss Florence Snyder of Ann Arbor. Dr. Russell Hayner of Highland Park Hospital spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayner. Mrs. Cleo Smith, who has been ill for some time, has been a little better the past few days. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Robinson, who have been living on the George Roberts' farm in Green Oak, have moved into the residence of Mrs. Millie Robinson at Hamburg village. Mrs. Earl C. Lear and daughter, Hazel, and Mrs. Henry B. Pryer visited Mrs. Louisa B. Hull in Ann Arbor, Thursday. Mrs. Hull's niece, Mrs. Florence Page of Kansas, is caring for her. Mr. and Mrs. James Hayner were Lansing business visitors Tuesday. Arlain Taylor of Detroit was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. Kuchar.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Stephen's Episcopal church have a quilt on the frames at the home of Mrs. William Blades, where ladies can go and quilt at any time. The regular monthly meeting of the Guild will be held at Mrs. Blades', Thursday, with pot-luck dinner at noon.

Lakeland

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Metzgar and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Myio Kettler, Wednesday. Mrs. Jack Vanderwall and daughter, Francis, spent Wednesday in Howell. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sinn and sons of Ann Arbor, spent the week end here in their cottage. The Misses Yvonne and Patsy Kettler, Peggy Grain and Polly Bump of Howell spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee. Dr. and Mrs. Hollis Sigler of Howell spent Sunday in the Matheson cottage here. Miss Madge Jack, Mrs. Lester Metzgar and children, Phyllis and Geraldine, Yvonne Kettler and Peggy Grain shopped in Ann Arbor, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Painter of Jackson called on Mr. Painter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Painter, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Loeb and children of Toledo, Ohio, spent the week end in their cottage here. Mrs. Bruce Euler shopped in Howell, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee and son, Alger, the Misses Madge and Mildred Jack of this place, Bill Lamb of Pinckney and Robert Ackley of Howell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Myio Kettler at Howell.

Plainfield

Ford Lavern and Margaret Topping of Midland spent the past week with the Topping family. Mr. S. S. Platt and Wm. Buhl of Howell called Thursday on Mr. C. O. and A. L. Dutton. Mr. Wm. C. McGee and son, Ross, of Lansing were callers in town Wednesday. Mr. Bobbie Welton and children are moving in to Mr. Steve Baker's house. Mrs. B. W. Roberts and son, Paul, spent Friday afternoon at Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton's. Mr. Wm. Isham called Sunday on Mr. C. O. Dutton. Mrs. Arletta Palen called Saturday for lunch at Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Roberts, and was an over-Sunday guest at her parents', Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wasson's. Mrs. Minnie L. Adams of Lansing was an over-night guest Wednesday night at Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton's. Mrs. Julia E. McGee of Lansing, formerly of this place, passed away March 24 in Sparrow Hospital, Lansing. The remains were brought here for burial, with funeral at Plainfield church Friday, 2:30, Rev. Ed. Swadling of this place officiating; burial in Plainfield cemetery. Plainfield school closed Friday for a week of Easter vacation. Wednesday, April 1, the W. M. S. will meet with Mrs. Jessie Topping, and Tuesday, April 7, the Ladies' Guild will meet with Mrs. F. E. Gauss for a pot-luck dinner. Everybody is welcome. Mr. and Mrs. Leland Miller of Lansing and family were with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Holmes, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gauss called Sunday on Mr. Andy Wilson of White Oak. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowen and family called Sunday on Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dyer.

Gregory

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crossman and Mrs. F. M. Bowdish were in Detroit on business Wednesday. Mrs. R. D. Breniser and aunt, Mrs. Rowe of Ann Arbor visited Mr. and Mrs. Backus of Three Rivers, Thursday. Mrs. Backus is very low with cancer. Mr. Backus was formerly a minister of Plainfield. Mrs. James Stackable is visiting in Detroit since Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hartley were in Howell, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ovitt were in Ann Arbor last week. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Breniser spent Sunday with relatives in Toledo. Miss Margaret Rowe is spending her vacation with her parents in Ypsilanti. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galbreath were in Howell, Tuesday. Miss Esther Jorgensen and mother are visiting relatives and friends in Leper since Saturday. Several from here attended the funeral of Mr. Cobb McGee of Lansing, which was held in Plainfield on Friday. Mrs. McGee was a sister of James Caakey. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Arnold of Perry spent the week end with their brothers, Otto and George Arnold and families. Rev. and Mrs. Slaybaugh visited relatives in Detroit, Wednesday and Thursday, and attended Lenten services. Mrs. Anna Shults of Chelsea called on Mrs. Charles Galbreath, Sunday afternoon. Roy Wright and family called on Will Venner and family Saturday evening. Clifton and Laurmer Barbour and Claude Hoard moved Saturday from Newport to their job at Byron. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Griffin of Bridgeport brought Mrs. Theresa Marsh home Saturday. Mrs. Bardwell, who has made her home with Mrs. Marsh several years, is very ill at the home of a relative. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brogan and family of Lonia, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A.

Judy O'Grady AND THE Colonel's Lady

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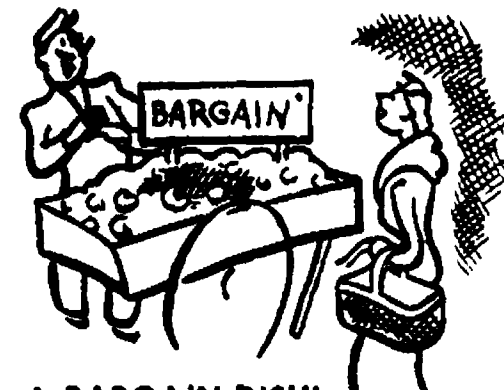


At the Autumn Salon of 1927 of l'Institut de France, the art of cooking was officially recognized along with painting, literature and sculpture as one of the Fine Arts

Over at the O'Grady's place, there is a lot of celebrating. They have hired a new cook... one with a reputation for some of the finest meals in town. And how do the O'Grady's afford it, you ask? Come close, and we'll tell you a secret: The new cook isn't human, strictly speaking. She is an electric stove. Judy O'Grady likes to do the mixing and so forth, herself, but the stove does all the rest. And Judy says it's no blarney that she owes half the success of her cooking to the new stove. She says it's the greatest help she's ever had. The cost? Well now, how could the O'Grady's keep an electric stove if it were expensive? Judy says it was a pleasant surprise to discover how economical it is to use.

Here's another secret: The Colonel's Lady in the house up on the hill has a reputation for fine dinners. She hasn't cooked a meal here. She's self for years and years—but she knows good cooking and enjoys it. She can afford to buy the very best there is. Money is no object... but if you'll look in her kitchen, you'll find the very same electric stove that Judy O'Grady has in hers!

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1 1/2 cup cooked carrots 1/2 cup peas
1/2 cup diced Bermuda or green onion 1/2 cup diced celery
1 1/2 cups leftover diced meat
Mix all ingredients together. Marinate in French or Dutch dressing. Chill and serve in lettuce cups or on dice.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Foster of Lansing visited the former's aunt, Mrs. Henry Tandy and family Sunday. Walter Miller called on Joe Roberts, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Redinger moved last week into their new home recently purchased of Mr. and Mrs. John Ruttman. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brow of Lansing spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tandy and family. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and son, of Plymouth, moved onto their farm recently purchased of the E. W. Allison estate. Mr. and Mrs. Swen Jensen and family visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore of Tecumseh, Sunday.

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Crackers, Sun Ray 2 lb pkg. 17c

Calumet Baking Powder, lb. can 21c

Sugar, 10 lb. Cloth Bag 54c

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Pink Salmon, Raceland Brand, can 12c

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Dr. and Mrs. McGregor, their daughter, Ann, of Perry, Dr. and Mrs. Walter Mercer and son, Billy, of Webberville, were recent visitors at the Will Mercer home.

Fred Read and wife spent Saturday evening in Jackson.

Roy Reason spent the week end with his wife at Coopersville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reason spent the week end with Detroit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Detwiler were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Graves and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Caulk attended the Flower Show in Detroit, Sunday.

Mrs. Wealtha Vail and Miss Jessie Green visited Jackson relatives on Thursday.

Mrs. C. L. Sigler and Miss Nellie Gardner were Detroit visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Read and daughters were Ann Arbor visitors Sunday evening.

Mrs. Libbie Moore of Dexter called on Mrs. Maria Dinkel at the J. C. Dinkel home Sunday.

Mrs. Winifred Graves and daughter, Jean, spent the past week with relatives and friends in Jackson.

Mrs. Dean Reason of Lansing was a Saturday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson.

Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Zuse, daughter, Margaret, and Mrs. R. K. Elliott were in Detroit one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, who have been living in the Harold Swarthout house on Main Street, have moved to Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Darrow visited their daughter, Virginia, at the University Hospital in Ann Arbor, Monday.

Mr. Lupi and family are moving from the Darwin farm to the Galligan or Fisk farm. Wm. Darrow will move onto the Darwin farm.

Last Sunday night, on his way home, Harry Murphy picked up a man lying along the highway near the Eisele farm on the Howell road. He was in a dazed condition, but related that his name was Walker and that he was from Detroit. His car had broken down at Pinckney and he had hitch-hiked to Howell for repairs. On his way back he had been hit by a green Oldsmobile sedan and knocked down. Harry brought him to Pinckney.

Those from out-of-town who attended Mrs. C. L. Bowman's funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bowman and daughter, Mary, of Port Huron, Mich.; S. J. Ashenbrenner and daughter, Barbara, of Detroit; M. Green, Mrs. Fred Holcomb and son, Allison, of Clarkston; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green of Detroit; Mrs. Wm. Peach of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. A. Frye and son, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. C. Lausher of Detroit; Leo Thomas of Detroit; Mrs. Bess Buck and daughter, Betty, of Hazel Taylor of Lansing; Mrs. Margaret Plinto of Howell; Mrs. Bollinger, Mrs. Alma of Mery; daughter, Janette, of Thomas; and Mrs. C. J. Clin-

Clarence Diehl of Dansville was in town Thursday.

Wm. Darrow has rented his house here to Ted Singer.

Mrs. H. J. Doolittle was in Detroit last Wednesday.

Mrs. R. K. Elliott and Miss Clella Fish were in Ann Arbor, Thursday.

Mrs. Ross Read and son, Howard, were in Ann Arbor, Thursday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hoff of Flint spent the week end with the Misses Hoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Timmons of Jackson called on Rev. Carlan Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Reason and daughter of Lansing spent the week end with Pinckney relatives.

We understand that Frank Smaka, former P. H. S. high school star, is now enrolled in a CCC camp.

Will Buhl and wife of Howell were last Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Bland.

Mrs. W. C. AtLee, Mrs. M. E. Darrow and daughter, Evelyn, were in Ann Arbor, Thursday afternoon.

Andrew Campbell has rented a farm on Grand River, two miles west of Howell, and expects to move there soon.

Mrs. James Roche and daughter, Kathleen, were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell West in Ann Arbor.

Edith Myers and Cyrus AtLee topped off their week's vacation last week by taking in the Michigan Theatre in Detroit, Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Wilson was home from Royal Oak over the week end, and had as her guest, Miss Adela Guest of Grand Rapids.

Miss Mervine Meabon and her brother, Marshall, called on their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Marshall near Gregory, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Van Horn had as Sunday callers, S. E. Van Horn of Howell, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hinkley, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Campbell and daughter, Leona. Mesdames M. J. Reason, W. C. Miller and Roger Carr were hostesses at a 1 o'clock luncheon for the Past Matrons' Club at the home of Mrs. Reason, Thursday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stanton of Detroit were week end guests of Fred Lake.

Floyd Randall of Lansing was a caller at the home of W. C. Miller, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hoff of Flint were week end guests of the Hoff sisters.

Mrs. Will Suydam of Jackson spent the week end with Pinckney relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Zuse and daughter, Margaret, were in Ann Arbor, Thursday.

The Misses Fannie Monks and Nellie Gardner entertained their Bridge Club Monday evening.

All things sold well at the Brown auction here Friday. The 13-year-old horse brought \$150.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Amburgey, Dorothy Engel and Jack McIntosh of Detroit were Pinckney callers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown, their sons, Terry and William, Homer Miller and wife were Webberville callers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne McQuillan, C. A. Walsh and wife of Detroit spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Devereaux.

Mrs. Cyrus Gardner and Mrs. Gibson of Lansing called on Mrs. Zou Chambers, Thursday and shopped in Ann Arbor with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Henry, Miss Violet Sedick and Ray Sedick of Howell were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Swarthout and daughter of Jackson were Friday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Straushecker and daughter, Pauline, of Grand Rapids, spent last Friday and Saturday with his sister, Mrs. O. L. Campbell and Mr. Campbell.

Mrs. Josie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Van Horn, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Campbell and daughter, Leona, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Weeks at the Howell Sanitarium.

Mrs. Louis Wagoner, while working with the O. E. S. ladies in the kitchen at the Masonic banquet Friday night, was badly burned on one limb, when some scalding water was spilled on her.

Mrs. Leo Thomas of Charlotte, who has been assisting to care for Mrs. Chas. Bowman, fell down the cellar stairs at the home of Mrs. Grace Thomas, Thursday. She was unconscious for several hours, but is better now.

Nick Katoni was in Howell on business last Saturday.

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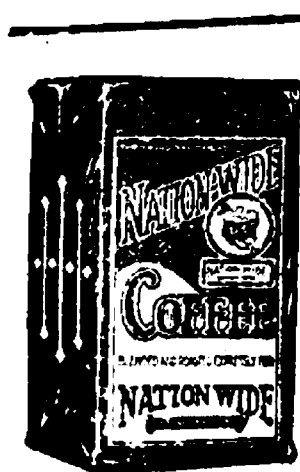
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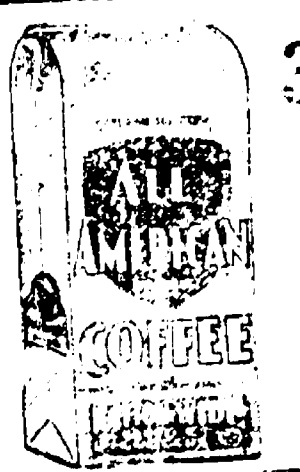
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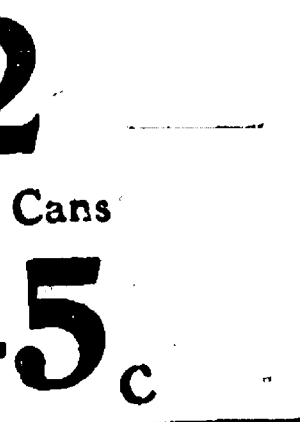


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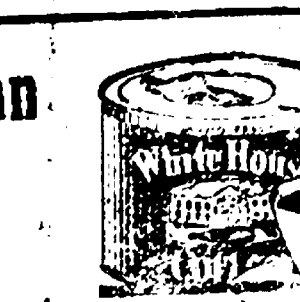
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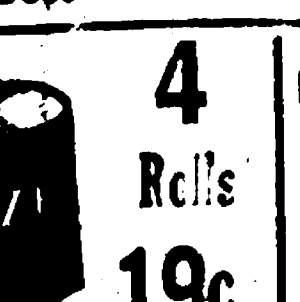


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2-H.C. "Bud" Fisher, great comic strip artist, born 1884.
3-First steamship is launched on Great Lakes, 1818.
4-George Washington uses the veto power for first time, 1792.
5-United States declares war on Germany, 1917.
6-General Grant wins decisively at Shiloh, Tenn., 1862.
7-French "Croix de Guerre" war decoration instituted, 1918.

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Neighboring Notes

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Auditor General O'Hara will be the speaker at the Father and Son banquet at Fowlerville on April 2.

The Webberville bank is making another 20 percent payoff on participating certificates to depositors.

The Fowlerville Commercial Club now has a membership of over 80.

Crows have got to be such a nuisance in Mt. Evergreen Cemetery, Jackson, that officials have asked the city's permission to hold a crow hunt.

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C. C. Christianson of Manistee has been hired as superintendent of Brighton schools next year to replace P. L. Bell, resigned.

Dr. Arch McGregor of Parry will hereafter be associated with Dr. Melius in his hospital at Brighton. The McGregors will make their home in Brighton.

A reception was held at Brighton last week for Rev. Kinsman, recently appointed pastor of St. Patrick's church there. Neighboring priests, the mayor, and other community leaders were on the program.

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DISPATCH OF APRIL 1, 1886

R. C. Auld has rented his farm at Portage Lake to Thomas Judson.

Ed. Parker went to Ann Arbor the first of the week on business.

Quite a few farmers in this section have received circulars urging them to buy Bohemian oats. According to the postoffice department, this is a swindle. The letters are mailed from Easton, Penn.

The horse of H. W. Wilsey was struck and killed by lightning last week.

Quish John Devine of the hardware firm of Devine & Quish at Dexter, has been struck by the western fever and will move to Devil's Lake, N. D.

George Peatt and family of Juanito, Neb., has moved onto the farm in Webster, they recently bought.

Ground has been broken for a new creamery at Stockbridge.

E. G. Pierce and family of Stockbridge have emigrated to Dakota.

Tom McKeever, Howell saloonist, pleaded guilty to having his son open on election day and was fined \$25 and costs by Justice Riddle.

Bert Bailey has an auction advertised for April 13. He sold his farm to Mr. Collins, and will go west.

J. T. Eamen and Company of Anderson bought 700 dozen eggs at Anderson last week.

James Roche lost his wrestling match at Gregory to Nell McClellan last week.

Congressman Edwin Winans is expected home from Washington, D. C. this week.

Hamburg has already raised \$1400 of the required \$2500 bonus for the Ann Arbor railroad.

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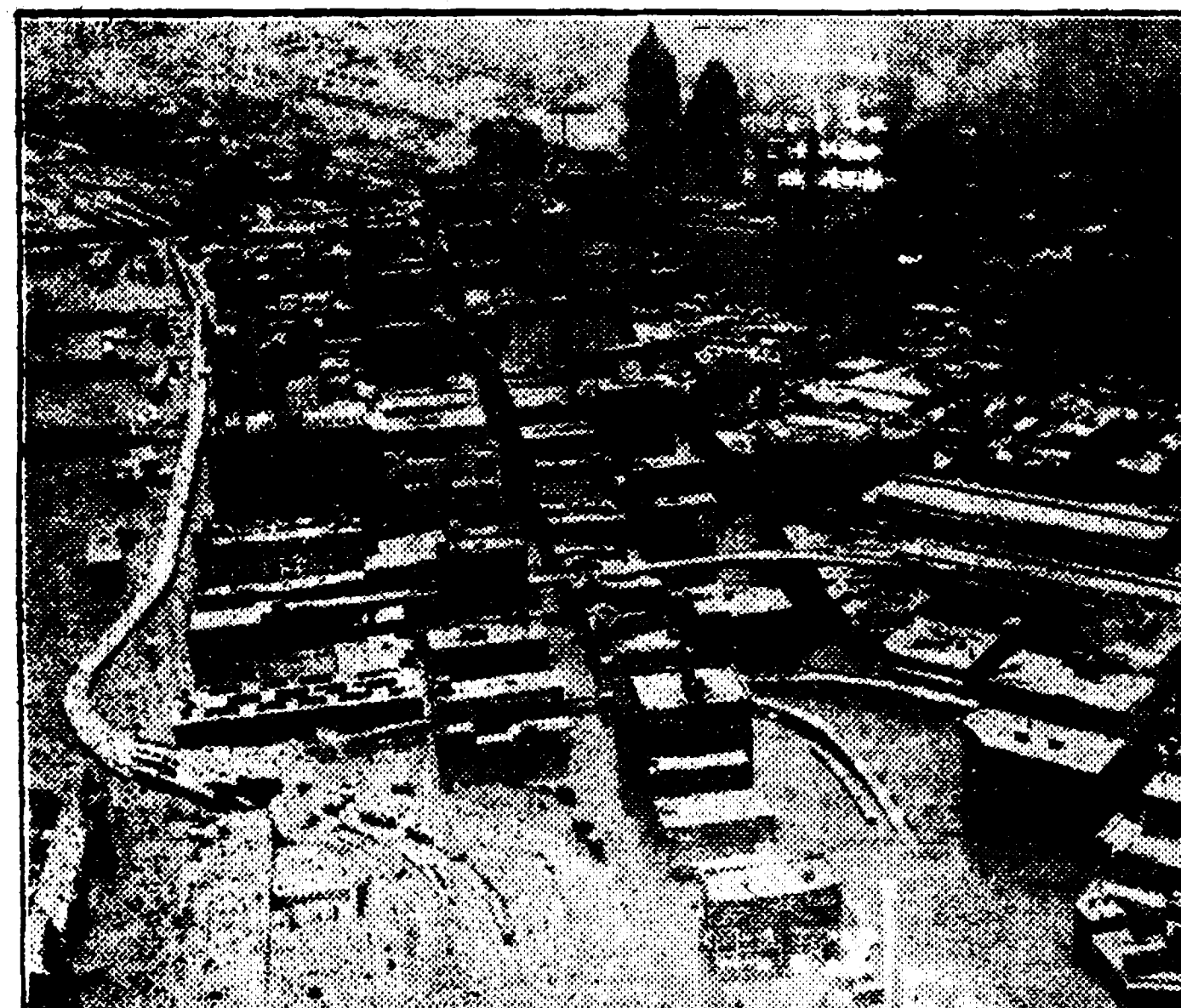
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CHAPTER IX—Continued

"Now, look here, old fellow," said Geoffrey, "I'm not going to take any sides till I know where I am. I want to hear your story from first to last. Don't leave out any details. This show's bung full of detail, and details count."

I plucked at the grass.

"I don't know that I care to tell you."

"Take your time," said Geoffrey.

"But we don't leave here till you do."

"I don't know that I want to leave here."

"No more do I," said Geoffrey. "It's a very attractive spot, and I'm glad of a change."

I lay back and stared at the sky. I felt a curious detachment from all that ten hours ago had been my life. Looking back, I seemed to be looking across some unbridgeable depth.

I think the truth is that my interest in Helena Yorick had suddenly died, and since that had filled my being, for the moment my life was empty as never before. I did not regret the lady—I was neither happy nor sad. I simply had no material upon which my emotions could work. The bitterness I had shown Geoffrey was that of a savage critic—not of an injured man. I was impersonal.

So much for the state of mind which my abrupt disillusion had brought about. Helena Yorick had deceived me. Nell had looked into my eyes and fooled me to the top of my bent. The utterly impossible had happened. The ideal I had carved out of marble had crumbled away.

There was only one thing to be done—the game must go on and from now I would play my own hand.

I sat up and looked at my cousin.

"I suppose I may as well tell you," I said.

"I suppose so," said Geoffrey, yawning.

"Where shall I start?"

"From where I left you at Villach, just over a week ago."

A full half hour went by before I had done.

"I've got to digest this," he said. "I shan't be long."

While he strolled, I lay flat once more and stared at the sky, and though I would gladly have stopped them, my thoughts rambled back to the antics which I had lately performed.

Helena Yorick had piped, and I had danced. That was as much as it came to. But I had trusted the piper, and the piper had played me false.

My cousin was standing before me, regarding his watch.

"From what you tell me," he said, "the countryside appears to be littered with cars; our immediate vicinity, however, seems to have been neglected. We must, therefore, wait for Barley. He's a job of work to do and he won't be here for another hour and a half. Still, that'll give us time to settle two or three points. And between you and me, it's as well that you had that sleep, for unless I'm much mistaken, you won't have time for sleep for the next few hours."

"With regard to the promise Lady Helena gave to Pharaoh..." If you hadn't been overwrought, I like to believe that your reason would have told you that from every point of view that promise was no more binding than a bucket of Glauber's salt. For one thing, it was exacted—she promised under duress. For another, let's quote his own words. "Because you have scruples you are weighted clean out of this race. I am not so embarrassed—I never am." He makes that arresting statement, and then within five minutes he has the blasted effrontery to prove it up to the hilt. No wonder he left the room quickly; he was probably worried to death that Dewdrop would burst out laughing before he could get him outside. If you must have another reason, Pharaoh let you both go because he was stuck. As long as you two sat there, he could not move. More. The warden's suspicions were aroused and the house was full of your men; his only chance was to take up the role he asked for—the role of the Countess's guest.

"So much for the promise to Pharaoh. Now for the Count. He must, of course, be held till Pharaoh is dead. Barley's attending to that. Last night, at the Reaping Hook, he very properly held his tongue, but he knew just as well as you what a valuable prize you'd made. Like guest, like host, you know. In fact, to be honest, we'd been hoping to make it ourselves. You mustn't think we've been idle. We've watched and listened and learned a whale of a lot. And the Count's removal stood very high on our list. Well, as I say, Barley's attending to that. That's the job he's on now—shunting the Count.

"And now, for you. I'm not going to labor the point, because you seem so sore, but I suppose you realize that you were—er—evacuated in order to save your life. I mean, you can't really believe that Pharaoh, if he can help it, is going to let you live."

"I haven't really thought about it."

said I. "He's certainly tried to kill me and if he gets the chance I imagine he'll try again."

"Don't imagine," said Geoffrey. "Believe. Believe that he'll go on trying for the rest of his life. Your death-warrant was signed that morning at Annabel, 10 days ago. As long as you're useful, he'll use you—be sure of that. He meant to squeeze the Countess through you. But when he had got what he wanted, you were to die. And that brings us to her ladyship. This appears to be delicate ground, so I won't say much. But, if you please, ask yourself this. Why didn't she leave you last night, as she did five nights ago? A possible answer is that she may have thought you'd prove mullish—jib at breaking her promise to the rottenest swine that ever took a girl by the throat. But the great probability is that she wanted to do a deal. She meant to see Pharaoh and ask him the price of your life. Thanks to Helena Yorick's efforts, you're still alive, though why she should bother about you is more than I can conceive.

"Now this is what I propose. As soon as Barley returns we make at once for Plunage and close down Bugle—not Rush. Rush is ripe for secession; rats leave a sinking ship. He may have something to tell us. If not, we proceed to the castle—complete with Rush. We use the tunnel and footbridge and Rush can unlock the doors. Then we get hold of the warden and put him wise. From him we can learn—"

And there he stopped dead, with his eyes on the foliage behind me and his pipe halfway to his mouth.

As I turned to follow his gaze, Sabre leaped out of the beechwood and over the brook.

For a moment the great dog nosed me, moving his tail, and then, before

"I Don't Know That I Want to Leave Here."

I could think, he was gone the way he had come.

I was just in time to see a bare pass over a shoulder and flash out of view. Heavily I made for the spot. Somewhere beyond his point of disappearance Helena Yorick was moving, looking for me.

As first I could not see Sabre. Then I saw him leaving the valley to climb its opposite side. And then I saw his mistress, standing above in the sunlight, with one of her hands to her throat.

As I saw her she waved, and I answered. Then with one consent we began to go down to the valley that lay between.

Helena was regarding me straitly. "Is this your greeting, John?"

I stood very still.

"Yes," I said. "I'm sorry."

I pulled out the note she had written and looked her full in the eyes.

"I know," she said. "I did it because I loved you."

I tore the note to pieces and let them fall.

"You've done that to my faith," I said.

"I see," said Helena, slowly. "For whosoever will save his life shall lose it."

I shrugged my shoulders.

"I suppose so," I said. "I don't know. You're so much more clever than me. But something inside me's broken. I can't pretend."

"I know you can't, but I can. Every woman can. But I only pretended, John, to save your life."

"I know, I know," I said. "And I'm—much obliged. But I can't get as far as your motive. If I hadn't been mad about you, you couldn't have had me on."

Helena lifted her head.

"And so I'm damned," she said.

"I shouldn't think so," I said helplessly. "But it means we speak different tongues. Oh, can't you see what I mean? I thought it was I that induced the light in your eyes, but now you've shown me that you can switch it on."

"Is it any good my saying I can't? That when it came it was you that brought it there?"

There was a little silence. At last she lifted her head.

"I can still care," she said slowly.

"I have the power of being sorry—or glad. And I'm glad this has happened—thankful, and that's the truth. It's a jolt in a way, of course; but although we don't speak the same tongue, I think you'll get what I mean. It's very much better that this should have happened now than in six months' time. And now I'm going to speak plainly. Don't think I'm pleading my cause. That's not my way. Nothing on earth would induce me to marry you now."

"I don't see the man on earth I don't

marry—get hold of that. But I want to show you your trouble, because—well, I owe you something and perhaps one day it'll save you from making the same mistake."

"You're an idealist, John. That's one of the reasons why you appealed to me. I love idealists. I'm one myself. But idealists must live—and what is still more important, they've got to let live. An idealist must be human. Must keep his feet on the ground. If not, he becomes a nuisance—he carries his joke too far. You can't see that just now; you can't translate what I say; but I think you'll be able to one day, and then you'll remember my words."

"You can't get as far as my motive—that's what you said. What you really mean is that you cannot see my motive, because you are looking too high; but my motive is natural and human and belongs to the earth. It's a pity you can't get as far, for the motive counts."

"You see, if I had deceived you—and, of course, I don't deny that I did, I laid myself out to deceive you. I used every art that I knew—well, if I had deceived you with any shameful object... let's say to smooth my path to some other man, then your estimate would be true, for by using our understanding to let you down I should have committed a sin which not even an angel from heaven could ever forgive. But we both of us know that what I did I did because I loved you. And when you come down to earth, as I think you will, you'll see that that makes a difference. And something more you'll see, when you lower your eyes. You'll see what it cost me to do it. I debased our lovely coinage to save your life."

"Some people would call you a fool, but I know better than that. You see, I know you so well. You're so very simple and downright, and honest is your god. That worship and your unbridled idealism are, as it were, the lenses through which you see. And so what I did looks monstrous... it's because of that that I'm neither angry nor hurt—only thankful. If you had weighed me and had dared to find me wanting..."

Something was stirring within me. The challenge had stabbed some emotion that had not died.

"Finish the sentence," I said. "That's just what I've done."

For a moment she regarded me curiously.

Then—

"No, you haven't," she said. "You think you have, but you haven't. If you could speak my language, you'd understand what I mean. But that's by the way. As I said just now, I am—thankful that this has happened. To be honest, I knew it might happen. I saw its shadow while I was writing that note. And I very nearly added: 'Don't let him know I've done this.' And then I thought 'No, because that was a coward's way. I wasn't prepared to deceive you to save myself.'"

With a sudden air of pleasure she looked about.

"And now where's your cousin?" she said. "I fancy the game's nearly over. But I'd like him to hear my news and then we can settle the best way to go in and win."

As once before, the three of us sat on the turf, and Helena Yorick was speaking with my cousin's eyes on her face. But mine were upon the ground.

"If I had to give my story a title, I should call it 'How Pharaoh was hoist with his own petard.' But that would not be strictly correct, because, as you'll hear, it was the infallible Dewdrop that let him down."

"As John has told you, I saw him out of Yorick just about twenty past three. Then I went straight to bed, and after a little I managed to get to sleep. At half-past six I was awakened by the most awful din. Sabre was barking like mad and the fire-alarm of the castle was going all out. Then I heard men running and voices, and I'd hardly got my dressing gown round me before old Florin was speaking and knocking upon my door."

"Well, you'll never guess what had happened. A watchman had found blood on the terrace—a trail of blood that led him up to John's room."

She paused there and turned to me. "I'd no idea that Dewdrop had stabbed you so deep."

I said nothing and at once she resumed her tale.

"The moment I heard the news I saw the infinite value of holding my tongue. I knew whose blood it was and why it was there, but I felt that, left to itself, that blood would cry out with an eloquence which I could never approach. Dewdrop had stirred up a regular hornet's nest; it seemed to me more than likely that with a very little direction the hornets would turn their attention to Pharaoh and him."

"I told the warden to rouse you and, if he could get no answer, to break down the door. Very wisely, you'd left this unbarred—I shouldn't have thought of that. Of course, your room was empty, but I went in myself and looked carefully around. You see, I was sure that you must have stashed the wound and I wanted to see if you'd left any traces of this. But, again, you'd been very careful. And so I was free to give the hornets a tip."

"I turned to the warden."

"Where does this trail lead to?"

"Poor Florin stared."

"But it leads to this chamber," he said.

"Nonsense," said I. "It leads from here. Some hurt has been done Mr. Spencer and he has been taken away."

"The truth of the fiction was obvious. The hornets saw it at once. Four or five servants rushed off to study the end of the trail."

"Who was aware," I demanded, "that Mr. Spencer was to be lodged in this room?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Let Age and Youth Agree to Differ: A Form of Agreement

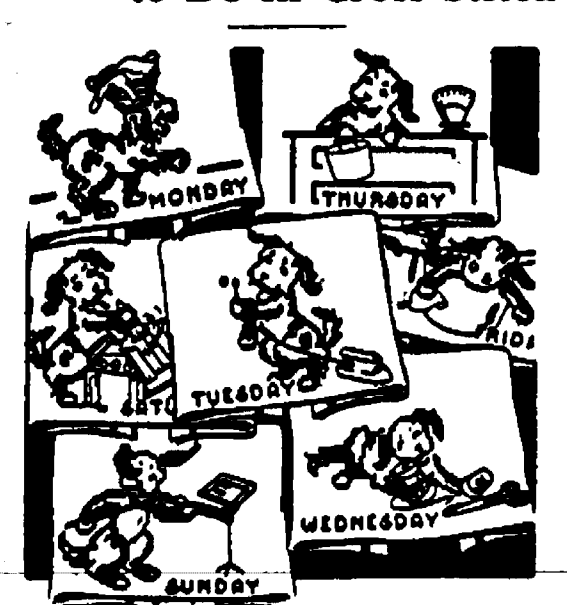
Conclusion of Sage on the Problem of Life's Contrasts.

One of the most serious of life's contrasts is the continual misunderstanding which arises between old age and youth. It is trite but true that from time immemorial age has been dissatisfied with youth and youth has resented the implication. Though we ourselves had no such temptations as beset the young people of today, nevertheless our parents were just as anxious about our doings as any parent now could be. To us, their children, the problems of this perplexing day seem intricate in comparison. R. L. S. thought it out in this fashion: Let them (age and youth) agree to differ, for who knows but what agreeing to differ may not be a form of agreement, rather than a form of difference?

Lady Slane, in her attempt to live her own life after fifty years of being a satellite in the wake of a distinguished husband, is criticized by some as devoid of maternal love in wishing to live apart from her family. But is not life in most families a proof of the saying that a prophet is not without honor save in his own country? The desire to explore one's individual country becomes rather important as life recedes with all passions spent.

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SMILES

No ifs or Ands
Sonny Boy—Say, Dad, what is meant by "the bone of contention"?
Dad—The jawbone, my son.

Right-o

"Why do they call these cinema attendants ushers, mochas?" asked the little girl.

"Don't be silly," interrupted her brother. "It's because they have to tell the people to be quiet."—Tit-Bits.

Double Punishment

The other night I went to an amateur theatrical performance, then went home and had a terrible dream.

"What did you dream?"
"I dreamt I went to it again."—Tit-Bits Magazine.

WRIGLEY'S FITS EVERY POCKETBOOK!

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THE PERFECT GUM
THE FLAVOR LASTS

must fall the work of the world. Sir Edmund Gosse in writing his "Father and Son," endured severe criticism because he said too much (later, because he said too little) in trying to present the influence of a strictly puritanical father upon a son whose attitude toward life had changed. Stevenson's comment upon the book helped to smooth over the harshness of such criticism when he said that it was a very delicate task, very delicately done. Published in 1907, it was, to use the author's words, a record of a struggle between two temperaments, two consciences, and almost two epochs.

It seems to me that Mr. Brownell in his "Standards," has found the keynote to the lack of harmony between the two generations when he says that youth fails to consider how much more crowded the pigeon-holes of age are than its own, and how much more irksome it is to arrange their contents, and that, in conjunction with the proverbial egotism of youth, is the whole cause of the difficulties that arise.

A case in point is the talk between the aged Belarius and the two sons of Cymbeline before they learn of their princely heritage. Belarius tells at length about the charms of mountain life in Wales, adding that it is nobler than attending for a check, richer than doing nothing for a bauble, prouder than rustling in unpaid silk. They listen respectfully and reply:

Haply this life is best
If quiet life be best, sweeter to you
That have a sharper known, well corresponding.

With your stiff age; but unto us it is
A cell of ignorance, traveling abed.

What should we speak of
When we are as old as you? when
We shall hear
The rain and wind beat dark December, how
In this, our pinching cave, shall we
Discourse
The freezing hours away? We have
Seen nothing.

How hard it is to hide the sparks
Of nature, says Belarius to himself!
M. O. W., in Indianapolis News.

The Mind Meter

By LOWELL HENDERSON

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The Completion Test

In this test eight incomplete statements are made. Each one can be completed by adding one of the four suggestions given. Underline the correct one.

1. Pochontas was married to—

John Smith, Powhatan, John Rolfe, Sir Walter Raleigh.

2. "Paradise Lost" was written by—

Oliver Goldsmith, John Milton, Thomas Gray, Charles Lamb.

3. Mrs. Gamp is a character in—

"Hamlet," "Martin Chuzzlewit," "Henry IV," "David Copperfield."

4. The Amazon flows into the—

Caribbean Sea, Gulf of Mexico, Pacific Ocean, Atlantic Ocean.

5. The sewing machine was invented by—

Samuel F. B. Morse, Alexander Graham Bell, Elias Howe, Thomas Edison.

6. The leading peach producing state is—

New Jersey, Georgia, California, Arizona.

7. Benjamin Harrison was a—

Democrat, Whig, Republican, Federalist.

8. The Volga River flows into the—

Mediterranean Sea, Indian Ocean, Caspian Sea, Black Sea.

Answers

1. John Rolfe.

2. John Milton.

3. "Martin Chuzzlewit."

4. Atlantic Ocean.

5. Elias Howe.

6. California.

7. Republican.

8. Caspian Sea.

THE OLD HOG



"The farmer's wife tells me it is profitable to keep a pig to get rid of scraps around the house."

"I presume so. I find, however, that my husband will eat almost anything."

Not Even Tarnished

"You ain't got no brains."

"Ain't got no brains? Why, man, Ah got brains which ain't been used."

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WELDING

Charles Clark



These deer starved to death in northern Michigan last winter.

Local and General

(Continued from First Page)

Miss Witta Meyers was home from the Howell Sanitarium over the week end.

Mrs. E. Lummier and son, Joe, spent several days last week with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stackable and daughter, Julie, were Ann Arbor visitors one day last week.

Frank Oviatt and wife of Gregory were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bland.

Clifford Smith and wife of Detroit were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Van Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stackable and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Tiplady of Detroit.

Miss Helen Doveraux, accompanied Miss Maxine Winton to her home at Fairview for the Easter vacation.

Miss Geraldine Harris of Lakeland and Ralph Hall spent Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Strawhecker and children of Grand Rapids were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Campbell last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Dankers, Mrs. Robert Downing and Joe Basydic attended the Genoa Township teacher's banquet at the Episcopal Hall in Howell, Thursday evening. Floyd Weeks was the principal speaker.

Mr. Chas. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Van Winkle, Mrs. Grace B. R. nnett of Lansing, Dr. and Mrs. Walker Mercer and son, Billy, of Webberville, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allison, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Mercer.

ANNUAL MASONIC BANQUET

But Parks of Stockbridge sang two selections, one a Harry Lauder selection being dedicated to Dr. Lambie and Hugh McPherson.

Mr. Wilson then called on the following masters and representatives who responded: Glen Alt, Golden Rule Lodge, Ann Arbor; Don Dancer, Chelsea; J. Siegrist, Grass Lake; Howard Artz, Stockbridge; Clyde Yelland, Fowlerville; J. Phillips, Howell; Peter Leitz, Jr., Brighton; Jesse Sharpe, Milford; Charles Fey, Royal Oak; Harlan Savary, Dexter; Louis Schwab, Westgate, Detroit; J. Collier, Macan.

Harry Jackson of Detroit, son of Floyd Jackson, a past master of Livingston Lodge, was also introduced, and responded briefly.

Then the assembly proceeded to the lodge room where a life membership was presented to James Green by Past Grand Master McPherson, and another to George Reason by Kirk Van Winkle. All four gave brief speeches on the remembrance of order.

Past Master's aprons were then given to Kirk Van Winkle and Glen Slayton, John Martin and Russell Livermore, making the presentation speeches. Then the meeting was closed, although another hour was spent in visiting with promises from the visitors to return again next year.

According to the visitors' register, the following lodges were represented: Center, Midland, Saginaw, Mason, Menominee, Manistique, Milford, Walter French, Lansing, St. Louis, Fowlerville, Valley City, Grand Rapids; Golden Rule and Fraternity, Ann Arbor; Berkeley, Howell, Stockbridge, River Rouge, Chelsea, Ann Arbor, Ionia, Detroit; Royal Oak, Brighton, Lebanon, Hudson, Washnetaw, Dexter; Loyalty, Westgate, Friendship and Acadia, Detroit; Flint and Genesee, Flint; Pontiac, Grass Lake, Jackson.

The banquet was served in admirable style by the ladies of the O. E. S., and the following sons of Masons acted as waiters: Winston Baughn, Jack Benson, Arnold Bernquist, Floyd Hendee, Gerald Dinkel, Junior Wagoner, Cy AtLee, Gordon Lamb, Wagoner, Cy AtLee, Gordon Lamb, Billie Myers, Edith Myers, Billie Baughn. The crowd of diners ate nearly 100 pounds of meat, 34 pies and 35 dozen rolls.

NOTICE

A Farmers' Union Meeting will be held in the Community Hall on Thursday evening, April second, at 8 P. M. sharp, for the purpose of electing officers, and transacting important and necessary business. Members are urged to be present. All members are urged to be present. All members are urged to be present.

George Long, Pres.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

A marriage license has been issued to William Mustatta, 20, of Unadilla and Bertha Rice, 20, of Pinckney. The latter is the daughter of Mrs. Lena Meabon Galbraith.

F. E. Bowers and wife were in Detroit, Monday.

Norman Clark, who recently returned from Florida with his wife and child, after spending the winter there, underwent an operation for an abscess on his side at Dr. Gate's hospital in Ann Arbor, Saturday.

Marshall Meabon is driving a new Ford coach.

WARNING TO BEEKEEPERS

Michigan beekeepers are warned today against the danger of many dead colonies of bees known to exist throughout the state as a result of the extreme cold this past winter.

Don P. Barrett, chief apiary inspector in the state department of agriculture, issued the following statement in regard to the situation:

"Beekeepers should realize this great danger and take steps immediately to plug up the hives of all dead colonies. A strip of wood tacked over the opening will be sufficient to keep both robbing bees out and to prevent mice from getting in. Some beekeepers have been so careless as to leave the covers off the hives or even the brood comb exposed while examining the colonies and found them to be dead. Others have shown such carelessness as to leave comb containing dead brood outside of the hives. The beekeepers have been inconsistent that the state and county offer some form of protection against the spread of foul brood. Now they should assume some of the responsibility themselves and practice good apiary methods in helping keep this disease in check."

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HOWELL-PONTIAC ROAD.
GRADING STARTS

State Highway Commissioner Vanwagoner has announced that grading of 7.055 miles on the new Howell-Pontiac paved road will be started at once. This road reaches Howell from the north, by way of Highland. It is a \$795,000 project. It calls for a \$31,100 grade separation at Highland and a \$75,000 grade separation at Howell.

HONOR ROLL

Those having 11 averages from the Intermediate room are: Gerald Darrow, Robert DeBar, George Ashenbrenner, Dorothy Parker, Helen Culver, Gloria Craft, Jeanne Clark, Muriel Read.

One of the most outstanding parties of the year will be the Easter Ball to be given at Howell, April 14 at St. Joseph's Parish Hall.

Jack McGay's seven-piece radio dance orchestra has been engaged for the Easter Ball to be held at St. Joseph's Parish Hall in Howell on Tuesday, April 15. Dancing will be from nine until one.

Testing of all heavy duty scales in Livingston County was instituted this week, according to an announcement by Commissioner of Agriculture, James F. Thomson. More than 200 heavy duty scales are located in this county, and the work will require several days. The testing is done by inspectors from the bureau of weights and measures in the state department of agriculture.