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If you wish to "realize the rapid changes that wish people, observe the publishies of 750,000 Russion families about to lose their lands to the Soviet Government, which will pool these resources in the mass group. A nation that becomes too autocratic, as under a Cara, or too Joses, as under a German Emperor, or too militaristic, as under a German Habenzollern, is destined to have its countenance changed—like a buy whose face is dirty and is waised. People who do not respect law and order soon find that their disrespect begets them lawless mess and disorder.

### ONE EVERY 26 SECONDS

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Every 26 seconds another person is added to the opulation of the United States, according to the crossent rate of birth over deaths, and immigration over migrafon. This means that the people of this country must get together in some co-operative manier and provide the necessary funds with which to discate these new babies and grown-ups how to according to the care a luxury like that.

Inspired Thoughts

If You Walk As A Friend

He (on site) wito prequently patronizes a dern blind-pig, and takes one drink after another, y be said to make the pig's cash register ring like alarm clock. Yet how many people really accept ringing as an alarm?

SMPLICITY IS THE CORRECT cornerstone of Life's, lifec, yet how few of us are viably—wave of this was admit the vittue of vittue and wait for peakings of a more viertoous day. We would be price if we could say about all good things, "now the accepted time,"

FORTUNATE FOR MANKIND, but few of the com-ttees formed, and the resolutions framed, ever me to fruition. Could man's contemporary plans r spectring the world be possible of attainment in e generation, the world would, indeed, be topsy-rys, and chaotic.

CHRISTIANITY, WE OBSEAVE, somehow gets along thous-the-susistance of all the peoplet papple need rivitianity more than they imagine—just as they de a clear and accurate understanding of, say, thematics. Happy is he or she who, early in life of later, if-need be) gains a beneficial understanding of mankind's relation to the universe.

### "Bubbling Bob" Foams Again

There probably never was a time in this history of mankind when there did not exist some individual, or group of individuals, who would take advantage of the slightest opportunity to rust a statement or a human situation into a distortion of true fact, thus hoping to fool the general public. In this respect we are so often reminded of Robert J. Clancy, a Derroit Congressman in Washington. Of all the undernourished wits we have on Capitol Hill today, Clancy seems to lead e'm all.

A few days ago Congressman Clancy, referring to the Detroit convention of the Anti-Saloon League told his colleagues in the House of Representatives that:

seems to fead em all.

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ADOUL CITY LITE

We hear a lot about the advantages of city life, yet many. American, homes in cities of 10,000 or more lack modern conveniences.

An official of the Department of Commerce says 12,000,000 people in such homes have no bathrooms. More than a million homes within central ration areas are not wired for electricity. Of the 20,000,000 people in such homes have no bathrooms. We talk bold about our Liberties, but when it comes are not wired for electricity. Of the 20,000,000 aread are not wired for electricity. Of the 20, that old word "decent" yet along with but when the company of the com

BIRMINGHAM TAXPAYERS appeared not very much be-stirred over the recent difference of opinion between village president Ellerby and the remainder of the commission on the subject of the village budget. We wonder if any forthcoming village candidates will use economy arguments for the March election.

"POLICE START DRIVE Against Rum Buyers" read the headline in the Detroit News the other evening, relative to municipal affairs up in Flint. "Wonder if they just learned about prohibition from the tenth anniversary celebrations of that movement," answered Bill Spilvens, of Wagon Tracks, when inter-viewed by a correspondent of The Eccentric.

If you walk as a friend you will find a friend
Wherever you choose to fare;
If you go with mirth to a far, strange land
You will find that mirth is there;
For the stranges part of this queer old world
Is that like will join with like,
And who walks with love for his fellow-man
An answering love will strike.

If you walk in lionor then bonest men
Will meet you along the way;
But if you be false you will find men false
Wherever you chance to stray.
For good breeds good and bad breeds/bad,
We are met by the traits we show;
Love will find a friend at the stranger's door,
Where hate will find a foe.

For each of us builds the world be knows,
Which only himself can spoil;
And an hour of hate or an hour of shame
Can ruin a life of toil.
And though to the utmost ends of the earth
Youe duty may bid you fare,
If you go wish truth and a friendly heart,
You will find friends waiting there.

— (Author Unknown)

### CHICAGO'S GREATEST CRIME



### PEOPLE'S COLUMN

January 15, 193 To The Birmingham Eccentric, Birmingham, Michigan. Gentlemen:

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ter had stayed to ....
years in this pastorate/
Sincerely,
R. M/ ATKINS.

To all intents and purposes, there is a town in Nebrasas where mobile to the control of the cont

Bloomfield finds no reason to re-rect":

Recently the Bloomfield Cham-ber of Commerce persuaded all for the commerce persuaded all stop credit to yetail purchasers. The shoe pinched, of course, as was to be expected. Old custom-ress left their favoitle stores, but only collided against another good-natured wall of 'cash only." Bloomfield reports that they have gotten over their initial printation, of the town, freed from the night-mare of old debts and bad, debts, have so cut their prices that far from business leaving Bloomfeld.

# The Other Chap Says Something-

NEW YORK AND MICHIGAN McChnchey of Mt. Pleas-said some things that roused re of editor E. J. Hanna, of or Springs, near Petoskey, is what the Times said, and wing it is Hanna's response:

"From the months response "From the romote Indian settlements of Northern Michigan, where fishing, hunting and blasket weaking are still major industries, which is a settlement of the social structure and domestic economy are still regulated by the bury beginning the settlement of domestic economy are regulated by the ancient dition of the Oibway pe Florence McClinchey drawn the material fe strong and concincing novel."

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comply expressed by parama-ars ago.
As for the social structure and mestic economy being regu-ted by an ancient Ojibway tra-tion, we can't intelligently fute this without reading the addition is. If it refers to the onservation and spiritual policies to the object of the Ojibway peppile es see no disgrace in the implica-tors. The reviewer considers the

# NEW RECIPE FOR HOME BREW

A former Lindenite but now etroit in paying his Leader s ription the other day, asked to benefit of his old friends we the following perfect how formula published:

me onent of his old friends to have the following perfect home brew formula published:
"Chase two wild bull frogs for three miles and gather up the hops; to them add ten gallons of tan act." The perfect of the control of the contro

The "Big Shots"

# Say:-

Jonathan Cape, book publisher:
"It is necessary for a publisher
to be a step in front of his public,
but not two steps."

Ray M. Hudson, U. S. Bureau of Standards: Standards:
"It ought to be as easy for a
man to buy a home as an automohile."

George Bernard Shaw, British

writer:
"The cooperation of Germany,
Austria and Turkey produced the
cooperation of Britain, France
and Russia; and the two cooperations produced the war."

Mrs. Calvin Coolidge:

"For most of us there is on pot on earth dearer than all others. For me it is here in the fittle Northampton cottage tha could be set within the state dining room of the White House."

Ray Lyman Wilbur, U. S. Secretary of Interior: "It is clear that we have drifted and stumbled across this great continent in our lonquest of it, leaving change and destruction in dur wake, with

# Schettler's Beautiful New Drug Store

Several weeks ago we announced the leasing of the new Hanna Building corner, at Woodward and Maple, to the Schettler Drug Co., of Detroit.

At this time we told you that it would be one of the finest drug stores in America.

Today the Schettler store is in operation with its formal opening scheduled for next Saturday. If you have not already seen it, it will pay you to do so. Nowhere will you find a more handsomely appointed store of this type, and we congratulate Birmingham on its advent.

Shortly, we will announce another tenant for the new Hanna Building, who will have a store, equally as beautiful as Schettler's; with other high grade merchants figuring on the remaining two stores.



out a well-worked-out strategy upright like his. Even in doath for handling the basic problems which to remain standing."

Standards mind how, soil protection wester (cullbert) and erosion, and the preservation of wild plant life."

"Americans are simplygas bug of wild plant life."

Samuel lawell, chicago inan-seelling, and as the beauty of the seed that they can go in syelling and cier: "One of the great troubles bursts, they can still one with our young people today is that they lack respect for unther they can still got they can still

Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, ar ace and aviation expert: There is only one main reason or aviation. That is speed."

Sir Philip Gibbs: "The reading public is extending. It is not only a novel reading public. It reads books on science, philosophy, history, because it wants to know. It wants to get closer to the riddle of life."

Yvette Guilbert:
"Americans are simply gas bage and the beauty of the game is that they can go on swelling and swelling, and as the bag never bursts, they can still go on."

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