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The spring showers will help brighten the grass and will fill the cisterns and bring the May flowers.

March is to keep up the old time adage that when it comes in like a lamb it will go out like a lion. The weather man predicts snow and wind and storms.

Don't try to pay taxes with post dated checks. Its against the law for the treasurer to accept these and he becomes personally responsible for the amount.

Those who are contemplating getting in the primary will have to definitely decide soon. Saturday is the last day for that act in compliance with the laws of Indiana.

Iowa is for Roosevelt for President. The New York governor may not land the plum but he is certainly getting a good start with indications he will be able to keep up the pace.

Gottschalk headquarters will open here tomorrow and you are invited to drop in at the Trust Company building, Second and Madison streets and join the Gottschalk for Congress club.

Tax paying is going merrily along, notwithstanding that it makes about every one groan to raise the amount. Already about \$35,000 has been paid in on current taxes besides \$25,000 delinquencies since January 1st.

Will you give a few dollars to help the Victory Drive? That's a fund to pay the debts of the national democratic committee and put something in the treasury to start a winning campaign. Every loyal democrat should assist in putting over this drive. This county is still behind \$133 and it ought to be paid in the next few days.

Well it looks as though we would get to try out the sales taxes and it includes oil, gas, malt syrup, telegraph and telephone, cosmetics, furs, jewelry, sporting goods, chewing gum, candy, matches, automobiles, tricks, accessories, yachts and other articles. Of course we will all complain but what's the use? In the end we will pay.

The big fellows don't seem to know just what the new tax bill is and most of them don't seem to favor it but they declare it is necessary to preserve the credit of this Nation. Well none of us are so critical that we want any thing to happen to the credit of the United States but there are still some so old fashioned they believe that a reduction of the appropriations instead of an increased tax would bring the same result with better feeling every where.

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There are persons of misguided sympathies who will protest that a sentence of twenty-five years in prison for a man who was found guilty of stealing \$50 is unmerited rigor of the law. Those who know and fairly take into account that the criminal committed the robbery with a deadly weapon in his hand and that his crime was only one of several hold-ups he had been guilty of will not think the punishment too severe. If the wave of banditry which has been sweeping over the country during these very recent years is to be checked and finally turned back, there can be little sympathy for bandits when they are caught and they are caught much too seldom. The man who sets about robbery with firearms in his hands is as a general thing ready to commit murder either to make his crime succeed or in his effort to escape if pursued. Now and then some amateur bandit may be wanting in nerve and ruthlessness for murder, but the seasoned professional bandit is not. — Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette.

Though we are still paying heavily—and how!—for the past war, the itch is still irritatingly prevalent at the capital. Infection is seen in pains taken by newspapers to put the worst slant possible on dispatches from the Orient, big-dime advocates seizing the opportunity to talk big guns, clergymen bemoaning the troublesomeness of business, men admitting that conflict would speedily bring back prosperity, Wall street hailing the boom of "war baby" stocks, unemployed hoping for the return of the silk-shirt days, patriotic bodies boasting of what Uncle Sam could or should do, women's groups keen to again don uniforms, and always-adventurous youth visioning the prospect of new thrills. The veterans' hospitals are among the few places where another bloody escapade with Mars has no attraction. There and in government offices where, though the spirit be willing there is nothing attractive in the prospect of fighting the "next war" with wadding made from I. O. U.'s of the last war. — The Pathfinder.

RADIO PROGRAM

Thursday's Best Radio Features
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WABC, CBS network, 8:00 p.m.—
Mills Brothers.
WEAF, NBC network, 8:00 p.m.—
Big Six of the Air.
WJZ, NBC network, 8:30 p.m.—
Ensemble.
WABC, CBS network, 9:00 p.m.—
Trumpeters.
WABC, CBS network, 10 p.m.—
Toscha Seidel.

Thursday—Columbia chain—10:30-
10:45 p. m. E.S.T.—Chest-
field Orchestra; Boswell
Sisters and Nat Shilkret.

Friday's Five Best Radio Features
WABC—CBS network 3:00 p. m.—
Light Opera Gems.
WEAF—NBC network 7:00 p. m.—
Concert and Cavaliers.
WABC—CBS network 7:30 p. m.—
Today and Yesterday.
WABC—CBS network 8:00 p. m.—
Pageant.
WJZ—UPC network 9:30 p. m.—
Whiteman's Orchestra.

Friday—Columbia chain—10:30-
10:45 p. m. E.S.T.—Chest-
field Orchestra; Alex Gray
and Nat Shilkret.

Comedian's West Coast Theater Work Education

New York. (U.P.)—Stuart Erwin considers the one year he spent as stage manager for a Los Angeles theater as the best acting experience he ever has had.

"I used to stand in the wings," said the comedian, "and watch the different actors go through their roles. If the actor behind the footlights was doing a particularly good piece of work, I imitated him, much to the amusement of the electricians and stagehands who watched me. If the acting was 'hammy' I would act the role out as I thought it should be done."

"Working behind the scenes gave me the chance to stage technique, which even an actor with many years on the stage doesn't always grasp."

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—and the Worst is Yet to Come



TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From the Daily Democrat File

Young people of the U. B. church hold an educational meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gunsett entertained at dinner for their daughter Ida.

Margaret Moran celebrated her ninth birthday with a six o'clock dinner.

Rev. E. A. Goodwin delivers annual sermon to K. of P.'s at U. B. Church.

Miss Leona Bosse is visiting Mrs. Ed Meyers.

Mrs. George Flanders left for Cincinnati for a visit with her father David Carlisle.

Albert Bracht of Milland, Michigan is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Harry Cloud.

William Richard Gass is the name of the boy born to Mr. and

Mrs. Frank Gass today.
Miss Maggie Smith is in Fort Wayne.

Lessons In English

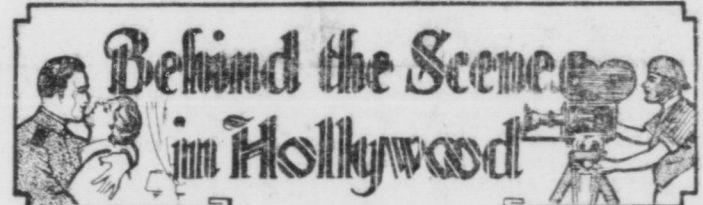
Words often misused: Do not say, "Only three or four people responded." Say "three or four persons" when referring to a small group.

Often mispronounced: Disease. Pronounce di - zee, not dis-eez.

Often misspelled: Canvas (one s) a coarse cloth. Canvass (two s's) to solicit.

Synonyms: Enormity, enormous, monstrous.

Word Study: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: Refutation; act of disproving by argument, evidence, or proof. "This book is a refutation of what you claim."



By HARRISON CARROLL.
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HOLLYWOOD, March 30.—Out to fill the theatres again, Hollywood is to offer unmatched cinema bargains this year.

Now comes David Selznick to announce that R-K-O will team John Barrymore and Dolores Del Rio in a modern story planned for early production. So far, I haven't been able to find out whether this will be the picture of Adeline Rogers Hyland and Gene Fowler will write for Dolores, or whether Selznick has another story in mind.

At any rate, the teaming of this pair is an other important instance of Hollywood's new largesse with famous names.

The announcement also is significant because it apparently disposes of the report that the three Barrymores will appear in a picture for R-K-O. Unless further arrangements have been made, John is only to do one more film at this studio. Lionel also is slated for one picture there.

Both Dolores and John Barrymore will finish their current vehicles in two or three weeks. In all likelihood, the new picture will follow immediately.

REVERSE ENGLISH

Dick Hunt reports two actors were engaged in conversation on Hollywood Boulevard. One was telling about helping his wife to reduce.

"Every night for a week," he said, "I've rolled her hips 200 times with a rolling pin."

"Zat so?" inquired the friend.

"How much did you lose?"

AND SO TO GOSSIP.

What was in that 24,000 feet of film that S. M. Eisenstein shipped directly from Mexico to Russia? Eddie Cantor has cancelled his trip to Mexico City and will read up about bull-fights instead. Understand Elissa Landi didn't care for my calling her "The Greta Garbo of the Fox Lot." I might have called her "The Carmen Barnes." But perhaps it wasn't fair. This community loves comparisons, and it's so easy to fall into line. Marie Dressler stops me every time I see her to ask about the Lindbergh baby. At a time when a busy world has

cooled down a bit about the outrage, she still hangs on the radio every night. Never was a warmer, more compassionate heart than Marie's. Now that Tallulah Bankhead is giving up her home to move to the beach, Bill Haines would move back in. But he's furnished his apartment so much to his taste that he'll continue to rent instead. Saw Virginia Bruce, that tall, good-looking blonde, lunching with four 17-year-old boys at M-G-M. Rushed over to his "Cradle-snatcher," but it turns out they were her brother and his friends. Greta Garbo declined to come in and have portraits taken after her last picture. But even that the Swede will carry out her ancient threat and go home.

HAROLD'S RECORD.

Other actors may talk of their picture records, but with "Movie Crazy" Harold Lloyd rounds out his 35th starring vehicle.

Harold started making pictures in 1913. He first appeared as a nondescript character called "Willie Work," which later developed into "Lonesome Luke." In the "Luke" characterization, Harold made one comedy a week for three years, later branching out into the two-reel field.

I wonder if you remember "Lonesome Luke." He wore a fedora hat which sat on the top of his head, a short coat, tight-fitting pants and big shoes. Two dots of a moustache, one on either side of the nostrils, was the facial make-up.

Tiring of this limited characterization, Harold discarded it and conceived the idea of the now-famous horn-rimmed spectacles.

In this new guise, he went back to one-reelers and, for several years again turned out a picture a week.

In 1922, with "A Sailor-Made Man," he entered the feature-length field, and his activities, as compared to the past, slowed down to what virtually was a walk in the last ten years he has released only thirteen features, and in the last seven only five. "Movie Crazy," his third talkie, will be the sixth.

DID YOU KNOW

That Tom Brown, Universal's new discovery, worked last Summer as a life guard in Scituate, Mass.

Answers To Test Questions

Below are the answers to the Test Questions printed on Page Two.

1. Jesus.
2. Tuberculosis.
3. Union of Socialist Soviet Republic.
4. Woodrow Wilson.
5. To measure humidity of the atmosphere.
6. Oregon.
7. The Washington, D. C. Club of the American League.
8. New York City.
9. The Rhineland.
10. Mercury.

Political Calendar

NOTICE TO CANDIDATES

Announcements will be made in this column for candidates for public office at the following rates: \$2.00 per week for single week; \$1.75 per week for every week from now until primary election. Cash must accompany order.

We solicit your orders for candidate cards.

FOR SHERIFF

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Adams County, subject to the decision of the voters at the May primary. Will greatly appreciate your support.

BURL JOHNSON
68 May 2

FOR COMMISSIONER

Please announce to the voters that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Commissioner, First district, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary, Tuesday, May 3. I shall appreciate your support.

PHIL SAUER
68 May 2

FOR SURVEYOR

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Surveyor, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary, Tuesday, May 3. Your support will be appreciated.

RALPH ROOP
Registered Engineer
69-May3

FOR PROSECUTOR

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the will of the voters at the primary, Tuesday, May 3. I shall be grateful for your support.

ED. A. BOSSE
72-May 2

FOR AUDITOR

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County auditor, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary, Tuesday May 3. I assure each and everyone that I shall appreciate their vote and support.

FRED T. SCHURGER
74-May 2

FOR TREASURER

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary, Tuesday, May 3. Your support will be appreciated.

JOHN WECHTER
68 May 2

FOR COMMISSIONER

You are authorized to announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Commissioner from the First district, subject to the primary, Tuesday, May 3. I will appreciate your vote and support.

A. FRED THIEME
75-May 2

FOR CONGRESS

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress, Fourth district, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary Tuesday May 3. I will appreciate your support.

TRUMAN A. GOTTSCHALK
75-May 2

FOR AUDITOR

Please announce that I am a candidate for Auditor of Adams County at the primary, May 3. The undersigned, a born citizen of Adams County and a life long Democrat, firmly believes that a public office is a public trust and the holder of such office is a servant of the public. Thanking you for your support.

RUDOLPH SCHUG
76-May 2

FOR RECORDER

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Recorder, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary, Tuesday, May 3. Your support shall be appreciated.

MRS. CLARA ANDERSON
68 May 2

FOR AUDITOR

Please announce that I am making my second race for the Democratic nomination for county auditor, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary, Tuesday, May 3. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

GLEN COWEN
77-May 2

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
Please announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election, Tuesday, May 3. Your support will be appreciated.

NATHAN C. NELSON
68 May 2

Modern Etiquette

—by—
ROBERTA LEE

Q. How soon should one acknowledge an invitation?
A. Within a day or two, or a week at the most.

Q. What is the meaning of the word "puree"?
A. It means "a thickened soup. The ee is pronounced as a in ray and accent is on the last syllable.

Q. Why do men wear gloves at formal dances?
A. So the they do not touch with ungloved hands the bare shoulders, neck or arms of the ladies.

Household Scrapbook

—by—
ROBERTA LEE

The Skin

That greasy shine of the skin can be prevented by washing every morning and night with water, in which a pinch of soap has been dissolved.

Burning Fat

When fat is burning, do not pour water on it, as water will spread the flames. Smother it with an old

carpet or flour.
Painting
Before starting to paint, always remove all dust and dirt. If the surfaces are not cleaned thoroughly, the results will be a streaky job that will peel off readily.

PREBLE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Miller and daughter Olga and Leona of Friedhelm visited with Mr. and Mrs. Will Meyer Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Heller and family entertained with an Easter dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Gust Yake.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Forman of Garrett called on Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Zimmerman and daughter Onalee Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kirchner and daughters had as their guests Easter Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Brouse and family and Fred Wordeman of Sturgis Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Koldewey and family spent Easter Sunday, visiting the latter's mother and brother, Mrs. William Linnemier and Herman Linnemier.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas of Lima

Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Freitag Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will John and Wilbur and Arthur of Fort Wayne visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kerner and family Sunday.

John Newhard, a student at the University, Lafayette, is spending the Spring vacation with parents Mr. and Mrs. Orville Heller.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kne and daughter Mildred, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Freitag and family Easter Sunday.

Virgil Heller, a student at Manchester College, North Chester is spending the Spring vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Orville Heller.

Mrs. Robert Sherlock and neta Hoffman of Cornsaw Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hoffman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Heller and daughters were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weir and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Meyer and their guests Sunday Mrs. Smith and daughter Lucile and Lawrence of Fort Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond and son of Fort Wayne were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Zimmerman Sunday.

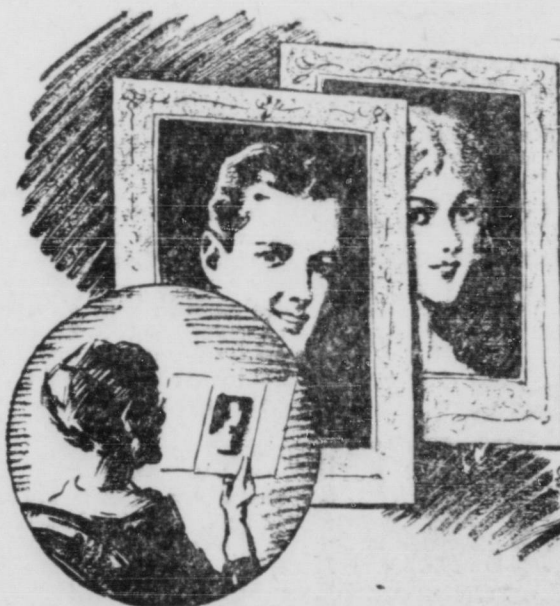
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