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LOMBARD OPENS NEW VILLAGE HALL



Left to Right—H. L. Breckman, village clerk; F. P. Maisel, village president; Dorothy Shive, secretary; Frank Jira, building commissioner; Officer J. P. Weber; Charles A. Sargent, trustee, and Chief of Police P. H. Kavanagh.

Lombard Is Growing City

Although the North Western rail road left the name of Lombard off its official time table cover, the citizens of that western suburb declare they have the finest village hall that has been built in the last twelve months. Dedication ceremonies for the new \$125,000 municipal edifice occupied the villagers for two days, during which the first formal village board was organized. The village hall was built without a bond issue and was paid for in cash. This money came from the sale of the electric lighting system.

Valueless Bog Reclaimed
The land upon which the building stands formerly was a bog and almost valueless. A group of citizens secured title to it several years ago and turned it over to the village for the sum of \$28,000 last year. By taking the dirt from a village built under the Chicago Great Western, the bog was filled up without any cost to the village. The former swamp into one of the most valuable parcels of real estate in the village. The site is a bog, and the greater portion of which is occupied by the building.

"Lombard's population has grown from about 1,900 in 1920 to nearly 6,000 at the present time," said Building Commissioner Frank Jira, "and building permits increased from 109 in 1922 to 224 in 1927."
More Contracts Awarded
Within the last few months contracts have been let for more than \$1,000,000 worth of public improvements. Last spring the village was increased to an area of about eight miles square from the original area of a few square miles.

"Two buildings were erected last year with a total value of more than \$250,000 each. One of these, the Hahn building, was erected by a citizen who has lived here for the greater portion of his life, and the other—the new theater building—was put up by Orange Roath, who has been in the real estate business here for twenty years. We are proud that our own citizens have erected the most of the splendid buildings that are now in Lombard."

Lombard Firemen's Annual Dance!

The plans for the Annual Dance given by the Lombard Fire Department are now completed. This event will be held in the Masonic Hall in Lombard, Saturday, February 18th, starting at 8 o'clock in the evening. The party this year will be the most elaborate entertainment yet attempted by the Firemen. They have secured the services of the McConeill Cotton Co., who will put on a Cotton and Dance. There will be favors for both ladies and gentlemen. Sturtevant's Orchestra will play the music for the dance. Tickets will be mailed out shortly to the residents of the community, and it is expected that the party will go over this year better than ever before.

Dog Bites School Boy

Tuesday afternoon while passing from one building to the other at the Lincoln school, school teacher, Miss Robert Kopper of South Stewart avenue was severely bitten on the hand and arm by a stray dog of the collar or shepherd breed which was running about the school building grounds. The dog was soon captured on the street and destroyed by Officer Clayton D. Frank cauterized the wound on the boys hand and state that there will be no dangerous after-effects from the bite.



The New Village Hall at Lombard Chicago Daily Journal Photos

Hadley Promises Speedy Crime Cut

Co-ordination of law enforcing agencies and speeding up of their respective processes to cope with the modern methods employed by a highly organized motorized criminal element is promised by former Assistant Attorney General, Chas. W. Hadley of Wheaton, if successful in his campaign for nomination and election to the office of Attorney General.

"The motorization of crime has placed law enforcing officials at a distinct disadvantage," said Mr. Hadley, "the speed with which criminals can get to and from the scene of their activities, makes more efficient organization of the forces of the law absolutely necessary. One of my first acts if elected to the office of Attorney General, will be to arrange meetings in each judicial district and congressional district of state attorneys, sheriffs, chiefs of police, highway police and others to work out a system of cooperation and quick communication to facilitate the capture of law breakers."

Mrs. J. L. Shane Has Narrow Escape

When Mrs. J. L. Shane lighted the gas water heater in the basement of the Shane home about one o'clock last Friday afternoon, an accumulation of gas caused it to explode. The shock rendered Mrs. Shane unconscious and the fumes of the escaping gas prevented the maid from going to her rescue. Officer Clayton answered a police call, brought Mrs. Shane from the basement and applied artificial respiration until medical aid arrived.

Mrs. Holch Talks To Mother's Club

Mrs. Frederick Holch of Glen Elly Regional Director of the Parent Teachers Association, in an interesting talk delivered before the Lombard Mother's Club last week, urged that the Mother's Club and the P. T. A. might cooperate to the advantage of both organizations. A fine program was rendered under the supervision of Mrs. Lovis Drew. Marion and Marjorie Lachman gave a vocal duet entitled "What I Don't Do." Mary Jane Palmer played a piano solo "Birds in Spring" and little Julia Reis gave a reading "Dolly Dear."

Firemen Have a Busy Week

The Fire Department spent some busy moments this week—putting it possibly a little more speed into their response to alarms on account of the cold weather and the winds which have prevailed. Thursday afternoon they answered a call from the E. B. Roberts home at 320 N. Main street, where the oil burning furnace became overheated. The fire damage was not great, but the smoke from the burning oil which went all over the house was a great deal of dirt and annoyance.

Saturday afternoon the department responded to an alarm from the house at 1 Lewis and Madison streets, but the fire was not a large one and was quickly taken care of.

Monday morning about 9 o'clock they quenched a roof fire at the home of Frank Jira at 123 W. St. Charles. A list of fire calls answered during the month:

- Jan. 5th, Hoffmaney Sanitarium. Roof fire, overheated stove. Loss about \$75.00.
- Jan. 5th, Shane Office. Overheated furnace pipe. Loss about \$30.00.
- Jan. 7th, Marquardt Building Bakery. Unknown Loss \$100.
- Jan. 11th, Albus Stewart Ave. Bursting of hot water coil, no loss.
- Jan. 14th, Highland Ave. Overheated stove pipe, no loss.
- Jan. 22nd, Meadow Ave. Prairie fire on train, no loss.
- Jan. 26th, Roberts, N. Main. Oil not shutting off. Loss all from smoke.
- Jan. 25th, Lewis Ave. Prairie fire, boy playing. No loss.
- Jan. 30, Jira residence. Spark from chimney. Loss \$30.00.

New Boxes For Police Clocks

The Police officers are busy this week installing the time clocks in various sections of the village, from which the officers on duty ring in their reports. These clocks are merely a method of keeping time and do not mean much in the way of protection. Lombard is an extremely law abiding town, yet our police officers are overworked. They have so many duties to perform in addition to arresting criminals. The state laws estimate that there should be one police officer in a town to each 600 of population—yet Lombard with population of nearly 7000 has but three policemen. Compared with the other communities of the west suburbs, this is no where near an adequate police force. And yet our little force is proving its efficiency day after day.

Here's Your New Telephone Service!

Another milestone in the progress of the Village of Lombard will be passed next Saturday evening when the Illinois Bell Telephone Company puts into service the new common battery switchboard.

The service up to that time was known as magneto or ringdown in which the power plant of each telephone was in the batteries in the instrument itself. Common battery service is so called because instead of saving these batteries at each instrument there is one large battery in the central office which is common to and furnishes the power for all the instruments or stations.

The new telephone office is located in the second floor of the new Hahn Building in the heart of the business section at Park Avenue and St. Charles Road. The quarters consist of a Business Office, Operating Room, Apparatus Room and Operators' Rest and Dining Room. In the basement space is provided for the cable vault, storage batteries and equipment storerooms.

The new switchboard of nine operating positions is one of the latest design and is the third of its kind installed in the Suburban area of Chicago district. Initial switchboard facilities have been provided for 2350 stations with an ultimate capacity of 5500 stations.

Service was established on a small scale in Lombard previous to 1898 and in that year a separate exchange was established. There were 34 stations in 1906, 290 stations in 1916 and 606 stations in 1923. Today there are 1150 stations.

Mr. William McFryer serves the Telephone Company as Local Manager in this area which comprises Lombard, Elmhurst, Glen Elly, Bensenville, Itasca, Wheaton and Warrenville. He has seen the Lombard exchange grow from its small beginning to its present size and believes the ultimate capacity of 5500 stations in the new switchboard is a good testimony of the Telephone Company's faith in the future of Lombard.

New Village Hall Opened in Style

Our village officials acted as hosts to the many visitors who attended the opening of their new headquarters Saturday and Monday. Those who came to the event felt themselves repaid by the view of this beautiful new building which from now on will house the village activities.

The village officials were all on hand to show visitors about and explain the various rooms and their uses. The basement is occupied by the Police Department and the general office rooms are on the first floor. The Council chamber occupies the south half of the second floor and the Club Rooms of the American Legion and its Auxiliary are in the north half.

The present village board which is composed of Fred P. Maisel, Village President for the past twelve years; H. L. Breckman, Village Clerk; Chas. N. Eisenbridge, Chas. B. Reimer, S. Hunter, Michael, Louis J. Prohaska, and Charles Sargent.

The rooms and hallways of the new building were decorated by baskets of flowers from the Lombard Hydrangea and Rose Garden, the Eastwood Contractors, M. J. Pitsford, Mayor of Wheaton, and the Engineering Service Co. of Aurora.

Following were a few of the prominent visitors from outside Lombard who came to view Lombard's latest achievement: M. J. Pitsford, Mayor of Wheaton; Wm. McFryer, Local Manager of the Bell Telephone Co.; Judge Clark of Wheaton; Otto H. Peterson, Mayor of Elmhurst; Harry Clarke, Wagonman and Lewis Edgeworth County Reformer from Wheaton; W. Holstein of Wheaton; the east-enders who erected this fine structure and several other visitors from the villages lying between Lombard and Chicago.

E. F. Frank and Wife to Coast

Mr. E. F. Frank and his wife are planning to motor to the California sunshine in a few days. Mr. Frank recently sold out his business interests in Lombard and plans to enjoy a few months of rest in the playground of America.

Albert Colburn Married at Arcola

Albert Colburn, the popular consular agent at the Fleker Beauty and Barber Shop, was married Sunday afternoon to Marjorie Alice Pradbury of Arcola, Illinois. The young couple will be at home soon to their friends as soon as their apartment in the Deicke Building is completed.

At the unanimous opinion of everyone who visited the building that Lombard has something to be proud of, and the young couple were showered with congratulations.

Rare Museum Collections Used

Many of the tools and equipment shown in the settings were actually used by the old-time craftsmen. The methods are brought to life through the magic of the motion picture camera. Several museums contributing valuable collections. The young couple in one of the scenes showing the monks at work in the "Scriptorium" or writing rooms of a 15th century Monastery. The absolute accuracy of detail is particularly striking; the books and manuscripts pictured being priceless specimens of that period.

A Bit of Information

Perhaps it is in order at this time to give a brief bit of information to the newcomer in our fair little village. The Lombard Fellowship Club is not a new venture or a new fad. It is an institution built over 16 years ago on the sound foundation of good fellowship. Its cornerstone is the Welfare of the Community; its roof is Congeniality and within its walls your hearts desire for friendship will find its realization. The latching is ALWAYS out. Be sure to come up for supper served at 6:45 P. M. Everything in our power will be done to put you at ease and make you feel at home. We have no frills or feathers, just an informal gathering of Men like yourself. We KNOW you will enjoy an evening with us. Why not this next meeting? Oh, yes, we most forget to tell you, make your reservation by calling up 121-R. That's the phone number of our treasurer, or 267-R, our secretary. A Souvenir in keeping with the occasion of "The Romance of Printing" will be given to every last man who will "sup" with us, not to mention a pleasant surprise or two that we couldn't very well give away just yet.

So again, remember to come up to the Lombard Fellowship Club to see "The Romance of Printing" Friday evening, February 10th, 6:30 P. M. at the Parish House, corner Main and Main Streets. The cost of the dinner is our regular price of 75c and it can be secured \$5.00 a badge thrown in as a good measure at the convention and was well worth it.

"THE ROMANCE OF PRINTING"

An Educational Motion Picture in Eight Reels, Depicting the Progress of Printing Art from Gutenberg to the Present Day

Museums and libraries of the old and new world were visited to get the true historic setting in the making of this film, and the settings were constructed as historically and artistically accurate as it was possible to make them. The monks are shown laboriously at work on their parchment, preserving the light of culture throughout the Dark Ages; wood engravers are seen making their crude impressions on vellum and parchment; John Gutenberg is found working at his primitive press; Benjamin Franklin labors in the shop of his ingenious printer-brother.

The Lombard Fellowship Club always on the alert for a program that is both interesting and educational to its members, takes pleasure in announcing that it will hold an open house on Friday evening, February 10th at 6:30 P. M. Every worker in this wonderful field of Graphic Arts—BUT PARTICULARLY the laymen of Lombard, who is eager to comprehend the developments that have taken place in the Printing Trade since its inception five centuries ago should GRASP THIS OPPORTUNITY to see a fascinating and authentic moving picture tracing its marvelous, onward march from the books and manuscripts pictured in that period.

It is by a keen stroke of luck that we may see "The Romance of Printing," made by the Atlas Educational Film Co. of Oak Park and distributed by United Typographic Association.



IN THE ABOVE SCENE FROM "THE ROMANCE OF PRINTING," GUTENBERG IS SEEN DEMONSTRATING HIS SKILL TO AN INFLUENTIAL PATRON AT THE RIGHT, YOUNG FRANKLIN IS SHOWN AT WORK IN THE SHOP OF HIS BROTHER. THE PRESSSES SEEN IN THESE TWO HISTORICAL EPISODES WERE AUTHENTIC REPRODUCTIONS OF THOSE USED BY GUTENBERG AND FRANKLIN

Photos, Atlas Educational Film Co

Garden Show

Next Month

The beauty of Chicago's suburbs and residence districts will be gathered under one roof in spectacular display next month, when more than 50 communities will be represented through their garden clubs in the Second Annual Chicago Garden and Flower Show to be held from March 24th to April 1st at Hotel Sherman.

The Garden Club of Illinois, thru its member clubs in and about Chicago will contribute a great number of unique features to the floral exhibit covering practically all the garden features shown, and those in which garden products are entered.

Madison modern, Faber first in this tournament of gardening skill, and each model suburban home will have its planting plan, suitable to large lots or small. They will be judged on design, planting and imagination. There are three awards and honorable mention for this class.

There will be shadow box arrangements of flowers in vases or baskets to be judged for composition, color and originality. Faber second and third prizes. There will be a contest in the setting of luncheon tables with the correct appointments planned around the flower decoration at a cost not exceeding one hundred dollars and all tables set with six. There are three awards for this showing and the points to be considered in judging are originality, appropriateness, color, distinction and composition.

An open contest for the arrangement of bud, branch, seed pods, or other natural material in any container, has only one restriction, no artificial material to be used. There are three awards for winners in this section, based on color harmony, relation of material to receptacle, distinction and perfection of arrangement. At the last meeting of the Flower Show committee, it was decided that ten garden shows should be spaced during the exhibit week and managed by the garden clubs, the proceeds to go to a series of public lectures sponsored by the Garden Club of Illinois.

Mrs. Frederick Faber, of Lake Bluff, president, stated that this year will see twice as many garden clubs entered in the annual Flower Show, and that new clubs are being organized and added to the federation constantly.

"We have a definite purpose," declared Mrs. Faber, "which is to give the public a greater sense of usefulness in outdoor surroundings and to teach them how this can be attained in a simple and beautiful way. It is our dream to make the late afternoon and evening garden, from north to south and from east to west—and the place to begin is in the home grounds."

Oak Park's New Million-Dollar Street Lights

Oak Park in addition to being the world's largest village is now the world's brightest village by night, made so by the recently inaugurated one million dollar street lighting system served with electricity by the Public Service Company.

Business streets have not received all of the increased illumination. In fact, this installation is one of the most complete systems in the country, although it is not the most complete. At the present time it is the largest installation in Northern Illinois. Each street has been treated separately in accordance with its intensive traffic importance. The intensity of street illumination is greater on heavily traveled business streets and traffic arteries than on secondary streets. The system, however, gives uniform illumination throughout the entire village, every street—103 miles of street.

Since the day of the lamplighter going from post to post and from street to street lighting the motion picture gas lamps street lighting has developed remarkably. However, street lighting in Northern Illinois only recently has gotten into step with the great advance in the lighting art. Motion picture entertainment, tax automobile and other innovations producing far-reaching changes in our social habits partly have made their presence felt in the vastly increased use of streets by night. Every property owner and every citizen is keenly interested in improved street lighting. Well lighted streets indicate a progressive and alert community. Black streets are back streets. Bright streets are progress, cheer and safe protection. Good street lighting insures protection, ease of traffic movement, efficient detection of crime, greater sanitation, and general improvement in night time activities.

There is a permanence in a street lighting improvement that creates sound advances in real estate values; it promotes other civic improvements; and opens to the individual citizen the full enjoyment of the streets, drives and parks after dark. From a business standpoint high intensity street lighting is a market that draws people into the shopping districts. In a word, proper street lighting makes a community a more desirable place in which to live. The demand for better dwellings and business places is increased.

— Public Service Co. News

Post Office Bulletins

Insured Parcels Must Bear The Sender's Name and Address

The attention of this office has been called to the fact that an appreciable number of insured parcels are being dispatched to destinations which do not bear the complete name and address of the senders or the legible postmarks of the mailing post offices. This causes much inconvenience and annoyance, since the persons or firms receiving such insured parcels are unable to ascertain who sent them and give the senders proper credit, or if the parcels are undeliverable, their return to the senders can not be effected.

Postmasters are requested not only to impress upon their patrons the importance of correctly and legibly addressing insured parcels, but to instruct their post employees concerned not to accept for mailing or insurance parcels which do not bear the legible and complete name and address of the sender, which should be preceded by the word "From."

Small and Irregular Sized Greeting Cards and Envelopes

Gratifying results have been obtained through the cooperation of the manufacturing and mailing public with respect to the elimination of the use of the objectionable small and irregular-sized envelopes and greeting cards. This has resulted in greatly speeding up the mails during the recent Christmas rush, and the department desires to express its appreciation of the cooperation in helping to accomplish this result.

While postal employees have long been aware of the advantages of standard sized envelopes, folders, etc., for mailing purposes, the users of the mails themselves naturally are not in a position to appreciate these advantages unless they are called to their attention from time to time. Postmasters should therefore keep this in mind and continue their efforts along this line. In the case of unusually large envelopes and cards the special attention of mailers should be called to the fact that the edges protrude when they are tied in with other mail and are thus liable to be lost or mutilated.

R. S. REGAR, Third Assistant Postmaster General.

York Theatre Has New Show

The Popular York Theatre at Elmhurst has inaugurated a new feature for their entertainment starting next Saturday evening, and each Saturday evening thereafter. They will put on a feature presentation similar to the downtown theatre shows—that is with a special orchestra and several talented entertainers. The company will consist of seven men and five girls, who will give an entertainment that will surpass anything heretofore seen in the western suburbs.

Triangle Club Enjoys Party

The triangle club held their first party of this year Tuesday night in the Masonic hall. It was an usual a great success. There was a large crowd. The first part of the evening was spent by playing Bridge, 500 and Lunco. After the games there was a lovely lunch served by the committee, consisting of sandwiches, hot viennas, pickles and coffee. After the lunch, Miss Catherine Lewis sang three beautiful selections: "I hear you calling me," "Among my souvenirs," "A little brown Bird Singing."

Miss Lewis has a beautiful voice, and also personality. She sings her numbers with perfect poise. She was enthusiastically applauded, and had to respond with an encore, which was highly appreciated. She was accompanied by her teacher, Mrs. Lova Drew. After this Mrs. Drew played a few dances and at promptly 12 o'clock everyone went home with pleasant memories of another Triangle Party, and looking forward to the next. The winners of the prizes were as follows:

500—Ladies first prize, Mrs. Fred Weber; second prize, Mrs. C. Yager; Mens first prize, S. L. Beach; second prize, D. Rao.

Bridge—Ladies first prize, Mrs. F. Schwager; second prize, Mrs. R. Palmer.

Motor Officials Attend Banquet

C. R. Curtis, local Oakland-Pontiac dealer has just attended a dealers meeting in Chicago, conducted by executives of the Oakland Motor Car Company who outlined plans for the greatest year in the company's history.

The group of factory officials was headed by Mr. Glancy, pres. who stated that tentative plans of the company call for the sale of 27,000 Oakland and Pontiac Sixes during 1928 against a total of 191,000 in 1927.

The Oakland Motor Car Company jumped from ninth place in total sales during 1926 to fifth place last year, said Mr. Curtis. "A tremendous plant expansion providing larger manufacturing facilities for both the Pontiac Six and the Oakland All-American Six, coupled with an equally great expansion in the size of the Oakland-Pontiac dealer organization, are combined to place the company in a position where it expects to gain an even higher rating during 1928. The company soon will have a nine-hour production capacity of 1,200 Pontiacs and 720 Oaklands. It has doubled its factory floor space and tripled its plant investment in about two years and is now giving the largest payroll in Oakland history."

"It is this increasing volume that has enabled the company to offer so much more car in the New Series Pontiac Six at no advance in price," said Mr. Curtis. The meeting, one of 23 similar programs which two groups of factory executives are conducting throughout the United States, consisted of an afternoon business session followed by a banquet in the evening. Besides Mr. Glancy, other company who participated in the meeting were: Mr. Tracy, Mr. Lubert, Mr. Mohaupt, Mr. Fisher, of the Lombard Star Bank and Mr. Ernest Goldbach and Mr. Richard Goldbach were guests of Mr. Curtis at the banquet and entertainment in the evening.

24 Hour Service on 2nd Government Loans

Washington, D. C.—Second loans on adjusted service certificates may now be obtained within twenty-four hours under a new system worked out by the Veterans' Bureau, according to advices from the American Legion's National Rehabilitation Commission. In cases where the veteran has borrowed money from a bank and the defaulted note has been redeemed by the Veterans' Bureau, the veteran may submit a new note to the bureau and secure an additional loan up to the full amount of the loan previously repaid. The interest due and payable on the first loan.

If the first loan was obtained thru the Veterans' Bureau or any of its regional or field offices, the veteran should apply for a second loan to the regional office now holding his certificate. Both in Washington and in the field offices the bureau it is now possible to obtain a second loan within twenty-four hours after application has been made.

Music Classes Begin Soon

I wish to announce that I am now preparing to start my classes in Dramatic Art. I will have two classes one for adults and one for children. During this class the student will have the opportunity of learning everything in connection with the stage. Also the art of make up. My intention is that during the season to produce plays, sketches and readings and give the students an opportunity to learn the real knowledge of life behind the footlights. During children's classes I will take up the study of expression, elocution, reading, breathing, etc. I shall also produce children plays during the season. This is a wonderful study and help to give the children poise, self-confidence. Any one interested in this work and would like to join these classes please phone 460 for further information.

I also wish to announce that any one is in doubt of whether they have a voice or not can call me and make an appointment to arrange for a tryout. I will be conscientious and give an honest opinion, and also an explanation as to my method of voice building.

Mrs. Lova Drew

Wide range in traffic density in various parts of the country is shown by the spread between the north and south of the 363 motor vehicles per mile of federal and highway in the middle Atlantic States, and 34 motor vehicles per mile of federal and highway in the Mountain States, according to a bulletin issued by the highway department of the Chicago Motor Club.

The bulletin goes on to say that east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio and Potomac, the average number of motor vehicles per mile of the system exceeds 200, and in the rest of the country it is less than 100. This is a measure of the relative traffic requirements of the various regions, the bulletin points out that the type of road that is constructed is governed largely by the demands made upon it.

The Du Page County Women's Committee for Law Enforcement

Object: To Work for Enforcement of All Laws With Special Stress at the Prohibition Law, the First to Do Where the Battle Against Lawlessness Has to Be Fought. Mrs. Minnie H. Prince, Chairman, Mrs. B. K. Kellogg, Editor, Downers Grove, Ill.

DuPage Women's Committee Official report from Treasury Department shows lag gain in Dry Law industry. Washington, Jan. 24. Prohibition enforcement in the nation has shown an increase in activity averaging 10 per cent during the past year, a statement issued at the treasury department today. Dr. J. M. Doran, prohibition administrator, asserted that from July 1 to November 1, last year, agents seized 1,428 distillers, 6,008 stills, 3,119 automobiles and made 31,872 arrests.

He Dug Up His Hoop—

Facts have a disconcerting fashion. Contrary to the belief that there is no beer politician on the Pacific coast also one of the largest owners of hop fields, who is loud in his assertions that prohibition is a failure and cannot continue, yesterday has statements by digging up 200 acres of his hops and in the acreage planting fruit trees. Before prohibition this man made big profits from the sale of hops for the manufacture of beer and apparently has been holding on to the hop industry in the hope that beer will be legalized before long. He has now come to the conclusion that there is no hope of the beer proponents winning and he has decided that as a level-headed business man he might as well adjust himself to the situation and utilize his land for the production of something certain to have a steady market value for years to come.

Had this business man, who is also a politician, believed that there is a change in the prohibition law, permitting the return of beer, was a probability or even a possibility in the near future he would have been slow to dig up his hops and make the change from hops to fruit.

"Man, Woman and Sin" Has Many Great Moments

Amazing in its portrayal of what goes on behind the scenes in the newspaper world, "Man, Woman and Sin," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's ultra-modern romance starring Fay Wray, is a picture that astounds and grips with its fascinating disclosures. The greatest story of the Fourth Edition that has yet come to the screen. It will be shown at the Villard Theatre, next Thursday and Friday.

The scenes are laid in the nation's capital against a background of intrigue and politics. Figures of national and international import take part in it. Its feature is the Embassy Ball, the most important social event that takes place on U. S. soil. Jeanne Eagels, famous star of the phenomenal stage success, "Itain," appears as a fascinating lady of mystery and charm, society editor of a great daily mistress of its powerful power and beloved of a young reporter. Gilbert, as the reporter who goes through a soul-searing experience, has one of the most tensely appealing roles of his career. Monte Monty, himself a news aperein, wrote and directed the film, laying its scene in the local room in which he familiarized himself with the newspaper business. Included in the cast are Gladys Brockwell, Jack Mulvaney, C. S. Montgomery, Charles French, Hayden Stevenson and Cyril K. French.

An Irish Bull

The Irish traffic officer had been in the World War, and on sundry occasions A. W. O. L. In the course of events he had rubbed up against the M.P.s, so when he nabbed a speeder the inborn sympathy of a never-to-be-forgotten past came to the top, and the following occurred, as told recently in The Times News, American Legion post publication of DuBois, Pa.

"Where you going, to a fire? Don't you know how to drive, they've got a permit for driving an auto at all?" he demanded sternly.

"Sure, it's me pocket this minute, it's a good driver I was the best driver in the Eighty-first division. Once I—"

"Well, it's all right then," the officer continued, "can't you put a man of experience and discretion. If you've got it, I don't need to look at it. But I have me own duty to perform, and if you didn't have one, I'd have to see it."

Motor Notes

Motorists paid \$416,757 in tolls to visit the national parks during the season of 1927, and a total of 557,079 private cars entered the parks during the period, according to a bulletin issued by the touring bureau of the Chicago Motor Club.

Bowling Notes

Lombard Commercial Bowling Recreation Alley 41 16 719; Portborough Auto Ice Co. 46 17 732; Sam & Henry Taff Co. 32 25 561; Volvona Dairy 26 26 509; Alexander Lumber Co. 27 30 491; H. Fletcher Inc. Co. 26 33 456; George Kinney 23 34 494; Lombard Auto Repair Co. 19 47 175.

Individuals: G. Av. 57 191; Hackett 57 191; Hiedl 45 186; A. Johnson 54 186; Schmitt 54 186; Carbarino 52 185; Alston 57 184; Meyer 54 183; Hinder 57 183; Hecht 51 183; J. Jochke 51 183.

Pink Willow Is Popular

The Pink Willow Tea House on West St. Charles is becoming quite a popular place of entertainment. Last Monday representatives of the public utilities companies held a luncheon there. The Mulholland Real Estate sales force also met in the dining room for lunch. Tuesday Mrs. C. O. Bennett entertained her club members at dinner. Mrs. Peterson gave a luncheon to a group of friends Wednesday. Also Mrs. Arthur Arman entertained at the same time, and next Friday Mrs. W. B. Lawrence will entertain her club members at this exquisite little Tea House.

SPECIALS

BRADLEY'S BDR STORES

- 11 No. Main Street
Rubbing Alcohol 50c
Hot Water Bottles 75c
Fountain Syringes 75c
Combination Bottles \$1.19
Palmolive Shaving Cream 35c
Mennen's Shaving Cream 50c
Skin Balm and Talcum 50c
Thompson's Chocolate 60c
Talcum with Shaker 60c
Joe Dill's Best with Briar Pipe \$1.00
Collette Easers, or Durban Duplex Razor Free with Pack of Mitchell's Blades \$1.00

Restful Ease After Coughing

The result of using Foley's Honey and Tar for a dreadful cough, day-time and at night, was a restful one for me, says Mrs. Anne Davison, Long Beach Calif. The hard cough that follows bronchitis and "flu" is weakening and when it "hangs on" very debilitating. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound puts a healing, soothing coating on a rough, inflamed throat, and immediately eases the irritation that causes the hard cough. Dependable, ask for it.

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Selected Comedy and
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Women's Clubs Launch "Better Homes" Campaign

One hundred thousand club women, under the direction of the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, are preparing to launch a state-wide campaign to improve living conditions in Illinois homes. Mrs. J. Marc Fowler, chairman of the federation's well-equipped home committee, announced from state headquarters in Chicago the past week.

More than 750 women's clubs, under the direction of the Illinois Federation, will take part in the state-wide "Better Homes" movement. The program will be based on the results of a state survey of homes undertaken by the club women some time ago. Results of the survey are already being tabulated and will be announced the first week in February when the campaign will be started.

Data have been collected on the number of household appliances and the plumbing, sanitary and other living conditions in all homes throughout every city and town of any size in every county of the state.

The state-wide movement, as outlined by Mrs. Fowler, will consist of an educational program carried out through the newspapers of the state; home demonstration meetings, club and other group lectures and public exhibits such as model homes. This work will be sponsored by the clubs in all communities throughout the state.

Cooperation of the home economics extension service of the University of Illinois has been secured. The findings of the university specialists will be available for use in the campaign. The federation believes that the household's chief duty is training her children. Mrs. Fowler declared, "and the duties of housekeeping should be subordinated to the pleasures of home-making. It will be the object of our campaign to show Illinois women how this can be done through proper use of home conveniences."

Lombard Woman's Club Meeting

A brief but very important meeting of the Drama Class of the Club will be held in Mrs. Ballou's rooms in the DeLuge Building, 307 So. Main St., at two o'clock sharp on Wednesday, February 28th. Arrangements will be made for the Drama program for the Club on March 26, and all who are interested are urged to be present. The class will be conducted as speedily as possible so that those who wish to attend the Auxiliary reception occurring the same afternoon may not be deprived of that privilege. No play will be read at this meeting, there being several items of business of importance to occupy the time.

So. Side Mothers' Club Dance Party

Did everybody have a good time? I say so. Attendance of 75. We had the honor of having Mrs. Manning, principal of Lombard Schools, and several of the teachers, including Miss Worley, Miss Cook, Miss Phelps and Miss Fischer.

The evening was spent in playing two and four, High Score for men in 50 went to Mr. A. C. Glow. Consolation to Mr. Hunt. Ladies high score in 500 to Mrs. Benning. Consolation to Mrs. Wm. Skirwood. Bunco high score for men to Mr. G. Wagner. Consolation to Mr. A. Eaton. Ladies high score in bunco to Miss Esabelle Clevie. Consolation to Miss E. Locke.

All were more than pleased with the prizes which were donated by the Garden Heights Club. A buffet lunch was served after which dancing followed, and every one left with a good smile and so ended one wonderful night.

Green Valley Woman's Club

The Green Valley Woman's Club held its last meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Craig. Finley and Hickory Lewis.

The guest of the evening was Mrs. Lova Drew of Lombard, who gave a short talk on "Music in the Home." This was a most benefiting and profitable talk placing especial emphasis on the child's interest in the piano. How this could be increased and maintained, as the piano is the foundation instrument. Mrs. Drew also played two selections on the piano in her customary delightful way. One selection, "A Little Vixen" was especially enjoyed.

Current events were given by Mrs. Curison and Mrs. Cronie. Mrs. Curison gave a short talk on "Benjamin Franklin." Mrs. Cronie read a short article on "The Results of Present and Soilage's visit to Cuba."

Refreshments of sandwiches, salad and cocoa were served.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Curtis, Brewster Ave. This is to be a Home meeting.

Mothers' Club Honor Guests

Mrs. Wm. Palmer of Maple Avenue gave a luncheon last Friday in honor of Mrs. Helen of Glen Elynn and Mrs. Mrs. H. H. Moe. Mrs. Wm. Palmer presided. During the luncheon on behalf of the Board of the Lombard Mothers' Club, Mrs. Palmer in a beautiful speech of appreciation presented to Mrs. Drew a gorgeous linoleum table cloth. The following guests participated in the gift:

Mrs. L. H. Moe, Mrs. Wm. Palmer, Mrs. J. Angel, Mrs. A. Heccl, Mrs. J. B. Janeson, Mrs. C. Reis, Mrs. P. Jordan, Mrs. M. R. Kiefer, and Mrs. J. Zwickley.

The occasion was a great surprise to Mrs. Drew although the date was her birthday she thought no one knew it but herself.

The Cupboard Changes Hands

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Henriksen of 21st. Meigs street, purchased The Cupboard restaurant and delicatessen store formerly conducted by Mrs. J. E. Johnson at 132 W. St. Charles Road and will have a formal opening under the new management next Saturday, February the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Henriksen have many years of experience in the business and Mrs. Henriksen's reputation as a cook will no doubt bring a large patronage to the new institution.

Women Bowlers at Downers Grove

A party of fifteen journeyed to Downers Grove to encourage a team of five Lombard ladies in a bowling match with Downers Grove team, and the following scores were made:

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| Ellis Johansson | 101 117 144 |
| Miss Therie | 154 109 149 |
| Miss Wymor | 128 108 128 |
| Miss Munson | 159 133 124 |
| Mrs. Therie | 110 100 150 |
| Lombard | 643 728 122 |
| Total | 4106 |
| Downers Grove | 899 683 669 |
| Total | 1891 |

Friday, Feb. 3rd, the ladies of Downers Grove bowled the ladies of Lombard at 9 No. Main St.

Open House at New Legion Rooms

On February 28th, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. the American Legion Auxiliary will hold an informal reception in their new quarters, 225 So. St. Charles Hall for all the women of Lombard. Every lady in Lombard is cordially invited to attend and enjoy a social hour and a cup of tea. Available at any time within the stated hours and meet the Auxiliary members and officers. A royal welcome is waiting for everyone to help the Auxiliary rejoice over its wonderful new home. The Auxiliary takes this opportunity to thank the women of Lombard for their past help and generosity and asks them to accept our hospitality as a measure of gratitude and good wishes.

DuPage County Day Exhibit of Art

The Fourth Hoosier Art Salon will be held in the Marshall Field Picture Galleries from January 28 to February 15.

Last year 50,000 people from every state in the union viewed the exhibition. As Riley loved to weave the Hoosier dialect in his poems of cheer, so do Hoosier artists love to paint their native creeks, cornfields and beech trees.

A special day, February 6, has been arranged for the DuPage County women, who are interested in visiting the Hoosier Salon. There will be a luncheon at 12:30 in the Walnut Room at Field's, tickets for which may be had of Mrs. E. B. Holmes. Tickets are \$1 and should be secured of Mrs. Holmes at once.

Harold Gray, cartoonist of "Little Orphan Annie", an exhibitor, a Hoosier by birth, but now a resident of DuPage County, living in Lombard will be guest of honor at this luncheon.

Mrs. Ada Walter Schulz, a Brown County artist, will give a talk on "What to see in pictures."

After the luncheon a tour of the galleries will be conducted and an interesting talk given by an exhibiting artist.

Mrs. William F. Bruckner of Hinsdale, President of Federated Clubs of DuPage County, will reside at a ten given for the DuPage guests after the tour.

Dinner at Narjes' Home

Mrs. Fred H. Narjes of Edison Ave., had as her dinner guests last Thursday evening, Mrs. Lova Drew and her daughter, June, of Elm street, Mrs. Ehinger of Finley Road and Madison and Mrs. W. Webber of Brewster Ave. Mrs. Narjes served the most delicious dinner after which they motored over to attend the meeting of the Green Valley Woman's club in which Mrs. is present this year, and Mrs. Drew gave a talk on "Music in the home."

Epworth League

Miss Anne Bennett has shown herself again as a worthy holder of the office of second Vice Pres. Through her efforts the League is going to have with them next Sunday, Feb. 5, one of the finest speakers in Chicago on Charity, Mr. Joel D. Hunter, Sec. of the United Charities of Chicago.

We hope all League members and their friends will be present. Meeting starts at 7 P. M.

F. J. BENJAMIN Secy

Junior League Play is Good

Mr. Frank C. Drew and daughter, June, took in the Junior League play for children at the Harris Theatre in Chicago last Saturday. They presented "The Land of Oz," with high honors. There were 22 in the cast and all played their part to perfection. There are so many more performances to be given of this production, February 10th and 11th and any one interested would not be sorry to let their children see this. But remember the extra rise at 10:30 a. m.

Mrs. Ed. Karp Is Home Again

The friends of Mrs. Edw. H. Karp of 345 South Craig Place will be glad to hear that she is convalescing rapidly and is again at her home.

Noted Lecturer at Methodist Church

Joel D. Hunter, Supt. of United Charities and lecturer at Northwestern University will speak at the Methodist Church Sunday evening, February 26th at 7 o'clock. His subject will be Camp Allegoquin.

Regular Meeting of Legion Post

Lombard Post No. 391, American Legion, will hold their regular meeting in their new quarters in the Village Hall, Monday evening at 7:30.

The Month of Masquerades

The Harmony Club is planning a Big Masquerade and Valentine Party at the Masonic Hall on the evening of February 14th.

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Our Motto

When the class shower comes to write against your name the writer set that you was or just but how you played the game.

Farewell!

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A traffic signal which all should obey. P.O.P.—Complaining GO—ahead

Selling Criminal News

Without attempting to pass judgment upon the motives and methods of various contemporaries in the field of journalism, it is inevitable, gratifying to note three recent incidents which both affect and reflect a trend in the modern newspaper press.

Expanding to an appreciative reader why it subordinated the news of the climax of a notorious New York murder case, the New York Herald Tribune made this editorial pronouncement:

We had the opportunity in our choice for publication and display. We have no desire to enter into a competition where there are no rules governing good taste and common decency.

The Evening Star of Washington, D. C., confronted with the same reports of a Los Angeles crime, announced its refusal to publish. The reader of the "reputable details" of this story. It was the only newspaper to do so.

The president of the Kentucky Press Association, Malcolm Fisher, in addressing a convention of Kentucky editors, stated that he found that more than 90 per cent of the weekly newspapers of his State were printing practically no crime news or were limiting the small amount published. These newspapers, he said, do not wish to sell unworthy thoughts through their columns any more than they would promote the sale of any other harmful product.

There are not a few newspapers which assert the policy that the mere existence of a fact, the mere commission of a crime, is justification enough for its publication. As if the mere existence of some business venture, the mere manufacture of some product, were sufficient justification for publication of its advertisement!

The New York Herald Tribune takes a strong and outspoken stand in upholding the responsibilities of the press to select the news fit for display. The Washington Star does no less. They have done a public service, curtailing, as the president of the Kentucky Press Association so clearly states, the sale of criminal news and the spreading of unworthy thoughts.

—Christian Science Monitor

Enthusiasm

Enthusiasm is the electricity of the soul. It sparks in the eye, it thunders with conviction in the voice. It is the energy that moves the wheels of progress.

If you can get enthusiastic about your work, it's time to get enthusiastic. Something's wrong.

It may be physical—loss of enthusiasm is often a symptom of waning physical power.

It may be due to some grievance—real or otherwise. In either case, clear the atmosphere.

It may come from an exhaustion of interest, and that is easily remedied. If your work has come to be the "same old story" you can rekindle your interest, nine times out of ten, by going to the library and reading up on subjects related to your work. It gives you new eyes and new vision.

Compete with yourself—set your teeth and dive into the job of breaking your own record.

No man keeps up his enthusiasm automatically. Enthusiasm must be nourished with new action, new aspirations, new effort, new vision.

It is one's own fault if his enthusiasm is gone—he has failed to feed it.

And right here is the big reason why thousands of men hit high-water marks at thirty and then recede with the ebb tide. They "can do their work with their eyes shut"—and that is the way they lose it.

They have lost the driving power of enthusiasm. They sleep at the switch. They "worry" along. All they see in life is the face of the time clock. All they hear is the quitting whistle.

If you want to turn hours into minutes so far as results are concerned, rince your enthusiasm.

Try This One on the Slow Pays

Here's a collection letter that is a bit off the beaten track. It can't offend, and yet it has a peculiar, almost irresistible "pull".

—Gentlemen: Here is a pin. It isn't an ordinary common or garden variety pin, but a really and truly magic pin. It will give you and all of your family and friends a check to the bank in payment of the statement enclosed. Please hurry, for we want to use the magic pin on another fellow.

A LITTLE INSIDE DOPE

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Dances on the 1933 World's Fair

speech delivered by Helen J. Shaw (President, Lincoln Park Park Commission) at the Lincoln Park Park Commission.

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Westmore Improvement Club Wishes to Correct Erroneous Impression

The Westmore Improvement Club wishes to take this opportunity to correct a misunderstanding printed in the press regarding their activity relative to a new depot on the C & N. W. Ry. This press notice stated that the depot on the East End of Lombard was being worked for a depot at Highland Ave.

The Westmore Improvement Club does not believe that any recommendation from this club on any other club will influence the Railroad in locating this station, therefore any offer extended for this project will be extended toward getting a station located between the one now located at Lombard and the one at Algonquin, Ill.

Mr. Urian was the new member added to the club. Mr. Sheridan reported on Highland Avenue crossing at the Great Western and the club will probably have some good news for the people at that end soon.

Mr. Wilcox reported on prospect of station on Chicago and Northwestern replies from two or three clubs from Villa Park.

A committee was appointed to get information on some ball to run an entertainment in the future in Westmore.

Westmore Notes

Monday Mr. and Mrs. L. Prohaska enjoyed the P. T. A. performance at the Villard Theatre.

On Thursday evening, Jan. 25, 1928, the Westmore Boy Scouts Troop 37 held their regular meeting in the gym of York High.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Prohaska and Mr. and Mrs. Kiewert enjoyed the performance of Appreciation at the Villard Theatre.

CLASSIFIED WANT ADS

Classified ads must reach our office before 6 p. m. Tuesday to insure publication. Want Ad Rates: 3 lines 20 cents on insertion, 50 cents for three insertions. Additional lines 10 cents per line.

FOR SALE - 15 Leghorn hens, each, E. Stanton, Phone 271-K. FOR SALE - Equity in brick house on Main and Sun-Park, brick garage, lot 50 x 200, cement basement, furnace heat, front and rear porches, big attic with six large windows can be made into age-out room, the bath, oak trim, built-in tub, apron sink. Two car garage, front drive. 1 block to school, 5 minute walk to C & N. W. Station. Two more installments on mortgage to be paid. Free and struts \$1000 cash will handle. FRANK MEYER, 216 N. Linn, Elmhurst, Illinois. Phone Elmhurst 1200.

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South Side News

Mrs. Anna Nattinger entertained at luncheon and 500 in her home on Craig Place Wednesday afternoon for the benefit of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Scloff of Williams Avenue has a very badly bruised arm from a fall last Sunday. She tripped on a lamp cord. She is being treated at Boffing Meyer Sanitarium.

Mrs. James Thomas of Vance St returned home last week from Dofing Meyers sanitarium feeling fine and will be glad to have her friends call on her.

Mrs. Robt. Garnst and children of Craig Place returned home Wednesday from Northern Michigan, where they have been visiting with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Karber motorized to Kankakee, Ill., with Mrs. Kar-

cher's mother, Mrs. Mary O'Connell, who has been their guest for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Zbaren, Mr. and Mrs. James and Mr. Geo. Reimer attended a banquet and reception at West Chicago, Monday evening, given in honor of Grand Master Rooms of the I. O. O. F. Other Lombard folks who were there were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Unverzagt, Mr. and Mrs. Wegner, Mr. and Mrs. John X. Brown, Mr. A. P. Cadman and Mrs. Lloyd Brown.

Mrs. Griffin of Harrison and Williams is in the Summit Hospital at Oconomowoc, Wis. She was operated on last Friday and is getting along very nicely.

The L. T. Bunco Club met last Friday at the home of Mrs. G. Ketchum on Harrison road. Prizes being won by Mrs. M. Kramer, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. J. Chadwick. Conolation went to Mrs. A. C. George. After bunco refreshments were served and all the new stories were heard.

Wages and Waste

Or better one might have his say on Income and Health, for labor and living should count on the positive or good side of experience, not its negative and bad side as waste surely is. This morning I spent a half hour at the new public water station behind the old village public service hall. My dense ignorance in the matter of the pumping machinery and electrical apparatus of the board was with kindly courtesy partly enlightened by the expert in charge. Thus the Observer in Lombard found a splendid text to go with what he wishes to say about Wages and Waste as well as Income and Health. Surveys, pure and abundant water supply is a first essential to public good and safety. Do we often think how in the whole Bible beautiful reference is often made to God and religion as "the fountain of life"? The ancient prophet Isaiah cries out "Ho! everyone that thirsteth, come ye to the waters and he that hath no money." Likewise Jesus himself once stood in the temple and cried "If any man thirst, let him come unto me and drink." What truer motto to display showing the intimate connection between public resources of comfort and the spiritual refreshing of man's whole being? But to return to such a practical interest as our yearly incomes or wages and the large outrages caused by sickness and accidents among all laborers here is an annual waste that is a vast drain on wages and lowers the common health to a degree we seldom take account of. Formerly slight attention was paid to this serious fact that prosperity and health are closely related, while poverty and sickness too often keep close company. Of recent times, however, intelligent investigation into these human, industrial concerns has come to the fore. An example of this is the survey conducted by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. revealing that the blunderbus of sickness knocks out of work and wages and life itself a terrible number of people day after day, year in and year out. This survey covered 5,900 persons, of whom at any moment about two in each hundred are disabled by the sickness blunderbus so called. This means that of New York's six millions of people on the average 150,000 are incapacitated by illness. If living in Des Moines with its 120,000 population you'd know that 2,700 are on the sick list. Have we imagination enough to picture what this means to

family and individual (economist's lack of income)?

The Edison Electric Manufacturing Co. of Boston its working force of 223 persons found that on the average each one lost 8.9 days a year's sickness. Total pay loss in dollars was \$1,400,000 and it appeared that the 4,000,000 wages of workers of America are cut out of more than a billion dollars yearly. Nearly one-third more women are hit by the loss of pay than men are in an average. But the rub of those facts lies in this, viz. as low wages are the rule in any class the amount of sickness and its costs increase, while pay is cut. The case of the sickness of the family here has waste both of time and money and medicines and every thing would be a most convincing argument for good common sense and a sane "laborer's union." Some may remark: However, general economy all the way is an end in favor of good wages, just as the general economy and parsimony of any community is gauged by its high standard of health.

OBSERVER IN LOMBARD

Japanese Well-being

The price of United States Steel Iron is infinitely more important to the economic well-being of Japan than the current quotation of the yen in "local banks." A leading executive of the Japanese silk industry told "Source Bulletin of the National Research Council" that he was gathering data for the industrial Transition Commission the story of an industrial catastrophe.

Mr. Shimada found other things interesting. The Japanese industries using compares favorably with the American meat industry in magnitude of economy of operation. There is a Japan a dying association of about 600 members, although scarcely if at all present as flourishing as it might be. There are four established plants in operation and one experimental. These plants represent, at the highest degree, the development of fisheries technology points which cannot be distinguished from natural pens are grown by inserting a screen material in Missouri. They must stand about three thirty-sixths of an inch in diameter.

Four-Day Liners

International business will be speeded up to a four-day basis between Europe and America if plans just announced by Lawrence E. Wilder, chairman of the advisory committee of the ship-building division of the American Iron-and-Steel Electric Corporation materialize. Ten 20,000-ton liners to be built in American shipyards at a cost of \$10,000,000 will make up a daily sailing service which may use New London, Connecticut, rather than New York as the home base. Each vessel, according to the New York Times, is to be equipped with airplane catapult and two airplanes for more rapid transfer of mails and passengers who wish to have additional time by flying where when the ship arrives within a few hundred miles of either the European or the American coast.

In presenting the plan before the Shipping Board in Washington reports The Journal of Commerce, the promoters will request that the government advance a loan from the construction loan fund which was created to aid in the construction of ships in American yards. 75 percent of the necessary funds, though at present the law creating the fund allows for only 66.23 percent of the total cost of the ships. With our highly developed industrial structure, our necessity for finding markets for our manufactured goods, and our position as the world's banker," said Mr. Wilder, "we can no longer look to external development alone, but must again seek international trade."

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our beloved little daughter and sister, and also for the beautiful floral offering.

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Britain Blesses July 4, 1776

I found some good Philadelphians disposed tacitly to assume that the American Declaration of Independence still awakens regretful memories in England. Therefore, I suggested humbly to them that the public monuments of their city were a little leoparded. Symmetry might be improved in a monument "To the British Commonwealth of Nations" could be erected over against Independence Hall, with the inscription "Founded here, on July 4, 1776."

Driving Costs on Different Roads

The General Tire Company of Springfield, Ill., engaged some time ago in the "Hire a Car and Drive It Yourself" business and established a most thorough cost-finding system. Certain cars were confined to trips on cement roads and others to earth roads. After 12,000 miles of running it was found that the average expense for cars with over cement roads had been \$288 less than for machines run over earth roads, taking into account gasoline, oil, tires, repairs, depreciation, interest on investment, cleaning and garage space. Operating costs were as follows:

| | Earth Roads | Cement |
|---------------|-------------|---------|
| Cost per mile | | |
| Kind of Car | | |
| Ford Coupe | \$0.923 | \$0.669 |
| Ford Touring | .994 | .670 |
| Ford Sedan | .995 | .672 |
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These figures show a saving of 24 cents a car for all classes of machines on each mile traveled. This is approximately 25 per cent, and in the case of low priced cars would soon pay for a new one.

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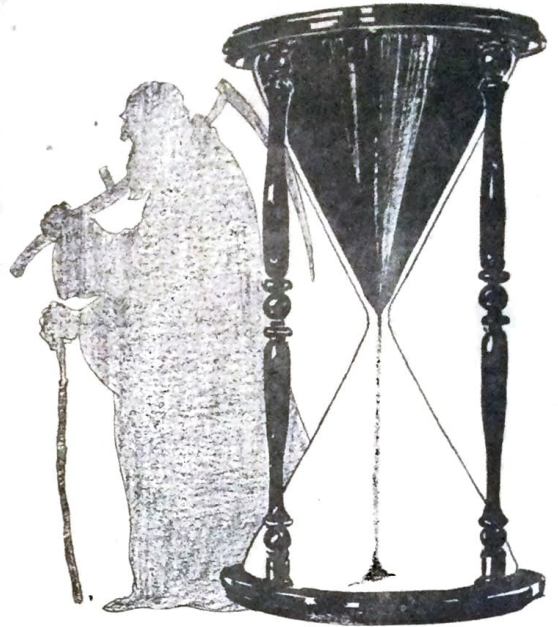
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Motor Notes Encouraged by the increased facilities and services offered for motor touring abroad, more Americans took their cars to Europe in 1927 than ever before, according to the touring bureau of the Chicago Motor Club. The number of Americans who toured Europe in their own cars in 1927 showed an increase of 75 per cent over 1926, with the probability of a still greater increase this year, the club declares. The estimate of the trans-Atlantic movement of American automobiles is based on the cars handled by the deep department of the Club, which was created to facilitate shipment of the hundreds of test-plates and to stand services through the affiliation of the American Automobile Association with the International Touring Alliance, which embraces all of the thirty-five European touring clubs. The survey of the motor club cites the following reasons among others, for the tremendous increase in the number of Americans who now tour under their own power: The reciprocal arrangement between the American Automobile Association and the European Touring Alliance has facilitated the circulation of foreign cars abroad and simplified customs requirements and the business of securing applications for accredited American motorists. Several of the large steamship companies have made special provisions for transporting cars, including baggage and at reasonable prices, including insurance costs. European resort and touring areas, in many instances supported by local governments, have been conducting a world-wide advertising campaign, but particularly directed at United States prospects. Americans have found that the most pleasurable way of seeing Europe is by motor, and the American motorist likes to travel under his own power, provided he can secure motoring service. The Chicago Motor Club statement continues: Our foreign department now makes arrangements for the transportation of automobile by steamer and arranges all customs formalities with a minimum of trouble and expense. Post representatives are maintained at Queenstown, Liverpool, Southampton, London, Glasgow, Cherbourg, Havre, Boulogne, Hamburg, Antwerp, Naples, Genoa, Oslo, Gothenburg, Rotterdam and Bergen. They will meet ships on which Chicago Motor Club motorists are traveling and take complete charge of clearing the car through customs, delivery of necessary license plates and driving licenses and such other things as are necessary to launch the car on the road. "Temporary entry of cars into various European countries has been standardized for most countries. The Alliance Internationale des Touristes issues a document known as the Carnet de Passages en Douanes. This covers Great Britain, the Irish Free State, France, Italy, Belgium, Switzerland, Holland, Germany, Austria, Norway, Denmark, and Sweden. "As an alternative to the 'Carnet', there is another form of pass sheet, the 'Tripnote', one tripnote being required for each of the above mentioned countries. These are also issued for Czechoslovakia, Egypt, Finland, Hungary, Poland, Portugal, Roumania, South Africa, Spain and Yugoslavia. "The motorist to whom a Carnet or 'Tripnote' is issued passes the customs without being called upon to deposit dues at the border. This is made possible through deposit of security with the Chicago Motor Club."

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Welcoming A New Year of Greater Opportunity



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