

The Birmingham Eccentric

PART TWO

When I say that worldly praise is too little for enduring happiness, I do not mean that the pleasures of the public are not worthwhile and helpful; for I do believe that flowers for the living are necessary, but the best thing about a flower is its intangible aroma that remains after the petals drop.

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VIEW TO SELL 'BUDDY' POPPY

Name Protected By Patent Says Lewis, Chairman of May 27-28 Sale

With the annual poppy sale of the Veterans of Foreign Wars scheduled for May 27-28 here, the office of Commissioner Fred C. Sanderson, Birmingham Post No. 2645, has issued a statement regarding the "Buddy Poppy," the symbolic flower of the organization.

Roy K. Lewis, chairman of this year's poppy sale, stated that the name, Buddy Poppy, is protected by a United States patent, preventing infringement of the flower emblem, he says, is fashioned by the hands of disabled veterans in government hospitals and homes.

Commenting further on the Buddy Poppy, Mr. Lewis stated, "Under the federal laws governing the issuance of copyrights and patents, the government will grant the privilege of patent rights on the making of artificial flowers, but it will recognize legally a trade name or title such as 'Buddy' Poppy, and this designation is fully protected against imitation under the laws of the United States."

"The name, 'Buddy' Poppy is not used by disabled veterans who made poppies under supervision of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States in 1924. Poppies were first sold on a nationwide scale by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U. S. in 1922, when this organization was the first society of service men to attempt to undertake the distribution of poppies from coast to coast."

The label bearing the Buddy Poppy trade mark, is the guarantee to the public by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U. S. that these poppies are actually the handwork of the disabled and needy veterans. This plan insures that the years and proof that it has been accepted as such is the distribution of Buddy Poppies is annually increasing.

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No Ball Team This Year Says LeFave

There will be no Birmingham Merchants baseball team this year according to a statement given to the Eccentric Tuesday, May 12, by Joe LeFave, local team manager who has organized and managed the team for the past ten years. LeFave, who has been attempting to get a Detroit firm to back the team and furnish the necessary new uniforms, stated that the maker had failed to materialize, and that unless some one else agreed to finance the team, no team would be organized.

The Merchants, who played on the East Maple Avenue diamond just the railroad tracks, won 12 games and lost five last year.

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Dr. Erichsen Chosen Head Of Cremation Association

At the fifth annual meeting of the 120 stockholders of the Michigan Cremation Association, which was held at the Hotel Statler in Detroit last Monday evening, Dr. Hugo Erichsen, of this city, was unanimously chosen President of that organization. Up to this time, Dr. Erichsen had held every office in the Association except that just conferred upon him. He was Vice-President in 1931.

Before addressing the stockholders during a vote of thanks to the retiring President, Dr. Robert Lee Schorr, of Detroit, who is also well-known in this community as a former resident.

KIDDY KITES TO TAKE OFF ON SATURDAY

Children in the Hills, Franklin Village and Birmingham have been invited to the fourth annual Kite Contest to take place on the Village Green at Franklin, Saturday afternoon, May 16th, at 2:00 o'clock.

George Wellington Smith, who sponsors the contest, has announced that the contest will be conducted in the same manner as previous years. Roy Scott Biggers will announce the start of the contest and the little youngsters from three to ten to take off their kites. They will also bring for their landing.

First and second prizes are awarded to the winners of each class. The winners receive a trophy and the perpetual Silver Cup.

Among those who have already registered are: Russell, Eleanor Penfield, Martha Penfield, Dixie Mae Boulding, the three little Ballantynes, Harold and John, the two little Pattens, Michael and Joan, Peter and John Hartnett, Martha Campbell, Brewster and Mary Elizabeth Smith, Vernon and Donny Converse, Willie and Carlton Everett, Dick Gracey, Joy Scott, Jimmy and Phyllis Morse, Arden, Bernice, Regge, Bob, Ann and Bobbie Woodruff, Dickie Murphy, Barbara Broock and Bobbie Swanson.

Each fan is asked to bring a promise to be a busy day for the proud parents of these children who turn out on mass to watch their offspring exhibit their skill in making and flying kites. The judges who will award the prizes are, Robert N. Woodruff, John Morley and Fred Graef.

Book Larrin's The Southern father was introducing his family of boys to a visiting governor. "Seventeen boys," exclaimed the governor, "and all Democrats, I suppose." "All but one," and the father proudly, "They're all Democrats but John, the little rascal. He got to reading!"—Drewed.

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Twelve Local Youths Are Enrolled For Mahn-Go-Tah-See

Camp Mahn-go-tah-see, officials announce that R. A. Allen, M. D. resident physician at Harper Hospital is to be the Camp doctor this season. Dr. Allen is a graduate of Chicago University, Northwestern University Medical School and has been three years at Harper Hospital since graduation.

While at Northwestern University he won several medals for excellence in swimming. He will help teach swimming while at camp.

Mr. Lynd, the director of the camp, states that 12 boys have already enrolled for camp among them being the following boys:

Robert Martin, Richard Ross, Jack Steelman, Braze Maynard, John Maynard, Frederick Jeffery, Robert Clark, Gerald Lester, Emanuel Mansfield, Robert Morris, Hoyt Morris, and Robert Waterbury.

Citizen's League Has Final Party

On Saturday night, May 9th, the Citizen's League of Birmingham held the last entertainment. Both members of the League and non-members were invited to the final party, and about thirty residents of the section attended the dinner party held at Devin Gables. Card games and "Musical" were enjoyed during the evening. The League's entertainment committee for the occasion, Misses McNeal and Mrs. Richard Stone under the able chairmanship of Mrs. Rollo Cramer, were congratulated on a very successful evening's program.

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