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A PLEA FOR UNITY

Unity was the burden of the message which Dr. Lewis brought to the members and friends of the P. T. A. at Deerfield-Shields last Thursday afternoon. He urged a greater unity in all branches of knowledge taught in the schools, lamenting the fact that every student had dropped into a complacent acceptance of the old doctrines, assumed by their forefathers, that English, chemistry, physics, geography, and history were just separate ruts of so many departments running parallel always but never meeting.

Students of one class, said the speaker, do not quote or repeat what they have just heard in another; it might not be respectful to the teacher on duty at the time. And so the head of each of these departments continues to "bore away at the bottom of his own little gimlet hole, never rising high enough to hear the hammers of the other workmen."

It was the speaker's earnest conviction that all branches of knowledge overlap and touch each other at every point, and that no one who teaches, if he be truly educated, can afford to be a mole working in the darkness underground. He must come up into the light of day and get a perspective of his own subject, and correlate it with other departments of knowledge.

He considered the subject of English, on which he was booked to speak, to be as comprehensive as the universe itself; and with this in mind he chose the subject: "Unity." English is not a department but a medium by which we express, handle, and put to use all knowledge. It is the method of approach, the tool with which we work. It is not confined then to a department. The sources from which it draws material are as comprehensive as the universe, and its application covers all knowledge.

But we, who are trying to educate children, do not yet see these things in all their cognate significance. Departments, as departments, still hold sway in our schools and are jealously guarded by their every custodian. And it is just as true outside the schools. The makers of history and the writers of history to-day no longer enrich each other's fields as they did in Greece four hundred years before Christ. The changing periods, passing into the age of modern science, has shown an ever increasing tendency to specialize—to set a premium on departments so that each head, boring in the depths of his own specialty, moves down the blind alley of his goal.

As a concrete example of this habit of thought, the lecture was advertised as a talk on English in the schools, whereupon the majority of men teachers at the high school, concluding it did not concern them, failed to attend.

MILITARY HEROES AND THE PRESIDENCY

The American people have always loved a military hero. And ever since the election of Washington as the first president of the United States, they have followed the custom of naming a great military man for the "highest honor in the gift of the people." Notable among these are Zachary Taylor, William Henry Harrison, Andrew Jackson, Grant, and Garfield.

The natural inference then would be—Pershing for the next president, but the Republican weather-vane does not seem to point that way. In these days when everybody is honoring the heroes of this war who went overseas and saw service, we are coming more and more, to think seriously of those who stayed at home, to regard with interest and sympathy those who were so bitterly deprived of that great privilege. And they are legion—these boys and men who longed so fervently to serve their country on the field of honor; they are in our families, next door to us, they are among our friends and relations. No, our sympathy is not likely to be withheld from the consecrated army of men who were forced to stand aside.

Of this number is Major General Wood, friend of Roosevelt, and the very embodiment of our grim, sturdy American stock. The returning soldiers are proclaiming this man to be their choice for president; they are straw balloting him into the nomination on the Republican ticket. And why? Because some of them knew him in camp and have published his sterling qualities to all the world? Perhaps. Integrity, Spartan endurance, courage, and tenderness do not long go without recognition in the army. These virtues are the stock in trade of America's fighting men.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Mrs. H. O. Huber has as her guest this week Miss Rosena Haven of Prairie View and Miss Lorena Haven of Chicago.

Mrs. Anton Schlack of Milwaukee, Wis., who was the guest of Mrs. Rolland Bleimel for the past week, returned to her home Sunday.

Mrs. William C. Egan is in San Antonio, Tex., visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Diehl.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Robertson accompanied by Miss Crawford, expects to leave about May 1st for Scotland where Mr. Robertson will assist in settling the estate of his brother.

George D. Martin returned home last week from Pelham Bay, L. I., where he has been stationed. He has been honorably discharged.

Mr. Stephen Brownlee of Miami, Fla., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rice, instead of G. W. Wright as was stated in last week's Press.

Campbell Chapter O. E. S. meets this evening in Masonic Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and small daughter are in Summersville, S. C., until after the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Donnelly, who spent the past two months in Los Angeles, Calif., returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reitenwald are the happy parents of a son, born Thursday, March 6th.

Private Arthur Arnswald of the 108th Engineers, recently returned from France, who is awaiting his discharge at Camp Grant, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Arnswald.

Mr. E. L. Chapman, 112th Eng. Train, spent last week in Highwood visiting his wife and her parents, Mrs. Chapman was formerly Miss Hazel Smith. Mr. Chapman recently returned from France where he was in active service for six months. He received three wounds; his last wound being received at the Argonne front. He is stationed at the hospital in Camp Sherman, O.

Corporal John Milton Baker, a member of Battery E, 331st F. A., Blackhawk Division, who lately returned from France, has received his honorable discharge and returned to Knox college to complete his senior year.

Mrs. Johnston of Stoughton, Wis., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rolland Bleimel, of Green Bay Road, this week.

We wish to correct an error which appeared in last week's paper. It was stated that Mrs. Hugh Rhinehart was at the Highland Park hospital suffering from an attack of influenza. The article should have stated that she was at the West Side Hospital, Chicago.

Mrs. Edgar Severson of Highwood left Thursday for Stevens, Minn., for an indefinite stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Gripp of Argyle, Wis., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born Saturday, March 8th.

James Duffy, Jr., is confined to his home with an attack of the grippe.

Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Adams returned Sunday from Cedar Rapids, Ia.

Miss Edith Keough spent the week end in Chicago visiting her sister, Elizabeth.

Miss Maude Benson of Highwood, who is training at the Cook County Hospital, Chicago, visited her mother, Mrs. Edgar C. Benson, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fraser Sullivan are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Sullivan was formerly Miss Zaida Pressinger.

Miss Rose Gartner of St. Charles, Ill., who spent the past week as the guest of Mrs. John S. Reesman, left for her home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wrigley, Jr., are at Santa Barbara, Calif., for an early spring visit.

Lenten services will be held every Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at the St. James Catholic church at Highwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Defendorf are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Monday, March 3.

Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bergen are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Mansur until their home is ready for occupancy.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the United Evangelical church meets this afternoon with Mrs. Jones of Green Bay Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy V. Dickinson have returned from the south and are at the Moraine Hotel.

Mrs. Richard Peyton was the Sunday guest of Mrs. George Allan Mason.

John Witten is seriously ill at his home with diphtheria.

Miss Amada Shields is spending six weeks in New York City as the guest of Mrs. William A. Mann.

Lieut. Warren Buckley, who was with the First Army Headquarters Regiment in France, has returned from overseas and is released from the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Mansur are making their home in this city. Mr. Mansur was recently released from service.

Mrs. C. W. Buckley returned last week from Thomasville, Ga., where she was the guest of Mrs. Ward W. Willits.

Mrs. Tillman is spending a few weeks in Detroit, Mich.

News from overseas received by Mrs. L. M. Bergen from her son, Van, states that he has recovered from diphtheria, has been released from the hospital and returned to his regiment, the 149th. He expects to return home in April.

Miss Helen De Lacy of Wanagan visited Miss Alice Duffy on Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Carolan spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carolan of Everett.

Mr. Allan Morton, who has been ill for the past week with the mumps, is able to be out again.

A baby boy was born March 5th to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brotherton, Jr., of Ann Arbor, Mich. Mrs. Brotherton was formerly Miss Dorothy Bastin of Highland Park.

Mr. Albert Diem of Highwood left Sunday for Le Sueur, Minn., to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Diem.

Mr. Harry Stuppel, who is in Brest, has received orders to report for duty aboard the Esperado, which will sail shortly for Germany or England.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Boynton and daughter, Miss Edith, and Miss Margaretta Brown of Hazel Ave., left last week for a two months' sojourn in California.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolfenden and Mrs. C. A. Smith leave the latter part of the week for the east. They will visit Miss Lorna Wolfenden at Smith College, North Hampton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Howard of Palmer Ave., Highwood, are the happy parents of a baby girl, born yesterday.

Mr. A. Hill returned Sunday from San Diego, Calif., where he spent the past two months.

Sergt. Oscar Lundgren returned home last week from Cooperstown, N. Y., where he has been stationed. He has been honorably discharged.

Stewart Gardner, Old Elm professional golfer, is in Atlanta, Ga., for a three weeks' vacation.

Mr. F. B. Williams is attending a traction show in Macon, Ga., and is visiting his son, Arthur, in South Carolina for ten days.

Mr. Frank Siljestrom, who has been ill in a hospital in Los Angeles, is very much improved.

Dr. J. E. Frances passed through a successful operation at the Hanne-man hospital yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Crandall returned yesterday from New York where they spent the past ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bock entertained last Thursday evening in honor of George Bowden who has recently been honorably discharged from the army.

Mrs. J. C. Boylan of Summerdale spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. E. L. McGlaughlin.

News has been received that Mr. Frank Hamilton of Niles, Mich., formerly a resident of Highland Park, died last Thursday, as the result of an operation.

Mrs. J. E. Garnett and children are spending a few days visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mr. A. C. Moore, auditor for the Northern Ohio Traction and Light Co., is visiting friends in Highland Park a few days this week. Mr. Moore was formerly auditor for the Chicago North Shore and Milwaukee R. R.

In last week's Press it was stated that the Central Tire Company had opened a new shop at 8 N. Sheridan Rd. and that the old shop would be retained and most of the repairing done there. Tire repairing will be done at the Sheridan Road shop instead of the Central Ave. shop.

Mr. Orville St. Peter who underwent an operation at the Highland Park hospital yesterday morning, is getting along nicely.

Much indignation is expressed because the soldiers needed in the industries are being sent home before the ball players, who already should be at their training camps.

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One hundred pounds of feed produced 300 eggs when fed to Anconas; 268 eggs when fed to Leghorns, 251 eggs from Wyandottes; 230 eggs from Orpingtons; 225 eggs from Campines; 202 eggs from Minorcas; 201 eggs from Rhode Island Reds; 188 eggs from Plymouth Rocks; 179 eggs from Langshans.
Furthermore when all the eggs weighed, it showed that the Anconas laid the largest eggs of all the breeds tested.
And the Anconas laid the largest per cent of eggs during Dec., Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., and May, when prices are the highest both for market and hatching.
The above report is from summary for the year, and is averages, not particular performances of certain birds or pens.
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