

## Red Man of Wood Serves As Sentinel

Cigar Store Indian of Bygone Era Prized By City Man.

BY BEATRICE BURGAN  
*Times Woman's Page Editor*

VINCENT VINCENT of Hollyhock Hill has his pioneer setting for Dearie's Retreat fortified by Big Chief Hollyhock, one of the vanishing tribe of cigar store Indians. Big Chief stood a lonely sentinel at Hagerstown for many years and after he took part in the

Hagerstown centennial two years ago, the town mourned his passing to another territory.

Mr. Vincent, for three years, looked for an Indian to complete an atmosphere appropriate for the log cabin, erected in a rustic setting. He discovered that most of the Indians had gone to their happy hunting grounds. He traced one to Ashland, Wis., and to Martinsville, but the owners recognized their rarity and had put a premium on the price.

Big Chief was christened Hollyhock after Mr. Vincent bought him from Mrs. Horace Scott, who had purchased the wooden rarity from the widow of a former Hagerstown cigar dealer.

### Indians in Museum

Some of Big Chief's tribe stand peacefully on country estates. Some are in museums; the Indian in the Western Reserve Historical Society museum was excavated a few years ago when a new building was being erected in Cleveland. Probably none still beckon to the devotees of tobacco from the former traditional spot on the sidewalk.

The wooden Indian stood by the tobacco shop in England as early as the sixteenth century, but reached their grandeur of warpaint in America. One of the first ones in America stood in front of Christopher Demuth's shop in Lancaster, Pa., and extended a snuff box to passersby. This Indian, now inside the shop, has beckoned to Revolutionary soldiers, wagon crews and travelers passing by on the highway. A few years ago a single cigar store Indian stood a lonely vigil in Chicago, and not a single one could be found in Los Angeles.

Big Chief Hollyhock stands inside the cabin grounds, fenced by rustic rails. His classic mobile features are stern; he grasps a dagger in his hand, and he stands in the glory of new warpaint.

### Built for Wife

He is surrounded by a collection of pioneer oddities. There are hand-made plows, an old buggy, and a huge iron kettle stands ready for soap boiling. The lean-to porch has a collection of animal skins on its inner walls, a hand-made saddle, a milk churn and strings of dried peppers and gourds.

"Dearie's Retreat" is cozy indoors. Mr. Vincent built the cabin for his wife, and her portrait hangs over the archway above the steps which lead from the main room to the dining alcove.

The lettering beneath the picture reveals that Mrs. Vincent is Dearie. Mrs. Vincent has another name for the cabin. She calls it the "Mystery House," for she says, when Mr. Vincent goes away to an auction sale or a second-hand store, she never knows what kind of an addition he brings back to the collection.

### Lighted by Lantern

On the wall of the large stone fireplace hang powder horns and old guns. An old wagon wheel is suspended from the ceiling in the middle of the room and from it hangs a lantern which lights the room. On a shelf is the top of a corner post from a bed in which Abraham Lincoln slept in Connorsville.

An old meat platter, formerly belonging to Mrs. George W. Ryan, who was married in 1859 in Cincinnati, has been donated to Mr. Vincent's collection by Mrs. Horace Ryan. An ancient organ still plays melodiously. Mr. Vincent's latest acquisition is a hand coffee grinder.

### GARDEN CLUB FETE AIDS BASKET FUND

Thanksgiving baskets will be made up with proceeds from a dessert luncheon and bridge party of the Woman's Municipal Gardens Department Club. The luncheon was held this afternoon at the clubhouse and was followed by bridge.

Mr. Robert F. Shank, club president, was general chairman of arrangements and others in charge were Mrs. W. H. Hodgson, hospitality, assisted by Mrs. Willis Jones and Mrs. Frank Wood.

More than fifty reservations were made with Mrs. G. W. Kohlstedt, chairman of ways and means, and her assistants: Mesdames Roscoe Conkle, Charles Judy, W. Ray Kester, Lat Gatewood, S. J. Bardsley and W. R. Burchman.

### Daily Recipe DELICIOUS CARROTS

4 cup carrots sliced thin, long way  
4 tablespoons butter  
1 tablespoon chopped parsley  
1 cup milk  
Salt and pepper to suit taste

Fry parsley and carrots in butter five minutes. Add milk and cook slowly twenty minutes or until they are tender.

## Tea Scheduled With Display by Indiana Artists

### Manners and Morals

BY JANE JORDAN

One reader asked for opinions on the subject of women's smoking. The first group was published last week. Here are some more letters.

Dear Jane Jordan—I notice that "interested" wants to hear a discussion of cigarette smoking by girls and women. You were not big enough to print her letter without belittling it with the sardonic you printed following it. I believe most women smoke to be smart. If they could only see how asinine they look, like they were trying to something and didn't know how.

I am a young woman and I've tried to learn to smoke, but when I saw how it looked, I quit, pronto! I always was ashamed for any one to see me. If there is anything that looks worse than a mother sitting at a restaurant table smoking before

the clear eyes of her son or daughter, I haven't seen it yet.

Women were meant to uphold our morals, to personify decency and refinement. Man likes to put her on a pedestal for worship as a goddess of all that is fine and good. Can you imagine a goddess with a cigarette pasted to her lips. I can't. I trust our women and girls will soon get back to normal and leave off making smokestacks of their bodies.

ALSO DISGUSTED.

Answer—I believe that most men are pretty fed up with goddesses for wives. I wish they would write and tell me whether I am right or wrong. The goddess concept belongs to adolescence, but it doesn't work out so well in sober fact. How about some letters from husbands who have married goddesses?

Dear Jane Jordan—While spending the last few days in Indianapolis, I have noticed your column. From what I have read I am led to believe that you agree quite thoroughly with girls smoking. That's your opinion, but it won't get very far with sensible boys. Ninety per cent of the girls who smoke do so only to be smart, and the other 10 per cent try to make themselves enjoy.

Almost all smokers agree that smoking is a bad habit. Needless to say I join ranks with the young men opposed to girls smoking. I believe that "smoke has gotten in your eyes" or you would see the bad effects of tobacco. Why encourage what is known to be a useless and foolish habit. SALT LAKE CITY.

Answer—What I wonder is why so much more prejudice centers around smoking than any other useless and foolish habit? Why can't we hop on coffee, late hours, flirtations, or Coney Island sandwiches at midnight for a change?

Dear Jane Jordan—I have been going with a young man of 23 and am truly in love with him. He is a poor boy and hasn't got anything whatever. He lives in another state and doesn't even have a car. He is a hard working boy, but just can't find a job that lasts any length of time. He is bashful and that is a hindrance to him in getting work.

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## Street Coat of Kidskin Belted by Tweed



Gray kidskin is used to fashion this smart street coat that has bell-shaped sleeves and long, slender lines. It's trimmed with a luxurious collar of silver fox to match the rather large muff. The hat is made of the new tweed felt in a dark gray mixture, with shirring directly in the front of the brim.

## Students on Vacation to Be Honored

Columbia Club Schedules Dance in Advance of Holiday.

The full social program announced by the Columbia Club for the end of this week is a forerunner of the busy holiday schedule which promises to be the most interesting for many seasons. Beginning with a special pre-Thanksgiving dance tomorrow night club members and college and school sons and daughters on vacation will enjoy four dances over the week-end.

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Mrs. J. H. Kemper is chairman of the December luncheon and bridge party, which the club will give for members and friends on Wednesday, Dec. 5.

## Contract Bridge

### Today's Contract Problem

This is the fifth of six hands by Aaron Frank. South is playing the contract at four hearts. West opens a heart. The declarer develops a pseudo squeeze by not taking a discard. Can you see the play?

**Hand 5**

♦ A 9 8	♦ A 8 4	♦ A Q 10 7 4	♦ A 10 9 2
♦ J 4 3	♦ J 10 9	♦ K 9 8	♦ Q 10 7
♦ K 3 2	♦ K 7 6	♦ Q 9 8 6 5 2	♦ Q 6
♦ A K 7 6	♦ A K 8 5 2	♦ A K 7 5 3	♦ None
♦ A 6 5 4	♦ A 5 4 3	♦ A 5 4 3	♦ A 5 4 3

**Hand 6**

♦ A 9 8 7	♦ A 9 8 7	♦ A 9 8 7	♦ A 9 8 7
♦ A K 6	♦ A K 6	♦ A K 6	♦ A K 6
♦ J 6 5	♦ J 6 5	♦ J 6 5	♦ J 6 5
♦ A Q 10 9			
♦ A 10 9 8			

**Solution to next issue. 20**

**Solution to Previous Contract Problem**

BY W. E. MCKENNEY  
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**A** T Chicago this summer, Jeff Glick and Aaron Frank were second in the two major open events, the pair and team-of-four.

Shortly after the tournament, I heard several of the fine eastern players discussing Frank and Glick, and the unanimous opinion of all was, "Watch the smoke of those two boys; they are comers."

In explaining today's hand, Mr. Frank said:

"Too many players forget about the bidding the minute the play of the hand starts. To play, good de-

**Hand 7**

♦ Q 6 5	♦ J 10 9 8	♦ 7 3	♦ J 9 9 2
♦ A 7 6	♦ A 7 6	♦ A 7 6	♦ A 7 6
♦ A K 6	♦ A K 6	♦ A K 6	♦ A K 6
♦ J 6 5	♦ J 6 5	♦ J 6 5	♦ J 6 5
♦ A Q 10 9			

**Hand 8**

♦ A 9 8 7 6	♦ A 9 8 7 6	♦ A 9 8 7 6	♦ A 9 8 7 6
♦ A K 6	♦ A K 6	♦ A K 6	♦ A K 6
♦ J 6 5	♦ J 6 5	♦ J 6 5	♦ J 6 5
♦ A Q 10 9 8			
♦ A 10 9 8 7			

**Duplicate—All vul.**

South West North East

Pass 1 N. T. Pass 3 N. T.

Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead—♦ J. 20

fensive bridge, you must never lose thought of the bidding."

Mr. Frank said his opponents announced that they were not using weak no trump opening bids. Therefore, when West opened the bidding with one no trump, Mr. Frank figured him for three to three and one-primary tricks. Mr. Glick was sitting in the North and Mr. Frank in the South.

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## PARTY AID



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Active chapters at Indiana, DePauw and Purdue universities will take part in the program and will present stunts and join in singing in competition for a prize. Reports of chapter activities will be given.