

CROSS'S COLUMN

"Is that the hardware store?" inquired a telephoned Voice last week.

"Yes," said George Lampley. "Is that Mr. Lampley?" asked the Voice.

"Yes, it is," George answered. "Have you got any striped paint?" persisted the Voice.

"Sure," said George. "Sure, we've got striped paint."

"What price is it?"

"Well," said George, "that depends on which kind you want. Do you want white paint with black stripes or black paint with white stripes?"

The Voice hung up the receiver with an admiring giggle.

Mrs. Starke tells of a colored patient who came to consult Dr. Beckwith about one of her numerous children. Dr. Beckwith had difficulty in making out what the child's name was.

"Her name's Q. S.," said the colored woman.

"How in the world did you happen to name the child that?" asked Dr. Beckwith.

"Why Dr. Beckwith, don't you remember? By the time this child came along we had done run out of names and you named this child yo'self. You told me to name her Q. S."

(P. S. . . . Q. S. is the medical abbreviation for "Quantity Sufficient.")

Thanks to "My Reader" for the "Christmas" card and the "Congratulations" . . .

Another reader reports that he knows (but will not reveal) the name of the woman who recently wired congratulations to the President's wife and sent the wire to Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt. She sent it from a nearby town.

A Chicago news broadcast gave this item, which I waited in vain to see in print.

Two men were on top of an oil tank when there was an explosion nearby, followed by a burst of flame. The men knew it was only a matter of time before their own tank would explode. They rushed toward the ladder, only to discover that it had been blown to the ground by the force of the explosion. They stood terrified upon the tank, lacking courage to jump, knowing at the same time that they would certainly be blown to pieces if they remained where they were. At that moment there came a second explosion. To their amazement and relief, the second explosion blew the ladder back up against the tank and the men were able to clamber to safety before the final explosion occurred.

Mother tells one on a friend of hers.

This friend married an enthusiastic hunter. He brought home ducks, wild turkeys, birds, and finally, a rabbit. His bride was learning to cook and was fairly successful until he brought home the rabbit, which he had requested her to prepare. At supper time he came home and found his wife in tears. "John," she wept, "don't ever bring home any more of those awful animals! I've been picking that rabbit all day, and he's no nearer ready to cook than when I started!"

J. J. Williams' Sister Is Dead

News has been received here of the death of Miss Florence Williams which occurred in Kimberly, Wis., March 3rd. Miss Williams was the sister of J. J. Williams of this city.

LETTERS from Our Readers

Letters should be short and to the point. Their content does not necessarily express the views of the newspaper. However, we welcome short letters of expressions on any matter of general public interest from any Herald subscriber. All must be signed.

UNITED STATES SENATE
Committee on Military Affairs
March - 1939

My Fellow Citizen:

All the nations of impoverished Europe wish to dump their political, economic and undesired minorities upon us. There are extensive and well financed groups of organizations in the United States spreading propaganda by word of mouth, through newspapers, magazines and leaflets, to arouse sufficient political pressure on members of the Senate and House of Representatives to breach the immigration laws and undo the work of twenty years.

There must be an answer to this propaganda. It must come from you. I need the help of every man and woman in the United States who believes that instead of weakening the barriers which exclude aliens from our country, they should be strengthened. Let me urge you to do two things.

Read the speech enclosed which I delivered in the Senate on February 22nd, and write to your Senators and to your Congressmen to aid me to put legislation on the statute books which will shut off immigration entirely during this period of unemployment and hardship and distress for young and old among our people; and, furthermore, to expel from this country the alien propagandist, the habitual criminal and the alien diseased or insane.

Yours for an American America,
Robert R. Reynolds, U. S. S.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank everyone for their kindness and thoughtfulness shown me while sick and especially Dr. Maddrey for his services rendered; also for the many beautiful flowers.

Mrs. W. E. Porch.

Square Dance At Darlington 24th

There will be a square dance at Darlington Friday night, Mar. 24th, beginning at 8:30 o'clock in the Woman's Club Building. The admission will be 35c and proceeds will go for the benefit of the Woman's Club. The dance will be properly chaperoned by several members of the club. Get your partner and come to Darlington Friday night.

Miss Hedgepeth Hostess At Dance Saturday

A lovely dance was given at the Woman's Club Saturday evening by Miss Doris Hedgepeth. A color scheme of green and white was used in arrangements of spring flowers. Mrs. M. H. Hedgepeth assisted by Mesdames B. J. Dunning, N. D. Cox and Paul Ray, served ice cream, cakes and mints which carried a color scheme of green and white later in the evening punch was served. Guests for the evening were Misses Derith Morgan, Barbara Vincent, Sara Cox, Marjorie Hazlewood, Marjorie Keene, Sara McNeil, Ann Taylor, Angela Hardy, Ann Mohorn, Emily Dunning, Margaret Hines, Katherine Traynham, Mildred May, Victoria Vester, Margaret Towe, Mildred and Margaret Burton, Helen Hedgepeth, Mary Louise Ray, Mildred Lee Moore, Mrs. Howard Hancock; Messrs. S. D. Brown, M. C. Newsome, Milton Moore, Chas. Holoway, Ray Rightmyer, Geo. Hayes, Geo. Nash, Bill Hux, Dick Edwards, Jobe Tickel, L. H. Taylor, Chas. Williams, Rudolph Williams, Billie and Dick Burton, John E. Brown, Ned Hyman, Ira Hodges, Jack White, John Cox, Walter Kendrick, Francis Joyner, Arnold Hughes, Thomas Sewell, Dallas Wright, Chas. Bennett, John Murray, Fred Cooper, Henry Fitts, Wick Cagle, P. D. Howell, Monroe Starke, Francis Fisher, Billie Robinson, Buddy Edmondson, James Pope, Boosie Grissom, Douglas Warrick, James Taylor and Ed Myrick.

"Wants His Young Son to Support Him." The poor little rich boy's really poor but gay and noble father pleads for a pittance of \$30,000 a year, so he can live in the style suited to the father of a youthful American millionaire. Read of this latest twist to one of those unhappy international marriages—an illustrated feature in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next Sunday's Times-Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holoway spent Sunday in Petersburg. Miss Otelia Vaughan spent the week-end in Burlington.



Final Week! Southern Manor "MARCH of SAVINGS!"

ASPARAGUS	Southern Manor No. 2 Can	27c
PLUMS	Southern Manor 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans	25c
CORN	Southern Manor 2 No. 2 Whole Kernel Cans	23c

Heinz Popular Varieties

SOUPS	2 16-oz. Cans	25c
Southern Manor		
Floor Wax	pint can	33c
Southern Manor		
Tea	2 1/4-lb. Pkgs.	25c
The Popular Cleanser		
Sunbrite	2 cans	9c

Virginia Maid Peanut

BUTTER	2-lb. Jar	23c
N. B. C. Crackers		
Ritz	1-lb. package	21c
Double-Fresh, Golden Blend		
Coffee	1-lb. package	15c
Triple-Fresh, Our Pride		
Bread	18-oz. loaf	8c

Fine Quality—Tender

BOLOGNA	2 lbs	27c
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● PRODUCE DEPARTMENT

Florida Grapefruit	4 for	10c
Iceberg Lettuce	2 heads	15c
Florida Snap Beans	2 lbs.	25c
Carrots & Beets	TEXAS Per bunch	5c
York Apples	6 pounds	25c
Spring Spinach	3 lbs.	13c

● IN OUR MARKET

Smoked Picnics	Small lb.	18c
All Pork Sausage	lb.	17c
Thick Fat Back	lb.	8c
Pig Liver	Sliced tender lb.	12 1/2c
Pork Brains	lb.	12 1/2c
Link Sausage	smoked-lb.	19c
Spare Ribs	lb.	17c
Pork Chops	Small, Center Cut lb.	23c
Fillet Fish	lb.	15c

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