

LINE OF FUTURE PRESIDENTS

Time May Come When Movie Fans Will Elect Their Particular Heroes to High Positions.

Who is to be the first movie candidate for president of the United States? Don't laugh or scoff. Do you know anybody who has a bigger following than a popular, good-looking movie star? Consider the voting strength of those who patronize the movies; would they rally 'round one of their idols if he were nominated for high office? The vote of the movie fan, male or female, is as good as that of any other voter, and if he favored Field Wallace or Ray Charles for president because one or the other of them had a "nice smile" or a "love of a curl," the reason which determined his vote would be just as well considered and just as weighty as many of the reasons which prompt voters now to the choice of a candidate.

All a man needs to be elected to high office is a reputation for honesty, a strong face and a well-circulated report that he is "good to his wife." And a movie star should be able to command these assets. Arthur H. Powell writes in *Leslie's*. "There are probably 90,000,000 movie fans in the United States. Who will be the first political boss astute enough to capitalize this following? Think of the adoring hordes of voting age, thousands upon thousands of them, who would take their first interest in politics were one of their screen favorites to be nominated for the presidency. They'd vote him into the white house because of his adorable eyes or the twist of his hair at the temples. Don't laugh. They would. And some day they will."

BALM OF GILEAD LOVE GIFT

What is Known as "Bee Wine" Has Been Introduced Into England by Returning Soldiers.

In many houses in Great Britain, writes a correspondent, a glass jar, filled with a yellowish liquid and containing small pieces of white fungus, may be seen. It is loosely covered with a piece of brown paper. This is "bee wine" in the making. The activity of the pieces of fungus rising and falling suggests the busy bee and gave the wine its nickname. Its correct name is "Balm of Gilead," and there is an old superstition that it must not be sold but always passed on as a love gift. Our soldiers, returning from Mesopotamia, brought the balm (which is procured from an Eastern tree) with them. The fungus doubles in bulk with every brew. Balm of Gilead is actually a yellowish aromatic gum, collected from Arabian and Abyssinian trees. The making of it having become common knowledge, someone has raised the hope that it produces cancer and other malignant growths. It may, however, be taken in an unfermented state, as it is useful in cases of whooping cough and other ailments. It has always been valued in the East for its exceptional fragrance and supposed medicinal qualities. In fact, the trees from which it comes belong to a family of plants styled "all heal." The gum is collected by making incisions in the trunks and upper parts of the trees.

Draining the Zuyder-Zee

At the annual shipping congress held at Rotterdam recently the drainage of the Zuyder zee formed the most important subject of discussion. It was pointed out that the drainage would make necessary the construction of a number of new canals. One speaker pleaded that the building of new villages and factories of the polders should not be left to mere chance. Villages with churches should be built near the canals, but industrial works near the dykes. Such an arrangement would prove of advantage to shipping, and would prevent any pollution of the polder water. A number of the waterways connecting the Zuyder zee ports are to be preserved, but wherever polders form a continuation of the existing land, new harbors will have to be made.—Scientific American.

Why Should He Be Surprised?

Culture will crop out. A Boston golf player writes to the Outlook telling how his caddy gave him a bit of surprise. The golfer had played his ball into the rough, and they had about given it up for lost, when suddenly the youngster's eye lit upon it. Did he holler, ungrammatically: "I got it, mister?" Not this lad. Raising the ball aloft, he exclaimed triumphantly: "Miserable duffer—'s round!"—Boston Transcript.

Beavers Satisfied in Captivity.

The colony of beavers at the zoological park of New York, have tunneled under the foundation wall and escaped to the upper reaches of the Bronx river. One was ignominiously captured under a wash boiler. Many keepers camped on the trail of the beavers, but the call of the wild proved to be too civilized and the beavers returned to their home in captivity and they seemed glad to be home.—Scientific American.

Comparative Salitude.

Yes, your honor, said the man who greeted the man at the table, he eyes me respectfully. Why do you stare at him? And I suppose you had to spend your evening all by yourself with no companionship whatever? "I had a very well set table," I had a very good dinner, and a very good conversation."—*Ag-Ho*.

St. Mary's Drive To Open In March

March 3d to 13th is the ten-day period set for the campaign of St. Mary's Hospital for a student nurses' home, which will be built in the rear of the hospital, facing Geneva street. Preparations for the drive will be begun early in February.

The hospital had planned a campaign to begin last December, but it was postponed. The persons directly interested in the project were willing to take hold of the task of raising the money, but came to the conclusion that there would be greater assurance of success if they waited until after the holidays to solicit funds.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Requiem masses were said this week for the Poor Souls, Ludwig Weiser, August Krause, Frieda Schinamer and Marie Anna Gleitsch.

The Dramatic Club of this church will present a play on January 29 and 30th for the benefit of our church. All are invited.

The bans of matrimony were announced between Dr. Joseph Hempel and Mary Geiger.

Prayers were offered for the repose of the soul of Pope Benedict XV.

St. Andrew's Church

The masses on Sunday will be held at: 7, 8, 9:15 and high mass at 10:30 o'clock.

The Altar Society held a meeting on Tuesday afternoon.

A Minstrel Show will be given by the boys of this parish in Conscordia Hall, Hudson avenue, on the evenings of February 21 and 22nd.

Requiem masses were offered this week for Nicholas Meyer, Frank and C. Gabel, Dorothea Goetz, Casper and Philomena Kunzer and Ed. Huck.

A birthday party was held at Geyer's in honor of Miss Elizabeth Ebery. The decorations were done by Miss Aurelia Denk, of Detroit, Mich., who is visiting here.

HOLY APOSTLES

Mrs. Bridget McArdle Carroll died Tuesday at her home at 44 Sherman Street. She leaves one daughter, Miss Anna Carroll, one son, Patrolman Frank Carroll, and three grandchildren. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 8:30 from the home and at 9 o'clock from Holy Apostles Church. Burial will be made in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery.

ST. MARY'S

Mrs. Rose O'Brien died Thursday morning at her home at 70 Broadway. She leaves one daughter, Miss Sadie O'Brien. The funeral will take place Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home and at 9 o'clock at this church. Burial will be made in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery.

Thomas J. Egan died Thursday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. May L. Keith, at 369 Court St. He leaves two sons, William J. and Edward J. Egan; one daughter, Mrs. Mary L. Keith; two sisters, Miss B. M. Egan and Mrs. H. A. Otis, and one brother, John J. Egan of Lima. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock from 182 Main Street West and at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's Church. Burial will be made in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery.

Pedro Party in St. Salome's Hall

A Pedro party followed by a social will be held Wednesday evening, February 1st, in St. Salome's School hall in Woodman Road, Sea Breeze, under the management of the Ladies' Auxiliary. The proceeds will be added to the school fund. A special invitation is extended to all the summer patrons.

Confessional Is Protestant Need, Says Minister

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.—Adoption of the "confessional" by the Protestant Churches is urged in an article which Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, a Congregational minister, contributes to the current number of the *Atlantic Monthly*. The minister also gives an account of the good he has accomplished among members of his own congregation by the "Open Door", which he has attempted to make a substitute for the Sacrament of Penance.

In relating his experiences with his "Open Door", Dr. Sheldon gives instances of the spiritual help that has been given to sinful souls. He cites the case of a man who was helped back to an honest life after having been guilty of embezzlement, and tells of a girl who was saved from ruin and of homes that were restored to happiness by composing quarrels between husbands and wives. Dr. Sheldon gives several hours of each Sunday afternoon to this "Open Door."

"The three things that have made the Catholic Church a power in history have been its Unity, its Dogma, its Confession," writes Dr. Sheldon.

"The Protestant Church does not have these", he continues. "It may not need the first and second; but there is no reason why it should not have the third. One of the first struggles of the average Protestant minister seems to be to get an audience to come in to a building to hear him preach. If he cannot do that, either by sensational methods, or moving pictures, or unusual preaching, his ministry is called a failure. The average church committee, seeking a man for a church, wants a man who can draw a crowd. The church is looked upon as a place to go to, to hear some one."

"But people want something more than preaching. They want comfort and courage and the help that does not come to them when it is handed out wholesale. The Confessional of the Roman Church is a recognition of a human craving so deep and eternal that it is a bewildering thing to see how it has been ignored by the Protestant Church, which has emphasized preaching above pity, and the pulpit above the person. It is always easy to predict what might happen if something is done in place of something else; but I would like to suggest that if the churches of America opened a Confessional that would minister to the primary needs of people's souls, in between the preaching and the multiplied committees and meetings of organizations, the church of the Protestant Church in this country—would begin a chapter in its life that would do away with the questions, how can we reach the masses? what shall we do with the second service? why don't people go to church? and all the rest of the wail that goes up concerning the churches' weakness."

"A whole Sunday afternoon given every week to the Open Door, established as a church custom, might in multitudes of churches prove to be worth more than all the pulpit ministrations and all the machinery of multiplied organizations."

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Likly's Sale Ends Next Tuesday

Don't fail to make your saving on the luggage, leather goods, novelties or umbrellas you need or are going to need soon. 271 Main Street East.—Adv.

Alert Management.

"Why do you encourage people to send in complaints to the company?" "You see," answered the railway official, "the company has a few complaints of its own to make these days, and maybe we can get some suggestions for new phraseology."

Weekly Calendar Of Feast Days

(By N. C. W. C. News Service.)

Sunday, Jan. 29.—St. Francis de Sales, born at Annecy in France in 1566 and early marked for his talents. He gave up a brilliant career to become a priest. He converted 72,000 Calvinists in Chablais and was the personification of meekness and humility. He died at Avignon in 1622.

Monday, Jan. 30.—St. Bathilde, royal consort of King Clovis II. On her husband's death she became regent and at once forbade the enslavement of Christians. She did all in her power to promote piety, filling France with hospitals and religious houses. When her son Clotaire came of age she retired to the convent of Chelles, where she died in 680.

Tuesday, Jan. 31.—St. Marcelia, called by St. Jerome the glory of Roman women, became a widow in the seventh month after her marriage. She abstained from wine and flesh meat and employed her time in pious reading, prayer and visiting churches. Under her influence many monasteries were established in Rome. She died in 410.

Wednesday, Feb. 1.—St. Brigid, patroness of Ireland. She feared that she might break her vow to give herself to God, and in answer to her prayer, her beauty was changed to ugliness, to be restored on the occasion of her solemn profession. She founded the first convent in Ireland and later established similar institutions throughout the country.

Thursday, Feb. 2.—The Feast of the Purification or Candlemas Day, commemorating how Mary, through obedience, offered her Child in the temple and redeemed Him with a pair of turtle doves. It is celebrated in the Church by the blessing of candles.

Friday, Feb. 4.—St. Blase, a celebrated physician who gave up his practice to become a healer of souls. He was appointed Bishop of Sebasta. While being taken off to prison to die for the faith, he cured a child of throat disease. He was beheaded in 316.

Saturday, Feb. 4.—St. Jane of Valois, daughter of Louis XI of France. At her father's wish she married the Duke of Orleans, who, when he came to the throne repudiated her. She gladly embraced a religious life and founded the order of the Annunciation. During her lifetime the Angelus was established in France. She died in 1505.

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No Buried Trouble.

"Did you see where a bill somewhere used a cemetery for making moonshine whisky and got raided?" "In going there he certainly made a grave mistake."

What Really Counted.

Bachelor—Are you in favor of Home Rule? Married Man (sadly)—Yes; but you see, my wife is also.—*Stray Stories*.

All Suffer Alike.

It is an eternal truth in the political as well as the mystical body that where one member suffers, all the members suffer with it.—*Junius*.

Broil With Gas

There is no comparison between a fried steak and one that is broiled. The broiled steak is more juicy; more palatable, and, authorities say, more easily digested.

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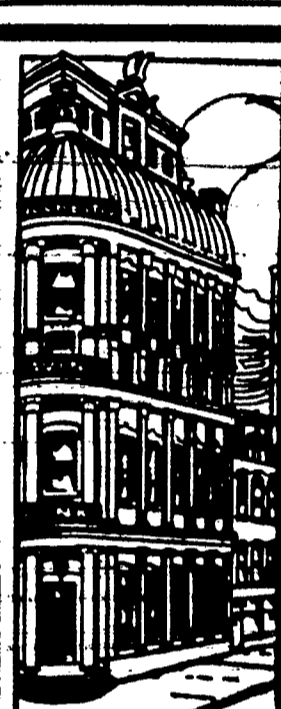
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Rochester K. C. Leads In State

With the filing of 3,027 applications for membership up to 9 o'clock Monday night, Rochester Council of Knights of Columbus became the largest in New York State. The drive for members officially ended at 9 o'clock, but the teams were urged to work on until Rochester Council boasted a larger membership.

Jerry O'Brien speaking for the Irish delegation announced that he challenged the German wing in a contest to determine which could procure the greater number of new members in the next two weeks. The Teutons said that everything was o. k.

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From the very beginning it has been the aim of the Darrow School of Business to be a select school of secretarial studies and to maintain the highest possible standards. This fact has been recently officially recognized by the Board of Regents, as is shown by the following letter, January 9, 1922.

Darrow School of Business, 218 East Avenue, Rochester, N. Y. Gentlemen:—It gives me pleasure to inform you that at the meeting of the Regents, held on December 29, 1921, the Darrow School of Business was registered for the school year 1921-22.

Very truly yours,

Charles Wheeler.

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"When My Baby Had a Cough"

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"My little girl, eight years old, is subject to coughs. Last year she coughed six weeks and no medicine which the doctor gave her would check it. I tried Father John's Medicine and her cough soon left her. I intend to give it to her during the winter." (Signed) Mrs. M. Tischler, 545 Cedar Street Syracuse, N. Y. The soothing healing elements of Father John's Medicine make it especially effective in throat trouble, to relieve coughs and to build new flesh and strength. It is guaranteed free from alcohol or dangerous drugs.

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