

FIND ILLINOIS TOWN WHOSE INHABITANTS CLING TO OLD WAYS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 7.—Bernardine, a Rip Van Winkle town, is awakening from a century of sleep.

Like those souls living "on yonder hill" above Spoon River, who were quickened into life by the imagination of Edgar Lee Masters in his "Anthology," the unperturbed inhabitants of this strange little village 'on the same Spoon River, have been touched with life by the pen of a newspaper writer.

Without telephones, automobiles, railroads or any modern conveniences this town had gone on its undisturbed way for a hundred years, sleeping quietly in a busy world, until a few days ago when it was "discovered" by a motion picture director and the next morning awoke to fame with a column of type in a Bloomington newspaper.

C. L. Varnard, looking about for a "location" to film a country scene, ran across the village. It has no railroads and half the inhabitants claim never to have seen a train. It has no picture shows, and of course had never seen a motion picture camera. There are no telephones and no electricity in the town. The old village grist mill is still grinding away every day with water from the same spillway that supplied the mill a century ago.

But now strange things are happening in Bernadine. Big automobiles whiz through the village. There is the unusual smell of oil and gasoline. The swirling dust from many pneumatic tire distresses the bewildered inhabitants. Old ladies in calico dresses no longer go their quiet way to the village store and long whiskered old men no longer calmly whittle the hours away under the village trees. Their nerves twitch and the day is no longer calm.

Suburban

DUBLIN, Ind.—Quarterly meeting for the Dublin and Straughn M. E. church charges will be held Sunday, Sept. 10, at Straughn. Dr. Somerville Light, district superintendent, of Richmond, will have charge of the meeting. He will deliver a sermon at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. There will be no preaching services here. At the M. E. church Sunday, only Sunday school at 9:15 a.m. as the church is being painted this week and cannot be used. Mr. and Mrs. Orie Oler left Tuesday for Lake James for a 10 days' fishing trip....Mrs. Margaret Stevenson spent Labor Day at Ludlow, Ky....Miss Emma White attended the camp meeting at Cleveland from Thursday until Saturday evening....Mrs. Sarah Larsh and Mrs. Anna Cheeseman of Richmond spent the week end here with friends....G. E. Moore and son Ralph made a business trip to Indianapolis Tuesday....Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark and children attended the funeral of Mr. Clark's sister, Mrs. Laura Morse, at Jacksonburg, Sunday afternoon. Others from here who attended the funeral were Elmer Fagan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Elsey and son, Fred and Orville Hines....A son, Paul Austin, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Thor Sept. 1....Mrs. Sarah Waller of Newcastle is here visiting her sister, Mrs. William Sullivan....Preaching services at Friends and Nazarene churches next Sunday morning and evening; at the U. B. church at 10:30 a.m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p.m....Miss Lota Laurence has returned home from several weeks' stay with her sister at Hagerstown....Mr. and Mrs. George Wood of Buffalo, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oler of Williamsburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Oler Monday....Mrs. Lizzie D. Estel of Richmond visited with Mrs. J. A. Haganan Sunday....Misses Katherine and Mabel Voris spent a few days last week here with friends. Their father, Prof. P. V. Voris, joined them here on Sunday and all returned to Indianapolis Sunday evening....Mrs. Charles Basson of Connerville visited Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Morgan and other relatives during the fair week....Mr. Barnes and family moved to a farm near Pennville, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence moved to the house vacated by Barnes which they recently bought....Mr. and Mrs. Ward Elsey and son left Monday evening for Indianapolis. They will move their household goods there the last of this week....Dr. S. A. Hawes and sister, Miss Anna Hawes, of Greenville, Ohio, Dr. and Mrs. Ira Hawes of Arcanum,

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Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Berth and Miss Emma Heiney of Pershing, Mr. Clark Faustett and family of Milton, Mr. Charles Berth and family of Cambridge City and Miss Ida Berth of Newcastle were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Myers Sunday....Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wimmer attended a family reunion at Mound park at Anderson Sunday....Clayton Whirley spent Sunday with his aunt at Cincinnati....Mrs. Belle Wilstach of Lafayette, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Vickery, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cole and son of Lewisville and Mrs. Mary Worl of Lorain, Ind., spent Friday here with friends....Mrs. Jennie Butler of Lewisville, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Morgan....Mr. and Mrs. Carl Trusler and Mrs. Emma Hodskin of Richmond attended the fair here last week and visited with old friends....Mrs. Kate Jay of Centerville is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Sarah Howren....Mrs. Marian Green was in Richmond Monday....Dr. and Mrs. Huddleston have returned to their home in Winchester after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oler....Miss Barrett of Indianapolis, who was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Ogle and other relatives, has returned to her home....Mrs. Sarah Waller of Newcastle, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. William Sullivan....Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoffman and family have returned to their home in Indianapolis after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hoffman....Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Oler called on friends in Losantville Sunday....The Huddleston family reunion will be held Sunday, Sept. 10, at Roberts park at Connersville....Mrs. George Stonebaugh of Cambridge City was guest of her sister, Mrs. J. U. Morgan, Thursday....Miss Lora Henley went to Knightstown Monday to take up her duties as teacher in the school the coming term....Mrs. B. L. Hatt was called to Richsquare Thursday night by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Johnson, who passed away Friday morning. Funeral was Sunday....Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Travis of Muncie spent Saturday with Mrs. Elizabeth Schumacher and daughter Bertha....Mr. and Mrs. Otis Walters of Richmond spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Walters....Mr. and Mrs. John Bell of Barberon, Ohio, are here visiting their aunt, Miss Linnie Hood....Ralph Moore left Wednesday for Bloomington to attend Indiana university the coming year....Mrs. O'Connell and children have returned to their home in Indianapolis after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Martha Butler and other relatives....Mrs. J. C. Ward of Richmond was a recent guest of Mrs. Lola Converse....Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Champe have returned to Columbus, Ohio, after a few days' stay here....Mrs. Larry Hegeler left Tuesday for Battle Creek, Mich., where she will join her hus-

PEGGY MARSH'S HUSBAND SHOT.



Albert M. Johnson, husband of Peggy Marsh, actress and dancer, who was accidentally shot and dangerously wounded in the camp of "Jack" Clifford, former husband of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, on Chateaugay Lake.

band, who has work there....Prof. and Mrs. Plaskett and three children, Joseph, Christine and Louise, and Mrs. India Hughes have returned to their home in Fort Wayne after several days' visit here with Miss Belle Garner and other relatives and friends....Mrs. Martha Butler and Mrs. O'Connell and children attended the Gauker reunion west of town Sunday.

CAMBRIDGE CITY, Ind.—The women's Bible class of the Baptist Sunday school will have a market at Marion's jewelry store next Saturday....Misses Ethelyn and Ruth Barnett have returned to Indianapolis, after a few days' visit with their aunt, Miss Virginia Barnett....Mrs. H. L. Morgan of Dublin was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Walters....Mr. and Mrs. John Bell of Barberon, Ohio, are here visiting their aunt, Miss Linnie Hood....Ralph Moore left Wednesday for Bloomington to attend Indiana university the coming year....Mrs. O'Connell and children have returned to their home in Indianapolis after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Martha Butler and other relatives....Mrs. J. C. Ward of Richmond was a recent guest of Mrs. Lola Converse....Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Champe have returned to Columbus, Ohio, after a few days' stay here....Mrs. Larry Hegeler left Tuesday for Battle Creek, Mich., where she will join her hus-

J. E. Wright spent Monday in Richmond....Misses Elizabeth and Rosaline Newkirk have returned from a visit with relatives in Richmond. Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bailey returned home with them and visited Elmer Newkirk and family....Mr. and Mrs. George Stombaugh have returned from a visit with relatives in Greenfield....Dr. Morris, wife and children, Oscar Jones and Charles Morris attended the state fair Monday....Miss Emma Bradbury has moved here from Richmond into her property on West Front street....Mr. and Mrs. Will Hunt have returned from a visit with their daughter in Minneapolis....Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonn have returned to Columbus, O., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt and family....Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Brown and son Keith have returned to their home in Eaton, Ohio, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Mettett and family....Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tout and family of Newcastle, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Baverden of Richmond, have returned to their homes after a visit with their mother, Mrs. J. R. Wharton....Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Eaton are spending a few days with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Warren in Richmond....Miss Regina Broderick of Indianapolis, was the guest Monday of Miss Agnes Pussinelli....Application has been made in the Odd Fellows' home at Greensburg for Mrs. Mary Roth, aged widow of this city....A sale of her household effects will be held Saturday afternoon at her home on West Main street....Mr. and Mrs. Sam Morris and family spent Monday at the state fair in Indianapolis....Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fink spent Monday with their parents in Indianapolis....James Dennis is quite ill and threatened with appendicitis.

GREENS FORK, Ind.—Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Love attended church at the Friends' church Sunday morning....Lon Cloud of Virginia spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Jonathan Cloud....Prayer Meetings at the Friends' church Wednesday evening. All members are asked to be present....Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cranor and Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Cranor and Mr. and Mrs. Fal Stiggleman, Mrs. Wilson DeVol and two children have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Stiggleman in Richmond....Mrs. Charles Kerlin spent Monday with her brother Frank Gardner and family in Richmond....J. C. Vollandingham has returned home from Camp Knox, Ky., where he has spent the past several weeks....Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mider and daughter Gertrude, and Miss Lillian Ault of Greenville, Ohio, have been visiting Lee Ault and family....Dr. and Mrs.

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Jonathan Cloud, Mrs. and Mrs. Eli Band and family, Mrs. Effie Brooks, Ruby Stanton, Edith Pickett, Gail Pickett and Deryl Rowe, attended camp meeting at Cherry Grove Sunday....Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sittich spent Monday afternoon at Funk's lake near Winchester....Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ullery, James Ullery, Mr. and Mrs. John Ullery, Dr. and Mrs. Neff and family attended camp meeting at Cherry Grove Sunday evening, the Neff quartet sang....Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Love attended a reunion at Lynn Sunday....F. A. Underhill, Mc. and Mrs. Eli Bane, Elizabeth Underhill,

Gail Pickett and Ruby Stanton were sent as delegates to the quarterly meeting at Richmond Saturday.

CAMDEN, Ohio.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hart left Monday for Pittsburgh where they will make their future home. Mr. Hart will take up electrical engineering....Miss Ola Ray of West Alexandria spent the week end with Mrs. T. E. Davis....Mrs. Frank Fisher and daughters Julia Frances and Josephine returned from a visit in Chicago Saturday afternoon....Claud Neff is home from a few weeks' business trip....Miss Gertrude Mc-

Shane spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hart....Dr. and Mrs. McQueen have returned from a vacation spent at Cable, Wis....Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patton are the proud parents of a fine baby boy who arrived Saturday....Roy Patton and family have been visiting his mother Mrs. W. M. Patton....Schools opened Monday with a large attendance....Mrs. Kate Roof left Tuesday for her home in Tippecanoe City. She spent the past week with her cousin Mrs. Louis Phares....Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCord arrived home Monday after a pleasant vacation.

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A Few Pullets in Back Yard Will Pay

Kitchen Waste and Some Mash and Grain Solve Question.

Every family which has even a small back yard can go far toward supplying itself with eggs. Even in a small back yard, with the aid of a few hens, much of the kitchen garbage can be manufactured into food instead of being wasted. Keeping chickens even on a small scale can be made a pleasant, worth-while recreation, particularly interesting to a child old enough to assume responsibility.

Value of Keeping Hens.

Keeping small flocks of hens in a village or city back yard has proved successful. It is an important branch of the poultry industry. Though the value of the product from each flock is small in itself, the aggregate is large. The product of such a flock both in the form of eggs, and fowls for the table, may be made at a relatively low cost because of the possibility of utilizing table scraps and kitchen waste which would otherwise be thrown away. A small flock of hens, even as few as six or eight, should produce eggs enough, where used economically, for a family of four or five persons throughout the entire year, except during the moulting period and fall and early winter. By preserving surplus eggs produced during spring and early summer this period will insure production of eggs at this time. Not only will the eggs from the home flock materially reduce the cost of living, but their superior freshness and quality are in themselves well worth the effort expended. The need for an extension of poultry raising is particularly great in those sections where the consumption of poultry products exceeds the production with the result that prices are high.

Objection frequently is raised to the keeping of poultry in towns and cities because of the odor which may result and also because of the noise made by roosters crowing, particularly early in the morning.

The poultry flock need not become a nuisance to the neighbors. If the droppings boards are cleaned daily and if the houses and yards are kept in a reasonably clean condition there will be no annoying odors.

The male bird need not be a nuisance. Unless it is intended to hatch chickens from the flock, it is unnecessary to keep a male bird. The fact that there is no male in the flock will have absolutely no effect upon the number of eggs laid by the hens. Those who wish to produce eggs for hatching should get rid of the roosters when the hatching season ends. This is desirable not only to eliminate the noise of the rooster, but also to save the feed that would be eaten by the male, and for the further reason that the eggs produced after the male is disposed of will be infertile. Since these eggs are incapable of chick development, they can be kept much better than fertile eggs and, consequently, are superior for keeping, putting up in water-glass or marketing.

The flock, of course, must be kept confined, otherwise the hens will stray into neighbors' yards and gardens, where they may cause damage, and almost certainly illness.

Cull Your Flock—Use LEG BANDS to mark your best hens for mating next spring. WHELAN HAZ'UM

NOTICE

We receive daily at 10:30 a.m. the Western Union wire live stock markets. Anyone wishing this information may have same by calling Phone 1679.

TIMELY HINTS

Select seed corn from the ripening stalk, before Sept. 20.

Does the best stock on your farm get a balanced ration when it sits down to the dinner table? Youngsters, especially, can use a lot more milk and green vegetables than they generally get.

An Associated Press dispatch from Washington says that the war department has five million more pounds of picric acid, an excess war explosive, that farmers can have for blasting at cost.

FAIR DATES

Wayne County fair, Richmond, Ind., September, 13-14-15. Eaton, Ohio fair, September 24-29. Butler County fair, Hamilton, Ohio, Oct. 3-7.

ONE OF FOUR HENS LOAFS

Some of your neighbors can tell you how to cull out the low-producing from your flock. About one in four is a loafer, and this is the time of year when any one trained to pick them out can do so easily.

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Other scale insect pests, such as the cherry scale, oysterscale, scale, etc., can usually be held in check by the dormant spray with lime-sulphur wash. The treatment is also effective against the pear leaf blight mite, which is universally present on pears, and in many localities becomes a serious apple pest. Some plant lice that are destructive, especially to young apple trees, winter in the egg stage and are destroyed by this treatment. One thing that must be remembered in applying the dormant spray is that the solution should cover every part of the tree or it will not be effective.

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