

School Notes

SALVISA SCHOOL NOTES

Candlelight services in charge of the Girl Reserves Group will be held in the Salvisa Presbyterian church, Sunday evening at 5:30. The newly-elected officers, President Lucile Gritton, Vice-President Frances Beatley, and Secretary Albertine Grimes, will be installed after Mrs. W. H. Spilman leads the devotional hour. Several special musical numbers by members of the Group are being arranged for the program.

The patrons and friends of the school are invited to attend.

Mr. Curtis Demaree, grade teacher, is conducting a party of children on a trip to the zoo in Cincinnati, Saturday.

Since the school year for the first eight grades is closed Friday, May 8, the grades will give their closing program Tuesday night in the auditorium.

The first and second grades have written a dramatization of "Little Black Sambo" and will present it as the opening number.

The second and third grades will give their ideas of what a circus should be under the title, "Darn 'Em and Daily."

A costume play of American literature, through which is interspersed a number of favorite poems, has been worked out under the direction of Mrs. George McWilliams, the characters being members of the fifth and sixth grades.

"The Bigger and Better Babies Contest" will be held under the auspices of the seventh and eighth grades.

This grade program promises to be one of the most entertaining, enjoyable performances seen in the

auditorium this year. The slight admission is to be used in payment for an encyclopedia bought for the grades.

The Boy Scouts, with their leader, Mr. Irmel Brown, enjoyed a wieners and marshmallow roast on the banks of Salt river, Monday night. The guests, besides the faculty, included Albertine Grimes, Aileen Grimes, Maxine Sanders, Martha Cloyd, Martha Houchins, Ada Kennedy, Imogene Sanders, Frances Mitchell, Juanita Parker, Mary Elizabeth Sharpe, Beatrice Brown, and Edna Record.

The first baseball game of the season was played Monday afternoon between the seventh and eighth grade teams of Salvisa, with a score of 11 to 4.

Edna Record, School Reporter.

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"AMERICAN CREED" AFTER 18 YEARS STILL BEST SELLER

The eighteenth birthday of "American Creed," written by William Tyler Page, Republican clerk of the House of Representatives, was an occasion for reviewing its history.

For 18 years it has been a best seller for the Government Printing Office. April 3 has been set aside by the Daughters of the American Revolution as "America's Creed Day."

Each year, the author goes in person to the opening session of the annual D. A. R. Congress to lead the 2,000 delegates in a recitation of the Creed.

Mr. Page won a \$1,000 award for the creed when he entered it in a contest sponsored by Mayor James H. Preston of Baltimore in 1917, to obtain the briefest possible summary of American political faith founded upon fundamentals distinctive in American history and tradition.

The Creed: "I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people, whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed, a democracy in a republic; a sovereign nation of many sovereign states; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice, and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes."

"I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag; and to defend it against all enemies."

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Hints To Gardeners

By Gordon Morrison
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Good Start Important

THE value of a garden-plot, vegetable or flower, depends greatly upon the start it gets; so give your seedlings ample care.

Begin cultivation as soon as rows are visible, if soil is not wet. Work close to the small plants, cultivating shallow as they grow, to avoid injury to root growth.

Cultivate often, at least once a week. Three days' delay almost doubles the work.

Watering should not be necessary the first week or ten days after seeds have sprouted. If ground is baked hard and sprouts do not appear, the surface may be disturbed slightly to help the sprouts through.

Seedlings may best be watered in two ways: Mark a shallow trench about four inches from the row and run trench full of water, or, using a fine spray, apply water from directly above plants. Watering is most effective when it closes follows cultivation.

If garden is definitely backward, it may be aided by a light application of ammonium sulphate or a nitrate fertilizer. Ask your dealer for a recommended preparation for your type soil, and get definite instructions. Apply sparingly. Too much nourishment causes heavy foliage at the expense of flowering.

With fertilizer application and with weeding, however, the best time for action is before planting, not after. If it is too late this year, remember it next Spring.

Small plants should be thinned, as directed on packets, to allow proper development. Certain vegetables may be used as thinned. For instance, onions thinned may be used as green onions, and lettuce may be picked for immediate use, leaving smaller leaves to develop.

Springtide Renewal

TO THOSE who love to watch the changing seasons, the dawning of springtime in the fields and woods and even along the city streets, is ever new. Each returning year one welcomes signs of earth's awakening—the bursting leaf buds, joyous bird songs, the delicate unfolding of the first wild flowers. Surely this ever-recurring miracle of spring has some significance of permanent value to those who love to watch it.

Once a woman sat by her kitchen window burdened with the languor and weariness which she had been accustomed to associate with the spring season. Outside, in her little garden, a song sparrow perched on the fence, and the air was filled with his cheery song. Lilacs were in bud and delicate shoots of grass were springing up. Suddenly she remembered the words of the Psalmist (Psalm 104:30), "Thou renewest the face of the earth." "Thou renewest," she thought, as she watched the signs of joyful awakening before her. Then she realized that she herself needed spiritual renewal, and that in order to experience that renewal, she only needed to turn to God, who is the source of all life. She only needed to realize that her strength, vigor, and vitality depended upon Him, and not on times and seasons. The words of the prophet Isaiah (40:31), "They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength," came to her with a deeper significance, and she found herself suddenly rejoicing in her freedom from pain and weariness.

It is related of the prophet Moses that he was "an hundred and twenty years old when he died: his eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated" (Deuteronomy 34:7). As the seasons come and go, the human so-called mind is apt to measure life by their passing. But Christian Science reveals that man's life is not measured by the turning of the earth on its axis, nor by its revolution around the sun, for God is Life, and man reflects Life, because he is the image and likeness of God. As this scientific fact of being is understood, men will enjoy better health and longer life. In "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" (p. 246) Mary Baker Eddy writes, "Except for the error of measuring and limiting all that is good and beautiful, man would enjoy more than threescore years and ten and still maintain his vigor, freshness, and promise."

The renewal of strength which results from a scientific waiting upon the Lord can be experienced at any time and at any season. It is not dependent on time or circumstance, but upon the understanding of the ever-presence of God, divine Mind, who is the source of all vitality and strength and activity. There is "no variability, neither shadow of turning" in the truth of God's ever-presence.

Mrs. Eddy also writes (ibid., p. 246), "Let us then shape our views of existence into loveliness, freshness, and continuity, rather than into age and blight." Are we sorrowfully looking forward to "age and blight," or are we expecting every day a renewal of "loveliness, freshness, and continuity"? Are we companioning with these latter thoughts, or are we fearing the dark shadows of age and decay?

If our work seems burdensome and the day drags wearily, it is well to remind ourselves of the divine promise that "they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint." This promise is available now, at the present moment. We can avail ourselves now of the ever-presence of divine Life, Truth, and Love. If the need is for more energy, that need is

supplied through the understanding that God, divine Mind, is the source of all strength and activity. If to human sense the need is for rest, there are "green pastures" prepared for those who have need of such refreshment, and Love, the divine Shepherd, leads the discouraged and weary pilgrim beside "the still waters," where he may renew his spiritual strength and drink deeply of that which will satisfy and sustain him.—The Christian Science Monitor.

FINLAND'S REWARD FOR PAYING U. S. DEBT

Little Finland, the only European country which has been paying the interest and part principal on its debt to the United States, is being paid interest on its integrity by the people of the United States.

Reports from Helsingfors indicate that more American travellers than ever before in history are making their way to the little country, although it has not advertised itself as to art, sport, history and any other phase of attractiveness. The desire on the part of the travellers seems to be to see the country which sends an annual check of about a quarter million dollars to Uncle Sam and otherwise is reputed to be making the bravest kind of effort to keep its head above the financial flood waters.

It does not matter to the tourists that Finland's debt is actually not a war debt; that it was contracted after the war had drained Europe of money and food supplies. Tourists do not inquire into that. They merely want to see the country and its people, to buy souvenirs and to express their good will to a people who have been such good sports in this game of international obligations.

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GEN. GRANT GAVE UP REFORMING HIS SOLDIERS

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Why didn't it say also that all men are gamblers?

Gambling is in the blood of the genus homo. Gen. U. S. Grant tried to stop gambling in the Union army. He took away all "galloping dominoes" and all cards. The soldiers spread molasses on their bread and laid bets as to who would catch the first fly.

General Grant restored the dice and the cards.—Editor Leigh Harris in Henderson Gleaner.

TELEVISION BOOTHS OPENED

The first long-distance television-telephone is now in regular operation between Leipzig and Berlin. There are several television-telephone booths in both towns open to the public and in these two persons can talk over a distance of more than 100 miles and at the same time see each other on a small screen. A conversation costs \$1.50 for three minutes.

MEDAL HONORS WIDOW

Instead of being the first lady of Hartford, Conn., Mrs. John A. Pilgard has a testimonial book and medal given her by the city. She was widowed by the death of the mayor-elect, six weeks before being elected by the biggest majority in the history of the city.



HEADACHE?

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