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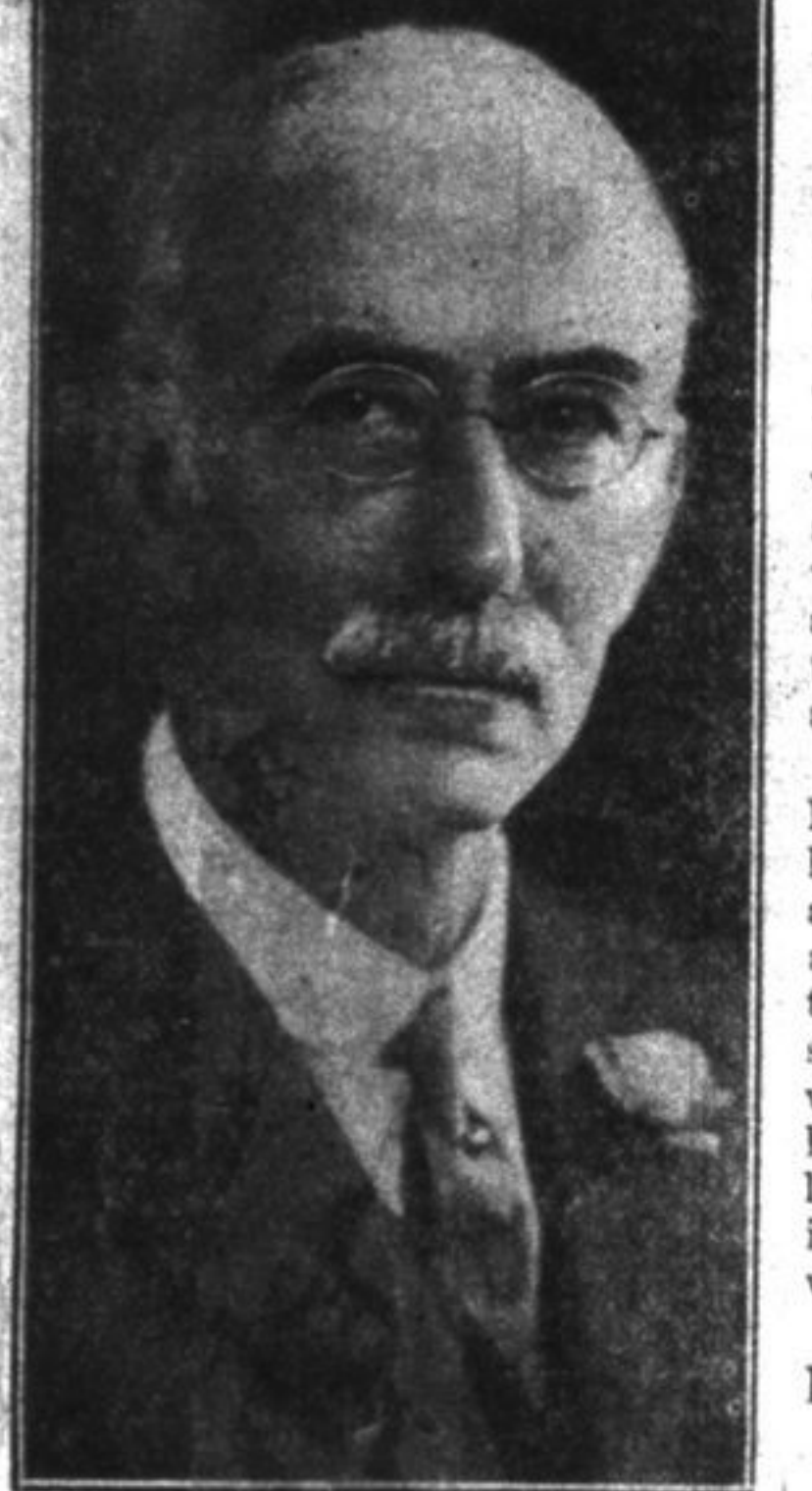
B. W. SCHUMACHER DIES IN FLORIDA

LIVED HERE 35 YEARS

Funeral Friday of This Week at Jackson, Mich.; Prominent Citizen; Many Friends Here

News of the death of Bowen W. Schumacher, which occurred at Captiva, Florida, on January 21 came as a distinct shock to his many friends in Highland Park where he had lived for almost thirty-five years.

Since the death of his wife, Harriet O. Schumacher, which occurred about two years ago, he had been almost an invalid. It is a matter of satisfaction to his friends that the end came quietly and without pain, during his sleep on Friday last. Funeral services will be held on Friday, January 27, at Mr. Schumacher's old home, Jackson, Michigan.



Early Life
Bowen W. Schumacher was born in Jackson, Mich., on the 27th day of November, 1859, the son of Col. Michael Shoemaker of Jackson, who was distinguished for service in the Civil war as Colonel of a regiment of Michigan volunteers. Bowen Schumacher graduated from the University of Michigan in the class of 1885, and, after his graduation studied law in the office of Judge Erastus Peck of Jackson, being admitted to the bar of Michigan on December 4, 1886.

Business Career
From 1886 to 1889, he practiced law at Jackson and then moved to Illinois and was admitted to the bar of the latter state on January 16, 1890, since which time he had been almost constantly in the practice of his profession. Continued on page 5

"A NEIGHBORLY WORLD" SUBJECT FOR SUNDAY

S. J. Duncan Clark Speaker at Sunday Evening Club; Mr. Robertson's Talk Enjoyed

"A Neighborly World," is the subject of Mr. S. J. Duncan Clark's address for the Sunday Evening club on January 30. Duncan Clark is a well known member of the Chicago Evening Post editorial staff. His lucid presentation of events at home and abroad, which he has followed with great interest for a number of years, makes him a popular speaker. All who are interested in this talk are invited to meet with the Sunday Evening club at the Woman's club at 7:30. Mr. Lucius Hine Jr., will be the chairman.

Mr. Lionel Robertson's review of the best American painters last Sunday evening was an entertaining and instructive talk. Slides of representative pictures, most of which can be seen in the Chicago Art Institute, were thrown on the screen. The Norwegian songs, sung by Mrs. Frank Horn, were much appreciated.

PHILIP PAYNE OF MORAINED HOTEL DIES

At Highland Park Hospital This Morning; No Arrangements for Burial Made

As we go to press we have just received word of the death of Philip Payne, who for many years has been a guest at the Moraine hotel. He died at the Highland Park hospital at eleven o'clock this morning. No arrangements have been made for burial. A full obituary will appear in next week's paper.

Fathers and Sons To Dine at High School Tuesday Eve, Feb. 22

Plans for a Fathers and Sons dinner that will tax the capacity of the high school cafeteria are now being formulated for the evening of February 22, Washington's birthday, according to Principal R. L. Sandwick of the Deerfield-Shields high school. Among the speakers who have been secured are: President Moore of Lake Forest university and Knute Rockne, famous coach of Notre Dame.

As a part of the program "D's" will be awarded to the members of the football team. This will be followed by an athletic program and demonstration.

This promises to be one of the especially interesting and important events of the winter season in high school circles, and fathers and sons are promised a very delightful evening.

President Moore of Lake Forest college is a speaker of notable force and eloquence and his long experience in connection with the education of youth places him in a position to speak with knowledge and conviction of the problems which face fathers and sons in the education of the latter and the experiences to be encountered during college years.

Dr. Moore in a very human and understanding way is successfully handling such problems in his college which has a splendid reputation for scholarship throughout the college world and has made marked strides in all branches under his leadership, and those who hear him at this dinner will appreciate the privilege, it is certain.

Knute Rockne, the famous coach of Notre Dame needs no introduction in his line to any public. He is known and admired throughout the length and breadth of the land as one of the most successful of physical instructors and football mentors and it will be a very worthwhile privilege to hear him speak on the things he has learned in the training of boys during his years of experience in this work.

It is planned that the cabin will be completed for a public dedication shortly following scout week, and will be in regular use about March first.

EXHIBIT AT LIBRARY OF VARIOUS WOODS

Exhibits Loaned by Wm. E. Bletsch; About 100 Specimens Representing Countries

One of the most interesting of exhibits is now being shown at the Highland Park public library. Just to say it is an exhibit of various kinds of woods would give a slight conception of the display.

There are nearly one hundred specimens of wood representing countries from all corners of the globe. The different families such as walnut, maple and rosewood, are represented by several different members. Black walnut from our own country, Circassian walnut which is native to the Balkans, Asia Minor and the Caucasus mountains. The sample of Circassian walnut is made into a beautiful little table, the top of which is inlaid with hollyhock. A few included in the maple group, a family of trees well known through this region, are the hard rock, the bird's eye and the curly maple. The rosewood is found in Brazil, Africa and Honduras. It is used a great deal in the making of musical instruments. One instrument which has rosewood used in its construction is the xylophone, the bars being made of that wood.

We are indebted to the kindness and courtesy of Mr. William E. Bletsch, who loaned and arranged the display.

WOMAN IS KILLED AT RAVINIA PARK

Unidentified Lady Struck by 9:45 Southbound Northwestern Train

The body of an unidentified woman was hit by the 9:45 southbound train of the Chicago and North Western railroad at Ravinia Park. The body was taken to Prior's undertaking establishment.

She was a woman of about sixty years old, and was about five feet tall. Her hair was gray, her face full and she had blue eyes. She wore a gray jersey dress, tannish brown coat, black overshoes, a navy blue felt straw hat and she wore no jewelry. As we go to press no time has been set for the inquest.

MASQUERADE DANCE AT ODD FELLOWS HALL

A masquerade dance will be held Saturday evening, Feb. 5 at Odd Fellows hall under the direction of the Independent Order of Viking No. 37. Music will be furnished by Sheridan's orchestra. The public is invited to attend.

NORTH SHORE BOY SCOUT ACTIVITIES

GET CABIN IN PRESERVE

Hike Objective Under Way; Leadership School Starts; Take Winter Hike; Plans For Anniversary

The hopes of many years are at last realized by the scout troops of the North Shore area. Men are already at work preparing the logs for a boy scout cabin in the Forest preserve, west of Glencoe. The cabin will be used by the twenty-three troops of the area for over-night and Saturday hikes.

The cabin is being built by the board of commissioners of Cook county, largely through the efforts of County Commissioner Oscar W. Schmidt of Wilmette. The plans are already drawn, to include a fire-place and other features that will provide for year around comfort of campers, both scouts and leaders.

"It is the thing that we have been looking forward to ever since the organization of our council," Scout Executive Walter McPeck said. "It will be a great help to every troop and will help us all to keep well 'out' in scouting. We are all very happy over the good news."

It is planned that the cabin will be completed for a public dedication shortly following scout week, and will be in regular use about March first.

Take Winter Hike
A group of Boy Scout leaders from the North Shore area council left Saturday, Jan. 22, for an over-night hike, to the sand dunes of Indiana.

Tobogganing, skiing, and exploring the mysteries of the dune land country occupied the major portion of the twenty-four hours.

This hike was preliminary to the Scout Leaders Training Course which started Monday night, Jan. 24. It is not too late to register for this course, which will be held for the next eight weeks. Anyone interested should notify the North Shore area. Continued on page 5

HIGH SCHOOL P. T. A. MEETS NEXT THURSDAY

"Social Contacts in the High School as an Educational Factor" Is Subject

The next meeting of the P. T. A. of Deerfield-Shields high school takes place in the English club room on Thursday, Feb. 3, at 3 p. m.

With the able assistance of Miss Griswold the program committee is able to offer a program that should bring to this meeting a record attendance. The subject under discussion is: Social Contacts in the High School as an Educational Factor.

"Through the Sessions," Mrs. Sanborn; "Through the Class-room," Miss Connelly; "Through the School Paper," Mr. Peers; "Through the Councilor Force," Miss Euzard; "Through the School Annual," Mr. Mason; "Through Class Committees," Miss Amborn; "Through the Drama Clubs and Plays," Miss Comer; "Through the Gymnasium and Athletics," Mr. Kendig; "Through the Gymnasium and Games," Miss Parry.

PUPILS APPEAR IN RECITAL WEDNESDAY

Miss Ethel Lathrop Marley Presents Pupils in Recital at Wm. Reay Home

Piano students of the Highland Park Music school, Ethel Lathrop Marley, director, will appear in recital Wednesday, Feb. 2, both afternoon and evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Reay, 334 Hazel avenue, Highland Park.

Those appearing on the afternoon program which will commence at four o'clock are: Martha Buhl, Jean Butz, Katherine and Pauline Davis, Isabelle Denzel, Jean Ericson, Barbara Emerson, Alice Jane and James Garnett, Ralph Greenlee, Doris Hansen, William Hansen, Helen Koon, Mary Lois Nelson, Alfred Pfanzstiel, Norman Foster, Mary Lee and Nancy Reay, Francis Jean Sheridan, June Stockwell, Antoinette Templeton, Barbara, Jean and Isabelle Tennant, Martha Jane Thomas, Dorothy Thursfield, Suzanne Traub, Betty and Gladys Udell, and Lucille Wright.

Those appearing on the evening program, which will commence at 8 o'clock, are: Madeline and Mae Bliss, Dorothy and Marion Bond, Margaret Cox, Marion Flinn, Janet Galdzik, Marion Greenlee, Katherine Haislip, Dania and Mary Mavor, Frances Odell, Lola Robinson, Louise Muth, Hester Ann Thomas and Robert Wood.

Parents, friends and all those interested are very cordially invited to be present at either or both programs.

TAX WARRANTS TO BE ISSUED BY CITY

COUNCIL FORCED TO ACT

Delay in Realizing Funds on Bonds Makes Move Necessary; Paving Contract Let; Details

Because of litigation which, it is reported, has caused delay in the sale of the city bonds authorized by the special election of December 13, the city council at its regular session held Saturday, Jan. 22, adopted a resolution legalizing the issue of tax anticipation warrants on the 1926 taxes.

Reason Explained
The reason, it is explained, is that because of the first defeat of the bond issue proposition and the efforts made to hamper the realization of funds by the bonds approved for issue on December 13, the city has been placed in a financial predicament which could not be foreseen, as it was necessary to pay out considerable money to defray the costs of the improvements which the bonds were expected to defray. Hence the city was left with a shortage of funds for current expenses until the 1926 taxes are collected. In order to pay current expenses therefore it was necessary to arrange for the issue of tax warrants, which is a procedure quite common among municipalities. However, it would not have been necessary in this case, it is pointed out, if the natural course of the bond issue project had not been interfered with.

The resolution adopted by the council was moved by Commissioner Cheney and is in part as follows:
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H. S. BAND CONCERT FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4

To Be Given in School Auditorium; Good Program Promised; Support Urged

Marked interest is being shown in the concert to be given Friday night, Feb. 4, by the High School band in the school auditorium, and there is every indication that attendance will be large.

The band is making every effort under the direction of Harry E. Bolle to afford those who attend one of the best programs ever offered by this popular musical organization. They are practicing every Tuesday evening, in addition to regular school hour rehearsals and their work is highly commended by those who have heard them play.

Proceeds of the concert will be used to procure additional instruments and to pay expenses of the band to the Northwestern university circus and possibly to the state band contest at Urbana later.

The program for Friday night, Feb. 4, has been arranged with a view to pleasing all tastes in music and will contain a variety of numbers among which are included peppy marches, semi-popular tunes, symphonic selections of more elaborate character, old southern melodies and other features attractive and pleasing.

Tickets are being sold by the band members and the three who sell the most tickets will be guests of the director at dinner later. The tickets also are on sale at the Gessl drug stores in Highland Park and Ravinia and at the Kraft drug store in Lake Forest.

MILITARY BALL TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Annual Affair at Highland Park Club; February Program Is Announced

On Saturday evening of this week occurs the annual Military ball at the Highland Park club. This is always one of the most enjoyable affairs in the club season and preparations are being made for a large attendance. In the receiving line in addition to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lewis will be Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hopkins; General and Mrs. R. E. Wood; Mr. and Mrs. Sellar Bullard; Mr. and Mrs. Xavier Vigeant and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Winters.

The February program will include two young people's informal dances, a stag on February 7, a formal dinner on February 12, and an informal buffet supper and card party on February 18 and the A'Capella Choir of Northwestern university which numbers forty voices. The choir will be under the direction of Dean Peter C. Lutkin. This will occur on Friday, February 25.

MASQUERADE DANCE AT SANTI HALL, HIGHWOOD

The Modesto society will hold a masquerade dance at Santi hall, Highwood, Saturday, Feb. 5. Prizes will be awarded the best and most humorous costumes. Music will be furnished by a well known orchestra.

American Business Club Is Organized

Banquet Is Tonight

One of the most important events for a long time in the history of Highland Park is the organization here of a chapter of the American Business club, an organization of young men with a national scope and ambitious to do great things for their communities, with keen appreciation of the good work accomplished by their predecessors and anxious to strive forward to still bigger and better achievements.

The American Business club is a prototype of Rotary, Lions, etc., and is the only national civic club organized exclusively for young men.

Gould C. Davis of the Highland Park Nash Co. has been elected first president of the newly organized club, and other officers elected are Dr. C. V. Nichols, first vice-president; Dr. J. D. Simons, second vice-president; Marshall L. Johnson, secretary; E. S. Marks, treasurer; Arthur W. Olson, sergeant-at-arms.

The club now has about twenty charter members and will have their charter banquet-Thursday evening at the Green Tea Pot. At which time presidents and members of other American Business club will be guests.

DR. PAUL HUTCHINSON TO SPEAK ON CHINA

"The Struggle for Control in China" Will Be Subject at Civic Meeting Feb. 1

At an unusually opportune time is the lecture of Dr. Paul Hutchinson, managing editor of The Christian Century on "China" to be held at the meeting of the Woman's Civic club of Ravinia, Tuesday, Feb. 1, at 8 p. m. at the Village house. This is the annual open meeting of the Woman's Civic club and the public is most cordially invited to attend. Chinese treasures lent by club members will give oriental atmosphere to the occasion and Chinese tea and cakes will be served after the lecture.

Dr. Hutchinson's subject will be, "The Struggle for Control in China." He is especially qualified to interpret the present trouble situation in China, having been a resident of Shanghai from 1916 until 1921. As editor of three papers printed in Shanghai he had occasion to travel all over and to know thoroughly many sections of China. He was at that time correspondent also for the New York Globe and for a Pekin daily paper. In 1924 Dr. Hutchinson published his book "China's Real Revolution" which has had wide recognition. His school book "The Story of Methodism" was published last November and has been very well received. Dr. Hutchinson is not only an authoritative writer on foreign affairs but is much in demand as a lecturer.

As managing editor of The Christian Century, probably the most provocative and forward looking religious journal in the United States, Dr. Hutchinson has had every opportunity to follow recent developments in China.

The Woman's Civic club of Ravinia feels particularly fortunate in having secured an authority on China of such calibre as Dr. Hutchinson at a time when affairs in the Orient need careful study.

GRADUATION EXERCISES AT ELM PLACE SCHOOL

The annual mid-year commencement exercises of the Elm Place grammar school will be held tomorrow evening, Friday, in the auditorium of the grammar school at 7:45 o'clock.

The following program will be given:
Send Out Thy Light Chorus Goyard
Invocation Chorus
Come Unto Him Handel
The Two Grenadiers Chorus Schumann
The Bells of St. Mary's Adams
They All Love Jack Adams
Lullaby Boy's Chorus Barker
At the Tea House Girls' Chorus Barker
Address Mrs. Wilfred S. Reynolds Holzel
"Sing" Chorus
Presentation of Diplomas
Benediction
The following members of the eighth grade class will receive their diplomas:
Georgina M. Barnett, Muriel V. Bartlett, Donald M. Bartlett, Dorothy M. Blehmel, Thomas H. Brewer, Jr., Barbara Bullard, Olivia W. Cardwell, Lloyd Paul Cole, Margaret J. Denzel, Gerard Paul Dinkeloo, Ruth Drake, Lucille C. Duffy, Ralph O. Dunn, William Eisendrath, Elva Riley Eitel, Jacob Fell.

Dorothea M. Himmler, Edward Kline, Flora Krueger, Robert J. Lester, Madeline Lindstrom, Robert E. Ludlow, Rent Louise Nelson, Pliny Norcross, Eugene Judson Smith, Lillian Smith, Thomas E. Strenger, Gladys E. Udell, Joseph P. Ugolini, Robert W. Wood, Florence L. Zimmer, Lorraine G. Zimmer.

VASSAR PRESIDENT TO LECTURE HERE

WOMAN'S CLUB FEB. 1ST

Distinguished Speaker at Next Session of Local Club Is Noted Educator - Week in This Region

The next meeting of the Highland Park Woman's club will be on Tuesday, Feb. 1, at 2:30 p. m., and is in charge of the educational committee.

Dr. Henry Noble MacCracken, president of Vassar college will be the speaker and his subject, "The Effective College." Dr. MacCracken will be of especial interest to two different groups of college graduates in Highland Park, as he was professor of English in Smith college from 1913-1915 and has been president of Vassar college since 1915. He has also, been instructor of English in Howard and the Sheffield Scientific school at Yale. He has written a number of books on the study of English, among which are, "The College Chances" and "Shakespeare's Principal Plays."

The educational committee is giving the members of the club an unusual opportunity as Dr. MacCracken's time is very much in demand, while he is here in Chicago. An invitation is extended to all Vassar graduates to be the guests of the Woman's club on this day.

Will Have Busy Week
Dr. MacCracken, who arrives in Chicago on Friday, Jan. 28, will be the guest of Mrs. Andrew McLeish of 459 Longwood avenue, Glencoe. The calendar of events for Dr. MacCracken's brief sojourn here is too crowded with official engagements to permit many social affairs in his honor. On Friday morning, he will address the forum at Lincoln Center, Chicago. Saturday, he will be the guest of honor at luncheon at the Chicago Woman's club, following an address at the meeting of the philanthropy and education departments of the organization. At a tea at the Woman's club that afternoon, Dr. MacCracken will meet the Vassar graduates of Chicago and the parents of students at Vassar. He will be the dinner guest of the board of directors of Vassar house, 153 E. Erie street, Friday evening.

In Evanston Sunday
Dr. MacCracken's program for Sunday, Jan. 30, includes an address before the Evanston Sunday Afternoon club at the First Presbyterian church, following which he will receive a group of Vassar graduates in the reception rooms of the church. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frederick Wiedeman of Evanston will entertain Dr. MacCracken at supper, previous to his talk before the Sunday Evening club of Wilmette.

An address on international questions, based on Dr. MacCracken's intensive study of the oldest universities in eastern Europe, will be given Monday evening before the Polish club of Chicago. He plans to return to the east shortly after his talk before the Highland Park Woman's club.

NELSON L. GREENE TO ADDRESS LINCOLN P.T.A.

Editor of "The Educational Screen and Film Estimates" to Speak Here Feb. 2

Nelson L. Greene, editor of the Educational Screen and Film Estimates, will speak at the Lincoln School P. T. A. Wednesday, Feb. 2, at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. Greene is a very interesting speaker, and is well qualified to speak on motion pictures as he gives his entire time to constructive work for the improvement of this form of education and entertainment. All who are in any way interested in motion pictures are invited to attend.

MINSTREL SHOW AT ST. JAMES HALL FEB. 1-2

Blue Bird Orchestra to Assist; Performance Next Monday, Tuesday; Invite Public

On next Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 1 and 2, St. James Men's club will give a minstrel show at St. James hall, Highwood, at 8 o'clock. The thirty men taking part have worked hard to make the success. They will be assisted by the Blue Bird orchestra. The public is cordially invited to attend.

WILL CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY JAN. 31

The Royal Ardenum will hold its fiftieth anniversary celebration on Jan. 31, at eight o'clock at the Trianon ball room, 61st and Cottage Grove avenues, Chicago.

All those wishing to attend are asked to communicate with C. H. Kuehne or phone Highland Park 921. A bus will leave the North Shore station at six o'clock.

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From 1921 to 1926, the pamphlet states, total undivided profits have increased more than 105 per cent, surplus show a 50 per cent increase and capital stock has been increased 114 per cent.

An additional \$35,000,000 has been added to the capital of the state institutions by the stock holders to protect their depositors to a greater degree.

Some scientists can do humanity a lot of good by inventing an automaton which has been established at Spectacles.