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ALL CAN HELP

The progress of a community does not all depend merely on the enterprise and activity of its leading business men and organizations.

Every clerk who works in a store, every mechanic in his factory, every farmer in his field, every housewife in her home, each one has some effect on the future of that community.

If the salesman is actively pushing for new patronage and to please old customers, he helps the city's retail business to grow. If the mechanic is efficient, he assists his employer to sell more goods. If the farmer is diligent and scientific, he adds to the resources of the neighborhood. If the housewife improves the home place, she promotes the city's reputation for culture and finish. We all have to do our share, to secure the development of Forest City.

THE RED CROSS

The American Red Cross is organized for service in peace as well as in war. When there is a disaster anywhere, regardless of its nature, the Red Cross is always the first on the scene. Just at present the people of the state and nation are requested to contribute to the homeless sufferers of the tropics, left destitute by the West Indian hurricane of a few days ago. This is just another day's work in the life of the Red Cross. Representatives of that organization have already landed on several of the islands with medical and food supplies, clothing and tents. This work, as much as any other, must have money if it is to continue. Capt. B. L. Smith, county chairman of the National Red Cross, is making an appeal to the people of the county to contribute their 'bit' to this cause of mercy, and render aid to the thousands of homeless and sick. Make your contribution as liberal as possible. Who knows but what the next call will be for aid right here in our own state or county.

WHO'LL WORK WITH HIS HANDS?

The schools are turning out an unlimited number of bosses, managers, directors, superintendents, foremen, go-getters, also salesmen, book keepers, clerks, etc. Meanwhile there is a shortage of people who will take hold with their hands and do work calling for muscle.

This disparity will probably increase, judging by figures given out by the National Industrial Conference Board, which finds that the number of unskilled workers who returned to Europe since 1924, is three times as many as those who came thence to the United States. Perhaps many of these people were disappointed when they could not pick up gold in our streets.

The man with the hoe and the pick is needed. There is an equal demand for the one who can swing a carpenter's hammer, a bricklayer's trowel, or a house painter's brush. Many who practice these trades are driving shiny automobiles, while clerks and bookkeepers are walking.

Anyone should be glad to shake hands cordially with the man in overalls, and be glad to walk down town with him. The fellow who can mix paint so it will stick or who can fix the chimney so it won't smoke, has practical views of life. We can all learn from him.

We should pay high respect to the farmer. As an owner of land, he has a position of substantial dignity. When we give due social honors to such people, more boys will see that these callings are desirable.

THE USELESS "GOOD CITIZEN."

There is a certain type of man in every community who poses as a good citizen. He breaks no laws, lives morally, pays his honest debts and is never tangled up with the law in any manner. But he lives of himself, by himself and for himself exclusively. When the call is issued for volunteers to put across a community movement and give a boost, he never answers. When calamity has befallen people in certain localities and charity flies to their rescue, he is never one of their number. When money is needed for a public enterprise his name is never on the list. When he sees some neighbor stuck in the mud he detours to avoid him.

In fact, if he stood on the shore and saw the ship of state sinking, he would never offer to throw out a line. And if all mankind was fashioned from this same kind of chap what would happen? There would be no churches, no hospitals for the sick, no institutions for the unfortunate, no progress. If you are about to become a useless "good citizen" read this editorial again.

ALL SET FOR THE WORLD'S SERIES!

Hurray! The baseball contests are growing keener—the big leaguers are getting more pep into their playing—the bleacher fans are shouting more vociferously—the radio baseball fans are listening in more frequently—the world's series are on the way!

Soon the greatest baseball event on the globe will be on, and naturally fans are getting pretty much excited over the prospect. And why shouldn't they be! For one thing, everyone will be able to enjoy the games this year—what with radios, mechanical score boards, and the wide variety of devices that can bring play-by-play news of the games instantly to persons in all parts of the country.

Time was when a great athletic event could be watched only by actual eye-witnesses. Now the actual eye-witnesses are only an insignificant percentage of the total number of persons "seeing" the event. For one person who sits in the bleachers or grand stand, there are thousands who listen in to the radio, or watch the swiftly moving figures on a mechanical score board.

What a gorgeous thing it is to think that eighteen men may be engaged in a game somewhere on a field, and that the entire nation may be able to watch every movement of every one of the eighteen men.

Radio and inventions of its kind are making the world smaller, and yet larger, every day. They reduce the distance between city and city, nation and nation, drawing all together in bonds of friendship. They enlarge the spiritual and mental outlook of the world. They make the world a greater, more wonderful place to live in, and add a thousandfold to the power of great persons and great events to command attention and influence and inspire the Race of Man.

THE BLACK SHEEP.

A woman has written to me, wanting to know what to do in the case of her son. She says he won't go to school, he won't do useful work and tends generally to consort with dissolute companions.

I may as well confess right now that I cannot answer her question. I know all the arguments about love and kind treatment and psychological study and patience and so on, and I know also that there are cases that none of these things fit.

I do not suppose there is one family among my readers unable to confess to some sort of black sheep; some boy or girl that persists in going wrong in spite of everything.

Much is said of preachers' sons who turn out badly and the implication is that they have been treated too strictly in their youth so that in later years they rebel.

Some say that children should be carefully disciplined and rigidly instructed, but such children have not always done so well in later years.

In fact I have known the children of utterly loose and careless parents to turn out to be strict models of propriety, and others who have had every advantage of favorable environment to go swiftly to the dogs.

Some say that children should be given their freedom and allowed to do as they please, but that does not always work.

You may talk about your heredity and about a child inheriting the bad traits of his grand uncle and about environment and about the whole trouble with children being that they are not properly disciplined. All this is very interesting reading. But the

fact remains that the irresponsible and wayward sheep is in almost every family of my acquaintance.

Not long ago a prominent banker showed me a letter he had from his son, telling him that if he did not receive some money immediately he would commit suicide. The reply of the banker may not have been judicious, but it was interesting. He said to his son, "I have no money to send you, but don't let that deter you."—Dr. Frank Crane.

HORN'S THEATRE

PROGRAM, SEPT. 20 - 22

THURSDAY, SEPT. 20
"Code of Scarlet," starring Ken Maynard.

To those who have seen and marveled at the photographic beauty in "Code of the Scarlet," Ken Maynard's latest western, it will be of interest to know that the entire picture, including the location scenes, were taken in California.

The picture is a story of the Canadian northwest, and as a location spot had to be found that corresponded to the Canadian Rockies as much as possible, Harry J. Brown, director, chose the Sierra Madre mountains after two weeks of cruising about the state.

The exact location of the spot is a place called Crestline, a few miles from Lake Arrowhead, and just about one hundred miles from Los Angeles. Here the wonderful cloud effects, the lowering mountains, dense forest growth of the typical northwoods, was obtained.

The entire company, consisting of Gladys McConnell, leading woman, Ed Brady, J. P. McGowan, Dot Farley, Sheldon Lewis, Joe Rickson and Hal Salter were taken to Crestline for a three weeks' stay.

The ascent to this spot is probably one of the most hazardous of any in this vicinity. The auto stages and trucks can make the gruelling winding road but Tarzan and his two companions had to be unloaded at the bottom of the grade and walked up. Tarzan is too valuable a horse to risk any danger of injury.

A real action story, with thrills and spectacular riding, is the main feature of "Code of the Scarlet," a First National picture.

Comedy, "Buster's Home Life."

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Hoot Gibson in "Gallop and Fury," Seventh chapter "Trail of the Tiger."

Comedy, "Great Guns."

SATURDAY, SEPT. 22

"Cheerful Fraud," with Reginald Denny.

Comedy, "Fandango."

We wish also to make correction on our program which will be handed out Saturday. You will note Clara Bow in "Wine" listed for September 29th. This picture will be replaced by "Beyond London's Lights," and "Wine" will come at a later date.

Famous London Actress in "Beyond London's Lights"

Born and raised in England, Florence Wix, who appears in FBO's "Beyond London's Lights" at Horn's



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Theatre, September 29, boasts a theatrical record so successful that it has made her name well known to theatre goers throughout the entire British Empire.

Miss Wix began her theatrical work in London in musical comedy but later switched to pantomine and vaudeville. For a number of years she played both in London and throughout the provinces, from South Africa to Canada.

Six years ago Miss Wix came to Hollywood to enter motion pictures and has followed the silver screen ever since, except for a six week engagement in "All Alone Susan," on the stage of the Majestic Theatre in Los Angeles. Her specialty in pictures has been society mother parts, and she was chosen for the role of Mrs. Drummond in "Beyond London's Lights" because she is said to be ideally the type of a proud English gentlewoman.

WHITNEY BLANTON BURIED SATURDAY

Victim of Auto Accident Near Forest City Succumbs to Injuries

Mr. Whitney Blanton, of near Mooresboro, who died in the hospital Thursday, following an accident Tuesday afternoon, September 11, near Forest City, was buried Saturday at Sandy Run Baptist church at Mooresboro, Saturday.

Mr. Blanton was driving east in his wagon on state highway No. 20 Tuesday afternoon about 5 o'clock when a car approached him from the rear and one in front at Puzzle Creek, two miles east of Forest City. The cars attempted to pass, and one driven by a Mr. Hicks struck the wagon, killing the mule and demolishing the wagon. Mr. Blanton was thrown to the concrete and suffered a fractured skull, which resulted in his death Thursday.

He is survived by his widow and the following children: Miss Ytol Blanton, Mooresboro; Mrs. T. E. Lamb, Edynville; A. B. Blanton, Petersburg, Va.; B. H. Blanton, Latimore; G. C. Blanton, Moores-

boro; M. B. Blanton, Richmond, Va.; B. M. Blanton, Forest City and Mrs. C. D. Harrill, Canton.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Arthur Turner, T. E. Bridges, Clarence Webb, Furman and Play Green. Honorary pallbearers were, Messrs. H. F. Turner, Clint Blanton, C. F. Blanton, John Bridges, Angus Bridges, Joe Beam, L. W. Green, J. U. Rollins, Otis Turner, Grady Turner.

The large floral offering was carried by the following flower girls: Misses Grace and Gladys Turner, Burton Blanton, Ruth Blanton, Clara Webb, Claris Harris, Ruby Green, Mildred Green, Ila Lovelace and Mrs. Yates Green.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors of Rutherford and Cleveland counties for the many acts of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our father, Mr. Whitney Blanton, also for the many beautiful flowers.

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