

The Family DOCTOR

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YOUR HOME-TOWN PHYSICIAN

Pardon my reminding you of your best friend. Yes, I am writing about your health, as well as your best aids in maintaining it, your good home-town doctor ranking first.

There is something distinctive that belongs only to the family physician. The surgeon and the specialist may be expert in their lines of practice and they can do things for which the family physician is not even prepared nor should he attempt. But I would never select either for my family physician. Their fields are too narrow—too limited. I would summon either only on the advice of my family doctor.

Your physician should be a well-read, general practitioner. If that, he is far better posted in the management of your varied complaints than the surgeon or the specialist. He has a far more extensive knowledge of the remedies needed for you than either. He will be a more capable diagnostician in systematic disease; and, he will know when you need a surgeon or specialist, better than anyone else.

Your family physician is indeed an indispensable man in the community. He looks after sanitation and other community measures calculated to prevent disease, even the dog so lessens his chances for making a living. He is alert in medical investigation and research knowing all the time that is working himself out of a job!

Finally, the family doctor is, to a large extent, what his community makes him. Prompt payment of bills often grows you a more willing and efficient health guardian.

HAPPY CINCINNATI!

Any one living in Cincinnati will not only tell you that it is the best-governed of all cities, but your really loyal Queen Citizen will expatiate upon the matter to the extent of bragadocio. And facts would seem to justify that course, because Cincinnati passed out of 1935 with all debts paid and several thousand dollars in its coffers. This healthful condition obtains even in the face of the payment of \$3,027,771 on bonded indebtedness. Cincinnati received approximately half a million less in sales tax revenue than it had expected, and the citizens paid their unincreased tax bills with unusual promptness.

FEEDING SHEEP LESPEDEZA

Taylor county sheep raisers are having less trouble with acidosis, due in part to feeding large amounts of Korean lespedeza hay.

Why condemn the girls because they can't cook? Their brothers can't use the buck saw, either.



Hazelwood Sanatorium

For the Treatment of Tuberculosis

Maintained by the Louisville Anti-Tuberculosis Association for the adequate treatment of tuberculosis in all its stages at less than cost. Rates \$15.00 per week, including board, medical attention, laundry, etc. High ground commanding extensive view. Delightful surroundings. Special rates for ex-soldiers free treatment if necessary, whenever possible. Send for Descriptive Booklet to Physician in Charge, Hazelwood Sanatorium, Station B, Louisville, Ky.

AN INVESTMENT STRONG AS THE ROCK OF AGES

Some time ago a young man wrote to the office of The Gideons, the people who put Bibles in Hotels, hospitals and penal institutions, 202 South State Street, Chicago, Illinois, requesting that a Gideon Bible Bank, which should hold ten dimes, be mailed to him.

He stated in his letter that he had read in a local paper an account of the marvelous conversion, by means of a Bible, placed by The Gideons, which he found in his prison cell, of a condemned murderer, about to die in the electric chair for his crime.

The young man said that he could think of no better investment than that, and he wished, with all his heart, that it had been his dollar which had paid for that Bible, placed by The Gideons.

The Bible Bank which he asked for was sent to him by return mail. He placed dimes in it as he was able, and when all ten dimes were in their places, mailed the dollar to The Gideons in Chicago, and requested that a lovely new Bible be put to work for him in memory of his Christian mother, who had recently passed away.

Similar requests are received at Gideon Headquarters almost every day, as well as thrilling testimonies of how the Bible which The Gideons place are being used in hotel guest rooms, hospitals and penal institutions in the transforming of human lives.

The Gideon Organization is made up of Christian, business and traveling men.

Since it was founded, 36 years ago, nearly 1,400,000 Bibles have been placed, and thousands upon thousands of lives have been blessed because of this laymen's ministry.

Any reader who would like to place a Bible in a hotel, hospital, or prison, may drop a post-card to The Gideons, 202 So. State Street, Chicago, Ill., and ask for a Gideon Bible Bank, which will go forward the day the request is received.

The Bank may be filled as convenient, and upon receipt of the dollar—a beautiful Bible will be put to work.

The Bible gives forth its message of redeeming love: 365 days a year, and 24 hours a day.

Thus may our Lord's command be obeyed which says: "Lay up for yourselves treasures in Heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal."

SOFT FOR UNCLE SAM!

TO PAY \$400,000 TO SELF

The U. S. Postoffice Department stands to make a neat little profit of about \$400,000 when it moves gold bullion into the treasury's new underground vault at Fort Knox, Ky.

Figuring on handling \$3,000,000, 000 worth of the metal, postal officials said the treasury's bill would run around \$600,000 with maybe a few extras. The \$600,000 is for parcel post. That's the only way gold in large quantities is shipped in this country.

The movement probably won't start until in July or later. Right now workmen are battling snow and cold to erect the monetary fortress in the center of the Kentucky military reservation.

WARREN COUNTY MAKES PROFIT ON ITS CLERK

To Warren County's government George J. Potter, County Clerk, rates as a profitable investment. The county cleared \$183.89 on him for 1935, over and above all expenses. During 1935, Potter received \$3,704.89 from the county. When he reported on the year, he turned over to the county a check for \$3,883.78, the amount which remained from the revenues of his office after his constitutional allowance was deducted. Potter also gave the county his service gratis on business matters transacted through the office. For 1934, he turned back \$3,514.89 to the county.

BABY BABOON IS DESERTED BY MOTHER

The baby baboon, deserted by its mother at the Brookfield, Ill., zoo, is now 30 days old and doing nicely, thank you. Attendants found that the deserted baby took the bottle naturally... and now seems to be thriving.

Japanese primary school children are forbidden by the minister of education to use the words "papa" and "mama" because it is harmful to Japan's tradition.

IN MEMORIAM

Miss Kate Robinson

Miss Kate Robinson, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Robinson, was born May 23, 1891, near Dugansville, Ky., in Mercer county. She responded early in life to the tender voice of the Master to take up the cross and follow Him. This she did with her whole soul, mind and strength. Her conversion took place under the ministry of Rev. T. P. Roberts, Methodist Evangelist and during a revival meeting conducted by him in the Mt. Hebron Methodist Church South, near where she was born and reared. After her conversion she at once became an active and outstanding and most valuable member of the church in which she was converted. Her activities in the church consisted of the following services, rendered in the most beautiful Christian spirit: Sunday school teacher, secretary, superintendent, organist, steward, trustee and director of religious services when called upon to conduct a prayer meeting or other services. It has been said by members of the church "Kate was really the backbone of the church."

This good woman was happiest when she could render service to others. In this she was like her Master, who came not to be ministered unto, but to minister. Her money, her time, her talent was at the service of her church, and to see the Kingdom built up and the salvation of souls was her very delight. No church could ever boast of a better member, no pastor ever had a better friend than was found in this splendid Christian woman.

She was educated in the common schools of Mercer county, there being no high schools available, she was out of school for several years. Later having a desire to acquire an education, she attended Asbury College Academy at Wilmore, Ky., where she took her freshman year in high school. After teaching for a number of years in the common schools of Mercer county, she again entered school, this time at Eastern State Teachers' College, Richmond, Ky., from which she received her A. B. degree in June, 1932. Much of this work was done during summer terms, and she taught in high school during school terms in the county.

Miss Kate, as she was called by so many who knew her, was a great lover of art, and the natural beauties of this world, the great outdoors, and God's wonderful world; this brings one close to the great heart of God and one grows rich in divine favor. She was much devoted to home and loved each member of the family. Her presence at home, at school, church or in community life was welcome at all times.

because of her fine disposition, always agreeable and cheerful she made others happy. In fact, it can be said again she lived for others. She lived, she taught, she labored for others. Kate was happiest when she could serve in some worthwhile way the community in which she lived. Teaching school being her profession, and a most worth and worthwhile one gave her an opportunity to serve and she put her very soul into her work. She was recognized as one of the leading teachers in Mercer county. Her Christian life and her example of the life of her Saviour. She loved children and was tender in her dealings with them. Each child received a careful consideration from her and each pupil in school loved her. In this again she resembled her Master in loving little children. She answered the call of her Master and left for services upon high July 24, 1934, at the age of 43, 2 months and 1 day.

Besides her father and mother, she is survived by four brothers, Homer, Edgar, Worley and John W. Robinson; one sister, Mrs. Mary Ethel (Robinson) Gray.

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord henceforth; Yea saith the Spirit that they may rest from their labors."

"Thy glorious warfare's past, The battles fought, the race is won, And thou art crowned at last." (A tribute from a friend sincere).

In memory of Woodie Edwards, who died two years ago, Feb. 24, 1934.

Dear Woodie, some think you are forgotten, But that can never happen I weep over you to this day, For two years ago today, Our Heavenly Father called you away.

—Mother.

"PERT AND PERTINENT" FROM CYNTHIANA DEMOCRAT

There are some businesses that will never be advertised until the sheriff does it.

"Snow may be soft but it is mightier than the strong arm of the law in curbing reckless automobile driving."

Those who are always envying the rural mail carriers their easy jobs are extraordinarily silent since the blizzards set in.

A Florida flapper dons a moss bathing suit to present a "stunning effect." It would have been no less stunning without the moss.

The champion hard luck story is that of the man who was promised false teeth by a relief worker and after he had pulled his teeth relief was cut off. Now he couldn't eat anything but soup, if he had it.

Try an ad in our Classified column.

Weather Record For 57 Years

Hillenmeyers Have Kept Private Tab For Over A Half Century.

A private record started eight years before the United States weather bureau established its first permanent station in Lexington in 1866 has been kept continuously by members of the Hillenmeyer family of Fayette county. Regarded as one of the longest and most complete private records of its kind, it was founded in 1879, by the late H. F. Hillenmeyer, widely known nurseryman.

Mr. Hillenmeyer kept the record faithfully for 44 years until his death in 1923. Since that time, his son, R. J. Hillenmeyer, assisted by Louis Hillenmeyer, another son, has carried on the work.

Hundreds of people in the Lexington section depended on Mr. Hillenmeyer's recordings before the government weather bureau was established, and large numbers also sought his predictions. Through articles appearing in Lexington newspapers he reached many farmers, advising them as to the effects of weather on crops and harvests.

The day-book used by the late Mr. Hillenmeyer contained readings of every successive rain, taken from an instrument on his farm. He did not, however, keep a daily record of temperatures but only a file of unusual developments in the weather, such as the first and last frosts each year and especially damaging sleet or rain storms.

Recently R. J. Hillenmeyer transferred the notes in the original book to a new one which has been fully indexed and organized. Monthly and yearly summaries of conditions and comparisons of various periods have been calculated and set down for quick reference.

The recording instrument, said to be of French manufacture, still is depended upon by Mr. Hillenmeyer, and the same measuring rule, still used many years ago, is still used.

The heaviest rain listed in the Hillenmeyer record was that of August 2, 1932, when a fall of 7.22 inches flooded Lexington streets and caused heavy damage throughout central Kentucky.

One of the interesting features of the record is the notation of weather conditions for nearly all the 57 Christmas Days since the late Mr. Hillenmeyer began making observations. Of those listed, only 19 were ideal for Santa Claus, with snow falling, but several more had snow on the ground from falls on the previous day. Last Christmas was one of the best for St. Nicholas, as snow fell

Dec. 12, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25. February, 1899, probably holds the record for cold, with a low of 23 below zero on the 13th.

Probably the three coldest successive days were Jan. 9, 10 and 11, 1880, when the mercury stood at eight, 14 and 16½ below zero, respectively. Dec. 9, 10 and 11, 1917, saw temperatures of nine, 10 and seven below, while on Jan. 26, 27 and 28 of the year the thermometer registered four, 15 and 12 below zero minimums.

The most remarkable stand of snow was during the winter of 1917-18, when from one and a half to two feet of snow hid the earth from early December to mid-winter and the temperature ranged from two to 11 degrees below zero. Nature turned back on May 10, 1894, according to the old records, and laid four inches of snow on ripe strawberries and other well developed spring plants. No damage was reported, however, and the snow was gone the next day.

An example of the many unusual inserts made in the records by the late Mr. Hillenmeyer is one dated Jan. 12, 1916, when it is noted that there was a great meteor in the sky at 5:50 a.m. and that snow fell that day.

MUST WORK TO VOTE
In an effort to balance the budget, town officials of Lewes, Delaware, have decided to enforce an old ordinance. Male voters will be required to do a day's work for the town hereafter before they can cast their ballots. There is an "out," however, for those who would rather strain their pocketbooks than their muscles. They can pay a dollar to the town treasury instead.

MAMMOTH CAVE PROFIT FOR YEAR IS \$86,379.81

The caves and hotels at Mammoth Cave finished the year 1935 with a profit of \$86,379.81, said the annual report made by the Mammoth Cave operating committee in charge of the properties pending the final establishment of the national park.

Hand the Herald \$1.50.

HURRY! HURRY!

A Few More Bargains Left in Pianos

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They're Much Cheaper To Operate!

and you can Safely Depend on Them

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- *THEY'RE here today... with prices and terms you can really afford. See the new models in our showroom and at local dealers.

DON'T EXPERIMENT: An electric refrigerator will give you much more satisfactory service

We sell the Westinghouse

You Cut My Pay With An Electric Refrigerator

When you install an electric refrigerator you instantly cut my hourly rate of pay for all the tasks I do in your home. Our local manager will gladly tell you how and why.

REDDY KILOWATT

NOTICE!

The Harrodsburg office of THE DANVILLE DISTRICT PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION

will on March 1st move to THE COUNTY AGENT'S OFFICE

Farmers and stockmen desiring loans for production purposes, purchase of live-stock, feed or seed should see the local representative,

JACK ALLIN

Interest rate 5%.

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