

DEEPS and SHALLOWS

Last week the heroine of our mystery serial had just discovered an unidentified corpse on her library rug.

Chapters will appear from time to time, and the murderer will be brought to justice, subsequent, of course, to the customary sniffs of diverse red herring.

1. a. What is the Barred Seven? b. Has it any relation to the story?

2. What is the significance of the tangerine pit under the heroine's pillow?

3. What lies back of the burp in the kitchen sink? Following the precedent of Ellery Queen on the radio, just before the publication of the final chapter, we may or may not call on a panel of experts to pit their minds against the solution.

1. An eminent pathologist. 2. An electric engineer. 3. A psychiatrist.

As an award for correctly divining the denouement, the expert will receive one punch on a member's ticket to N.S.C.W.

APOLOGY OF SOCRATES

Socrates Papadopolous felt quite forsaken, because he was in ill repute at home, for, like the Greek philosopher, he spouted a lot of oratory.

But he failed as a guy who could bring home the bacon. (Or even a hunk of salami).

Any effort to placate his partner in wedlock, seemed to be of little avail. She belabored him continually and tried to arouse an ambition to provide some of the luxuries of life.

The result being just a financial deadlock. (She wanted a new suit).

Wily Socrates being the pacifist ever, came across with a good line about the value of her enlightened intellect in contrast to a body bedecked in finery.

But his discourse became just a wasted endeavor. (She still wanted the suit).

He knew she detested a lengthy oration, for she often deplored the fact that she had not married Minas Paleologos who was a wealthy restaurant owner.

He decided at last to employ a new stratagem, so he enlarged upon the beauty of her contours and compared her to a Greek goddess, saying that she should be draped in simple garments to reveal her glorious figure.

As a masculine mark of astuteness was THAT a gem! (And he got away with it.)

Ever after she flaunted her mammoth proportions, and he was abject in his apologies for having disregarded her loveliness and begged her to abandon modern clothes forever, calling her his graceful Hebe.

All the while she indulged in unwieldy distortions. (Word your compliments thus — "no, how wise but how fair" And I'm telling you brother you've got something there.)

—Marmalade.

Child Solves World Problem

Hoping to keep Janet busy one whole afternoon, I bought her a complex jig-saw puzzle of the world. Less than an hour later she slid around the back of my chair.

"All finished so quickly?" I asked incredulously. "Uh, huh."

"Well, let me see it." She showed me the completed puzzle. I was amazed.

"Where is Siberia? Where is the United States?"

She looked blank.

Turning it over, she showed me that on the back of the puzzle was the picture of George Washington's head.

"You see, Mummie, I found that when I took care of the man, the world took care of itself."

—Buddy Bligh.

IVE HEARD—

Life is a comedy to him who thinks, a tragedy to him who feels. Some people kill time; others let time kill them.

Life is one difficulty you'll not get out of alive.

Only the fanatic is free of doubts. Compromise is the bloodiest word ever recorded in the annals of historic time.

Wan is a shock treatment that restores the mind of Truth.

Frank Logan Venning, Well Known Architect, Passes Away Suddenly

Frank Logan Venning, for 17 years a resident of Highland Park, passed away suddenly Friday morning at the local hospital.

Born in Chicago, Mr. Venning spent several years in study and work abroad. After the close of World War I, in which he served as officer of engineering design, he returned to plan many important buildings in Chicago and vicinity.

Surviving him is his widow, Margaret Tuthill Venning, two daughters, Lois and Frances, and a son, Lt. Jack Venning, now stationed in England; also a sister, Mrs. Charlotte Melville and a brother, Howard A. Venning, both of Glen Ellyn.

Mrs. J. V. Spachner Elected President Of Woman's Symphony

Mrs. Russell D. Hobbs, acting president of the Woman's Symphony orchestra, gave a luncheon at the Arts club, Chicago, Monday to welcome the incoming officers of the Woman's Symphony board elected at the annual meeting in the morning.

Mrs. Jack V. Spachner of Highland Park is the new president. Mrs. Spachner played in the violin section of the orchestra before her marriage. Now with a home in Highland Park and two children, she still finds time to keep her professional musical standing.

Blackhawk Society Party Given Sunday

The Blackhawk society of the Children of the American Revolution held a Washington's birthday party on Sunday, Feb. 20. Following a sleigh ride they went to the home of the senior president, Mrs. William Melohn, for refreshments and games.

Directors of the society include James Van Ornum, president; Helen Saret, vice president; Edward Peterson, treasurer; Roger Strecker, recording secretary; Margaret Elmoe, corresponding secretary, and Dudley Hall, color bearer.

Announce Engagement of Marguerite Jackson to Lt. Donald T. Book

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Jackson, 1516 Westview Ave., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Marguerite Elizabeth, to Lt. Donald Thompson Book of Bethesda, Md.

A graduate of Duke University, Miss Jackson is in her senior year at the Frances Bolton School of Nursing at Cleveland, Ohio. Lt. Book is receiving officer's training at Camp Berkeley, Texas. He is a graduate of Oberlin College and Western Reserve Medical school, and served his internship at Lakeside Hospital in Cleveland.

Son Born to the Walter Junior Copes

Mr. and Mrs. "Junior" Cope, of Evanston, are the proud parents of a son born February 19. Mrs. Cope is the former Elizabeth Allen of Evanston. Their daughter, Winston Jean Cope, aged 5, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Cope, 645 Vine Ave.

"WHAT IT FEELS LIKE TO BE AN AUTHOR" is the title of an article in the Saturday Review of Literature. Grim as the author makes it sound, most amateurs would rather find out by experience.

GLENCOE Theatre 630 Vernon Avenue

FRI., SAT. Feb. 25, 26

Errol Flynn, Julie Bishop "NORTHERN PURSUIT"

SUN., MON., TUE. Feb. 27-28-29

Single Feature Program Joan Leslie, Fred Astaire in "THE SKY'S THE LIMIT"

Added: "This is America," Popular Science Color Cartoon and Latest News.

WED., THU. Mar. 1, 2

George Sanders, Brenda Marshall "PARIS AFTER DARK"

Coming: "Riding High," "Spitfire" "Stage Door Canteen."

Starting, Sun., Mar. 12:

"THIS IS THE ARMY"

Red Cross Poster Contest

In connection with the American Red Cross drive which opens throughout the country on March 1, a poster contest will be sponsored by the Highland Park Rotary club's youth service committee in cooperation with the Highland Park News.

The winning poster, which will be selected by five judges, will appear on the cover of the Highland Park News. The cover of March 16 will be devoted to the high school winner, and the March 23 to the winner in the grammar school division.

Prizes will consist of war stamps, with identical prizes being awarded in high school and grammar school. First prize will be \$5 in war stamps, second, \$3, and third, \$1 in stamps.

Posters should be square and outlined in India ink or dark pencil. Following the contest, all posters will be exhibited in the Public Service company window for a week.

Drawings will be judged according to appeal, originality and art work and are intended to increase interest in the Red Cross drive.

Misses Mary Cullen, Beverly Martin, Win Nurse's Aides Caps

Included in the group of Volunteer Nurse's Aides to complete 85 hours of training at Wesley Memorial Hospital, Chicago, and receive their caps, Friday, Feb. 18, were Miss Mary Cullen, 634 Vine Ave., and Miss Beverly Martin, 821 Ridgewood Drive.

These graduates have pledged themselves to serve at least 6 hours a week, after hours or on week-ends, in routine, nursing duties of a non-technical nature, and so free more registered nurses for duty with the armed forces. After serving 150 hours in civilian hospitals or at the Red Cross Blood Donor Center, they will be eligible for Nurse's Aide work in military veterans' hospitals.

Red Cross Campaign

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Lee H. Ostrander, 250 Central avenue, telephone H.P. 1153, vice chairman of north half of District No. 2—Central avenue to Cedar avenue.

Mr. Ostrander's committee members are: Paul J. Anderson, John B. Stevens, G. W. Ross Jr., Earl E. Sprout, Bernard Nath, Walter W. Cruttenden, Dr. Harold C. Ray, James T. Aubrey, George L. Martin, Elmer W. Freytag, Burton M. Smalley, Howard F. Detmer, Franklin J. Bickmore, Rodney S. Mason and E. H. Morrissey.

A. S. Bauer, 154 Lakeview terrace, telephone H.P. 3171, vice chairman of District No. 3—South side Cedar avenue to County Line road; Mrs. Leonard Davidow, 122 Lakeview terrace, H.P. 4541, co-vice chairman.

Their committee is comprised of: Donald E. Nichols, George C. Reeves, Frederick C. Hecht, Robert W. Harvey, Leonard Davidow, Oliver S. Turner, Charles C. Looney, Edgar B. Carter, Hamilton R. Winton, Remy L. Hudson, C. O. Frisbie Jr., Otto Gressens, Jens E. Erickson, J. A. Campbell, Roy H. Olson, John W. Meyer, Lawrence D. Smith and Philip Sparling.

Mrs. Julius E. Lackner, Ravine drive, telephone H.P. 5929, vice-chairman of the special gifts committee.

Working with Mrs. Lackner will be Mrs. H. L. Kennicott, Mrs. Edward A. Smith, Mrs. Charles Rubens, Mrs. Otis L. Beardsley and Mrs. Henry L. Stein.

These committees will begin solicitations of Red Cross War Fund special gifts next week in advance of the house-to-house campaign, which will open on March 15.

N. U. Settlement To Meet Wednesday

Highland Park board of Northwestern settlement will meet at the home of Mrs. Herbert E. Kerber, 903 S. Linden avenue, Wednesday, March 1, at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. Frank McDonald will serve as co-hostess.

Lincoln PTA Program

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The tea, which will be given at 3 o'clock preceding the meeting will be in the nature of a foods-for-health demonstration being arranged by the social chairman, Mrs. William Syberson, and her committee.

In keeping with Highland Park's 75th birthday celebration, the program chairman, Mrs. Everett Fontaine, will introduce Mrs. O. L. Olesen, a member of the Mayor's committee and Highland Park resident since 1887. Mrs. Olesen will give some short reminiscences of early school days of Highland Park children, including Mrs. Abbie Bastin's primary class at Lincoln school, the beginning of the P.T.A. in Highland Park, her own work as an adult education student in the pottery class held a few years ago at Lincoln school.

Army Wives Will Meet for Luncheon

North Shore Army Women's Luncheon group will hold its monthly meeting at the Homestead in Evanston Tuesday, Feb. 29, at 12:45 o'clock. Hostesses will be Mrs. David Welch, Mrs. Edward A. Merrill and Mrs. Myron Tremaine.

Wives of army officers who are newcomers on the North Shore are urged to contact Mrs. D. J. Welch, 852 Hinman avenue, Evanston, if interested in meeting with the group.

Rotary Club Hears Dr. E. T. McSwain

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1. Qualified teachers. 2. Development of the personal integrity of the child. 3. Developing the ability of the child to solve problems and to think critically.

4. Developing the fundamental tools of learning and communication. 5. Learning to live cooperatively.

Dr. McSwain, in developing these points, pointed out that there is a 75,000 teacher shortage in the United States today, and that unless we take immediate steps to solve the problem, all of our schools will suffer in the months to come.

In his closing remarks, Dr. McSwain stressed that nations all over the world will need leadership in the years ahead. One of America's prime responsibilities is to supply the needed leadership. Elementary schools must not suffer from the lack of teachers, indeed, we must make it possible for the boys and girls in the elementary schools to have men available as teachers.

Dr. McSwain closed by stressing the fact that education must be concerned with the quality of education of children in the United States.

DON'T BURN PAPER

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO USE THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOM 43 North Sheridan Road where the Bible and all the writings of Mary Baker Eddy may be read, borrowed, or purchased.

THEY'RE SCARCE! It's wartime wisdom to take care of your electric iron! Keep cord away from hot iron. Plug cord into iron first, then outlet. Remove from outlet first, then from plug.

