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## Father and Son Banquet A Success

FRITZ CRISLER AS SPEAKER WAS "TOPS" TUESDAY EVENING

The Father and Son Banquet held at the High School Auditorium Tuesday night, touched high water marks both in attendance and in interest.

Two hundred and sixty sat down to the excellent meal prepared and served by the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid. The previous record was two hundred twenty-five in 1929. This attendance is the more remarkable in view of the fact that it had been advertised that there would be no solicitation in the sale of tickets, but that all East Jordan people could secure tickets at designated places before any were offered to friends in other cities.

There were less than 20 plates available for those outside of the East Jordan school district. Urgent



FRITZ CRISLER

requests came for many more but the committee in charge held rigidly to the rule that no tickets could go to those in other places until the East Jordan fathers had the opportunity to buy.

The blessing was given by Rex Gihard. This was in line with the precedent of last year in selecting a high school boy for this part of the program. Rev. John Alexander, of Charlevoix, successfully led the community singing. The Toastmaster was Donald Porter, of Grand Rapids, a graduate of the East Jordan High School. Mr. Porter was instrumental in securing Fritz Crisler as speaker for the evening.

Jack Isaman, a High School senior, spoke fittingly of the relation between sons and fathers. In a fitting manner he set forth a high standard of idealism and of practical realization.

Joe Bugai spoke for the fathers. He said that all fathers desire that their sons shall keep the commandments, shall develop the fundamentals of statesmanship, shall go to church and maintain an attitude of respect both to God and to others.

One of the ambitions of every High School boy in Michigan is to see and hear Fritz Crisler head coach at the University of Michigan. In college he was an All-American end and a prize student. His speech showed that he is familiar with history and philosophy and psychology and the classics as well as the science and the art of using athletics for the important purpose of character building.

"Fritz" is a magnificent specimen of physical manhood blended with intellectual attainment and moral idealism. This, together with his phenomenal success as a coach, makes him an ideal speaker for a Father and Son banquet.

It was possible to hear the proverbial pin drop as he spoke. He began with a strain of humor that captivated his hearers. All felt his magnetic personality, and as he spoke all could also sense that he has titanic driving power.

The points he made that will stick in memory are:

1. Never alibi. Do your task in the best possible way you can, and offer no excuses. He gave illustrations of famous men who overcame great obstacles.

2. Never take without giving. Do not let others assist you in getting glory unless you are willing to assist others. He illustrated this by examples from teams he has coached.

3. While it is enjoyable to win a game remember the development of character is more important.

4. One practical value of athletics is that it furnishes youth clean examples for hero worship. It is far better to "hero worship" Tom Harmon of Michigan, and Kinnick of Iowa, than Hitler of Germany or Stalin of Russia. It is better for boys to be on the football gridirons of this country than in the trenches of Europe.

After his talk "Fritz" showed movies of the Iowa-Michigan game. In these pictures Harmon and Kinnick were seen at their best.

## Five Youths Picked Up Charged With Breaking and Entering

The residence of Ing. Olson on the West Side was broken into last week Wednesday night and a quantity of fishing tackle, canned fruit, tools, etc., taken.

Chief of Police Simmons was notified and Friday forenoon had rounded up five youths—ranging from 11 to 15 years of age. The youths admitted the burglary and the loot was recovered. The lads were taken to Charlevoix Monday afternoon, where a hearing was held in their case before Probate Judge Rueggesser.

## Pomona Grange Meets This Friday Night

Charlevoix County Pomona Grange will meet with Deer Lake Grange Friday evening, February 23rd. This will be an evening meeting beginning with a co-operative supper served at 6:30.

Orville Walker will show us some interesting moving pictures for the lecture hour.

— Frances Looze.

## Notice to Candidates

The last day for receiving petitions for the Office of Mayor and Alderman of the City of East Jordan, will be March 5, 1940, at 4 p. m.

WM. ALDRICH, City Clerk.

## Forestry Meetings Next Week

W. IRA BULL TO DISCUSS TREE PLANTING AND WOODLOT IMPROVEMENT

We are glad to announce that on Wednesday and Thursday, February 28th and 29th, a series of four meetings on forestry projects will be conducted. These meetings are particularly timely as farmers are thinking more seriously of ordering young seedlings and in better care of their woodlots than ever before. Also, a person desiring to order young trees should do it at once as the supply is becoming exhausted.

W. Ira Bull, Extension Forester of the Michigan State College, has been secured to discuss the proper practices and methods in producing best results. Charlevoix County already has a good many demonstrations on tree planting and woodlot improvement. The Agricultural Adjustment Administration is emphasizing the setting out of young pine seedlings in the program this year. A liberal payment may be earned by adopting these suggested practices.

The following schedule has been arranged for your convenience—

Wed. forenoon, Feb. 28th, at 9:30 in the Horton's Bay Town Hall.

Wed. afternoon, Feb. 28th, at 1:30 in the Marion Center Grange Hall.

Thurs. forenoon, Feb. 29th, at 9:30 in the Boyne River Grange Hall.

Thurs. afternoon, Feb. 29th, at 1:30 in the South Arm Town Hall.

Specialist Bull will illustrate his talk with slides and film strips which will nicely indicate the best practices in setting out pine seedlings and their care and management. The last half hour or so of each meeting will be held in a woodlot nearby so that each farmer can determine the practices to follow in taking care of his established woodlot. These meetings will be of great interest to all farmers who expect to earn payments with forestry projects. Don't forget to attend your nearest meeting and come prepared to spend a little time out doors in a woodlot.

B. C. Mellencamp, County Agr'l Agent.

From every point of view the banquet was a red letter occasion for East Jordan. The Rotary Club, which is sponsoring these banquets, is trying to make them representative community affairs in every sense of the word. This year the community was unusually responsive and generous. Several gave money to make the occasion possible, and the business men gave liberally toward the excellent menu. Without this assistance the banquet would have been impossible and the Rotary Club is deeply appreciative of this fact.

While there was no solicitation in the selling of tickets an effort was made to provide every boy in East Jordan an opportunity to go. Every boy who listed his name before the dead line advertised, which was last Saturday noon, was looked after. The Rotary Club is very grateful for the men who made this possible.

The 1940 Father and Son banquet is now a pleasant memory that will have a far reaching influence in character development.

## Helen Stephens Plays Here Mar. 7

CANNERS TO PLAY GRAYLING, PETOSKEY AND BOYNE CITY NEXT WEEK

Word was received here Sunday a. m. that Helen Stephens professional girls basketball club, will play the Canners in the East Jordan Gym, Thursday evening, March 7th.

The girls, managed by Helen Stephens, who in the last Olympic Games, broke women's track records right and left, are billed as Helen Stephens Olympic Co-eds. She is a member of the team and, besides herself, the crowd will have an opportunity to see in action some of the finest feminine basketball talent in the country today. Probably the outstanding member of the team is Mary Scheirbaum, a 6 ft 4 in. lass who carries the highest price tag on her of any girl playing in the National Women's Professional Basketball League. Last year the Kansas City club bought Mary from the Omaha team for \$4,500. Several weeks later the Galveston, Texas Club offered \$7,000 for her but the Kansas Club turned it down.

Among other outstanding players on the club are Ione Riley, a Croale-Indian Miss from Tulare University, and Mickey Olson, both fast, clever ball handlers. Payne and Osburn complete the squad. They play men's rules.

Miss Stephens has offered to race anyone who wishes to contest her, and also give a track exhibition at the half. However, due to not having an indoor running track here, we cannot promise any exhibition until she arrives.

Meanwhile the Canners will keep in trim as their schedule begins to get heavy again next week. Saturday night they go to Grayling where they are the main attraction as the Grayling Winter Sports Club, gets its final week end celebration under way.

Wednesday they go to Petoskey to meet the Petoskey Merchants. Thursday they play Boyne City in a return game in the local gym. This is the only game here next week.

The Canners may go to Manistee for a game Monday night.

## Farmers To Be Given Opportunity of Setting Out Four Acres of Trees

The County Committee of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration met recently with the County Road Commission and discussed the opportunities for establishing windbreaks along roads through the county. This year an additional thirty dollar payment may be earned by any farmer who will set out young forestry trees. In as much as each acre will earn five units, it is possible to earn the maximum thirty dollars by planting four acres of trees.

The provisions state that three hundred transplants for windbreaks will earn five units. The Road Commission is interested in buying trees for windbreak purposes as they will in time replace snow fences. However, for best results it will be required that the windbreak must start at a point 83 feet from the middle of the road and may be set out solid to a point not closer than 33 feet from the center of the road. This seems like a wonderful program and one in which many farmers should become interested. In as much as there may be a big demand for securing these trees, it will be to your advantage to contact your nearest AAA committee man or the County Agent at once.

Certainly this is a splendid effort and will make our highways far more enjoyable to drive along. A few green trees here and there will add greatly to the beauty of the roadsides. Furthermore, in a very few years these trees will be large enough to accomplish their purpose. Remember! If you are interested, put in your request immediately.

B. C. Mellencamp, County Agr'l Agent.

## Examinations Announced

Lansing, Feb. 22 — Examinations for classifications of fish culture side, park ranger and game farm hand are announced by the department of conservation, applications to be post-marked not later than March 15 and examinations to be held between dates of March 25 and April 5 at Lansing, Rosecromm and Marquette. All are "C" classifications to establish employment registers under the department's merit system. Application forms may be secured from the department's Lansing personnel office from regional and district headquarters of fish and game divisions.

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## 300 Bushel Club Has 98 Growers

LEE SNEATHEN, CHARLEVOIX, HAS AVERAGE YIELD OF 413 BUSHELS

In 1939 ninety-eight growers qualified for membership in the Michigan 300 Bushel Potato Club. Of this number, fifty were certified seed growers and 48 were producers of table stock. Fifty of the 98 were Upper Peninsula growers and 48 were from the Lower Peninsula. Emmet County, with thirty growers, and Houghton with twenty, were the leading counties with high producers.

The average total yield for all members was 371 bushels per acre with the average yield of U. S. No. 1's was 318 bushels.

J. D. Robinson, Pellston, was awarded the title of Michigan Premier Grower. His 615 bushel yield broke all previous state records. The high yield record prior to 1939 was 584 bushels, made by John Eiola, Hancock in 1932. The quality of Mr. Robinson's crop was excellent—91% of it met U. S. No. 1 grade requirements. He errow 18 acres of Russet Rural and Chippewa certified seed on a sandy loam soil well filled with organic matter. He fall plowed, disked and harrowed the field nine times before planting May 23. He planted 30 bushels of seed per acre using a 10 in. x 30 in. spacing. Mr. Robinson did not apply stable manure but did apply 500 pounds of 0-20-20, and 800 pounds of 2-9-16 commercial fertilizer per acre. He row cultivated twice and sprayed with bordeaux eight times. With the sprinkler type of nozzle he applied about four inches of water during the summer.

The purpose of 300 bushel club and premier grower contests is to stimulate greater interest among growers in using production methods that will help insure better yields and quality at lower costs per bushel. Therefore, an important phase of the contest each year is the summarizing of the methods used by the best growers. Several agricultural agents who have carried on grower contests on a county basis have found these summaries of great practical value in improving production practices in their counties.

The following is a brief summary of the production methods used by the 300 bushel club members of 1939.

Most of them incorporated much organic matter in the soil by plowing under alfalfa clover, sweet clover, etc.; 26 fall plowed, 60 plowed early in the spring — 12 plowed both in fall and spring.

The average number of loads of stable manure applied per acre was 9.5. Most manure applications were made several months before planting. Twenty-nine growers did not apply any stable manure.

The average amount of commercial fertilizer used was 553 pounds. Only four did not use fertilizer. The most common analyses used were 4-16-8; 4-18-16; 3-12-12; 2-16-8.

Eighty planted certified seed. The average rate per acre was 22.2 bushels. The average spacing of hills was 14 in. x 34.5 in. the widest 19 in. x 35 in.

None check rowed. Sixty-five planted before June 15. The highest yields were obtained from May plantings.

The average number of harrowings before planting time was 6.5 after planting 1.9.

The average number of row cultivations was 2.3.

The average number of bordeaux spray applications was 6.

From a study of production practices of 300 bushel club members over an 18-year period, the following are believed to be the most essential points in improving the yield and quality of Michigan potatoes.

1. Plant certified seed 20 bushels or more per acre.

2. Plow under alfalfa, sweet clover or other organic matter.

3. Apply 400-600 pounds high analysis fertilizer per acre.

4. Make seed bed deep and mellow—plow early—harrow or disk several times before planting.

5. Give clean early cultivation—avoid cultivating when the plants are large.

6. Spray thoroughly with bordeaux mixture at least five times. Add calcium arsenate for bugs.

7. Use more care in digging, storing and grading—reduce mechanical injury.

B. C. Mellencamp, County Agr'l Agent.

## Auto License Office Open Evenings Next Week

To accommodate late purchasers of auto licenses, local distributor Wm. Aldrich will be at his office in the City Building each night this coming week from 7:00 to 9:00 o'clock. This is in addition to the regular day-time hours.

## 1940 Parity Payment Rate on Wheat Announced

The parity payment on wheat for 1940, at the rate of 10c per bushel, was announced this week by the Charlevoix County AAA Committee.

This payment, according to Walter H. Henley, County AAA Chairman, will be made on the normal yield of each farmer's wheat acreage allotment, if the farmer cooperates with the provisions of the Agricultural Conservation Program.

Price adjustment, or parity payments, which supplement the regular agricultural conservation payments, will be made from the \$225,000,000 appropriation provided by Congress last year. The 1940 Appropriation Act provided for these payments to be made on the five basic crops (corn, wheat, cotton, rice, and tobacco) if the 1939 average farm prices were less than 75 per cent of parity.

Norrine L. Porter, Sec. Charlevoix Co. ACA.

## Annual Affair Next Monday Night

Members of the East Jordan Masonic and Eastern Star Lodges, and their friends will hold their annual Banquet and Program at the School Auditorium next Monday evening, February 26th, commencing at 6:30.

## Mancy Schools Lose Games Here

LAST FRIDAY, BOYNE CITY HERE THIS FRIDAY NIGHT

East Jordan's veteran cage aggregation completely outclassed a fighting Orange and Black quintet of Mancelona 35 to 22 here last Friday evening.

Mancelona who earlier in the season eked out a 2 point margin victory over the Colmen on their own court this time were no match for the far improved Red and Black, who were way out in front at the intermission leading 19 to 10.

Bulw tallied 12 points, Isaman 9 and Antoine 6 to lead the Jordanites offensively. Gaylord and Griffore each with 6 were high for the visitors. Antoine again played superior defensive basketball for the Jordanians with an all-around performance.

Coach Harry Jankoviak's Reserves had little or no trouble at all in landing the Mancy Seconds a 26 to 11 lacing. In this tussel fifteen men saw service for the Red and Black.

To make the evening complete East Jordan's undefeated Jr. High quintet narrowly escaped defeat in winning out in the final minutes of play 22 to 19 over the Mancelona Juniors.

This week end Friday, Boyne City, our friendly rivals came here 100 per cent strong, and the visiting Red and Blue will endeavor to even things up for the humbling defeat administered them by the Crimson Wave more than a month ago. Should Boyne win they will have successfully defended it's Conference crown, but should Boyne lose Gaylord will take the championship, so if there is one team that will be pulling for the locals it will be Coach Brotherton's Gaylordites who have hopes of carrying off the cage title after last fall topping the heap in the conference football scramble.

East Jordan (35)	FG.	FT.	TP.
V. Gee, l.f.	0	1	1
D. Gee, l.f.	1	0	2
Bulw, r.f.	6	0	12
Dolezel, r.f.	0	0	0
Isaman, c.	4	1	9
Woodcock, c.	1	0	2
Antoine, c. l.g.	3	0	6
Hayner, l.g.	0	0	0
Crowell, r.g.	1	1	3
Hammond, r.g.	0	0	0
Totals	16	3	35

Mancelona (22)	FG.	FT.	TP.
Gaylord, l.f.	3	0	6
Thomas, l.f.	2	0	4
Rumsey, r.f.	0	0	0
Velesz, r.f.	2	1	5
LaDere, c.	0	0	0
Nowack, c.	0	0	0
Griffore, c. l.g.	1	4	6
Patrick, r.g.	0	1	1
Totals	8	6	22

Referee, Loyd John, Petoskey.

## Celebrated Silver Wedding Anniversary

A group of about thirty friends and relatives gather at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Jaquays, 17468 Cardoni Street in Detroit, on February 17th to help celebrate the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Metcalf, former East Jordan residents.

The evening was spent in playing games. A lovely luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf received many beautiful and useful gifts.

## East Jordan's Winter Carnival

THIRD ANNUAL SCHEDULED FOR THIS SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND EVENING

Pending colder weather East Jordan will stage its Third Annual Winter Carnival Saturday afternoon and evening.

The afternoon activity will consist of races for boys and girls of various age groups with a grand array of prizes going to the winners at the conclusion of the races. All boys and girls wishing to take part are asked to be on hand promptly at 2:00. Competitive racing will be only for local talent, any outside participants will be only competing in exhibition.

Miss Eleanor Griffin, East Jordan's 1940 Winter Queen will be crowned as the highlight of the evening entertainment. The queen and her court will be transported to the



MISS ELEANOR GRIFFIN

throne in a beautiful white float with lighting effects setup through torch bearers. There will be music for the event which will be appropriate and will be in the form of Straus Waltzes. The crowning will take place in pantomime with the present absence of announcements and speeches. The crown is newly designed and will furnish plenty of added color, with brilliant sparkling silver.

Following the coronation fancy and figure skating exhibitions will take place with experts from the Petoskey and Charlevoix Figure Skating Clubs taking part.

Ironton has come out with a challenge to the local Chamber of Commerce to a broom ball game, and folks, if you have never seen a broomball game you don't know what you have missed. Better yet if you have never participated. Only hope now for a couple of cold nights and East Jordan can look back on its Third Annual Winter Carnival as another successful venture.

## Temple Highlights

Nick Carter, the fictional hero of 1200 detective stories, opens an exciting week's entertainment at the Temple on Saturday in the first screen appearance of this famous sleuth, "Nick Carter, Master Detective." Rita Johnson heads an able supporting cast in a story replete with thrills and chills.

"The Roaring Twenties" with James Cagney, Priscilla Lane, Humphrey Bogart and Jeffrey Lynn will be the Sunday and Monday presentation. A smashing story of prohibition days, of one of America's most lawless eras, told in breath-taking action and with stark reality by a flawless cast.

Family Nights on Tuesday and Wednesday, present Lynn Bari and Donald Woods in, "The City of Chance." Sport Thrills and Zorro's Fighting Legion are added featurettes.

Eric Blore, Lloyd Nolan and Jean Rogers are featured in the Thursday and Friday offering, "The Man Who Wouldn't Talk." This mystery drama, taken from the Holworthy Hall play, "The Valiant," presents a distinct departure in treatment that lifts this photoplay far above the better-than-average melodrama... definitely a "must" item for your cinema list.

## Jordan Township Caucus

To the Electors of Jordan Twp., Antrim County—Annual Caucus will be held at the Township Hall on Saturday, March 9th, 1940. Also Saturday, March 9th is registration day for the Annual Township Election.

FRANK ATKINSON, Township Clerk.

Anybody Can Use Want Ads — Practically Everybody Does — Profitably.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LaBINE

## British-Soviet Tension Grows In Wake of Nazi-Red Treaty; British Expedite Aid to Finns

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)  
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### EUROPE:

#### Showdown Ahead

Almost six months to the day after Germany and Russia shocked the world with their non-aggression pact, Berlin paused to hail a new phase of Nazi-Communist relations. Ratified with ceremony was a new and glistening trade treaty, which was but one part of a complex but vividly clear picture of what is happening in Europe today. Inevitably, it is believed in most chancelleries, a wedding of Russia and Germany, of Communism and Nazism, will stack these military juggernauts against the rest of Europe. Among the signs:

**Marxism.** Writing in *Der Angriff*, Nazi Party Chieftain Dr. Robert Ley showed how leftism has grown in Germany by using the Marxian



HITLER'S DR. LEY  
"Workers of the world, unite!"

Communist cry: "Workers of the world, unite! . . . This war is a war of the mastery of money against labor . . . Therefore the working men and women must draw together."

**Allies in Finland.** France and Britain were actively protesting against Scandinavia's reluctance to let allied volunteers pass through Sweden and Norway en route to the Finnish frontier, indicating a stiffening attitude toward Russian aggression. Even more pointed was parliament's decree, permitting men over 27 to enter the Finnish campaign.

**Near East.** Arrival of 100,000 British colonial troops in the Near East coincided with an alarming growth of war talk. The Balkans, led by Turkey, were forming a strong mutual-defense frontier against Nazi-Russian penetration. Russian frontiers of Turkey, Iran, Afghanistan and India were strengthened, either for defense against the Reds or for a lightning allied stroke against Russian oil wells.

#### The Wars

**In the West.** Quiet, as usual, but continued sea warfare.  
**In the North.** Finnish troops retreated on the Karelian isthmus, but Russia's gains were terribly costly. In mid-Finland, unreported for several weeks, a *United Press* correspondent found the Reds have suffered 50,000 casualties in the Pitkaeranta sector alone.

### CONGRESS:

#### Six Weeks Gone

Either the President thought he had congress well in hand, or else he decided it was hopelessly rebellious. At any rate he left secretly on a 10-day fishing trip in Caribbean waters, his movements shrouded behind an army of secret service men. His last acts were to (1) okay the \$252,000,000 emergency defense bill

## NAMES

in the news . . .

**JOHN D. M. HAMILTON**, G. O. P. national chairman, called his committee to order in Washington to name a place and date for the 1940 convention.

**HERBERT HOOVER JR.** helped discover a new method of detecting oil by analyzing surface earth. Meanwhile, **HERBERT HOOVER SR.** forecast that European war demands will soon eat up surplus U. S. foodstuffs.

**GEORGE KIOSSEIVANOFF**, Bulgarian premier, resigned because one of his cabinet members favored closer relations with Soviet Russia.

**JOSEPH E. DAVIES**, ex-ambassador to Russia and Belgium, now special state department assistant, was named America's best dressed man.

**KING CHRISTIAN** and the rest of Denmark's royal family gave up hot baths because of a coal shortage.

**FRITZ THYSEN**, exiled and ex-German steel magnate whose multi-billion-dollar fortune was confiscated last December, also lost his citizenship.

**ARTIE SHAW**, band leader, and actress **LANA TURNER** were married at Las Vegas, Nev.

and (2) veto a bill to raise mail carriers' salaries.

Congress meanwhile began its sixth week with members of the American Youth Congress hissing from the house gallery at everything in sight. Still unsolved were such major problems as economy, foreign relations and the reciprocal trade act, indicating another long session. But plenty of legislation was in the mill:

**Neutrality.** Passed by the senate 49 to 27 was a bill to boost the Export-Import bank's working capital by \$100,000,000, paving the way for non-military loans to Finland and China. Interest on foreign policy thus shifted to the house, where the G. O. P. expected to fight against loans to belligerents. Meanwhile the senate foreign relations committee kept postponing action on the proposed embargo against Japan. Congress watched with interest while Secretary of State Cordell Hull laid at Britain's door the responsibility for a German threat to torpedo U. S. ships in the war zone. Reason: Britain has detained U. S. vessels and taken them to contraband ports in the war zone.

**Defense.** Less than 24 hours after it had okayed a \$966,772,878 navy supply bill (cut \$111,700,000 under budget estimates), the house naval committee repented and approved a \$655,000,000 fleet expansion program. The latter bill would only authorize new construction; actual funds must come from separate legislation. Primarily concerned about the big supply bill, the house expected to restore part of the cut.

**Agriculture.** The house agriculture committee okayed a \$350,000,000 bill to expand scope of the farm tenancy act, insuring mortgages of tenants who want to buy their own farms.

**Labor.** Chairman J. Warren Madden of NLRB told the house labor board committee that Reconstruction Finance corporation has agreed to withhold loans from firms found by NLRB to be violators of the Wagner act. This created a rumpus.

### WHITE HOUSE:

#### 'Missy' in Trouble

Several days after President Roosevelt appointed State Undersecretary Sumner Welles to make a European peace junket, arch-Republican papers like the *Chicago Tribune* published a juicy story. Its gist:

The peace mission was conceived by Welles himself, who slipped in through the White House back door one day and outlined his idea in glowing terms before Marguerite "Missy" LeHand, the presidential secretary "who is rated to have more influence in the throne room than anyone else." Said the *Tribune* story: "Missy thought it a grand



"MISSY"  
A favorite in the throne room.

idea and laid it before the President. Mr. Roosevelt, who was in a most receptive mood for a new peace drive, beamed and called in Mr. Welles and commissioned him on the spot to set out upon the great adventure."

Whatever the facts, the President's two ace diplomats showed up in Washington next day and were reportedly displeased. Up from Miami came Joe Kennedy, ambassador to Britain. Home from Paris came Bill Bullitt, ambassador to France. Why, they allegedly asked, did the President prefer Mr. Welles' unseasoned opinions on Europe to their own painstaking studies?

Apprised of the gossip, Secretary of State Cordell Hull and White House Secretary Steve Early took pains to deny any rift. Said Mr. Hull: "I do not think a more capable person could be sent upon the European mission."

While Sumner Welles sailed for Europe to visit chancelleries in London, Berlin, Paris, Rome, etc., another presidential coup was coming home to roost. The Vatican, which holds no diplomatic status with the U. S. because of Protestant objections, nevertheless announced that Myron Taylor (whom the President named his "personal" envoy to Pope Pius XII) would be given official status as ambassador from the U. S. While Baptists fumed, the Vatican calmly pointed out that any agent must have diplomatic credentials if he is to be recognized.

### BUSINESS:

#### Insurance Quiz

Under the temporary national economy committee's spotlight in Washington went U. S. insurance companies. When the examination was finished, this thriving enterprise had acquired a lot of unpleasant publicity.

First witness was Leon Henderson, securities and exchange commissioner, who charged that life insurance companies hold a first mortgage on U. S. business. He went on to prove it:

SEC had studied 26 of the largest firms, finding (1) that they seem to be drifting from their original object of writing life insurance to handling investments; and (2) that their tremendous concentration of assets is probably robbing business enterprise of funds.

Facts were interesting. From 1929 to 1938, SEC found, 26 companies took in 42½ billions. Of this, 10½ billions was not disbursed but went into reserve, surplus and contingency funds. Still more interesting was the fact that SEC's 26 subjects increased their assets by 63 per cent from 1929 to 1935, yet life insurance in force went up only 10 per cent.

Next day John A. Stevenson, president of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance company, surprised TNEC and the nation by advocating a modernization of the 60-year-old mortality statistics, asserting that amounts collected for mortality have been too high in recent years. But, he added, it makes little difference in cost to the policyholder since excess income is returned in dividends.

### COURTS:

#### 3 Decisions

In Washington the U. S. Supreme court made news by three decisions:

On Lincoln's birthday, it saved four Florida Negroes from death, ruling that murder confessions were obtained by "secret, inquisitorial" police methods after five days of continuous grilling which violated the Negroes' constitutional rights.

It created a furore by ruling that federal courts have no right to change National Labor Relations Board decisions on questions of disputed facts in labor controversies.

It enjoined Arkansas from imposing a tax on gasoline (in excess of 20 gallons) carried in fuel tanks of interstate busses when the gasoline is intended for use in other states. Three justices (Frankfurter, Black and Douglas) dissented, claiming the trade barrier question is a matter for congressional action.

### AGRICULTURE:

#### Parity for '40

While the farm bloc was busy trying to wheedle \$200,000,000 for 1941 parity payments out of an economy-minded congress, the agriculture department began using the \$225,000,000 authorized (but not provided for) last year. Payments would be made this year, it was ruled by the last congress, if 1939 average farm prices were less than 75 per cent of parity—which is the 1909-14 average as related to farm purchasing power. Since prices were below parity, the agriculture department announced 1940 payments of 1.55 cents (\$96,000,000) per pound on cotton; 10 cents (\$67,100,000) a bushel on wheat; five cents (\$48,600,000) a bushel on corn, and 1.7 cents (\$300,000) a hundredweight on rice.

### AVIATION:

#### Boom

When Europe went to war, and especially when cash-and-carry neutrality took effect, everyone knew the U. S. aviation industry was in for boom times. After six months of war the boom had surpassed expectations. In southern California alone there was a backlog of some \$200,000,000 in orders for the U. S. and foreign powers. But within 30 days, a survey indicated, mass delivery will begin on thousands of ships.

Already filled since the boom began last summer have been orders for 1,450 combat planes; still uncompleted are 7,700 more. Major foreign sales have been to France and Britain, which ordered 5,000 ships. But only about 350 craft have been delivered of the 4,450 ordered by the U. S. army and navy.

Meanwhile, however, the U. S. is profiting on more recent designs, hence will get the best of the new ships. Typical is the army's new four-motor bomber. Carrying four tons of bombs and a nine-man crew at 300 m. p. h., the ship will give any enemy a run for its money.

### MISCELLANY:

#### Import From Poland

At Berlin, Field Marshal Hermann Goering announced 1,000,000 Poles will be imported to work German farms, bolstering the Nazi larder without taking men from the front lines.

At Albany, N. Y., 8,000 taxpayers protested, apparently with success, a proposed \$15,000,000 personal income tax boost, also demanding reduction in the pending \$396,700,000 budget.

### Bruckart's Washington Digest

## 1940 Congress Sets the Stage For Executive-Legislative Battle

Both Republican and Democratic Congressional Members  
Are Ready for Tussle Over President Roosevelt's Budget and Spending Plans.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART  
WNU Service, National Press  
Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON. — Congress soon will have completed the second month of its 1940 meeting and the most significant thing to come out of the session is a situation containing all of the elements necessary for another good battle between the legislative and executive branches of the government.

It is much too early to enter a forecast that President Roosevelt and his opponents—Democrats and Republicans—will come to grips. But a slip of even small caliber on the President's part would throw him into the path of a substantial section of the congressional membership. That is exactly what some of the opponents hope will happen. It is, conceivably, a thing which Mr. Roosevelt and the New Dealers hope will be avoided.

The condition stems from Mr. Roosevelt's budget message. As I reported to you early in January, the President's budget declarations sounded real. A good many folks suggested, however, that these pronouncements had come at the very beginning of the session and predicted a change in the scenery before the end. Those observers appeared to feel that the

President was playing a bit of politics with the general subject of economy—spending.

But congress, generally, decided to take the President at his word. "If," they appeared to be saying, "the President really wants economy; if he wants to reduce government spending, boy, oh boy, we will be with him in a big way."

So it has come to pass that the President's own proposal conceivably can throw him into a place where plainly he does not wish to be, at least from a political standpoint. Heretofore, it will be recalled, there have been frequent declarations for reduction in government spending and each time it has been overcome by backdoor operations of New Dealers.

### Economy-Minded Legislators

#### Dominate Scene

As far as the play has progressed on the open stage, the economy-minded members of the house, and the senate appear to dominate the scene. They have cut deeply into several of the President's pet projects. They have cut, or have proposed to cut, deeply into the President's program for national defense for which Mr. Roosevelt had ideas costing billions as against former years when the cost of army and navy development was measured in hundreds of millions. Moreover, the legislators have shown courage in nipping agricultural spending for a good many millions, and that hurt Secretary Wallace and his crew.

Now all of this has been going on when the "inner circle" of New Dealers still are clamoring for continuation of the fun they have been having in spending taxpayers' money. There is some doubt, too, that Mr. Roosevelt has changed over completely.

Attention might be called in this connection to the fact that, in the national budget itself, Mr. Roosevelt left numerous avenues of escape from what appeared to be a definite commitment towards retrenchment as stated in the budget message. Secretary Wallace touched off the match on one of these. Mr. Roosevelt said the agriculture appropriations had been squeezed down by the budget bureau to the very limit. If the funds were sufficient, according to the President, there had to be a continuation of good business. A good many of the folks in the department of agriculture have been saying both publicly and privately that the volume of business is going to slide off during the late winter and spring. Thus, more money will be needed.

### Wallace Wants Share

#### Of Government Spending

In the complaints by Secretary Wallace is another tipoff. The secretary feels that there is no logic in cutting the total expenses of the government completely out of his share of the swag. He fails to understand

### STAGE IS SET

While William Bruckart feels it is a bit too early to make a definite forecast that the President and congress will come to blows over governmental items like the budget, economy, waste, and spending, he feels that congress has set the stage for such a battle. Naturally, the President doesn't want such a battle but his opponents don't mind, says Bruckart.

why the cuts have not been made proportionately in amounts of estimates for other agencies of government. I think he has his teeth in



SECRETARY WALLACE

something, there; but why pass over this point to suggest that if and when the congressional enthusiasm for economy wanes it will be easier to vote money for the agriculture program than for any other. It is just plain good politics. I imagine many members of the house and the senate feel that way, too. They believe they can always find justification for voting money to farmers.

While none can say definitely what goes on in the President's mind, there are many who believe Mr. Roosevelt would have preferred to see congress raise the present debt limit from \$45,000,000,000 to \$50,000,000,000, rather than take him so seriously on the suggested reduction in spending. It seems logical. He offered three propositions in his message: retrenchment in expenditures, raising the debt limit, and laying new taxes.

Now, most anybody knows that congress will do very little about new taxes in an election year. That left a choice between the curtailment of spending and raising the debt limit. The debt limit is more than just a sore spot. It is practically a carbuncle on the neck of congress, because there are so many thousands of letters coming in as a warning against getting the nation further into debt. Nothing was left, therefore, but the program that would reduce available funds for the fun-loving spenders.

These things present a picture which seems to show that the President's strategy may have failed. That is to say, he may have expected that congress would take the proposition of raising the debt limit as the easiest way out of its dilemma. It is sheer conjecture, of course; yet it has a basis in any sound analysis of what has happened.

### President Is Missing

#### Economy 'Sound Waves'

Undoubtedly, however, the President's advisors have failed to catch the sound waves that are reaching congress from "back home." There is a tremendously heavy mail on the subject of waste and spending and debt, arriving in congressional offices. This reaction is highly important. It reveals something more than just a desire on the part of many voters to see the government spending brought within bounds. It discloses, I believe, quite a definite trend away from New Deal ideals, because somehow, there is a growing conviction in many sections of the country that it is the reforms that are costing money.

This word from home has resulted thus far in offsetting the great pressure of various groups who are vociferous in their demands for more money. We had a flock of young voters—the American Youth Congress—around town ten days ago, and their leaders were unanimous in their calls for more money. They were as well trained as any college cheering section that I ever have seen. Of course, they may win out yet, but at the moment they are not winning much support for added money.

As of this time, then, congress surely has gone forward in a most determined fashion to cut off some of the excess spending. It has resisted pressure thus far. The battle lines are well formed—thus far.

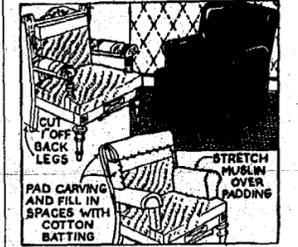
But, as I said at the beginning, one cannot predict with finality concerning the course of congressional temper when primaries are getting closer.

The things to watch for are these: as time goes on and the days of the session become fewer, will there be a lot of messages from the President, asking a few hundred thousands here, a few millions for over there, a hundred-odd million for something else? Such as these were not included in the budget. They will be an extra, added attraction, as the circus press agent says.

## Beauty Treatment For an Old Chair

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS  
HERE is proof of what a beauty treatment and a new costume will do for an out-of-date chair. Its new dress is very chic. The material is a soft old red cotton crash with seam cordings and binding for the scalloped skirt in dove gray.

An inch was cut from the back legs to tilt the chair for greater comfort. The carving at the top and the upholstery on the back and arms were left in place, but



the lines of the chair were completely changed by padding with cotton batting. Unbleached muslin was then stretched over the padding to make all perfectly smooth. Soft rags or excelsior may be used for filling under the cotton if desired.

NOTE: Mrs. Spears has prepared four booklets for our readers containing a total of 128 thrifty homemaking ideas; with step-by-step illustrated directions. Each book contains an assortment of curtains; slip-covers; household furnishings; rag rugs; toys; gifts and novelties for bazaars. Books may be ordered one at a time at 10 cents each; but if you enclose 40 cents with your order for four books (No. 1, 2, 3 and 4) you will receive a FREE set of three quilt block patterns of Mrs. Spears' Favorite Early American designs. Address: Mrs. Spears, Drawer 10, Bedford Hills, New York.

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If you suffer one cold right after another, here's sensational news! Mrs. Elizabeth Vickery writes: "I used to catch colds very easily. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery helped to strengthen me just splendidly. I feel better, have more stamina, and use troubled very little with colds."

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### Needed One

No one is useless in this world who lightens the burden of another.—Charles Dickens.

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By the Golden Rule  
Only the Golden Rule will bring in the Age of Gold.—Frances E. Willard.

## OLD FOLKS

Here is Amazing Relief of Conditions Due to a Rotten Stomach. If you think all laxatives act alike, just try this **Nature's Remedy**—all vegetable laxative. So mild, thorough, refreshing, invigorating, dependable relief from sick headaches, bilious spells, tired feeling when associated with constipation. Without Risk—get a 25c box of NR from your druggist. Write the box to us. We will refund the purchase price. There's fair. Get NR Tablets today. **AD TO NIGHT**

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## "The Name Is Familiar"

BY  
FELIX B. STREYCKMANS  
and ELMO SCOTT WATSON

### Tom and Jerry

TAKE some egg whites, egg yolks, powdered sugar, brandy, rum and whiskey, mix it all up, and you have a Tom and Jerry. Take the name of America's greatest bartender, Jerry Thomas, mix that up, and you again have Tom and Jerry. Yes, it was Jerry Thomas, head bartender of the old Metropolitan hotel at Broadway and Prince street in New York city who concocted the drink that immortalizes his name.

Because his parents wanted him to become a minister and because he was the author of a book—the famous "Bartender's Guide"—he was called Professor Thomas. That was not such a far-fetched title for a bartender of the 1860s who could write a book—imagine a bartender of that era who could just write!

Jerry Thomas was born in New Haven, Conn., in 1825. His parents, sent him to college so he could be a preacher. But, at the age of 20, he quit school to carry on an experiment to determine whether college men could imbibe alcoholic liquors in unlimited quantities. His conclusions were in the negative but he stayed close to the subject he loved by becoming principal bartender in a New Haven saloon.

In later years he became head bartender at the famous El Dorado in San Francisco where he invented the Blue Blazer, then he went to St. Louis where he invented the Tom and Jerry. He tended bar all over the United States, Central America and parts of Europe, starting the Europeans especially with his \$4,000 worth of silver bar utensils and his unlimited repertoire of mixed drinks.



Jerry Thomas

### Butterick Patterns

LITERALLY hundreds of millions of Butterick patterns have been used all over the world. They have been a boon to hundreds of thousands of mothers in making clothes at home for their families. Now whom do they have to thank—Miss Butterick? Mrs. Butterick? No, neither. The inventor of this home dressmaking aid was a man, Ebenezer Butterick.

After some experiments he cut his first salable patterns June 16, 1863. The first patterns were folded by members of his family. In September he had to take extra rooms in a building nearby and five girls were hired to do the folding—but Ebenezer still managed to keep his beard out of the way and kept on with the cutting.

The business moved to New York and continued to grow to the point where single cutting machines cut out thousands of patterns of each size at a single stroke. The word "Butterick" in electric lights on the top of the 15-story Butterick building, completed in 1904, was then the largest electric sign in the world. But the building was not finished until a year after Ebenezer Butterick died.

### Sandwich

JOHN MONTAGU, fourth earl of Sandwich, English politician, gambler and sportsman, born in 1718, was English ambassador to Madrid and lord commissioner of the admiralty—but his only contribution to posterity was the invention of the sandwich.

His private life was a very immoral one and he was so intent upon sports and gambling that he disliked to take time off from them long enough to be served a meal. He ordered one of his servants to slice meat, and put it between two pieces of bread, follow him with several of them and hand one to him when he was hungry. That's how the sandwich came into being and where it got its name. And it practically makes the earl of Sandwich the father of the American picnic.

He was a very contemptible person, hated more by the English people than any other nobleman of the Eighteenth century. Among other things, he was guilty of murdering his mistress—an even greater crime than inventing the thing that has made picnics possible—but not much greater.

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

## Dead Men, Silent Guns Tell Mute Story of Warfare



With gunners lying dead and frozen under their barrels, these Russian guns are shown on a road of Suomussalmi as they fell into the hands of the Finns, who mopped up the ragged remnants of the Red army's forty-fourth division. This is only a small fraction of the total equipment which was captured by the Finnish army, and which is now being used against its former owners.

## Colonists Off to Seek Utopia in Caribbean Sea



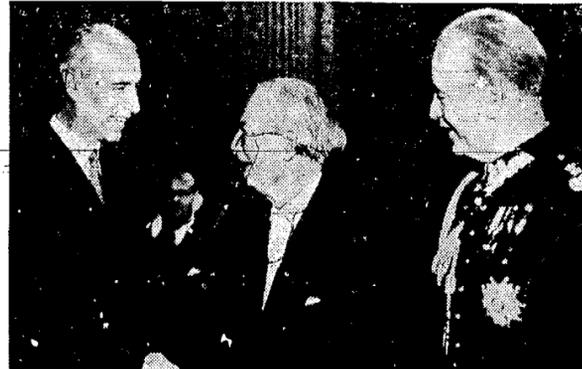
En route to East Caicos, a 125,000-acre island at the southeastern end of the Bahamas, this small group recently arrived in Cutler, Fla., from Pasadena, Calif. They hope to establish a perfect community on the uninhabited isle, which is a 700-mile voyage from Miami. Standing, left to right: Dawn Irvine, Mrs. A. E. Lawrence and Jane Irvine. Seated, left to right: Helene Irvine, Mrs. Richard C. Irvine, Mrs. A. L. Lornsten and Mrs. James Lake. Mrs. Lake owns the island where the colonists will attempt building their Utopia.

## Motor Magnates Greet Mickey Rooney



Mickey Rooney, young movie star, in a friendly pose with motor car magnates Edsel (left) and Henry Ford. Mickey was a guest of the Fords while in Detroit, Mich., for a movie premiere. The new film, shown for the first time in the motor city, was the life story of Thomas Edison. Henry Ford's enthusiasm perhaps is the result of his life-long admiration for the inventive genius of Edison.

## Polish National Council Meets in Paris



Ignace Jan Paderewski, world-famous pianist who has re-entered political life as president of the Polish national council, chats with Wladyslaw Raczewicz, left, president of the Polish republic, and General Sikorski, right, prime and war minister, at the first meeting of the Polish national council in France since the war began. The government in France was established after Germany's invasion of Poland.

## Building the Lily



From tiny bulb to flowering plant within 30 days is the record of this amaryllis, grown in a display room in the Merchandise Mart, Chicago. The lily, measured by Julia McCarthy, grew without soil or sunshine, its roots immersed in a solution of plant growing chemicals.

## Lone Sentinel



Lonesomest job on the western front is that of this royal artillery telephonist who sits alone with his instrument and advises the British battery on its target accuracy, giving it the correct range.

## Star Dust

★ Music of Our Land  
★ Needed Mother's Touch  
★ Eying Screen Nurses

By Virginia Vale  
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

THE new radio program sponsored by Westinghouse is one of the most interesting and significant on the air. It is broadcast from Pittsburgh every Thursday from 8:00 to 8:30 p. m., Eastern standard time, on 97 stations of NBC's blue network. It is beamed to Europe, South America and other foreign lands.

Its aim is an important one. When Kenneth Watt, who produces and directs it, was asked to make up "Musical Americana," he had three things to remember. Primarily, he was to give American music to his audiences. He was to try to please all musical tastes; to win over those



KENNETH WATT

who look down on popular music, and inspire a sharper appreciation of serious music in those who think they can't understand it. And he was to give young American musicians a chance.

So, on "Musical Americana," Deems Taylor is commentator. Raymond Paige conducts the orchestra of 102 men, from the Pittsburgh Symphony; it is the largest orchestra on any sponsored broadcast. And each week a solo musician of exceptional talent is featured. The principal music schools of the country have been asked to recommend their star graduate students for these appearances.

Deems Taylor, Raymond Paige and Kenneth Watt are top men in their fields; Westinghouse has spared neither time nor effort to give us a superb program, made up of the music of our own country. Thursday should be "Musical Americana night" in all our homes.

"Musical Americana" may play no small part in international relationships. Mr. Edward C. Johnston of New York feels that it is tremendously significant that the program is broadcast to South America in Portuguese and Spanish. When you hear the American announcer speaking, in South America a native announcer speaks at the same time, the American announcement being cut off for those few moments. Mr. Johnston feels that a cultural exchange between the two countries aids greatly in developing the mutual understanding which is so desirable.

Stuart Erwin's mother cut his hair for the first time in 25 years just the other day. Erwin started work as the milkman in Sol-Lessner's "Our Town." He plays the milkman.

"I want you with a home-made haircut," Director Sam Wood told him. "You know, one of those ragged mush bowl ones."

So Stuart Erwin went home and talked it over with his mother. She whipped out a pair of scissors, put a towel around his neck, and went to work.

The trained nurses of America have felt that some Hollywood producers had a lot to learn about nurses, judging by some of the pictures in which they have appeared. So they formed a committee to judge all moving pictures having nurse roles. The first picture to win their approval is RKO's "Vigil in the Night"; Carole Lombard and Anne Shirley are the actresses, who, according to the American Nurses' association, really look and behave as they ought to.

Do you want to take a free trip to New York? Every week about 3,000 people who do, write to Dave Elman, of "Hobby Lobby," and about 3,000 more write to "We the People." If you believe that you'd fit into either of those broadcasts, here's your chance.

During 1939 Elman brought some 250 people to New York, an average of five for each "Hobby Lobby" program. An average of \$150 was spent on each guest.

ODDS AND ENDS—Hugh Herbert will play six roles in Universal's "The Conqueror"—he will play himself, four sisters and a mother. Elvia Allman and Blanche Stewart, whom you've heard as "Brenda" and "Cobina" on Bob Hope's radio show, have been signed by Paramount for "Night at Earl Carroll's." Phyllis Newman, five, who recently appeared on a Major Bowes Amateur Hour, now has a part in "The Goldbergs."

## Glamorous Skirts For Dressing Table



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Please write your name, address and pattern number plainly.

## HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS



To keep piano keys from turning yellow, expose them to light daily.

Sever several thicknesses of old Turkish towel together for hot dish or pot holders.

Carving lamb roasts is much easier if they have been boned and tied before cooking.

Tarnished egg spoons can be quickly cleaned by washing with a rag dipped in salt.

French fried potatoes will be more crisp if allowed to stand in cold water for half an hour before frying.

Felt hats can be cleaned by rubbing with a not too fresh or too stale piece of bread.

To clean a clock, saturate a piece of absorbent cotton about as large as a hen's egg with kerosene oil and place it in the bottom. Close the door and let the cotton remain for three or four days. Then take it out and swing the pendulum. Unless something is broken, the clock will go all right, as the fumes from the oil cleans the works.

### SANDPAPER

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He is a wise man who does not grieve for things which he has not, but rejoices for those which he has.—Epicurus.

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**UNEXPECTED CHANGE** makes available fine Rawleigh Route in Otsego County. Rawleigh Products have been sold for 25 years. Nearby Dealer makes Sales of \$75 last week. Must have car. If interested, write Rawleigh's, Dept. MCG-121-201, Freeport, Ill., 7x4

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**WITH THE ANTRIM COUNTY AGR'L AGENT**  
W. Kirkpatrick, Extension Agent

**TO EXPLAIN FUNCTIONS OF SERVICE TO FARMERS AT ADULT SOILS SCHOOL**

Mr. Lee Rosencrans, Soil Conservation Project Director, located at Traverse City, will visit the Adult Soils School classes at Mancelona and Bellaire, the afternoon and evening of February 27.

Mr. Rosencrans will tell the groups the purpose of the Soil Conservation service (this is not to be confused with AAA) and will have a number of pictures with which to illustrate his work.

Every farmer is invited to attend. Both the Mancelona and Bellaire Adult Schools in Soils are held on Tuesdays in the Agricultural Room of the School Building. The Mancelona School in Soils are held on Tuesdays in the Agricultural Room of the School Building. The Mancelona School begins at 8 o'clock in the afternoon and at Bellaire the school begins at 8 o'clock in the evening.

**ILLUSTRATED LECTURES ON WINDBREAK AND FOREST PLANTINGS, AND WOODLOT IMPROVEMENT**

Mr. W. Ira Bull, Extension Forester, Michigan State College, East Lansing Michigan, will be in Antrim County Thursday evening, February 29, and all day Friday to give illustrated lectures on the Woodlot Improvement, Windbreak and Forest Plantings, according to Walter G. Kirkpatrick, County Agricultural Agent.

Through special recognition of these types of Soil Conserving practices by the AAA program for 1940, much increased interest is being shown by land owners. In order to acquaint all farmers in Antrim County with means of compliance in any of these Soil Conserving practices Mr. Bull will be at the: Alba Town Hall, Thursday evening, February 29, 8:00 p. m. Kewadin Town Hall, Friday morning, March 1, 10:00 a. m. Ellsworth Community Hall, Friday afternoon, March 1st, 2:00 p. m. Court House, Bellaire, Friday night, March 1st, 8:00 p. m.

Farmers are urged to attend one of these meetings and learn for themselves ways of complying with these provisions of the 1940 Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

**BEE KEEPERS TO MEET THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29.**

R. H. Kelty, Extension Apiarist, Michigan State College, will be in Bellaire, Thursday, February 29, to meet with Antrim County Beekeepers in an all day session starting at 10 o'clock a. m. at the Court House according to Walter G. Kirkpatrick, County Agricultural Agent.

A number of slides will be used by Mr. Kelty and in addition several films of motion pictures will be shown. All Bee Keepers and interested farmers are invited to attend.

Antrim County has a large number of Bee Keepers and a large bee population. This industry is of great importance to all farmers because of the importance of bees in the pollination of fruit trees and clovers.

**SOUTH WILSON**

(Edited by Miss Anna Brintnall)

Mrs. Joseph Cihak visited Mrs. Peter Zoulek last Friday.

Mrs. Jennie Nemecek and Mrs. Ray Benson visited Mrs. Frank Haney Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Benson were Sunday dinner guests at Peter Stanek's.

Bohumil Stanek visited Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stanek Saturday evening.

Margaret and Jack Zoulek spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Zoulek.

Walter Carson called at Luther Brintnall's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Zoulek visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zoulek last Wednesday night.

Luther Brintnall called at Joseph Cihak's, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hawley and family were Thursday evening callers at Wm. Zoulek's.

Lee Rouleff of Charlevoix and Miss Theo Sonnabend were Sunday supper guests at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zoulek's.

Mrs. Wm. Zoulek cared for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zoulek's baby daughter who has been quite sick last week.

George Rebeck called at Mike Barnett's, Sunday.

Several fish shanties have been moved from this vicinity onto the lake at East Jordan, recently.

**LOSES PANTS AND RIDE**

Ionia — When Edward Tollison went to bed one evening, he put his trousers too near the stove pipe and early next morning they caught fire. He fully intended to go to school, but by the time the fire was put out and the trousers were mended, the school bus had come and gone, without Edward.

Millions, Murder, Misery — Will they haunt the motion picture beauty forever? Adela Rogers St. Johns, famous motion picture commentator, tells why the former stage star may never escape the ceaseless feuds and tragedies which shattered the career she never really wanted. An illustrated feature in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next Sunday's Chicago Herald-American.

**PENINSULA**

(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Mrs. Clarence Johnston of East Jordan came Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Gaunt in Three Bells Dist. She plans to stay until Tuesday, her sister Mrs. Robert Myers of Mountain Dist. joined them Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crowell and family of Dave Staley Hill West Side also joined the Gaunt families in a smelt dinner and supper Sunday.

The George Staley family of Stony Ridge farm had for Sunday callers Mr. Albert Staley and son Clare of Charlevoix, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Stibbitts Sr., and son Irving Jr., and Mr. & Mrs. Earl Stibbitts of Traverse City, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strong of Traverse City, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bogart of Boyne City and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Eaton of East of Boyne City and Mrs. Zola Mathews and family of Jones Dist.

One of the beautiful sights enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Howe of Overlook farm was the lights in the cottage on Holy Island over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Reich received word Sunday afternoon of the birth of a little daughter to their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lesher of Petoskey, Feb. 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Loomis of Gravel Hill North Side had for Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Inman of Boyne City and for callers in the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wagner of Charlevoix.

Mrs. Ray Loomis of Gravel Hill North Side helped the F. K. Hayden family of Pleasant View farm Tuesday & Wednesday afternoon because of the storm their other help could not get there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Loomis of Gravel Hill North Side spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Loren Duffy in Mountain Dist.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. McDonald of Three Bells Dist. called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wurn in Star Dist. Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Wurn had for Sunday dinner their daughter Mrs. Elwood Cyr and family and son Walter and family of Boyne City and for callers Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Arnott of Maple Lawn farm and Mrs. J. W. Hayden of Orchard Hill. Mr. Wurn is now able to get around without crutches after 10 weeks and Mrs. Wurn is able to sit up part of the time after 6 weeks illness.

Mr. Wurn hurt his ankle skidding wood and Mrs. Wurn injured her foot at home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Hayden had for Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Beyer of the Crosby farm and for callers, Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Beyer and family of Three Bells Dist. and Mrs. J. W. Hayden of Orchard Hill. John Reich and Richard Greening is helping Will MacGregor put up ice at Whiting Park they are getting it from Walloon Lake.

There were 26 at Star School Feb. 18 we sure miss Mrs. Sieler.

Mrs. Wilfred Arnott of Maple Lawn farm gave a small party Friday evening February 16 in honor of Mr. Arnott's birthday.

Because of the splendid condition of the roads the sub bus has been discontinued.

Mrs. Orvel Bennett of Honey Slope farm is again able to attend Sunday School after months of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Looze and family of Cherry hill visited his brother Charles Looze and family in East Jordan Sunday and spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Looze's brother Willard Gould and family in the Crosby Cottage and Friday evening the Looze's and D. D. Tibbitts spent with Mrs. Looze's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Gould in Mountain Dist.

Leroy Nicoloy of Sunny Slope farm will start to school again after being absent a week and a half from illness. Cash Hayden of Orchard Hill is able to use his right hand after being laid up 2 weeks with a bad sprain from cranking the well engine.

Several groups of people have taken in the wonderful view from Whiting Park fire tower the past week.

The mail failed to make the ridge Monday but the snow plow opened the road Tuesday early so we got our mail.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Stibbitts Sr., and son Irvin Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stibbitts of Traverse City called on Mrs. Louisa Brace at Gravel Hill south side, Sunday afternoon.

**45,000 WOMEN WHO HAVE THE WANDERLUST**

Jeff Davis, "Internation King of the Hoboes", and philosopher, explains, in an article in The American Weekly, the great weekly magazine with the February 25 issue of The Detroit Sunday Times, how dishonest, unscrupulous "trampettes" & "bumettes" are making life difficult for decent, law-abiding, industrious men and women who have the wanderlust. Be sure to get Sunday's Detroit Times.

**TOUGH LUCK!**

An enthusiastic angler took his friend fishing. The friend knew nothing about the gentle art, and the experienced one had to give him all the necessary tackle. The angler started fishing a few yards upstream. Presently the novice said: "How much do those red and green things cost?" "You mean the floats! Oh—I guess about a dime each." "Well," said the novice, "I owe you a dime — mine has sunk."

**Garden Gossip**

Edited by Caroline Harrington

Letters and questions on garden topics will be welcome. They will be published and discussed in this column.

The threat has been removed. Temporarily our fears for the road from the Ironton Ferry to Advance have been allayed. No more trees along this highway are to be cut down, — at least not now. The charm that was to be sacrificed to speed has a reprieve, — for the present anyway.

The Road Commission has given its assurance that without our consent no more trees will be cut along this road so that Charlevoix County need not lose its stake in this unique beauty.

It is gratifying to know that we have the power to save these trees, that our influence may be used to the end that Michigan has one less speedway and one more beauty spot for all to enjoy.

Northern Michigan has her greatest resource in trees. This is not just a sentimental statement. It is a profound and vital truth of the utmost practical importance to us. The trees are coming back. Let's save the trees! WE CAN IF WE WILL.

**Dear Mrs. Harrington:**

Few spots in East Jordan claim as many visitors as the spot where the swans and ducks are fed. I think something should be done about the northeast corner there. The water is stagnant, the sewer empties near, and floating debris makes the section hard on both eye and nose.

By filling in soil, would it be possible to have shrubs and trees growing in that corner? Then visitors to the swans would feed them a bit farther up the shore where the water is cleaner.

We are fortunate to have swans to feed. Let's dress up the spot where visitors come to see them. What do you think? Are suggestions welcome? T. J.

Are suggestions welcome? I'll say they are!

I think your idea has fine possibilities. I am asking the Civic Committee of the Garden Club to consider it, and tell us if they think it a practical one for our organization to work on. Interested, united folks can accomplish almost anything — we know that.

From the standpoint of the shrubs, there are many that would take to the spot as readily as the ducks. Nature would be all on our side in making this another attractive stopping off place in East Jordan.

Next suggestion, please!

In this "in between" season when it is too early to encourage the yen to houseclean, take a look at your houseplants — a good close look! Perhaps you'll find them harboring plant lice in several pestiferous stages. If so, there is no remedy like cold water and plenty of it, frequently applied. Hold the affected plant under the tap and rinse the leaves, particularly their under sides, until the lice have gone down the drain. Pick off the leaves most affected. Repeat the performance next day, and you'll catch the youngsters that have just hatched from the eggs which are able to resist rinsing. Keep on keeping on with this water treatment day after day until your plant is rid of these lice which sap its life blood. You'll see an immediate improvement in the foliage and sprightliness of your plant. This treatment cost absolutely nothing except the patience to keep it up for four or five days handrinning, yet it beats any other remedy I have tried.

Don't attempt to brush off the lice. You'll damage the tender under surface and kill the leaf.

**SOUTH ARM**

(Edited by Ruth Goebel)

Catherine Smith spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Helleman and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Oral Mayhew of Boyne City Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mudge and Bobbie Gettis have returned home after visiting in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore and family called on the former's brother Harold, who was injured, at the Lockwood hospital, Petoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Graham and family called on Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sloan and family called on Mr. and Mrs. William Sloan of East Jordan Sunday afternoon.

Harry Moore called on Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Carl Ellsworth has returned home after visiting relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bussing who have been living on the Goodman farm for the past six months, moved last week to East Jordan.

Many on old time Clinging Vine now has granddaughters who are Ramblers.

Of course little things count, but some fellows get so all-fired hot up about the little things, they overlook the big ones.

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# Local Happenings

A. C. Belding of Charlevoix was an East Jordan business visitor, Wednesday.

Mrs. Esther Miles of Muskegon was week end guest of East Jordan friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Castle and son moved to Lansing, where the latter is employed.

Clarence Trojanek was taken to Charlevoix hospital, Sunday with a fractured leg.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Quinn were recent guests of their son Francis and family at Mecosta.

Square Dancing at The Stockade every Saturday night. Admission 10c and 25c. adv. 8x3.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Heinzelman of Lansing were week end guests of East Jordan relatives.

Mrs. Edmond Dean, formerly Miss Louise Hipp of Petoskey was honored with a miscellaneous shower at St. Joseph's school, Sunday evening. Mrs. Dean received many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Francis Hart and children of Mancelona were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Hart.

Bingo Party at the I.O.O.F. Hall Tuesday evening February 27. Play all evening for 25c adv.

Harry McHale returned last week from Melbourne, Florida, where he spent the past three months.

Mrs. Maynard Harrison is recuperating at Charlevoix Hospital from an appendectomy performed Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Slade of Grand Rapids were week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vogel.

Mrs. Kate Cornett of Central Lake has been guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. Ross Huffman and family the past week.

Helen Strehl, R. N., has returned to her work in Petoskey after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strehl.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman King and son Stuart of Charlevoix were Sunday guests of Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Burbank and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McLaughlin of Flint have been visiting the latter's brother, Vaughn Orvis and family, and sister, Mrs. Boyd Hipp, and their relatives this week.

Alston Penfold and friend, Miss Ivadelle Beardslee, spent the week end from their studies at M. S. C., East Lansing, with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Penfold.

Donald Porter and son John and Mr. Hadley of Grand Rapids were last Jordan visitors, Tuesday, and attended the Father and Son Banquet Tuesday evening, returning to Grand Rapids, Wednesday.

Harold Moore returned home from Lockwood Hospital, Petoskey, Wednesday where he was taken last Thursday following an accident while unloading logs, in which he received severe facial and head injuries.

Last Thursday evening 40 friends and neighbors dropped in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas who recently moved from Eveline Orchards to the Wageman residence on Main St. for a house warming. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas were presented with a beautiful Bible by the group.

Mrs. Lester Walcutt and son Jimmie are spending the week with the former's parents, at Lachine.

Don't Forget! Midwest 3-star High Octane Gasoline is only 15c a gallon at the Golden Rule Station. adv.

Mrs. Chris. Halstad of Mancelona was guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gunderson last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries of Charlevoix were week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Derenzy.

Mrs. Keith Dressel is spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Duffie at Central Lake. She is helping care for Mrs. Duffie, who is slowly convalescing from pneumonia.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. C. J. Malpass, Tuesday evening, Feb. 27. Please note change in date. Rev. J. C. Mathews will have charge of devotionals. Visitors welcome.

## Council Proceedings

Regular meeting, Common Council City of East Jordan, held on the 19th day of February, 1940.

Present: Aldermen Bussler, Sinclair, Malpass, Maddock, Shaw and Mayor Healey.

Absent: Alderman Kenny. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The following bills were presented for payment:

Ben. Bustard, fuses	\$ 13.00
Joe Mayville, labor	3.00
Win. Nichols, labor	13.20
Clarence Carney, labor	4.50
Lee Wright, labor	10.40
Elmer Reed, labor	12.37
Harry Fyan, glass	3.00
John Bennett, trees	2.80
Mich. Public Ser. Co., lights	26.87
Mich. Bell Tel. Co., service	20.40
E. J. Iron Works, labor and material	30.51
Brown Motors Inc., truck rep.	65.25
Robert S. Lee, expense WPA	59.70
Barney Milstein, insurance	37.75
Harry Simmons, salary	62.50
Henry Scholls, salary	10.00

Moved by Maddock, supported by Sinclair that the bills be paid. Carried — all ayes.

Moved by Bussler, supported by Maddock, that the City give the Chamber of Commerce \$100.00 toward the price of 10,000 East Jordan Booklets. Carried, all ayes.

The Mayor appointed Wm. Aldrich, James Leitch, Thomas Whiteford, Frank Creswell and Al. Freiberg to serve on the Election Board for the Primary and General City Election.

Moved by Maddock, supported by Malpass, that the appointments be confirmed. Carried, all ayes.

Moved by Malpass, supported by Sinclair that Ordinance No. 58 be adopted. Carried, all ayes.

Moved by Alderman Bussler, supported by Alderman Shaw, that the City retain the services of Ralph L. Bauer as architect on the proposed new community building on a basis of no pay for preliminary work prior to submission of WPA project; \$150 for all work through the submission and approval of a WPA project and 5 per cent of total cost of project if work is started and completed — the contract to be on the usual architects form of contract except that no full time clerk of the works is to be furnished — the architect, however, to handle letting of bids on purchases, etc., his fee to be paid as work progresses.

Resolution offered by Alderman Bussler: Whereas, the City of East Jordan is considering applying for a WPA project calling for the construction of a new community building on the site of the old Russell House, and,

Whereas, it is estimated that the City will have to raise \$10,000 in addition to funds now available or to be available to finance the cost of such project as the sponsors contribution thereto,

Now Therefore, Be it hereby resolved that the question of raising such sum of money be submitted to the qualified electors of the City of East Jordan at the annual City election to be held on April 1st of this year in the following form; or, such other suitable form as may be in accordance with good practise and the laws of the State of Michigan:

"The Mayor and Common Council for the City of East Jordan shall be authorized to issue bonds as general obligations of the said City in an amount not to exceed the sum of \$10,000 payable in not to exceed 20 years for the purpose of raising funds to help pay the City's share of the cost of constructing a New Community Building on a WPA project."

Alderman Bussler moved the adoption of the resolution supported by Alderman Shaw.

Carried, all ayes. Moved by Malpass, supported by Maddock, that Mayor Healey and Alderman Sinclair be a committee to work with the Architect and Dr. Beuker who is chairman of the building committee.

Carried, all ayes. Moved to adjourn. WM. ALDRICH, City Clerk.

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## Finnish Children Sleep In Dugouts, Says Hoover Aide

With defenseless children sleeping in hurriedly constructed dugouts in temperatures running up to 30 below zero, the Finnish town Province of Oulo has been subjected to merciless bombing by Russian planes, resulting in the destruction of workingmen's homes and even razing two kindergartens shortly after the tiny pupils had been evacuated, the Finnish Relief Fund headquarters in New York was informed in a cablegram from William Hallam Tuck, one of the Fund's representatives in Finland.

Despite the hardships and distress to which the populace is constantly being subjected by the Soviet invader, the civilians already have started rebuilding operations, says Mr. Tucks cablegram, greatly cheered and assisted by funds transferred from the United States through the Finnish Relief Fund, of which Herbert Hoover is the national chairman.

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS Following is a list of those contributing in addition to the names published in The Herald in its issue of January 26th.

- Frank Addis.
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  - Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Boswell.
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  - Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Conway.
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  - Mr. and Mrs. Lester Walcutt.
  - Chester Walden.
  - R. G. Watson.
  - Wilson Grange.
  - Lewis Zoulek.
- The State Bank of East Jordan has forwarded a total to date of \$458.26 to the Finnish Relief Headquarters from donors in this section. Anyone desiring to contribute should do so at once as the fund collection closes this week.

## A Correction

Julius Roberts requests The Herald to correct an article published Feb'y 9th relative to the death of Thomas Wetzell. Mr. Roberts states that the names of Wm. Biggs and John Biggs (step-children) should have read Wm. Wetzell and John Wetzell.



Arctic and Antarctic explorers, fighting blizzards and terrific sub-zero temperatures, with food supplies almost gone, have often been saved just in time by reaching caches in the snow where reserve stores had been placed.

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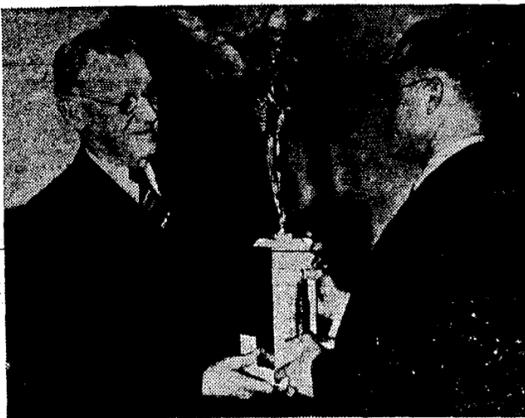
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## POTATO KING GETS TROPHY



J. D. Robinson, Pellston, left, the new Michigan Premier potato grower, receives a fitting trophy from the hands of H. C. Moore, right, potato specialist at Michigan State College. The trophy was donated by the Michigan Crop Improvement association and recognizes Robinson's 1939 all time record yield for the state of an average of 615 bushels of potatoes an acre on a five acre field. Irrigation and all the science Robinson has learned from experience and from college information and research are credited by Robinson for the high yield.

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**Gone Modern**

"Thanks very much for the birthday cake. But what's the idea of the electric bulb on it?"  
"It's forty candle power, my dear."

Courtship makes a man spoon, but marriage makes him fork out.

**He Would**

"Hi, waiter, this sauce tastes like furniture polish."  
"Hold on, sir; I'll fetch you some cabinet pudding."

**Dressed Up**

"That cow's got a lovely coat."  
"Yes, it's a Jersey."  
"Good gracious! And I thought it was its skin!"

**He's Perfect**

"Darling, have you ever kissed a girl before?"  
"Of course! You don't think I'd practice on you, do you?"

**Right on the Job**

"What is your occupation?" asked the magistrate.  
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Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison too system and upset the whole body machinery.  
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**EAST AND WEST**

BY TALBOT MUNDY

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**SYNOPSIS**

Captain Carl Norwood has been sent from his native England to the Kadur River district in India, along with his indispensable manservant, Moses O'Leary, soldier of fortune. Norwood's job is to survey the district to determine whether a valuable secret diamond mine belongs to the temple priests or to the ruler, the Maharajah of Kadur. Norwood calls on the British Residency to pay his initial respects. On his way he catches a glimpse of two women in a palace carriage, one of whom is young and beautiful. The other woman he knows to be the Maharanee of Kadur. O'Leary later tells him that the young woman is an American girl named Lynn Harding, who with her aunt, Mrs. Deborah Harding, is a guest at the palace. On a sightseeing tour Mrs. Harding sprains an ankle, and sends to the palace for aid. Prince Rundhia, handsome, spoiled nephew of the rulers, comes to her rescue.

**CHAPTER III—Continued**

Lynn Harding had been becoming troublesome. The skillful tyranny of Aunty's moneyed fostering had forced Lynn to postpone the natural rebellion of youth to an age at which some girls are steadying down. Lynn's rebellion had hardly more than begun. Aged twenty-two, she had been denied the democratic grace of college education.

Aunty, who held the purse-strings, knew that colleges corrupt; and what Aunty knew, was so. No one could change Aunty's opinions. Lynn hadn't tried to change Aunty. But she had learned to be strategic and even diplomatic. She had assented, without enthusiasm, to become engaged to a decadent F.F.V. But there, Aunty's first reverse had caught her completely off-guard. An immovable will and an irresistible explosive met. Lynn blew up. She didn't merely break the engagement. She smashed it. She scattered its splintered fragments recklessly.

So Aunty beat a strategic retreat. She decided on a world tour. It had been fairly successful, barring occasional incidents on shipboard and in hotels. The almost incredibly beautiful Lynn had received enough attention from unpedigreed, or at any rate un-certified, strangers to keep Aunty on the war-path.

The British officers in India had given Aunty plenty to worry about. So the invitation from the Maharanee of Kadur had come like a godsend. It gave Lynn a romantic outlet for enthusiasm in impeccably respectable surroundings, where there were no undesirable men to ruin Aunty's dream of a correct and socially influential marriage.

So this Prince was a staggerer. He had been absent when the Hardings arrived, frequently mentioned but not expected to return for several weeks from what was spoken of as a vacation. Aunty had had a good look at him in the full glare of the headlights of the Rolls-Royce. He was a worse shock than the un-dignified brute and the twisted ankle. He resembled one of those young Argentine plutocrats who used to corrupt Paris until the price of beef and wheat reduced them to the level of common mortals. A splendid figure of a man, perfectly tailored. Manners that only money can buy and cynicism support. Beautiful eyes, without a trace of effeminacy and not yet betraying signs of having lived too furiously. An all-conquering eagle. Heir to a throne as old as England's.

With astonishing strength he lifted Aunty from the earth and placed her on the soft-sprung cushions that made her sigh with physical relief and mental horror. Aunty knew she was up against it. The Prince drove her with skill. He avoided bumps. He damned the guard at the palace front gate with the voice of a cultured gentleman and a vocabulary that Aunty instinctively knew was scurrilous. At the arched entrance to the guesthouse patio, he lifted her out. He caused servants to come like firemen to a burning house. He sent immediately for his private Bengali doctor, a member of his own household.

"Competent, Mrs. Harding, I assure you. Discreet, I guarantee." Almost simultaneously with the arrival of the Bengali doctor, who looked devilishly discreet and more afraid of Aunty than if she were the devil's own widow, the Maharanee's carriage drew up, with its horses' noses snorting on top of the Rolls-Royce.

Out got Lynn, too full of excitement and alarm and fun and sympathy to remember she should veil her face. She could hear her aunt through the open guesthouse window. Lynn came running into the glare of Rundhia's headlights.

"Who are you? What is wrong with Aunty?"  
"Your aunt has hurt herself. My physician and some women are exploring for broken bones. I believe it is nothing serious."  
Aunty, it was obvious, thought otherwise. She wasn't liking the doctor. She was calling him a fool, and she could make the word sound like a description of a flunkey caught stealing.

The Maharanee had to be ceremonially helped out of the carriage. She, too, had heard Aunty's yells. She was overflowing with eagerness to overwhelm an injured guest with kindness, but she couldn't run as

fast as Lynn. And then Rundhia stood in the way, smiling, careful not to embarrass Lynn with gallantry.

"Nothing," he said in English, to the Maharanee. "A twisted ankle. A bruise. A little badly shaken I believe. My doctor is attending to her. Won't you introduce me to the goddess?"

The Maharanee purred. She unveiled her face. She put her arm around her lamplight protegee:

"Lynn darling, this is my nephew Prince Rundhia. He is a bad boy, but I do hope you will like each other. Rundhia, this is Miss Lynn Harding, who is teaching me how Americans do things; and I am having such fun pretending she is one of us. I wish she were! Oh, how I wish it."

Presently, when the doctor came out, Rundhia eyed him in the lamplight with a stare that made the Bengali flinch. He did his best to look like a confidential, dignified retainer, but it didn't work. Aunty had broken his dignity, and his fear of the Prince had no covering left. He almost stammered:

"Nothing broken. Tape—iodine—bandages. She will soon recover." He made a sudden, nervous effort to regain the feeling of being important and on the inside of events. "Have you heard that Captain Norwood, of the Royal Engineers, has



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arrived? He is in camp outside the city."

Rundhia looked startled. The doctor continued:

"He has with him an Eurasian named Moses O'Leary who, they say, already is poking his ugly nose into what is none of his business."

Lynn Harding stood examining the Rolls-Royce. She was quite used to luxury, but even Hollywood owned nothing like that thing. Its gadgets and gold-plated adornments were a sufficiently good excuse for giving Aunty's temper time to cool off. So she lingered, letting the Maharanee go alone into the guesthouse. Aloneness, of course, included three servants, but a Maharanee is lucky who endures only six eyes to watch what she does, and six ears to hear what she says. Lynn could not hear what Prince Rundhia was saying to the doctor, but he was doing all the talking and she felt fairly sure that he was talking about her.

He strode toward her looking as deadly self-assured as Mephistopheles. Lynn fell on guard.

"You win," said Rundhia.  
"Win what?"  
"Whatever you came for."  
"I came for a good time."  
"Uh-uh? Been having it?"  
"Yes. Your aunt has been conducting me into Indian mysteries."

"We have none," said Rundhia. "We are an open book. We are three hundred and fifty million people, every single one of whom carries his heart on his sleeve. You are the mystery. Have you a heart? Where is it?"  
Lynn laughed: "Is that any of your business?"  
"Of course it's my business."  
"Why?"  
"Because you are the most beautiful mystery I have ever seen. Every mystery is an invitation to find the right key."

"Oh, are you a detective?"  
"You bet I am. I've detected your cruelty. You intend to keep me guessing. I can't endure it."  
Lynn laughed again: "Should I pity you?"  
"No. Pity and compassion are the twin curses of India. We're so compassionate to one another that we hate one another for not being even more miserable than we are, so as to be able to mop up greater floods of useless pity."  
"So you're an iron man?"  
"No—nor a jellyfish. I have a leathery disposition, due to talents that have dried from lack of use."  
"Oh, are you lazy?"  
"No. Iroa has entered into me."

It's like a spur that dug too deep and keeps on working inward. It irritates abundant energy that has no outlet. Add boredom to that, and what have you?"

"It sounds like an explosive mixture. Aren't you afraid you may blow up? I believe you're sorry for yourself."

"Sorrow is not in me," he retorted. "I don't know the emotion."  
"Not even when you make mistakes?"

"I never make them. A mistake is what a fool does to an opportunity. All that I have lacked until now is a real opportunity."

Mrs. Harding's voice came through the guesthouse window sharply impatient.

"Lynn! Lynn! Where are you?"  
"All right, Aunty. I'm coming."

Experienced tyranny knows countless ways of compelling submission. Aunty groaned on a sumptuous bed:

"No, don't let me trouble you. Don't let me be a nuisance. I am sure that the cares of a palace must be more than enough. You must try to forget my existence. Lynn can look after me."

Lynn's eyes met the Maharanee's—deep unto deep. The Maharanee looked rather like a New York East-side Jewess who has risen through the ruck of immigration to the ranks of affluence and prestige. Full-bosomed, matronly, kind, but aware that the world is full of pitfalls; aware that the world needs kindness, but can misinterpret and cruelly resent good intentions. She had the genius, gentleness, iron. She had also a will that no Deborah Harding could bully to obedience.

Lynn undid a necklace from the palace heirlooms, and handed it to the Maharanee. She began to remove a bracelet, but the complicated fastening prevented. She held out her wrist.

"Please. I must get into some clothes that Aunty thinks respectable and stay with her."

The mild, plump Maharanee countered with surprising firmness:

"Darling, we will expect you to dinner. Yes, I will take the jewelry because it must be returned to the Keeper of the Jewels. I will choose two women from my own attendants who shall take care of Mrs. Harding."

She almost flounced out, giving Aunty no time to reply. There was silence until the drum-beat of the horses' hooves died away along the drive in the direction of the palace. Then Aunty spoke:

"This comes of making social concessions. I never heard of such audacity. Did you hear her speak to me as if I were a servant or a charity patient? Go and take off that immodest costume. It suggests a fancy-dress ball in a bad house."

"Aunty, the doctor has promised to return with something to relieve the pain, so that you will get some sleep."

"Sleep! While you are doing what in the palace? Do you think I am deaf, blind? Do you think I have forgotten your flirting on board ship and in hotels until I blushed for you? I heard you, through the window, talking to Prince Rundhia."

"Aunty, I think I hate you. It makes me feel mean and ungrateful. I would so much rather love you."  
"I have left off hoping to be loved," said Aunty. "I demand your respect. That may teach you to respect yourself and so merit the respect of your equals. Love? Gratitude? Illusions! I have learned that."

Lynn went and changed into black silk Chinese pajamas. They would remind Aunty of that fancy-dress ball on board ship, when the penniless son of a Tirhoot planter had made the pace so hot that Aunty

nearly had fits. Lynn stared at her own reflection in the mirror, not quite liking it. She smiled at herself, just to see what the smile would look like.

The Maharanee returned from the palace, excited, fawned on by four women. Two meek men-servants followed her with baskets of provisions. Lynn ran to greet her. The Maharanee almost squealed at the sight of Lynn in black pajamas with her golden hair massed in becoming contrast.

"Wonderful! But no, that won't do! Yes it will, yes it will! I forget. I am so excited, I forget! We are to have an informal supper party at the palace, instead of dinner—truly, truly unconventional—modern—a picnic!"

"Oh, my God!" said Aunty.

But the Maharanee could be as deaf as Fate when it pleased her to be. She continued, almost breathless:

"His Highness my husband" (she always spoke of the Maharajah as His Highness my husband) "has heard that Captain Norwood is in Kadur. Captain Norwood is a Royal Engineer. He is said to be a man of great attainments. His Highness my husband is very eager to be pleasant to him."

"Engineer?" said Aunty.

"Yes, he is to make a survey of the Kadur River. It would not be etiquette to notice him until after he makes his formal call, which he should do tomorrow. However, I persuaded His Highness my husband, who is a very conventional man, but now and then he listens to me." She turned to Aunty: "We are so, so sorry, Mrs. Harding, that you can't be with us."

"I will spare you that regret," she answered. "I will be there. You have a Ficksaw? Your women can help me to dress, I don't doubt. Lynn and I will be leaving as soon as I am fit to travel. A last supper in your palace will be something to remember."

"Oh, how gracious of you," said the Maharanee. "But are you quite sure?"

The Bengali doctor appeared, cautious, with a bedside confidential air that did not, however, prevent the Maharanee from instinctively veiling her face.

"Mrs. Harding, I have a little pellet for you, just one little pellet, prepared specially."  
"Thank you, I don't take pellets."  
The doctor hesitated. The Maharanee spoke through her veil:

"Mrs. Harding is coming to supper at the palace."  
"Oh?" said the doctor. "Well, perhaps she will take the medicine at supper. Shall I send it by a servant? She should take it with a little piece of bread or with a glass of water."

"Thank you, you needn't trouble," said Mrs. Harding. "I need no medicine."  
"Come, Lynn." The Maharanee could hardly wait while Lynn looked for a wrap.

"So long, Aunty. See you later."  
"Does she never consult an astrologer?" the Maharanee asked.

Lynn laughed: "She did once—and only once!"  
"But you?—You believe in them?"  
"I think the answer is no. I know so little about them—practically nothing. But aren't they charlatans? I've always been told that they are."

"Oh, many of them are," the Maharanee admitted. "There are charlatans in all professions. We have a very good court astrologer. I will order him to cast your horoscope. In fact, I have already consulted him about it."

"What fun! But please do keep it secret from Aunty. She would have conniption fits."

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**No Explanation Offered for Planet Mystery**

Astronomers of the late Nineteenth and early Twentieth centuries spent some 40 years disproving the discovery of a new planet between Mercury and the sun, writes Dr. Heber D. Curtis, director of the University of Michigan observatories, in an article in the Michigan Alumnus Quarterly Review.

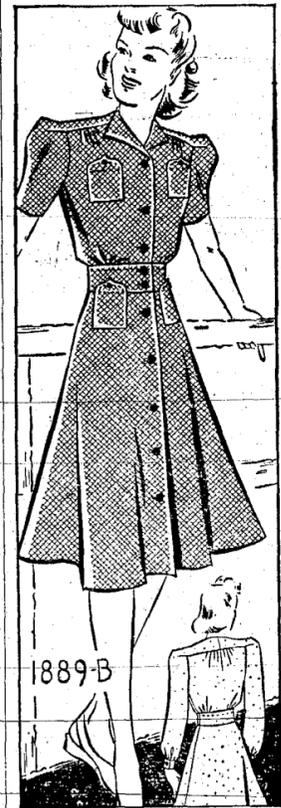
During the total eclipse of 1878, says Dr. Curtis, two bright, star-like objects near the sun were observed by Michigan's Prof. James Craig Watson, one of America's leading astronomers and, according to former President James B. Angell, the most brilliant man ever graduated from the University of Michigan. The existence of a planet inside the orbit of Mercury had long been predicted by theoretical astronomers, he writes, although the body had never been seen. Watson's observations, therefore, he says, were heralded as the discovery of a new member of our planetary family. Confirming Watson's discovery, he adds, were the observations of Prof. Lewis Swift, who saw one of the bodies only a few seconds later than Watson during the same eclipse.

Not until the observations of the total eclipse of 1918 did scientists give up Watson's discovery as a mistake, although no one had ever been able two to observe either of his two intramercurial bodies. Juring each eclipse from 1878 until that time, astronomers set up and ran intramercurial cameras in the search for Vulcan, as the "theoretical" planet had been named.

"These famous observations of Watson's," Dr. Curtis asserts, "defy any satisfactory explanation. Perhaps as probable a theory as any is that he saw a moderately bright comet with an almost stellar nucleus." The relatively strong illumination of the sky background, he explains, would have prevented the detection of a tail, while the failure of astronomers to find the comet after it had left the immediate vicinity of the sun is explained by the fact that all comets enormously decrease in brilliance as they leave the sun, and a small one observed near the sun might never be seen again because its light would diminish by hundreds of times within a short time. While this theory may explain one of Watson's intramercurial objects, says Dr. Curtis, no explanation has been offered for the other.

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# Household News

By Eleanor Howe



## PLAN REFRESHMENTS TO SUIT THE SEASON

See Recipes Below.

### When You Serve a Crowd

Whether it's your responsibility to provide unusual eats for the Senior skating party, or an inexpensive menu for the church supper, cooking in quantities does present problems!

Unless you have recipes designed to serve large numbers, it's safer to make quick breads, cakes and cookies, according to standard family size recipes, doubling them, perhaps, but no more. Proportions of ingredients change as recipes become larger, and it's no simple matter for an amateur to guess at them.

Plan refreshments to suit the season and your guests. When equipment is makeshift, the help limited, and the number to be served is large, select foods that are easily prepared and served, and foods that won't be hurt by standing.

For the simplest sort of refreshments after skating or skiing, hot spiced tea is ideal.

Clam chowder, with toasted crackers, makes a hearty, satisfying and substantial dish to serve after a sleigh ride in the frosty air.

Spaghetti or macaroni make inexpensive, mainstay dishes for a church supper or midwinter meeting of the P. T. A. Served with a crisp salad, hard rolls and fresh fruit for dessert, Italian spaghetti makes an unusual and easy-to-serve meal.

You'll find the tested recipes below practical when you entertain a crowd, and if you're planning a smaller party, my booklet entitled "Easy Entertaining" will give you suggestions for menus and recipes, too.

### Cream Cheese Icing.

(Frosts 90 2-inch cakes)

- 4 3-ounce packages cream cheese
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 8 cups confectioners' sugar
- 1 tablespoon vanilla
- 2 to 3 tablespoons milk
- 1. Soften the cheese with a fork, beating until the mixture is smooth and fluffy.
- 2. Gradually cream in the sugar, beating until the mixture is smooth and fluffy.
- 3. Add vanilla, and enough milk to make icing of spreading consistency.

### Italian Spaghetti.

(Serves 50)

- 1 1/2 quarts onions (minced)
- 3 cloves garlic (minced)
- 1 cup parsley (minced)
- 1/2 cups olive oil
- 6 pounds ground meat (beef, pork and veal)
- 6 No. 2 1/2 cans canned tomatoes
- 8 small cans Italian tomato paste
- 3 tablespoons salt
- 1 teaspoon pepper
- 8 pounds spaghetti
- 2 pounds Italian cheese (grated)
- 1. Cook the onions, garlic and parsley in the olive oil for about 5 minutes.
- 2. Add meat and cook until meat is brown.
- 3. Combine with tomatoes and tomato paste and simmer for about 2 hours or until the sauce is very thick.
- 4. Add salt and pepper just before serving.
- 5. Serve on cooked spaghetti and sprinkle generously with grated cheese.

### Clam Chowder.

(Serves 50)

- 1 1/4 quarts carrot (chopped)
- 1 1/4 cups onion (chopped)
- 3 quarts potato (chopped)
- 7 1/2 cups celery (chopped fine)
- 5 quarts clams
- 5 quarts water and clam liquor
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 5 quarts milk
- 1 1/2 cups flour
- 1 cup parsley
- 2 tablespoons paprika
- Chop the vegetables in small pieces and place in large kettle. Chop the clams and add together with the clam liquor, water, salt and pepper. Cover and cook about 1/2 hour, or until vegetables are tender. Scald milk. Make a smooth paste of the flour and water. Add half of this flour paste to the clam-

mixture and half to the scalded milk. Cook each, stirring constantly, until the mixture thickens. Combine and add butter, parsley, and paprika. Serve very hot.

### Ski-Ball for One.

- 1 1/2 teaspoons sugar
- 1 thick slice lemon stuck with 12 to 18 cloves
- 1 cinnamon stick muddler
- Hot black tea

Place sugar, lemon and the cinnamon stick muddler in Ski-Ball or Russian tea glass (both have handles), pour over this strong, hot, fragrant black tea and serve at once.

### Ham Loaf.

(Serves 100)

- 10 pounds smoked ham (ground)
- 6 pounds veal (ground)
- 1 1/2 cups green pepper (minced)
- 1 1/2 cups onion (chopped)
- 4 teaspoons salt
- 1 teaspoon pepper
- 16 eggs (beaten)
- 2-quarts tomato soup (canned)
- 2 quarts bread crumbs or uncooked cereal (oatmeal or farina)
- 1. Combine the meat, green pepper, onion and seasonings.
- 2. Add beaten eggs, tomato soup, and bread crumbs or uncooked cereal.
- 3. Pack in bread loaf pans and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) for 1 1/2 hours.

### Reception Cakes.

- (Makes 90 2-inch cakes)
- 2 cups shortening (part butter)
- 4 cups sugar
- 16 egg yolks
- 8 cups cake flour
- 8 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 cups milk
- 1 1/2 tablespoons orange or lemon extract
- 1. Cream the shortening, add sugar very slowly, beating well after each addition.
- 2. Beat egg yolks until very thick and add gradually to the creamed mixture.
- 3. Sift dry ingredients together and add to the first mixture alternately with the milk and extract.
- 4. Pour batter into jelly roll pans which have been greased and lined with wax paper.
- 5. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) for 30 minutes. Remove from pans, cool and cut into diamonds.

### Peanut Crunches.

(Makes 8 dozen cookies)

- 1 cup peanut butter
- 1 cup shortening
- 2 cups brown sugar
- 4 eggs (well beaten)
- 2 teaspoons vanilla
- 4 cups flour
- 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
- 4 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1/2 cup peanuts (chopped)
- Cream peanut butter with shortening. Add sugar gradually. Beat in the eggs and vanilla. Sift together the flour, salt and baking powder and add to the creamed mixture alternately with the milk. Add peanuts. Blend well and drop from a spoon into a greased cookie sheet. Bake in a moderately hot oven (400 degrees Fahrenheit) for 10 to 12 minutes.

If your family has a "sweet tooth," dessert is a mighty important part of the meal! But it isn't always easy to find recipes for desserts that are different, easy to make and inexpensive.

Next week Eleanor Howe will give you an assortment of tested recipes for economical and delicious sweets to serve at the close of a meal.

### Send for Your Copy of 'Easy Entertaining' Now.

If it's about time for you to entertain your club or sewing circle, you'll be needing some suggestions for unusual refreshments. You'll find them—menus and tested recipes, too—in this practical guide to entertaining.

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## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

### Lesson for February 25

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### STEWARDS IN THE KINGDOM

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 25:14-27.  
GOLDEN TEXT—Well done, thou good and faithful servant.—Matthew 25:21.

Christ is coming again! This is the message of Matthew 24 and 25, which is the background for the lesson of today. Here we also learn of the end of the age. To many it seems that the time cannot be long before that great and fateful day breaks upon this chaos which we call civilization. These two chapters contain much important prophetic truth, but in studying our lesson we must limit ourselves to the one fact that when Christ does come again we shall be called to give an account of our stewardship.

Men are prone to think of their life as something accidental. They are here and they seem to have certain abilities and opportunities which they may make use of or not as they choose, and then when the time comes, they expect to leave this world, in which they have sought primarily for pleasure and ease, and go out into eternity without any special responsibility. That theory of life was undoubtedly prepared by the devil and is promoted by him for the purpose of destroying the souls of men.

### I. Christ Makes Men Stewards of His Goods (vv. 14-18).

All men are stewards, for it is evident that our Lord has given to each one of us ability and opportunity to serve Him. The unbeliever who entirely rejects or ignores His responsibility before God will have to answer for His failure to follow and serve Christ. So will the professing Christian who denies his profession by his works have to answer for his hypocrisy. Every true Christian likewise must stand before the judgment seat of Christ and be judged for the work he has done in the flesh.

The Lord has committed to each man responsibility according to his ability. God is not unreasonable. He does not demand that which is beyond our capacity. He gives to each one the amount of His goods which that man is able to make use of, and then it becomes his responsibility to use those goods diligently and faithfully.

### II. Christ Will Return for a Stewardship Accounting (v. 19).

Life is far from a meaningless existence without responsibility and ultimate accountability. Christ is coming again, we know not when, but we know that He is coming and that He may come today. What answer will you and I give Him when He asks us to account for the goods He has left in our care?

Well aware are we that there are those who scoff at the thought of Christ's return. The Bible told centuries in advance that we should expect such an attitude of unbelief, and it also told why men scoff at this truth, namely, because they are "walking after their own lusts" and are "willingly ignorant" of God's Word (see II Peter 3:3-9).

What a solemn indictment that is! Let us see that it does not apply to us. Let us rather be among those who are "looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ" (Titus 2:13). In preparation for that day let us obey His admonition, "Occupy till I come" (Luke 19:13), that we may not stand ashamed in His presence in that day.

### III. Faithfulness Brings Reward, Unfaithfulness Results in Judgment (vv. 20-27).

The man who because of special ability had received five talents had a great opportunity to serve his lord, and he did so with courage and fidelity. So also did the man who because of lesser natural endowments received two talents. Both made the most of their opportunities and were equally faithful, and also received equal rewards. We shall not be judged on the basis of the greatness or the limitation of our opportunities, but rather by the use we make of them. That fact should encourage the one who is by circumstance or calling confined to a limited field, while it should solemnize and stir to greater faithfulness the one who has been given great opportunity. Observe that the reward for doing one's work well is not retirement and a pension, but more work (v. 21).

What about the man with the one talent? Apparently he yielded to the ever-present temptation to be hurt because he did not receive as much as the others (vv. 24-26). Instead of appreciating the kindness of his lord in not burdening him with more goods than he was able to care for, and doing what he could with what he had, he hid the talent in the ground and went about his own business. Such rebellion and carelessness naturally brought forth the reproof of the master and judgment (see vv. 29, 30).

### As You Reap

"Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap. He that soweth sparingly shall also reap sparingly."

## Sheerest Black Lace Is Used In Unique and Fetching Ways

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



INTO the story of modern costume design the black magic of exquisitely sheer lace is writing a chapter of fascinating interest. The latest discovery about black lace is that instead of being "oldish" looking, as we were once led to believe, it really is as flattering to the debutante as it is to the woman who registers in the "life-begins-at-forty" class.

Note how artfully handsome black lace is introduced in the fashions pictured. If you are invited to an important function you could not make a more suitable choice than a gown of shimmering, crisp yellow taffeta jacketed with a basque of fine black lace beautifully fashioned and daintily transparent, as shown in the illustration, to the left. A flattering lace jacket of this type is a grand possession, for you can wear it with various costumes. Being high necked and having three-quarter sleeves, it is not too formal for your "at home" receptions nor too informal for an important party elsewhere. The quaint use of wide black lace to border the yards and yards around hemline adds infinitely to the chic of this adorable gown.

With a dress so distinctive as this of course one will want a few superb jewels to flash forth fire and beauty. The ornament worn at the hairline in Hollywood style, is a new "headgem" worth noting, being a yellow diamond set in Spanish gold. It is suspended on a ribbon

concealed under the curls. Milady also wears two white diamond bracelets and a yellow diamond ring. Each season certain jewelry vogues stand out pre-eminently in the mode and the immediate style jewelry is diamonds, a single fine jewelry unit rather than a bizarre showing of costume jewelry.

A most attractive use of black lace is that of a yoke that gives flattering transparency to an afternoon gown of sheer wool crepe or whatever the fabric of your dressy black frock. See the idea illustrated to the right in the group. Ladies, take notice if your clothes allowance is limited and you like to see here is a grand suggestion for fixing over a dress that calls for restyling. Give it a dainty lace yoke. The brimmed turban that tops this charming lace-yoked dress is one of a collection of lovely white hats that are high fashion. It is made of white silk jersey draped softly over the brow to give the appearance of a brim.

The quaint silhouette of the 1890s distinguishes the attractive dinner gown centered in the illustration. This stunning dress of black Rodier wool fits slimly to the figure, flaring only toward the floor where it ends in a lace flounce. A bustle illustration is achieved by a black velvet bow securing folds of the material. The sleeves are elbow-length with the fashionable "pushed-up" look. Lace forms a deep inset covering the back décolletage and forming also a cowl-back hood which brought up over the head has the appearance of a mantilla. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

### Ornate Detail



Black and yellow braid in a scroll patterning has been used in a bolero fashion on an afternoon dress of teal blue sheer wool as pictured at the top. A broad girde of self fabric forms the wide corselet. Her black hat has a blue smood at the back. A smart version of the separate blouse and skirt for informal evenings is shown below.

Embroidery and quilting on the white crepe blouse, the outline stitch done in gold thread is very effective. This two-piece is practical because either piece may be worn with another mate. This blouse would look well with a street length skirt for less formal occasions. Braiding, embroidery and other ornate surface work continues to flourish in the spring mode.

### Flower Jewelry Is Harbinger of Spring

If you want to feel the exuberance of spring tingle through your veins and if you want to cause others to feel just like that at sight of you, be one of the first to brighten your costume with an ensemble of enamel flower jewelry. One of the prettiest designs is a bib necklace made of yellow-centered white enamel daisies. And here's good news—you can get bracelet and clips to match. With the new pastel frock you are wearing under your coat, a necklace of pearl material blown up into featherweight colorful flowers will be delectable. These perfectly charming flower gadgets do wonders for black or navy frocks. And do these gaily colorful jewelry flowerets flatter! Well, just look in the mirror and see.

### Spring Fabric-Call For Twill Effects

"I will take so many yards of repp," that's the way our grandmamas used to say it when they were buying material for the new suit or dress and the prospects are we are going to be saying just that as the spring season comes on. Repp is one of the worsteds that is being heralded as ever so fashionable for the coming months.

In fact the trend is decidedly toward twill effects. There is every indication that navy will be competing with black. So look for a season of handsome suits, coats and street one-piece dresses fashioned of some one or other of the new twilled weaves.

### Amber Toned Frock Has Strong Appeal

A delicate sheer fabric and heavy silk jersey, both in a creamy amber tone, are combined in a romantic evening gown designed by Edith Head. The dress itself is made of sheer silk, cut with a swirling circular skirt and a bodice styled like a basque sweater. The bodice is embroidered in ropelike bands of gold threads and the whole creation is worn over a slip of matching silk jersey.

## Ask Me Another

A General Quiz

### The Questions

1. What American statesman was the grandson of a king?
2. Is the cantaloupe the same as a muskmelon?
3. What causes an oasis in a desert?
4. When was the first depression in the United States?
5. At what period of life does the brain grow fastest?
6. Who wrote the famous "Unfinished Symphony"—Bach, Schubert or Beethoven?
7. What is the capacity of the human stomach?

### The Answers

1. Charles Bonaparte, who was in Theodore Roosevelt's cabinet.
2. The cantaloupe is one variety of muskmelon.
3. Springs rising from subterranean streams generally cause oases.
4. The first so-called depression in the United States occurred in 1785 and lasted until 1789.
5. During the first five years of life.
6. Schubert.
7. Normally from four to five pints.

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## Ordinance No. 58

An Ordinance Establishing Rules and Regulations For The Government of The East Jordan Water Works, Fixing Water Rates, Providing Penalties For Violation of Its Provisions and Repealing Old Ordinances. The City of East Jordan Ordains:

**Section I.** The management and supervision of the East Jordan Water Works shall be vested in the City Commissioner appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council as provided by the City Charter. He shall receive no other or further compensation for his services as such.

**Section II.** The Superintendent of the Municipal Water Works shall have charge of all its property, entire control of its operation and maintenance, supervision over all its employees, supervision over all additions, alterations, repairs, and the laying and construction of all mains as well as perform all other duties required of him by the council — PROVIDED, however, he shall not have authority to change any hydrant, gate, pipe or main or make or obligate the city to pay for any repairs, improvements, or purchase any supplies exceeding in cost the sum of \$25.00 unless first approved by the City Council.

**Section III.** The Chief of Police shall assist such Water Works Superintendent in the performance of the duties vested in him by this ordinance and shall be charged with the enforcement of this ordinance under the orders and direction of such Superintendent.

### MUNICIPAL WATER WORKS RULES

**Section IV.** The following rules shall govern the use of water furnished by the Municipal Water Works to all present and future users of water. All water users taking water from City mains after the effective date of this ordinance shall be considered as expressing his, her or its consent and agreement to such rules and shall be bound thereby.

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**Rule 1.** Every individual, firm or corporation residing in or having its principal place of business in the City of East Jordan who does not now have a connection with the City water mains shall be entitled to the same by paying the cost of making the connection and securing a permit from the City Clerk. Such permit may be secured by depositing a sum of money not less than \$25.00 plus such additional sum as a reasonable estimate for making connection may require with the City Treasurer to guarantee payment of costs and agreeing that, if the cost exceeds such sum, such cost shall be paid before the water is turned on. The City agrees that if such cost is less than the sum deposited it will refund the difference. Upon securing a receipt for the said sum the applicant shall present it to the City Clerk together with written application signed by the owner or his authorized agent setting forth the proposed place of connection and the reasons therefor together with the applicants' written consent to abide by this ordinance. Compliance with the foregoing shall entitle the applicant to a three-quarter tap in the main and a three-quarter connection as far as the curb box.

**Rule 2.** Any person, firm or corporation obtaining either directly or indirectly any water from the City Mains who does not now have a regularly installed meter on the premises or who has not first obtained a permit to take water, such taking of water being with intent to defraud the City out of pay therefore, shall, upon conviction thereof, be liable to the penalties provided in section 5 of this ordinance.

**Rule 3.** All outlets from the City Water Mains for private purposes shall be metered unless unusual circumstances prohibit the use of a meter and the City Council authorizes the use of unmetered water. Such meters shall be furnished, installed and maintained by the City and shall in all cases when installed remain the property of the City. All water used shall pass through such meters unless special permission to the contrary is granted by the City Council. It shall be unlawful to remove or in any manner tamper with such meters or to use unmetered water unless special permission is granted.

**Rule 4.** The authorized agents of the City shall have the right to enter on any premises where City water is used or a connection is had with the City mains for the purpose of installing, repairing, inspecting or reading water meters and inspecting the plumbing system.

**Rule 5.** It shall be the responsibility of the owner and user to keep all water pipes in repair. The City shall not be responsible for any loss sustained by the freezing of pipes, leakage of either metered or unmetered water, or any other damage caused by the failure of the owner or user to keep his water system in good repair. No deduction in the water bill shall be made for leakage of metered water under any circumstances. In the event any user has notice or knowledge that his meter is not registering properly it shall be his duty forthwith to report the same to the Superintendent or the Chief of Police. Failure to so report shall be deemed a violation of this ordinance and the violator, on conviction shall be subject to the penalties provided in Section 5 hereof. Upon receipt of such report it shall be the duty of the Superintendent or his authorized agent to test the meter and if it be found that it is more than 5 per cent inaccurate either way an adjustment shall be made on the water bill by estimating the amount of water actually used during like periods in previous years. The City shall not be obligated to thaw out any frozen pipes except between the service box and the main and then only when the location of the freeze up is located by the user and reported to the proper authorities.

**Rule 6.** If more than one family takes water through a single tap the owner of the premises on which the tap is located shall in all cases be responsible for the water rent. The same applies to more than one family using water taken from a single service pipe. If individuals taking water from a single service pipe desire to meter their water separately they may do so by making application to the Superintendent, paying for a separate meter and its installation. Upon doing so the meter shall belong to the party so paying except that the City reserves the right to at all times inspect it and order its owner to repair it if it be in need of repair.

**Rule 7.** The City reserves the right to shut the water off at any time to meet any emergency. In case of the fire whistle being blown to summon the fire department to any fire in the City of East Jordan, it shall be unlawful for any user to allow any lawn sprinkler or garden hose to take water from the City mains for so long as said fire shall continue. Lawns and gardens may be sprinkled at any time so long as there is no emergency. The City reserves the right, however, to regulate the hours when lawns and gardens may be sprinkled if it becomes necessary to do so to maintain an adequate supply of water to meet ordinary needs.

**Rule 8.** The Superintendent or such other person as the council may appoint shall be the inspector of plumbing. No repairs to any water line connected with the City Main shall be made, no main, hydrant or valve opened or closed, no service box moved, no machinery and equipment of the water works system interfered or tampered with unless by his express permission or by firemen in the discharge of their duties. Any damage to any property belonging to the Municipal Water Works, including service boxes, lines and meters caused by the neglect of any user of City water will be charged against the property of such user and collected under rules for the collection of water rates. All tapping of water mains and plumbing shall be done by a duly licensed plumber under the supervision as aforesaid of the superintendent.

**Rule 9.** Water bills sent to users shall be due and payable on the first day of January, April, July and October of each year. If such bills are not paid by the first day of the following month after due, i. e., the first days of February, May, August and November the Chief of Police without further notice to either the user or property owner shall turn the water off forthwith and shall not turn it on again until the bill has been paid in full plus an additional charge of \$1 for turning on the water. In case of violation of any other provisions of this ordinance the Chief of Police shall turn the water off forthwith without notice and shall not turn it on again until all penalties inflicted by reason of such violation have been paid in full plus the \$1 charge for turning the water on.

**Rule 10.** In no case where water is shut off for non-payment of the water bill or for any other violation of this ordinance shall the City be answerable in damages for any inconvenience or damage caused thereby.

**Rule 11.** Water bills will be made out to the owner of the premises where furnished but may be sent to and paid by the tenant. In all cases the owner of the property shall be the responsible party. All water charges shall be a lien upon the lands and premises where furnished and such lien may be enforced as in this rule provided, i. e., On the first day of March of each year the City Treasurer shall furnish the City Clerk with a list of all unpaid water rentals in which shall be incorporated a description of the property, the name of the owner, the name of the user and the amount delinquent. The City Clerk shall present such report to the Council at their first meeting in March. At such meeting the Council shall fix a time and place for hearing objections to the placing of such delinquent water rents and charges on the City tax roll for collection. Such time of hearing shall not be less than twenty days nor more than 40 days from the time of fixing the same, and notice of such hearing shall be served by the Chief of Police, personally if the recipient lives in East Jordan and by Registered Mail addressed to the last known address of the recipient if he lives outside of the City of East Jordan, upon the last known owner of the premises. Each notice shall inform the owner of the time and place of hearing, the amount of water rents and charges that are delinquent, and the intentions of the City to place such charges on the tax roll for collection unless legitimate reasons for not doing so are presented at said hearing. After serving such notice the Chief of Police shall make a return to the City Clerk in writing of his doings in the premises. The City Council shall meet at the time and place of hearing and all persons interested shall be heard. The Council shall then determine by resolution all water rents and charges which shall constitute a lien upon any premises and shall in said resolution direct the City Clerk to certify the same to the City Assessor with instructions to enter the same upon the tax roll of said city for said year in an appropriate column for collection. Such determination shall state the last known owner of the premises, a description of the premises and the amount of water rent and charges. To the amount reported on the books of the treasurer shall be added a charge of 10 per cent collection fee. Such water rents and charges shall thereupon be collected, receipted and returned in the same manner as other taxes.

**Rule 12.** For the purpose of charging for water used the year shall be divided into four quarters of 3 months each the first quarter commencing January 1st. Meters will be read at the close of each quarter and for water used during such quarter a charge will be made to all users irrespective of the amount of water used as follows:

- \$1.50 for the first 1,000 cubic feet or fraction thereof used.
  - 9c per 100 cubic feet for the next 4,000 cubic feet used.
  - 8c per 100 cubic feet for the next 5,000 cubic feet used.
  - 6c per 100 cubic feet for the next 15,000 cubic feet used.
  - 4c per 100 cubic feet for all water used over 25,000 cubic feet.
- In addition to such charges a charge each quarter for meter rent will be assessed as follows:
- 25c per quarter for all meters less than 1 inch.
  - 75c per quarter for all meters 1 inch and less than 2 inches.
  - \$1.25 per quarter for all meters 2 inch and less than 3 inches.
  - \$2.00 per quarter for all meters 3 inches and over.

In all cases where the water is turned off at the request of the owner or tenant or for non-payment of water bills or violation of this ordinance an additional charge of \$1 will be made and it shall be paid to the City Treasurer before the water is turned on. In cases where the water is turned on for only a part of a quarter and less than 1,000 cubic feet of water are used during such quarter a charge of 50c per month or fraction of a month shall be made, plus meter rent for the full quarter. In all cases where the water remains turned on for the full quarter and no water is used or only a small amount is used the minimum rate of \$1.50 per quarter plus meter rent shall still apply.

No reduction in rate, discount or rebate shall be allowed to any user unless it is determined that the water meter has not registered properly through no fault or neglect of the user.

In any case where, in the opinion of the council, an unusual amount of water is being used and a meter cannot be properly installed for any reason, a special contract shall be made with such user based upon an estimate of the water used.

**Section V.** Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof before any court of competent jurisdiction shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding fifty (\$50) Dollars and the costs of prosecution,

levioux County Jail for a period of thirty (30) days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

**Section VI.** Ordinance Nos. 15, 27, 32, 33, 39, 42, 44, 48 and any other ordinances or parts of ordinances in any way contravening or inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

**Section VII.** Should any provisions or Section of this ordinance be held to be invalid for any reason, such holding shall not be construed as affecting the validity of any remaining portion of such section, subsection, or of this ordinance, it being the intent of the City Council that this ordinance shall stand, notwithstanding the invalidity of any such provision or section.

**Section VIII.** This ordinance shall be in full force and effect on the 1st day of April, 1940 and the rates and charges herein set forth shall apply to

or imprisonment in the City or Charlevoix water used during the 1st quarter of 1940.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of East Jordan on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1940 by an 'aye' and nay vote as follows:

Ayes — Bussler, Sinclair, Malpass, Maddock, Shaw, Kenny and Mayor Healey.

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Mrs. Wilson will be remembered as the former wife of David Clements, and sister of Charles Hudson. The family left here about 35 years ago.

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