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## FIX SCHOOL TAX LEVY FOR YEAR AT \$850,000: TAX RATE UP \$1.71

### Veterans of Foreign Wars Honor Memory of Russell A. Alger

The recently organized Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Grosse Pointe Township has honored the memory of the late Russell A. Alger by naming the new Post after him.

This organization, consisting of veterans in the Grosse Pointe district, has thus far attained a membership of 100 veterans, which number is constantly increasing.

The objects of the association are fraternal, patriotic, historical and educational; to preserve and strengthen comradeship among its members; to assist worthy comrades, to perpetuate the memory and history of our dead, and to assist their widows and orphans; to maintain true allegiance to the government of the United States of America, and fidelity to its constitution and laws; to foster true patriotism; to maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom; and to preserve and defend the United States from all her enemies, whomsoever. A national home is maintained by the organization for orphans and widows of veterans at Eaton Rapids, Michigan.

Any men who have seen service in the Spanish American War, Cuban and Philippine Campaigns, Boxer uprising, World War or Nicaraguan hostilities are eligible to membership. Temporary headquarters are at 364 Rivard boulevard. The officers of the Russell A. Alger Post are as follows: Commander, Wilfred M. Kane; Sr. Vice Commander, Jas. J. Brown, Jr.; Vice Commander, Orville C. Ingalsbe; Quartermaster, Andrew T. Salada; Officer of the Day, Sylvester A. Lingenman; Chaplain, Jas. C. Martin; Adjutant, Sylvester A. Maurer.

The next regular meeting of the organization will be held on Monday evening, July 27th.

### Messiah Lutheran

Southeast corner of Lakewood and Kercheval avenue. A. H. A. Loebler, pastor, 1434 Lakewood avenue; telephone Lenox 2121.

"False Prophets" will be the subject of the sermon on the coming Sunday, July 26. Services will be held as follows: German, with Holy Communion at 9 a. m.; English at 11:15 a. m.; Sunday School at 10:15 a. m.

### Lochmoor Church of Christ

Lord's Day, July 26—All day meeting at the Church House and grounds. 9:45—The Bible School. 11:00—Worship.

After morning service a basket lunch; and you cannot find a more suitable place for a picnic lunch. Lunch time and afternoon Get-Acquainted time, also singing the old songs you all know.

7:15—Open air gospel service. This is your opportunity to spend a pleasant and profitable Sunday.

Do not let financial embarrassment keep you away. There will be plenty to eat. For further information call the Evangelist.

### Eastminster Presbyterian Church

East Jefferson at Manistique. Carl E. Kirchner, pastor.

"If I had but one sermon to preach—what?" will be the last sermon of Rev. Carl E. Kirchner, before he leaves on his vacation.

At 7:30 p. m. there will be a Union service with the Jefferson Avenue Methodist church. The services will be held in the Eastminster Presbyterian church. Mr. Franklin Huntley speaks on "The Prayer-Life."

### Moral Indignation

"What an anomaly, that so-called Christian people should ever show anger!" exclaims a writer. Quiet anger that aims its blows against evil has its place. Spluttering, blustering anger for selfish ends is a different thing.—Exchange.

## Neighborhood Club Activities

### GROSSE POINTE PLAYGROUND BALL LEAGUE

Results of games played July 15th: Grosse Pointe Park 12, N. A. C. 6 Limits 9, Tigers 2 Kerchevals 3, Frogs 2 Messiah Lutherans 12, St. Clare 5 Jolly Pals 12, Racquetters 11.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Grosse Pointe Park	6	0	1.000
Kerchevals	5	1	.833
Messiah Lutherans	4	2	.667
Tigers	3	3	.500
Limits	3	3	.500
Frogs	3	3	.500
St. Clare	3	3	.500
N. A. C.	2	4	.333
Jolly Pals	1	5	.167
Racquetters	0	6	.000

The Camp Fire Girls of the Neighborhood Club are spending this week at camp, located at Lake Ore, Brighton, Michigan. Next week, the members of the A. O. C. Girls will go to Brighton also for a week.

### GIRL'S TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The Girls' Tennis Tournament closed last week with Mrs. Veach victorious. Second place was won by Kay Steele and third by Dorothy Maul. This was one of the fastest and most exciting contests of the season, having brought forth many surprising results.

In the first round, Isabel Williams defeated Beatrice Snetkamp, Kay Steele defeated Corrine Stoetzner, Dorothy Maul was victorious over Florence Wolf, Ruth Britt defeated Mae Stock, and Loma Bastien defeated Virginia Lobdell, Mrs. Veach drawing a bye. In the second round, Kay Steele defeated Isabel Williams, Dorothy Maul defeated Mae Stock, and Mrs. Veach defeated Loma Bastien. The third round, of course, was between Kay Steele and Dorothy Maul, Kay being the winner, and she was defeated in the finals by Mrs. Veach.

Entries are now being received at the Neighborhood Club for the Boys' Tennis Tournaments which will be held in the near future. These tournaments are divided into classes according to age, and are open to all boys in this community. For further information, see Mr. Simonsen, at the Neighborhood club, or phone Niagara 0771.

The Neighborhood Club Playground is buzzing with activity this week. The cool pleasant weather furnishes the

necessary stimulation for games and projects.

Teams of colorful designs are the special art work for this week. Patterns and crayons, together with the original work of each designer, produce most pleasing effects. Soon a new project will be started, the nature of which can be learned only by personal attendance.

Next week, definite and continuous practices for the final program to be given at the last of August will be initiated. Those who wish to take part may do so by attending the playground faithfully. The nature of the entertainment is something new to this particular group and will enable each to do whatever he or she chooses.

As for the "special day," Friday of this week a "Pet Show" will be held at the Neighborhood Club playground. Pets, alive, or stuffed animals and toys are allowed and desired. Do not hesitate to bring these stuffed pets, as well as live ones, for they are liable to be more easily judged and managed. Prizes will be given, original plays will be produced, and you are all invited.

### Wayside Roses Bloom In Canada; Visitors Attracted

Lovers of free rose-growing are flocking over to the Ontario peninsula from Sandwich to Leamington to see the wayside and garden roses of that territory, now in full bloom. The Ontario farmers are very industrious in the development of roses, both of the bush and climber types for farm beautification. The result is that No. 3 road, starting from Sandwich to Leamington, is a perfect lane of roses. In the neighborhood of Harrow, Essex, Maidstone, Leamington and Kingsville the displays are unusually fine. The show bush of the territory is on Samuel Johnson's garden on No. 3 highway in Leamington. Here a 30-year old bush, of English origin, has shown 900 blooms at one time, with no special cultivation. The Johnsons distribute their surplus roses to their neighbors and give them away to tourists. As a matter of fact, practically all the roadside growers are free with their blooms to tourists.

White Star Specialized Lubrication at W. B. Stritzmiller's Service, Kercheval and Beaconsfield avenues.

### WANT A BICYCLE

About 12 bicycles are waiting for their owners to claim them at the Grosse Pointe village police department. The Village police report that during the past year a dozen or so bicycles have come into their hands having been found in various parts of the Village. Upon proper identification, the boys and girls owning these bicycles may have them back, the Village police announce.

### THE BLONDELL'S RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Blondell and their son, Richard, returned recently from an extensive motor tour of Canada.

### Visionola, Latest In Home Entertainment Is Introduced Here

The latest in home entertainment—VISIONOLA—is being introduced in the Grosse Pointe district by A. L. Horn and L. Julian Schwartz, both residents of the Pointe.

The "Visionola," Mr. Horn and Mr. Schwartz readily point out, is a combination of talkies, radio and phonograph in one handsome cabinet. It brings to the living room the whole wide world of entertainment, they state.

The touch of a finger tip upon a little lever and in your own living room from your own easy chair you command the wondrous world that sight and sound and science can summon for you from a score of far-flung studios.

As Mr. Horn more aptly describes sensation and thrills of enjoying the "Visionola," "Now you sit tense, and tingling as bit by bit, a drama unfolds before you \* \* \* again the news of the world flashes on the screen with Floyd Gibbons announcing \* \* \* or you travel in far places with a good guide to keep you company. "Best of all," Mr. Horn continues, "your own homemade films may be shown to the very best advantage through the flickerless, blurless Visionola lens—to the strains of appropriate radio music."

"Residents of Grosse Pointe will surely want to see and hear for themselves the modern magic of the "Visionola"—for fifteen minutes of actual demonstration will tell you more than tons of paper and oceans of printers' ink. Pointe residents may attend a demonstration at any time, day or evening, at the store of L. Julian Schwartz at 335 Grosse Pointe boulevard in the Farms. In attending a demonstration you are under no obligation. There is no salesmen's chatter. (Continued on Page Four)

## SOCIETY

By DOROTHY DEE

The Misses Elaine and Geraldine Arndt, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Arndt, of Barrington road, have returned home this week after a month's stay in New York city where Miss Elaine has been studying dancing under Ted Shawn, Florence Rogge and Bill Robinson. Miss Arndt will open her studio early in September.

Mrs. Bernard O. Hallis entertained a group of friends on Friday last in honor of her daughter, Barbara Louise. The guests included Christine Caulkins, Rosalie Packard, Elizabeth Robb, Barbara Neebe, Marjorie Cromar, Barbara Reszke, Isabella and Elizabeth Harris and Gloria Reiwaldt.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell A. Alger, Jr., of Grosse Pointe boulevard, Grosse Pointe Farms, are sojourning in their summer home at Charlevoix, Mich. They will return September 1.

Miss Margaret Louise Nerlinger, of Bedford road, Grosse Pointe Park, entertained 11 friends at a swimming party at the new Grosse Pointe Park swimming pool, followed by a lawn fete at her home Friday. Midnight supper was served in the gardens, which were illuminated with flood lights and decorated with Japanese lanterns and balloons.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Burden and daughter Donna Virginia, are spending a few days at Grayling, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Anderson of Beverly road, Grosse Pointe Farms, plan to leave July 29 for Montreal, accompanied by their daughter, Mary Lou. They will sail August 1 on S. S. Duchess of Bedford for Europe, where they will sojourn for six weeks. They will spend the greater part of their time in England, Scotland and Wales.

Mrs. Haldeman Finnie of Ellair place, Grosse Pointe Park, is spending the month of July in Chicago as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Charles Holt, in her home at Lake Forest.

Mrs. Harold Palmer of University Place, Grosse Pointe Village, is occupying her summer home at Manchester, Mass. Mr. Palmer will join her later.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Langdon Hubbard of Washington road, Grosse Pointe

Village, with their children are guests of Mrs. Hubbards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Scott, of Evanston at their summer home in Charlevoix, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harrison Phelps, who have been spending several days in New York, will return this week to their home, Bishop road, Grosse Pointe Park.

Mrs. Allen F. Edwards of Lothrop road, Grosse Pointe Farms, and her daughters, Christine and Helen, are spending the summer in their home at the Huron Mountains, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellis, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Ellis' father, Ross W. Judson, of Windmill Pointe.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace B. Peabody of Iroquois avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius K. Chapin of Lincoln road, Grosse Pointe Village spent last weekend at Point aux Barques Club.

Miss Alice Peabody will leave the first of the week for Washington, D. C., where she will visit Mrs. G. L. Nicholson for a few weeks.

Mrs. C. Gilbert Waldo, Jr., and her daughter, Joan, of Country Club Lane, Grosse Pointe, left recently to occupy their summer home, Hyac Harbor, Les Cheneaux Club, Mich., for the remainder of the season.

Lending Library—Your Drug Store.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvan Macauley, Lake Shore Road, Grosse Pointe Farms, this past week, has been the rendezvous for all the members of the younger set of the Pointe who are still in town. There were two attractions—Miss Emily Strawn, of New York, Mrs. Macauley's niece, and Miss Jane Burke, of Washington, D. C., Mr. Macauley's niece. Many pleasant informal affairs were given. Miss Strawn returned to her home Wednesday. Miss Burke is here for an indefinite stay.

Miss Mary Jane Barrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Barrett of Kensington road, Grosse Pointe Park, is visiting Mrs. Sidney Roberts in her later.

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Lending Library—Your Drug Store.

### School Tax Levy for Year is \$850,000: More Economy Sought

The Grosse Pointe School Board passed a resolution at its regular meeting last Monday evening fixing the tax levy for school purposes this year at \$850,000.

The tax rate, the Board indicated, would be \$7.92 per \$1,000 assessed valuation, or an increase of \$1.71 over the tax rate last year when it was \$6.22 per \$1,000 assessed valuation. Contributing to the increase in the tax rate for this year, the Board pointed out, was the substantial decrease this year in assessed valuations throughout the School district.

According to the Board's figures, the assessed valuation of the School district for the current year is \$107,286,359, a decrease of \$11,237,679 under the assessed valuation last year when it was \$118,524,038.

Assisting the School Board in determining the tax levy at its meeting last Monday was Carl H. Chatters, Detroit banker and director of the Municipal Advisory Council.

A score or so of residents were in attendance at the Board's meeting and several of them discussed with the School Board members various proposals for economy.

It was suggested by one that in addition to the several steps the Board is taking in its economy program that further retrenchment be effected like the closing of the Kerby school, dispensing with the services of the assistant superintendent of schools who is employed at an annual salary of \$3,200 and increasing the size of school classes to permit for the elimination of several teacher positions.

Speaking in behalf of their School Board in response to these suggestions, School trustee J. Lee Barrett stated that the Board welcomed the interest the residents were taking in the School District matters. He asked that the constructive suggestions of the residents be submitted to Dr. Brownell, superintendent of Schools, and assured them they would be given very careful consideration by the Board.

### Grace Church

Kercheval at Lakepointe, Grosse Pointe Park. Armin Haussler, pastor, 1132 Lakepointe avenue. Phone Lenox 2299.

Sunday, July 26, 9:30 a. m.—Church school. S. H. Hall, superintendent. 10:45 a. m.—Public worship with sermon on the question: "Does It Pay to be a Christian?" Mr. Theodore C. Haussler, professional pianist, a brother of the pastor, of Minneapolis, will play for this service. Miss Cora Joan Haussler, a sister of the pastor, of New York, will sing. She has sung in some of the leading churches of the country including Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church of New York.

You are cordially invited to attend here next Sunday morning.

### Jefferson Avenue Methodist Church

Jefferson Avenue at Marlborough. Rev. Eugene Miles Moore, D. D., minister.

The Sunday evening union services arranged by the Eastminster Presbyterian church and this church, combining the public worship hour and the Epworth League and Christian Endeavor meetings, will be held this Sunday at the Eastminster Presbyterian church, 7:30 p. m. The Jefferson Methodist young people will have charge. Franklin Huntley will speak on the theme, "The Life of Prayer." These meetings are winning considerable interest as evidenced by the attendance.

Other services of the day: 9:45 a. m.—Bible School. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Dr. Moore will preach Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m. Central Fellowship Hour.

### Masculine Ego

To some men "equality" is a right to feel superior.—Fort Wayne News-Sentinel.

## A CREED FOR 1931

Reprinted from "The Sun Dial" by H. I. Phillips in the New York Sun, May 26, 1931

I BELIEVE in the United States of America.

I believe in the American ability to beat any beatable set of circumstances and come up smiling.

I believe in the ability of the American citizen to swim upstream, hit fast ball pitching, break out of a half-nelson and have a pretty good time in the bargain.

I believe that in the long run fair weather overbalances the bad, that all "breaks" are subject to the law of averages, that the expression "Good old days" is relative and that everything comes out all right in the wash.

I believe a little optimism never hurt anybody and can be taken straight.

I believe in the capacity of the American industrial leader and in the common sense of the American workman.

I believe that Uncle Sam is still at the old stand with a brave heart and a clear head and I do not believe he is in any danger of losing his pants, coat, vest or shirt.

I believe in the total inability of Russia to change the course of the stars, to rearrange the general appearance of the heavens, to eliminate the constellations, to discontinue the daily rising of the

sun, to subject the rainbow to a five-year plan or to make the American of normal backbone jump into a hole and pull it in after him.

I believe American railroads are worth considerably more than a dime a dozen.

I believe the United States Steel Corporation, the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, the General Electric Corporation and other big industrial institutions will stay in business and that none of them is in any danger of having to take on a side line of lead pencils or apples.

I do not believe there is any danger of seeing John Pierpont Morgan, Owen D. Young, General Atterbury, Charlie Schwab or James A. Farrell throwing their jobs overboard and deciding to make a living as ferryboat musicians.

I believe that what the country needs more than anything else is a restoration of the ducking stool for professional pessimists, squawmers, calamity howlers and confirmed grouches.

I believe in the ability, instinct, capacity and power of the average American to fight his way out of any difficulty, to scale any reasonable heights, to make the final payments on the automobile, to put something in the bank and to look adversity in the face and tell it to go to hell.

I believe the American people will continue to own and operate automobiles and that there is not a

Chinaman's chance that conditions will arise which will make them decide it is a good idea to go back to the bicycle and the buggy.

I believe the American housewife will continue to have an electric ice-box and will never again be satisfied to spend a half day mopping up the kitchen after the visit of the old-fashioned iceman.

I believe the old-fashioned wash-tub has gone for good and that anybody who thinks the American wife is going back to the old days of drudgery and inconveniences is two-third cookoo and one-third army mule.

I believe three square meals a day will always be the American standard, but that even if we miss one or two it won't hurt us.

I believe in common sense and natural vision as opposed to the "fidgets" and the use of smoked glasses when anything goes wrong.

I believe in the silver lining, the rainbow after the storm, the plunge through center, the infallibility of the slogan "Never lead with your chin," and the potency of the cries "Block that kick!" and "Hold 'em, Yale!"

I believe that much of the world depression is "done by mirrors."

I believe the worst is over and that it never was as bad as it was advertised.

H. I. PHILLIPS.

THE HISTORY OF UNDERTAKING

No doubt there are many residents of Grosse Pointe and vicinity who can remember the time when the modern undertaker of 50 years ago made all his coffins from roughly sawed walnut lumber and decorated them with an array of large headed silver plated studs or tacks to enhance the appearance of his mechanical ability.

isfaction in being relieved of many vexations and troublesome details in time of sorrow by his comprehensive and modern service. The Brinkman Funeral Home is thoroughly abreast of the times and renders the most efficient service in all the prime requisites of the modern funeral home.

UNCLE SAM'S DOMAIN WIDELY SCATTERED

During Half the Year Sun Never Sets on Flag.

Washington.—During 5½ months of each year the sun never sets on the flag of the United States. The very name, United States of America, meaning 48 sovereign states, located in continental North America, tends to obscure the far-flung extent of Uncle Sam's domain.

Hawaii Is Real Center.

"But Hawaii, not Kansas, is nearer the actual center of this 'United States, extended,' which includes our widely separated territorial units. 'Hawaii, most easterly of the lengthy Hawaiian chain, is situated approximately half way between St. Croix, of the Virgin Islands, and Balabac island, of the Philippines.

Alaska Farthest North.

"Uncle Sam's farthest north is Alaska, American land of the midnight sun' which, with its protected inland waterways, its age-old glaciers disgorging huge icebergs, and its fingerlike florids, resembles Europe's peninsular Norway.

Work on Great Aqueduct Starts Boom in Desert

Vidal, Calif.—Not only will Boulder dam construction bring new desert towns into being, but preparations for the building of the Colorado river aqueduct into the Los Angeles area have resulted in a boom in this small desert town, which in its palmiest days has boasted of only 3,500 population.

Goose Escapes From New Owner and Flies Home

Manteca, Calif.—Mrs. Charles Coe, resident here, has discovered that the domestic goose has a strong homing instinct. She bought a bird from Joe Vinet at Atlanta, five miles distant, took it home and penned it.

First Lifeboat?

The first lifeboat is believed to have been one built by Lionel Lukin in England in 1786.

Five Stars In "Lawyer's Secret" At the Riviera!

Rogers forsakes the juvenile role, and with it the light and gay musical parts in which he achieved considerable success in "The Lawyer's Secret" which is being shown this week at the Publix Riviera theatre at Grand River and Joy Road in Detroit.

"The Magnificent Lie" At the Michigan

Ruth Chatterton, who is known as the first lady of the screen, is starred in "The Magnificent Lie" which is being shown at the Michigan theatre this week. Miss Chatterton, who has appeared in such successes as "Madam X," "Sarah and Son," "Laughing Sinners" and many others, gives one of the finest emotional characterizations of her career in this new production.

"THE COMMON LAW" SHOWING NOW AT RKO DOWNTOWN

Connie Bennett and Lew Cody are painting Paris pink. Lew keeps night clubs working overtime while pretty Connie Bennett gets tired of waiting for Lew to keep a date with a preacher and leaves him flat.

Love and Live

People in love live longer, and better, Dr. Josiah Oldfield, noted London physician, told the audience at the annual meeting of the Lady Margaret hospital.

Mining Possibilities

"There is no known limit to the possible depth of our mining," says an expert. "It is all a question of getting fresh air down to the men."

Where Beauty Starts

Beauty begins at breakfast.—Woman's Home Companion.

ICE CREAM IS A HEALTHFUL FOOD

It is a well known fact that no one in this section has made more rapid progress as an important factor during the past few years than the Michigan Ice Cream Co., 14909 Mack avenue at Alter Road, Lenox 9224, whose model plant is one of our most valued industrial assets.

Famous Magician On Fisher Stage!

Nicola, the world's master magician, is now current on the Fisher stage with fifty minutes of baffling, amazing, bewildering, magic entertainment. The great magician brings a new bag of tricks to the Fisher and caps them off by making an elephant disappear before your eyes.

Tribal Customs of Old and New Worlds Alike

From A. D. 45, when the Hungarians conquered and enslaved the Magyars, to 862, when the Hungarians consisted of ten tribes and it was their custom to have each tribe recognize a certain animal or bird as its sacred animal, and in their own language—that is, the Ugor language—they called such animal or bird their "totem."

Sacred Manuscripts in Profusion in Chicago

Rare gospel manuscripts, dating back several centuries, have come to light in the Greek, Armenian and Syrian colonies of Chicago, the Chicago Association of Commerce announces. Recent discoveries of important manuscripts have revealed Chicago as a rich hunting ground comparable with aged cities of Europe and the Near East.

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WEATHER STRIPPING PREVENTS SICKNESS

At this day, and age it behooves all of us to conserve our income if we hope to lay away for the rainy day, which surely comes to us all. Heating a house when the cost of fuel is high is no mean problem, but for those who have not installed weather strips, let us say that hundreds of dollars in fuel and upkeep are saved every year by people whose homes are guarded by weather strips.

Men who invest thousands of dollars in modern office buildings would not think of omitting weather strips in connection with the construction.

The Weatherproof Company, 385 Drexel, Lenox 0634, have strips to fit any kind of windows or doors regardless of shape or model. They can be placed in your house at any time and there is no time like the present, as you may save a huge doctor bill during the coming winter.

Then why should we not use this wonderful latterday building device in our home, because they not only keep out the snow and cold in the winter, but the dust and dirt in the summer, besides keeping the windows and doors silent and clear of annoyance.

A Poet and a Cigar

The first American poet, according to Francis C. MacDonald of Princeton university, was Philip Freneau, who became known as "The Poet of the Revolution" for his satirical verse of a political nature.

In Memory of Runnymede

The Daughters of the Barons of Runnymede was founded in 1915 by Mrs. Robert E. Hogan of Cantonville, Md. The membership is limited to those who can trace their ancestry in a direct line to a baron, who, in 1215, A. D., compelled the signing of Magna Charta by King John at Runnymede.

Lake at Glacier Foot

In the Swiss canton of Valais, at the foot of the great Aletsch glacier, will be found the beautiful Little Lake Maalen, a dark-green expanse of water on which floating ice may be often seen. This little lake is nearly 8,000 feet above sea level and is formed by the glacier, which is 550 yards in length and 160 feet in depth.

Controlling the Nile

Before the flow of the Nile river was controlled by the dam, its average rise was about 5 feet. Thirty feet meant a destructive flood, while 18 feet meant poor crops and starvation.

Extradition

The extraditable offenses between the United States and other countries with which the United States has a treaty of extradition are not made public. In each case a separate request is made by one government upon the other, and if the offense is considered sufficient grounds, the request is granted.

"Unlucky" Bridge Players

Watch the cards held by the habitually unlucky player and without doubt they would be found average cards; but when he holds a good hand he does nothing with it, and when he has a bad hand he loses every trick it is possible to lose.—A. W. Drayson.

AT THE THEATERS

Paramount—"Night Nurse" Dramatic story woven around student nurses life in city hospital.

United Artists—"Politics" Amazing mixup from which Marie Dressler and Polly Moran emerge victorious.

Fisher—"Secret Call" City politics, serve to introduce Peggy Shannon, attractive newcooper, Nicola, the magician on stage.

Michigan—"Magnificent Lie" A Ruth Chatterton picture, no more need be said.

Three Who Loved—Radio Three veteran actors, Conrad Nagel, Betty Compson and Robert Ames have the principal roles in this Martin Flavin drama.

SOUNDS AND SHADOWS

Theodore Dreiser has managed, by obtaining a court injunction, to stop temporarily the exhibition of the Paramount picture, "An American Tragedy"—a film version of his well known novel. I call it the Paramount picture purposefully.

That Mr. Dreiser is not satisfied with the film version is quite understandable. He finds it inartistic and misrepresented. That Paramount intends to make money on its production is also understandable.

A man of Mr. Dreiser's age and experience should know that if a story is sold to be made into a movie—they will make a movie out of it. The lesson that "An American Tragedy" is intended to teach is not the sort of lesson that the average movie goer could begin to understand.

The motion picture has been called many things, including among others, "artistic." Whatever it is called—it is still just a movie, made for the movie public, and made to make money. Anything else that happens to it is purely secondary.

Eola Negri arrived in New York some months ago. She interviewed the press, pictures were taken, the press

THIS THEATRE IS A SOCIAL AND EDUCATIONAL CENTER

The DeLuxe Theatre, 9355 Kercheval at Parkview, has taken its place in the social and educational world of this part of the city and has become an institution in the life of the people that has been beneficial to the young, old and middle aged.

The DeLuxe theatre is appointed most excellently, the ventilation and arrangements are the best that can be secured and all sanitary precautions are taken for the health of the people. Here amidst comfortable surroundings you are entertained while music that entrances drives dull care away.

Mr. N. D. Thompson, the manager, personally sees that the people of this territory are given not only the very latest of productions from California and European studios; thus furnishing to the people the very latest and most select photo plays.

The plays are clean and the themes are selected with great care so that the ladies and children of the surrounding vicinity know this place as their moving picture home. A quiet air of refinement pervades the audiences and this accounts for the large patronage from

Real Dollar Bird

While the term "dollar bird" may be used as a slang name for the American eagle, the real dollar bird is an Australian roller, prevailing blue and black in plumage. It is so called from the large roundish spot of white on its wings, shown in flight.

Miss Negri had put on weight, they also said she was a chastened being or words to that effect. Pola herself, said she had great plans for the future, that she had had offers, that she was very happy to be back. Eventually with a purple plush and gold hush. R. K. O. proudly announced that they had secured her services. After many more weeks they have at last found a story to suit her, written by a little known German writer Thilde Forster, who wrote "A Woman Commands" with Pola in mind.

Gary Cooper is to make his third aviation story not counting "Wings," when he returns from Italy. "Legion of the Condemned," one of his best, and "Lilac Time," were the first two. The third is to be "The Broken Wing," from the stage play. Let's hope it is a good one, the boy has had a long run of so-so stories since "The Virginian" which is a pity because Gary Cooper is capable of excellent work, remember "Betrayal?"

Another Pirandello work is being turned into a sausage, I mean a movie, it is "As Before Better than Before," the others are "As You Desire Me," and "The Way to Treat a Woman." Hope someone buys "Six Characters in Search of an Author," someday.

all classes of people. This modern policy of the management has brought autoists and people from all the surrounding towns and the city to recognize this theatre as their favorite amusement center.

If you have not formed the show habit you ought to. Go down some evening even though you have put in a hard day's work. You will be much refreshed and all the more ready for your next day's work. Take the whole family with you as the price is very reasonable. High-class features from some of the country's leading producers are the kind of productions shown here. You will see here the world's greatest movie stars.

In making this review of the social life of this part of the city we are glad to compliment the management upon the popularity of this theatre and upon the position it occupies in the life of the people.

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"Instinct" and "Intuition"

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SATURDAY, JULY 25-
LAWRENCE TIBBETT, in "Prodigal"
RICHARD TALMADGE, in "The Yankee Don"
SUNDAY and MONDAY, JULY 26 and 27-
WALLACE BEERY and JEAN HARLOW, in "The Secret Six"
TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, JULY 28 and 29-
JOAN CRAWFORD in "Laughing Sinners"
THURSDAY, JULY 30-
GLORIA SWANSON in "Indiscreet"

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Westminster Chimes Tune

The Westminster chimes were invented by Doctor Crotch in 1780, the air being supposedly taken from a work of Handel's. It is believed that the phrase of four notes was taken from the fifth bar of the opening symphony of "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth."

Larger Than National Capitol

The Capitol at Washington is 746 feet long and 270 feet wide. The palace of the Dalai Lama at Lhasa is 1,000 feet long, four stories in height, surmounted by a large dome covered with gold, as are also the peristyle pillars in front. It contains 400 rooms and 1,383 windows.

Visionola, Latest In Home Entertainment, Is Introduced Here

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Furthermore, you certainly are not pressed to make a purchase. Rather the situation is that we are like a kid with a new toy in showing the 'Visionola.' We are proud of its miraculous performance and proud to be its local parents, so to speak.

SOCIETY

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country home near Toronto for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Yates G. Smith of River boulevard and family are in their summer home at Turtle Lake, where they will remain until September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Franklin Robertson and their son, Benjamin Jr., who have been sojourning in their summer home at Wianno, Mass., for the past two weeks, will return to their home on Harvard road, Grosse Pointe Park, the first of this week.

Lending Library—Your Drug Store.

Miss Josephine Bray of Cincinnati is the guest for an extended stay of Miss Evelyn Cooke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Cooke of Country Club Lane, Grosse Pointe Farms.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Converse Goddard (Kitty Russell), are spending a short time at the residence of Mrs. Goddard's father, John R. Russell, on Woodland place, Grosse Pointe, prior to moving into their terrace on Beachfield road.

In their home on University place, Grosse Pointe, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Du Charme entertained at a buffet supper to compliment their week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Wick, of Youngstown, Ohio.

Jerome and Charles Du Charme left last Friday for the Huron Mountain club, where they will spend the remainder of the season.

Lending Library—Your Drug Store.

Monday evening a group of the friends of Miss Evelyn Cooke gave a surprise birthday party for her in the home of Miss Florence and Miss Eleanor Allington on Provencal road in Grosse Pointe.

The arrival of the Santa Paula and Roslyn teams, which will open a series of international polo games next Sunday will be hailed with a social season all its own. Games are to be held July 26 and 29 and August 2 at the polo fields, Nine-Mile road at Southfield.

The players will stop at the Country Club. A get-together stag luncheon will be served Thursday for committee members and the teams. The women's committee of which Mrs. Charles L. Palms, Jr., is chairman will entertain wives of the players at luncheon in the club. One other affair is planned for the same day when Edward P. Hammond Jr., will be host to the younger members of the teams at a luncheon for 30 guests.

After each game there will be tea at the Detroit Polo Club. Mrs. Frederick M. Alger has invited the teams to be her guests at her home in East Jefferson avenue.

The farewell dinner is set for August 2 at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club.

Many box reservations have been received during the week by Courtney E. Johnson, chairman of arrangements for the games. Boxholders include Walter L. Dunham, Sidney D. Waldon, Hiram H. Walker, Walter R. Plannery, Howard Boldbright, Raymond F. Sullivan, Mrs. Carlton M. Higbie, Ralph Stoepele, Wood Williams Roy D. Chapin, Mrs. J. Deane Rucker, Mrs. Gail Stephens, Frank W. Shuell, Dr. Fred T. Murphy, H. L. Newman, Charles L. Palms, Jr., R. L. Polk, James Flynn and the Countess Cyril Petrovich-Tolstoi.

The games are scheduled for 4 o'clock each afternoon. At 3:30 there will be the parade of 54 ponies, introducing to the spectators some \$300,000 worth of horses from the Argentine, England and United States.

"Weeping" Mulberry Tree

A tree that has been gaining much in popular favor among the suburbanites in recent years is the graceful weeping mulberry tree. This plant, native of temperate and warm climates, achieves a height of 8 or 10 feet. It has long, curling branches, which point in the direction of the ground. When the tree is in blossom, the tree consequently gives the effect of "weeping."

This tree, of which there are 100 varieties, is not hardy in the United States as far North as New York and is seldom seen in this country except in the South and in California, where some of the more improved varieties are now grown successfully.

Seat of Knowledge

Some of the geysers in Yellowstone National park are irregular in their eruptions, and tourists are lucky who see some of the most spectacular in play. One of these is the Bee Hive geyser, with small crater, but eruption that shoots two hundred feet into the air.

"Can you tell me the best way to find out when the Bee Hive is going to play?" asked a young lady of an old-timer in the hills.

"Yes'm. Just go over and sit on it, and when you feel the hot water tryin' to get out, you'll sure know it's ready to play."

Yeats Set His Hair Afire

I recall Katherine Mansfield's story about Yeats, who had dreamed his head was circled with a flaming sun, went to sleep and dreamed of a woman whose hair was afire, woke up, lighted a candle, and by and by discovered "by the odor" that he set his own hair ablaze. "I think it's wonderful apt. It's just as far as he and his crew can get to set their hair afire—to set their lank forlorn locks a-frizzle. God knows there's nothing else about them that a cartload of sparks could put a light to."—William Gerhardt in the Saturday Review.

"A Man Must Live"

The famous question and answer, "Sir, a man must live"—"Sir, I do not see the necessity for it," are attributed to various celebrities. Voltaire quoted them in 1778. But they go back at least to Tertullian (150-230 A. D.): "The ordinary objection is, of course, raised, 'I have not the wherewithal to live.' To this it may be somewhat sharply retorted, 'Is there any reason why you should live?'"—From "Who Said That?"

Work of Early Artist

The first portrait known to have been painted in this country was that of Gov. Richard Bellingham of Massachusetts, 1641. The artist was William Read of Boston.

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They are assisted by an able board of directors, numerous stockholders and the people generally in making this institution stand for all that is good in financial matters.

In this comprehensive review of our onward progress we cannot fail to com-

World Slow to Improve on First Locomotives

The first steam locomotive is credited to a Welshman, Trevethick, 1804. He and his partner, Vivian, under a patent dating 1802, ran a steam engine in south Wales, Merthyr Tydfil. The world was still far from understanding what it had. In 1812 Blenkinsop's locomotive drew 33 coal cars at the rate of something under four miles per hour, at Leeds. In 1815 George Stephenson built his locomotive. The railroad had at last been made a practicable possibility. It took a long time.

The word "engine" is one of the most striking instances of how use may twist the meaning of an old word, and establish a new and permanent meaning, obliterating the old. "Engine" now commonly means locomotive. It is from the Greek "gignere," to beget; and the Latin "ingenium," down to the Eighteenth century it meant, in English, wit, or talent. Chaucer: "If man hath sapience thre, memorie, engin, and intellect also." From this it came to mean disposition, or temper; it was sometimes used in the sense of skill in debate and argument, and occasionally trickery, deceit. Thence it grew to mean the product of ingenuity—hence, any contrivance or device. So to machine, tool, etc. The original "engine" was for war or torture.

Excellent Reasons Why Name Change Was Denied

Whether or not our Israelite brethren inherited the habit of changing their names from old Father Abraham is a question. However, ever since the Lord changed Abraham's cognominal signature, they appear to have taken up with the idea and gone in for alterations. If there be any virtue in this "What's in a name?" why not give it a whirl? They whirl!

Recently, recounts the Business Week, one Louis Goldstein who sells things in Brooklyn, N. Y., decided that a change in name might be a commercial coup de matre, besides being a boost to the little Goldsteins. Accordingly he petitioned a judge to alter his name to "Golding." In time came the decision and Louis read that, aside from Goldstein being simple and easy to pronounce, numbers of Goldsteins had achieved success in commerce, industry and the professions. Furthermore, he read, there were probably more good native-born Americans named "Golding" than "Golding" and that the petition was "denied." Louis sighed, glanced at the signature—and almost collapsed. It was signed by Justice Louis Goldstein.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Fanciful Names

In earlier centuries, observers thought that land animals had counterparts in the sea, and so they named seals "sea-wolves," fur seal "sea-bears," manatees "sea-cows."

Just So It's Free

This old world is cluttered up with folks who think the best is none too good for them, so long as they don't have to pay for it.—Ohio State Journal.

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