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Capt. John B. Noel to Lecture at Detroit Art Institute on Sunday

Lovely Kashmir and the Taj Mahal will be the motion picture subject of Captain John B. Noel, young British soldier and explorer, in a public lecture at 3:30 Sunday afternoon, March 22, at the Detroit Institute of Arts.

Kashmir is one of the most romantic of Indian native states. Its women are renowned for their oriental beauty.



CAPT. JOHN NOEL

and its Maharajah for the pomp and magnificence of his court. With motion pictures Captain Noel shows the colorful life of the Kashmiri bazaars, the Maharajah leading a royal parade of 1,000 boats through the waterways of Srinagar, the natives threshing, sheep shearing, operating primitive pottery wheels and lathes. There are beautiful "shots" of the Taj Mahal, loveliest of all earthly tombs, and of breathtaking Himalayan scenery.

Captain Noel fought in the British armies at Mons and Ypres. He was a member of the first four Mt. Everest expeditions.

MR. AND MRS. STEVEN J. JAY and daughter Virginia, of Harvard Road, returned home last week from a month's vacation in Florida.

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OKLAHOMA BOB ALBRIGHT Who entertained the Southeastern Michigan Fire Chiefs Association last Thursday.

INSURANCE TIPS

By H. THOMPSON STOCK

The embezzlement of \$349,000 of monies belonging to the City of Detroit forcibly calls one's attention to the need of insurance against crime. The insurance companies have devised policies of various sorts to meet the needs of business, government, churches and the home.

To meet the needs of the home, there is residence burglar, robbery, theft and larceny policy which can be extended to cover robbery while away from home. Then there are also the all-risks forms: jewelry, furs, fine arts, tourist floater and camera.

To meet the needs of the large merchants, manufacturers and offices, there are messenger robbery, interior robbery, paymaster robbery, kidnaping, safe burglary, open stock burglary (merchandise), fidelity bonds, forgery bonds and the various all risk or inland marine coverages such as parcel post, registered mail, railroad, steamship and truck shipments. For the neighborhood merchant, average office and for churches there are combination policies giving robbery, burglary and other coverages all in one policy.

Inasmuch as there might be a question as to whether robbery, burglary or forgery was done by one's own employees, all crime insurance should be in the same company. Should holdup (robbery) insurance be in one company and fidelity bond in another and a robbery possibly committed with the connivance of employees or officers of the bank, there would be an argument as to which company should pay.

Christian Science Church

"Matter" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, March 22.

Among the Bible citations is this passage, (Psalm 33:6-9): "By the word of the Lord were the heavens made; and all the hosts of them by the breath of his mouth. For He spake, and it was done; he commanded, and it stood fast."

Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p. 263): "The fading forms of matter, the mortal body and material earth, are the fleeting concepts of the human mind. They have their day before the permanent facts and their perfection in Spirit appear."

G. P. Baptist Church

Kercheval, near Lakepointe. "The friendly Church around the corner."

Reverend David Ewart from California will be the speaker at the morning and evening services of the church next Sunday, March 22.

Bible School, featuring all departments, 10 a. m.

Preaching services, 11:15 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Wednesday mid-week prayer and praise service at 7:45 p. m.

Rev. Ewart is a graduate of the Louisville Baptist Seminary and was formerly engaged with Rev. H. H. Savage, Pontiac, Mich., in mission work. A real welcome awaits you so plan on hearing Rev. Ewart next Lord's Day.

All members of the church are asked to rally to all services of the church.

Jefferson Ave. M. E. Church to Hold Concert

The I-da-ka class of the Jefferson Avenue M. E. Church will present their second annual Pop Concert on March 27 at 8 o'clock. The proceeds of the concert will go to the church as a special Easter contribution.

Several guest artists have been secured to appear on the program being arranged by the Sunday School orchestra, an organization which formerly played with the West Side Opera Company.

"We have been very fortunate in securing some very fine talent this year, and we shall have musical features of infinite variety that will not fail to please everyone, young and old," said Roy Lanion, orchestra leader and president of the class.

High School Notes

Dr. E. C. Beck of State Teachers College at Mt. Pleasant, Mich., spoke at a dinner meeting of the Grosse Pointe High School English department on March 12.

Dr. Beck's subject was American folklore. He is an expert in this field, especially in Michigan folklore. Dr. Beck is a personal friend of Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Brownell.

Two one-act plays, "Moonshine" and "Modesty," will be given by the Pointe Players for an invited audience Friday evening at 8:30.

Richard Morin and Raymond Chambers will take the leads in "Moonshine" and Jean Taylor, Howard Benedict and Donald Stevenson will have the chief roles in "Modesty." Margot Pfeiffer is directing the production.

Each member of the club is allowed two tickets to give to whatever guest he chooses.

Dr. Stanley A. Graves, noted authority on the Bible, dean of Liberal Arts at Detroit Institute of Technology, addressed a group of English students recently in Grosse Pointe High School's auditorium.

Dr. Graves' speech was illustrated by slides picturing the early Bibles of different nations. Strikingly illuminated Bible pages, Dr. Graves said, "were done by artists who did not work for recognition." Many attempts to copy the designs have failed.

Dr. Graves was asked to deliver the lecture in observance of the 400th anniversary of the printing of the Bible in English.

The Parent Teachers Association of Trombley School held its monthly meeting at the school on the night of Tuesday, March 10. Mrs. Hugh Dill, chairman of the entertainment committee, arranged that the fifth and sixth grades should present an amateur hour, and films of the Buchanan Trip to Alaska were shown. Mr. Buchanan directs a boys' tour to Alaska every summer. Parents were invited to visit the class rooms, where there were varied exhibits. The purpose of the P-T-A is to develop a better co-operation and understanding between parents and teachers.

Mrs. Alice Osborne, teacher of the 2-B grade at Richard School, will take the little tots of that grade on an excursion to the Fox Creek postoffice next week.

The 2-B grade has recently been studying the qualifications of a good postman. Mrs. Osborne intends to have the children visit the police and fire departments later on. She hopes to enlighten her grade on public duties.

Advancing the time limit of school parties from 11:30 to 12 o'clock was approved last week by the Board of Education. The new ruling sets aside a custom that has been followed since the school first opened.

The Student Association has been discussing this measure for some time. Since the previous ruling was originated with the Board of Education, it was necessary to have the members agree to the proposed change. A copy

of the bill was also sent to the Mothers Club for parental approval.

The measure went into effect for the first time at the senior high school dance last Saturday.

Our "Funny Bone"

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Advertisement for Christian Science Church and G. P. Baptist Church.

Large advertisement for Ridley's Exclusive Miraclean, featuring men's suits and ladies' coats for 79c.

On and Off the Records

By LEE MONTGOMERY

The oldest record book in the Treasurer's Office, dilapidated and torn from age, has been resurrected by County Treasurer Jacob P. Sumeracki and re-

conditioned to be preserved in County Records. The book includes a list of unpaid taxes for the years 1827-1837.

A host of interesting facts concerning property values and tax rates can be gleaned from these pages. For instance one hundred years ago today, Barnaby

Campau owned 133 acres just off the Pontiac turnpike which is now the center of Hamtramck. These 133 acres were assessed at \$226 or \$2 an acre, and the total tax was 80 cents for the county tax and 32 cents for the town tax.

The average tax in Detroit was from 6 1/2 to 12 1/2 cents. Detroit, of course, was not a city at this time. Dearborn was called Dearbornville, Ecorse was spelled Ecorce, Springwells was two words, there was a Bucklin Township, and of course, most of the townships and cities in Wayne County today were not heard of when this book was compiled.

Chet Walker walked the width and breadth of the United States. Starting from Sault Ste. Marie in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, he walked to Butte, Montana, from there to Portland, Oregon, then to Phoenix, Arizona, then to Atlanta Georgia, on to Washington, and then back to the Soo by way of Cleveland and Detroit. It took him two years but he walked every step of the way. No, he wasn't crazy. It wasn't a bet, and he wasn't hunting stamps. Chet needed a job and he was hired by the government to walk the highways of America.

The Wayne County government has been long criticized by some city officials as being inefficient. Their system of accounting has been scored and the City has even offered, and strongly suggested, that they send experts over to teach County officials new methods of collecting taxes, auditing books, and devious methods of saving money.

Their last criticism along this line was a very recent, and it was rather ironical that the answer should come from a city source rather than from the county. The answer, of course, was another embezzlement of City funds in spite of the so called impregnable system used by the City of Detroit. While blaming no one for the missing money, other than he or others who are directly connected, it is significant that under the county's system there has been no such embezzlement while the city has lost close to a million dollars in the last two years. This despite the fact that the county handles many times the money and has many more people to take care of. The County of Wayne boasts the lowest debt service of any other similar government unit in the country.

Harry Tyler entered the County Building two days before the public learned of the city's shortage and told officials he thought the bank had credited the county with the missing sum, instead of the city. He was told by one of the accountants that the county

knew where every dollar was that they had, that with their system \$350,000 would make quite a difference on their books, but if Mr. Tyler was really serious about the matter, the County would be glad to lend the city two or three auditors to find the money.

As an example of county government efficiency, take the office of Harold E. Stoll, Register of Deeds. Every cent paid into his office is not only checked, but double checked daily against the possibility of error, and photostatic copies of the amounts paid are preserved as the record. Every sum paid in is also subjected to the scrutiny of the auditors.

The other evening a student at the Detroit College of Law entered class late. His excuse was that he was working overtime for the County Clerk. The professor asked the young man whom he worked for, Elmer O'Hara or Henry Montgomery.

"Me," said the student, "I work for the both of 'em."

John McEwen, county auditor employee, is attempting to trace all alumni of Western High School of Detroit. The Western Alumni have not met since the school burned and leaders are again bringing them together. Many Western men and women live in cities and towns outside of Detroit, and these are the ones that McEwen finds it hard to trace. A letter will reach him at the County Building in care of the auditors. John McEwen now holds the office of temporary president of the Western High School Alumni.

Harold E. Stoll opened up his desk yesterday morning in the Register of Deeds office, and was greeted with loud and savage noises, mingled with other softer and pleading noises. Investigating, Stoll discovered Socrates, supposedly reigning king of the county building felines, belligerently guarding some new-born sextuplets. Stoll was taken aback, not because his desk was turned into a maternity ward, but because Socrates was not Socrates at all but Xantippe.

University of Michigan Announces 5 Courses

The University of Michigan announces five new courses in its Backgrounds and Horizons program for the spring term of eight weeks starting the week of March 23.

Vocabulary Building will be conducted by Professor G. E. Densmore and will meet on Monday evenings. Interior Decoration is the Tuesday evening class to Professor W. W. J. Gores. Current National Problems will be discussed Wednesday evenings by Professor H. M. Door. Professor Leroy Waterman, head of the Department of Oriental Languages, will conduct the class in Bible Interpretation. Spanish and French Painting from the Renaissance to Modern Times will be taught by Miss Josephine Walther, Assistant Curator of American and European Art at the Detroit Institute of Art.

All classes start at 7:30 o'clock at 40 East Ferry Avenue, Detroit headquarters of the Extension Division, with the exception of Spanish and French Painting. This class will meet at the Detroit Institute of Arts at eight o'clock.

Cinema Theater Stars Continental Actress

The Cinema Theater at Columbia and Woodward avenue, starting Wednesday, March 18, is showing on its screen the world famous actress, Elisabeth Bergner, in her Continental triumph, "Melo." This is an exclusive Detroit showing. The picture has explanatory English titles. The story has been adapted from the play by Henri Bernstein and was directed by Dr. Paul Czinner.

Elisabeth Bergner as Gaby, the wife of Peter, a first violinist in a large symphony orchestra, has never met her husband's best friend, Michael Marsden, who is also a famous violinist and a concert artist. She goes to hear him play and falls in love with his music and with him. He sees her in the audience and not knowing who she is, he falls in love with her.

When he learns that she is the adored wife of his old friend, he is indifferent to her advances until she gets him under her spell. He goes away on a concert tour and she is to follow him, but her husband is taken ill with pneumonia and nearly dies. For pity, she stays with him until he is well and she suffers a nervous breakdown because of anxiety and indecision. Her husband never knows of her love for his friend.

When Michael comes to take her away after her husband recovers, she cannot decide between love for Michael and pity for her husband. The ending is most unusual, yet very logical and interesting.

Added to this program are two short subjects, the prize-winning Mickey Mouse, "The Band Concert" and an interesting and timely travelogue, "Sino-Japanese Curse."

The Cinema lounge this week offers a fine art exhibit by the well-known Detroit artist, Harold Cohn. He has shown his work at prominent exhibitions. There are various water colors,

Detroit Colony, N. E. W.

Detroit Colony, New England Women, will meet Wednesday, March 25, for a luncheon meeting with Mrs. John W. Hutton and Mrs. Anna V. Cordell at Mrs. Hutton's home on Normandie avenue. Mrs. Grace Hauber, chairman, Mrs. Alfred W. Veazie, and Mrs. William S. Eaton, are planning the 12:30 o'clock luncheon.

Mrs. Edward L. Holmes, Colony president, will preside over the business session, beginning at 1:30. Mrs. H. M. Booth, program chairman for the day, has arranged for speakers on gardening.

Grosse Pointe United Lutheran Church

"Feeding the Five Thousand with Five Loaves" will be the subject of the sermon at the Grosse Pointe United Lutheran Church, worshipping in the auditorium of the Richard School, Kercheval Avenue and McKinley Road, Sunday, March 22, at 11 a. m., preached by the Rev. M. Luefer Canup, D. D., pastor.

Sunday School and catechism at 9:45 a. m., with classes for all grades and ages.

New scholars are added to our Sunday School enrollment every Sunday. Families in Grosse Pointe not having church connections are cordially invited to attend our Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. and church services at 11 o'clock.

Rev. Wilson to Speak Under U. of M. Auspices

"The Psychology of Constitutional Enactments" will be the subject of a lecture by the Rev. Samuel K. Wilson, president of Loyola University of Chicago, in the Knights of Columbus auditorium, 4740 Woodward avenue, Sunday, March 22, at 8:15 p. m. The lecture is under the auspices of the University of Detroit.

Dr. Wilson is author of "A History of the United States," associate editor of "Thought," the Jesuit quarterly review of science and letters, and is director of the History Institute at Loyola University which publishes "Mid-America," journal of historical research. In his Detroit lecture he will trace the history of constitutional thought in the United States, review current constitutional problems and discuss the present and future status of the Constitution.

Neighborhood Club Activities

Last Friday night the F. L. G. Amateur Contest proved to be a great success and much credit is due to the fine leadership of Stella Vertaille, who acted as Mistress of Ceremonies. The shining light of the night was Charles Marsack, who plays the piano in the grandest manner, and accompanied the singing and dancing of the talented youngsters. Ida Mae Marsack took first place with her tap dancing. Charles is also playing for the Saturday afternoon Tap Class from 2-3 o'clock and his assistance is most gratefully received.

Last Wednesday afternoon the N. G. A. and F. L. G.'s played off their first game of the three out of five series in the Class D Tournament. At half the score was 21-20 in favor of the N. G. A. A. and the final score was 37-26 in favor of them. Tuesday night the same two teams clash again.

Thursday night the Class C Girls Basketball Tournament starts. There will be two games, one at 7 and one at 8 p. m. Admission is free. Teams entered are A. O. C., Bower Roller Bearing, St. Paul Alumnae, St. Paul Rogular and St. Ambrose.

The results of the Ping Pong tournament were as follows: Senior men—Winner, William Maul; runner-up, Joseph Fresand. Senior women—Winner, Dorothy Maul; runner-up, Viola Allard. Juniors—Winner, Gilbert Lahr; runner-up, Roger Koltz.

Here are the rules for the Courtesy Contest sponsored by the Girl Guards, whose slogan is "Courtesy Counts."

COURTESY CONTEST RULES: 1—All Junior Members that come to the Club are in the contest. 2—Any member that misbehaves will have his name posted on the "Discourtesy Chart," and one more trial will be granted. 3—Any member showing unusually good behavior and conduct will have his name posted on "Honor Courtesy Chart." 4—The contest is under the sponsorship of the Girl Guards, and prizes will be awarded to the most courteous boy and girl. Contest ends in May.

Special Entertainment at Eastminster Church Thursday, March 19th

On Thursday, March 19, at 7:30 p. m. the Men's Club of Eastminster Presbyterian Church will present a special evening of entertainment for the mem-

bers and their families and friends, at the church on Manistique at Jefferson avenue.

Mr. G. M. Mitchell, who accompanied Admiral Byrd on his Antarctic expedition to "Little America," has been secured for the evening to give a lecture, relating some of his interesting experiences.

This will be followed by other entertainment and a special lunch. You are cordially invited to attend.

Dorothy Chapman on Town Hall Program

Dorothy Chapman, beautiful young prima donna of the San Carlo and Chicago opera companies, will sing Spanish songs and opera arias in costume in a joint recital with Clarita Martin, exotic Spanish dancer, who will present modern, Flamenco and Gitano dances in a Town Hall program Wednesday morning, March 25, in the Fisher Theater.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of March, 1936. ARTHUR C. DANNECKER, Notary Public. My commission expires Mar. 22, 1937.