

This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

THE NORDIC CRAZE.
TO LIVE WITH MONKEYS.
TAILLESS ALIGATORS.
FOOT AND MOUTH CURE.

The "purely Nordic" craze has gone far. A scientific association of German "racialists" proposes to plan a new State in which only those "purely Nordic" will be admitted.

The scientists allege that blood tests will distinguish the purely Nordic from the mixed breeds. That's interesting, as there is not on all the surface of the earth any single sample of a pure breed, whether of "Nordic," Aryan, Semitic, Mongolian, African or Malaysian strain. All the breeds were mixed up long ago, although they don't know it.

That new Nordic state, by the way, would exclude the founder of Christianity, whose mother was a Jewess. He, certainly, was not "purely Nordic."

Here's one original thought. John Gromardie, "of New York," writes to the F. J. Kin Park Zoo in Boston, saying he'd like to be exhibited in the monkey house, with the other primates, "to show the public how much man resembles the ape, in accordance with the Darwinian theory."

Some that live in the open spaces, Texas, Washington, California, Florida, etc., will probably suggest that if all New Yorkers adapted to demonstrating the Darwinian theory were locked up in the Zoological Garden there would be many vacancies in Fifth avenue and at Newport.

How many little boys know that our word "mussini" comes from Mussolini, that our able Italian Mussolini got his name from that land of the Mohammedans? Read in Marco Polo's Travels that "great merchants who convey spices and drugs from one country to another are termed mussolini."

Herr Schomburgk, an African ex-

Rude Rural Rhymes

Summer Scenes

There is an English book of verse folks ought to read and know, altho it does not move in rhyme the way my writings go. James Thompson is the poet; his book is called the Seasons—I heartily endorse the same for several different reasons. He sings of autumn's fruit and grain, of how a noble youth made love among the harvest sheaves, as Boaz did with Ruth. He sings of rural winter joys, of lying under a snow, while round about the cheerful fire pre-Volstead flags go. He sings of gentle spring that comes to break grim winter's reign, to scatter grass and violets on every hill and plain; but these of all he loves warm days, devoting many pages to rural scenes and labors what time the dog star rages. He sings of cultivated fields, of flocks upon the lea and then describes one special scene that makes a hit with me—how to the creek a maiden came, most sweet of all Eve's daughters, and hung her clothes on a hickory limb and dived beneath the waters. She stood not long upon the bank, yet would have dived much slyer if she had known her beau by chance was fishing there to spy 'er. Now wasn't he a lucky cuss as ever hit the pike? Altho I often fish myself I never saw the like.

—BOB ADAMS

New Laws

Albany, July.—Thirty-three more laws were added in New York state on July 1, including one which increases the pay of state troopers. Another compels ice cream to contain at least eight per cent. of milk fats. Farmers generally will be interested in a third, appropriating \$2,500,000 for the payment of tuberculosis cattle killed. Jail sentences and fines are provided in another new law for motorists convicted of driving an unusually heavy demand on Secretary of State Hamilton's office for copies of these new laws, particularly the one dealing with motor vehicles. From July 1st, all taxicabs in this state have to be bonded.

Allegany County Detour Program at Present

The following detour report for Division No. 6, of the State Highway Department is issued for Allegany county:

Cuba Friendship: Under construction. Traffic maintained. Use caution.

Bolivar-Wellsville: Under construction. Five mile detour posted over a hilly earth road in good condition but very slippery in wet weather.

Wellsville-Scioto: Under construction.

plorer, is accused in a Berlin court of stealing from the holy grove in Liberia the "sacred stone" of the tribes of the African West Coast have worshipped that sacred fetish for years, and want it back, to bring them luck.

Schomburgk says he bought the fetish for \$5. Only those NOT afraid to walk under a ladder or sit thirteen at table have right to laugh at the worshippers of the tailless alligator.

Arthur Harris, of the I. W. W., stabbed in a fight with farm hands, learns the value of scientific education. A knife thrust penetrated his pericardium sac containing the heart and made a wound three-quarters of an inch long. The sac filled with blood, the heart couldn't work. But while Harris, fully conscious, saw everything that was going on, surgeons in Kansas City removed three of his ribs, drained the pericardium, permitting the heart to continue pumping, put back the ribs, sewed him up, and he lives. Thanks to local anesthetic, Harris felt no pain.

Six million bonus applications are ready, five millions more will be prepared and sent out. Some pocket patriots are weeping about that. It makes them sad to pay a few dollars in taxes to men that won the war, and saved them all their money.

Yet the paying out of that bonus money will be to general prosperity like pouring water on dry soil. Everybody will share in the prosperity that the bonus distribution is bound to bring. Every dollar of it will be SPENT. It's the money-SPENT that counts.

A Berlin scientist has found and isolated the germ that causes foot and mouth disease. That news will be worth many millions to this country directly, and billions perhaps, indirectly.

It is reported, although fortunately NOT proved, that agitators in the West have purposely spread foot and mouth disease by means of pigs and other livestock. California is a bad State in which to play a game of that kind. The perpetrators would find it more dangerous than horse-stealing in Texas in the old days.

Newspapers print a story that Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, having a little dispute with a Dr. Mitchell at golf, knocked him down and out with one blow. Farmers in Arkansas will not only forgive but cheer their Senator for knocking a man down with one blow. Whether they forgive him for playing golf is another question.

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Wellsville-Andover: Under construction. Closed to all traffic. Detour posted from Wellsville to Andover over hilly earth road (9 miles). Slippery in wet weather. Thru traffic should follow red signs from Belvidere to Hornell via Angelica, Canaseraga and Arkport. (All on state road.)

Hallsport-Whitesville: Under construction. Detour posted for local traffic over narrow hilly earth road. Thru traffic should go via Wellsville, Standards, Shongo, Genesee, Pa., and Whitesville. This is a main travelled route (17 miles.)

Girl Marries Uncle and Starts Trouble

Miss Beatrice Finley, age 16, residing near Andover, and Everett Wray, her uncle, of Birdsall, were married recently at Wayland. The wedding has caused considerable commotion inasmuch as the bride is under age and consent is necessary for a legal wedlock. It is alleged a grandfather of the bride, John Wray, accompanied the uncle and niece to Wayland and swore that he was the girl's guardian. The bride's grandfather is the father of the groom so he now becomes the father-in-law of the bride, while she becomes daughter-in-law as well as granddaughter.

The mother disapproves of the marriage and has stated her protest to Attorney Renwick of Cuba—Wellsville Reporter.

Political Announcement

I desire to announce to the Republican electors of Allegany County that I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for Sheriff of Allegany County, subject to the decision of the primaries to be held September 16, 1924.

SCHUYLER U. CLINE.

Political Advertisement

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of sheriff of Allegany County, subject to the wishes of the Republican voters at the fall primaries.

DeFORREST BENNETT, Fillmore.

Still in School.

May June met her friend Agnes in the street. They stood talking for a while, when a friend of theirs, Doris by name, passed them on the other side of the street. In animated conversation with her was Colonel Mitkin.

"Were not Doris and the colonel schoolmates?" asked May, as she caught sight of the pair.

"Yes," answered her friend, "and they are yet."

"Where?" asked May in surprise.

"Oh, don't you know?" said Agnes. "In the school for scandal."

Read the classified ads.

OUR CHURCHES

BAPTIST

Rev. A. D. Shepard, Pastor

No services Sunday except Bible School at the usual time.

SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST

Rev. Walter L. Greene, Pastor.

Sabbath Services at 2:30 o'clock. Sermon by Rev. W. W. Simpson of Alfred Station.

Sabbath School following the church service.

Prayer and devotional meeting on Friday evening.

Pastor Greene and Paston Simpson are exchanging pulpits this week. Mr. Simpson speaking both at Independence and Andover.

Mrs. Fred Marshall

Mrs. Fred Marshall for many years a resident of Beach Hill, dropped dead at Portville, June 28, where she was attending a family reunion, Saturday, she was apparently in perfect health and death is attributed to heart failure.

Mrs. Marshall, who was formerly Miss Hattie Harrington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Harrington, is survived by her husband and the following son and daughters: George Marshall of Beach Hill; Mrs. Grace Hunt of Alma and Mrs. William Schrader of Beach Hill. She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. David Davenport of Andover and Mrs. Frank Graves of Whitesville.

Funeral services were held from her home Monday afternoon.

Western N. Y. Fair Dates

New York State will have 85 fairs during August, September and October. Western New York fairs are scheduled as follows:

Angelica—September 2-5.
Cuba—September 9-12.
Warsaw—August 19-22.
Perry—August 12-15.
Rochester—September 1-5.
Batavia—September 16-20.
Hornell—August 26-29.
Avon—undecided.
Little Valley—September 1-5.
Hamburg—August 25-30.
Hemlock Lake—October 1-4.
Caledonia—August 6-9.
Bath—September 23-25.

Yankee Doodle

(By an Andover Republican.)

I'm McAdoo; a Doodle doo,
I'm McAdoo-dle dandy;
I don't like Al. He don't like me
We are both too gal darned handy.

Chorus
Mc-A-doo-dle, keep it up,
Mc-A-doo-dle dandy;
Not much choice between Al. and I,
The both want what comes handy.

William J. is very dry,
I'm Mc-A-doo-dle dandy,
I wouldn't smell it, no, not I;
But Al! He does like brandy.

Chorus
Mc-A-doo-dle, keep it up;
Mc-A-doo-dle dandy,
Not much choice between Al. and I;
We both want what comes handy.

Notice of School District Meeting

The annual meeting of the inhabitants of School District No. 1, town of Andover, N. Y., qualified to vote at school meetings in said District, will be held at the school house in said District on Tuesday, August 5th 1924 at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as is authorized by the Education Law of 1910 and the acts amendatory thereof.

Dated July 1, 1924.

FLOYE LEVER, Sec'y.

"Into the Fight"



Senator "Bob" LaFollette, of Wisconsin, who is out in the open with his Third Party and asking progressives of all parties to join in the fight "for real reform—not destruction."

Town Bond Sale

Furnish to authority conferred upon me by the resolutions and consent of the Town Board of the Town of Andover, N. Y., on the 8th day of June, 1924, and on the 8th day of July, 1924, and by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Allegany at a special session thereof, in accordance with the Highway Law of the State of New York, in order to provide that portion of the funds to be raised by the said Town for the construction of a new highway bridge in the said Town under Section 97 of the Highway Law and the amendments thereof, in the State Highway at or near Station 349 thereof, the undersigned Supervisor of said Town will offer for sale at public sale to the highest bidder, Bonds issued by said Town of Andover in the County of Allegany and State of New York, aggregating the sum of Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000.00) to pay that portion of the cost of the construction of said bridge as not otherwise provided for. Said bonds are in denominations of Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900.00) each, to bear date August 1, 1924, and to mature in five equal annual installments, payable at Andover State Bank, Andover, N. Y., as follows: Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00) August 1, 1925, Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00) August 1, 1926, Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00) August 1, 1927, Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00) August 1, 1928, and Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00) August 1, 1929. Such bonds to bear interest at a rate not exceeding five per cent. (5%) per annum. Interest to be paid semi-annually on the first day of February and August of each year from the date thereof.

Bidders must bid par, state the rate of interest bid, which shall not exceed five per cent. per annum, and deposit with their bids in cash, certified check or draft two per cent.

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of the amount of such bonds, and pay the balance with accrued interest when such bonds are delivered. The undersigned Supervisor hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids must be sealed and delivered to the Clerk of the said Town of Andover, N. Y., at his office in said Town, not later than 8 o'clock P. M., July 21, 1924, in duplicate, enclosing them: "Proposal for Bridge Bonds."

Dated at Andover, N. Y., this 10th day of July, 1924.

JOSEPH L. WILLIAMS,
Supervisor.

ROBERT BRUNDAGE,
Clerk.

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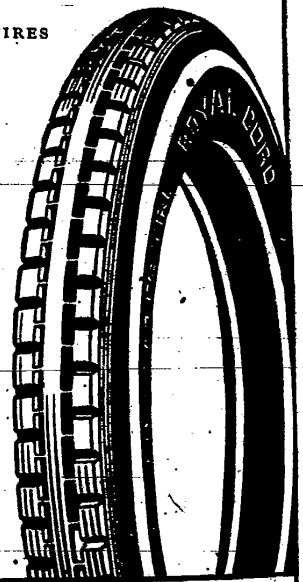
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