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What Our Reading Indicates.

In an article in the November Atlantic Monthly the head of the great publishing house of Macmillan & Company was deploring the present day taste in books. He stated that statistics showed that the great demand of the public was for books of fiction and largely for present day fiction and that the demand for instructive worth while literature was continually growing less. These statistics had been gathered from the librarians throughout the country. The writer also spoke from an experience for which he had paid dearly, as he said that often books which were authoritative treatises on important subjects of high literary merit would have such a small sale that the returns would not pay the cost of publication.

We all of us know what perfect trash some of the best sellers in recent years have been; of no merit from a literary or educational standpoint; just slush. Still they seemed to strike a popular chord and brought fortune to the authors and publishers. They gave their readers a few hours of passing pleasure, but were neither instructive nor taught a moral lesson. The articles carried by some of the most popular magazines are, if possible, worse.

It is indeed to be regretted if the people are losing their taste and love for good literature, for that which is elevating and instructive. A knowledge of history, a certain familiarity with the best in literature, the classics, are necessary in the making of an educated and cultured person. It is important to keep well posted upon current events, to keep in touch with things about us, but to really understand these things we must also know something of history and the effect that certain movements have had on the development of mankind.

If the condition exists which the author of the article referred to deplors, and we fear there is some truth in his statements our system of education is to blame. In the schools should be created in the children a desire for knowledge and a love of good literature. If this is not done our school system is a failure. It is not what the child actually learns in the school room which is of real importance, but the ambitions and aspirations that teaching inspires.

Why Do You Vote a Certain Ticket?

Practically every man the first time he voted, voted a straight ticket and most men voted the same ticket their father voted. Few first voters know little of the principles for which the different parties stand. From childhood they have been Republicans or Democrats depending solely upon the political affiliations of their fathers. This is only natural, especially if their fathers were strong partisans. The home teaching and home environment control their opinions.

Having selected their party most men continue through their life voting the same party ticket. Leaders change, principles change, but the rank and file of the parties remain steadfast to the party name.

That at twenty one a man from sentiment should vote as his father did is only to be expected, but that as he becomes older he should allow that sentiment to control his opinion seems strange to us. That ninety nine out of a hundred first voters, vote the same ticket as their fathers is a conservative estimate. That ninety per cent of the men continue through life members of the party of their first choice, is also a conservative estimate.

When the party leaders decide upon some course of action, most of the members of the party concur in their decision. Whatever one party does, the other party denounces as wrong. The members of one party can see no good in the things done by the opposing party.

While there was probably a greater switching of members of parties in the election just held than ever before in Ohio, we think it is placing the estimate low to say that seventy five per cent of the votes received by the candidates of the Republican and Democratic candidates for governor came from men who have been voting those tickets for years. We also state without fear of contradiction, that if Gov. Cox had been elected on the Republican ticket in 1912 and with the aid of a Republican legislature had done the things which he did, that the Republican leaders, organization men, would have fought as hard for him as they did against him and that almost all of the Republican newspapers in the state would have fought for him as strongly as they have bitterly opposed him. Also that the Democratic leaders, organization men, would all have been against him. They would have called him the same names that the Republicans have called him and the Democratic newspapers would have bitterly assailed him instead of filling their columns with matter in his defense.

Why is it that most Democrats can see no good in anything that a Republican official does or anything wrong in the public policy of a Democrat? Why is it that most Republicans can see no good in the public acts of a Democrat and always praise the public acts of Republicans?

Is it because all men are naturally partisans; that the partisanship they became imbued with as children control their action through life; that we are looking for things to criticize in the actions of members of the opposite party and things to praise in the actions of officials of our own party?

Is it not foolish to allow our partisanship and our prejudices to control us in the conduct of our public business? We do not allow these things to enter into private business and our public business must be put on the same plane as private business if it is ever conducted in the interest of the people.

A number of the candidates at the recent election are convinced that the Annanias Club is the largest organization in the world.

Now that the election is over the partisan press will resume printing the news and their readers may believe some part of the things which they read.

BARRETT.

Nov. 2, 1914.

Mrs. C. R. Diven and two daughters spent part of last week with Mrs. Anna Wolfe and Mrs. Della Morrow.

Joseph Hatcher and wife, Charles Hatcher and wife, of Dallas, Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, of Missouri, and Miss Eisle Caldwell, of Hillsboro, spent Sunday at the home of Frank Shoemaker.

Miss Ione Troth is visiting friends near New Vienna.

Vernon Hammond spent Saturday night and Sunday with Harry Lewit, at Sugartree Ridge.

Ed Roads, wife and daughter, Nelle, and Ira Kline and family were guests of Lewis Woods and wife, Sunday.

C. M. Stevens and family entertained Sunday, Rev. Frank Milner and family, Bert Brown and Miss Ruth Warnock.

Homer Brown, of Greenfield, returned home Saturday after spending a month with his cousin, Hugh Kline.

J. S. Lovett and family, entertained Sunday, Wm. Montgomery and wife and W. W. Wolfe and wife and two daughters, Elsie and Elyne, and Miss Mary Chrisman.

A surprise party was given Saturday night for Mr. and Mrs. Roy Washburn. About thirty guests were present.

Walter Brown and family were guests Sunday at the home of Hamer Lytle.

Wm. Stethem and wife, of Marshall, and Mrs. Della Morrow were guests Sunday at the home of Joe Morrow.

Women Suffer Terribly From Kidney Trouble.

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adv GARRETT & AYRES.

RAINSBORO.

Nov. 2, 1914.

Geo. Hoop and wife, who have been living north of town moved to our village last week and now occupy the property recently vacated by Joe Ferneau.

Mrs. Emma Glenn Hague, of Hillsboro, was the guest of Mrs. Ellen Glenn from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. D. S. Redkey left last week for a visit with her mother and sisters in Indiana.

Rev. B. H. Ryan delivered a very interesting temperance sermon at the M. E. church on Sunday night.

Mrs. Kate Redkey, who has been visiting at the home of her son, C. L. Redkey, returned home Saturday.

Miss Kathryn Harrington is spending a few days with friends in Hillsboro.

Thos. Barrett and wife spent Sunday with their daughter near Hoagland.

Rev. W. E. Shriver, of New Burlington, who was circulating among old friends here last week was the guest of Herbert Glenn and mother on Wednesday night.

Mrs. Howard Hodge and little son spent part of last week with her parents at Cynthiana.

The Gleaners enjoyed a Halloween party at the home of Miss Anna Turner last Friday night.

The Happy Hustlers were entertained on Saturday afternoon by Miss Kathryn Harrington, the Rosebuds by Marjore Copeland, Life Guards by Joseph Redkey and the Sunbeams at the home of their teacher. Halloween games were enjoyed at each place.

N. B. Upp was exceedingly unfortunate last week. The granary door was left open by mistake on Tuesday night and horses and mules got into the wheat and were foundered. As a result, one mule and a mare and colt are dead and several other horses have been under the care of a veterinarian. It is thought however that the rest will get well, but his loss is at least \$400.

The frost which had stayed off unusually late this season came on Monday night of last week and destroyed all the late gardens. A light snow fell the same night.

Despondency Due to Indigestion.

It is not at all surprising that persons who have indigestion become discouraged and despondent. Here are a few words of hope and cheer for them by Mrs. Blanche Bowers, Indiana, Pa. "For years my digestion was so poor that I could only eat the lightest foods. I tried everything that I heard of to get relief, but not until about a year ago when I saw Chamberlain's Tablets advertised and got a bottle of them, did I find the right treatment. I soon began to improve, and since taking a few bottles of them my digestion is fine." For sale by All Dealers. adv

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FROM THE BATTLE FRONT, Via Paris, Nov. 2.—The bulk of the allied armies remained today in the trenches while the artillery exchanged a furious contest with the strongly placed German batteries. Some brilliant feats of arms were performed at various points on the lines extending along the Cote, the Meuse and Woivre. The renowned Albatross troops made a dash capture of another German flag.



WIP AND TUCK ON RUSSIAN LINE IN BATTLE SCENE

VERDUN AGAIN IS BEING ATTACKED

Kaiser's Army Resumes Assault on Long Line of Forts—British and French Battle Waits—Deep in Trenches.

ITALY WILL PREPARE. Rome, Via Paris, Nov. 2.—Italy already over 100,000 men under arms. The Italian army is in complete and battle in its readiness and Venetian province.

REPORTS FROM THE FRONT. London, Nov. 2.—The following official statement was issued by the German high command last night: "The French offensive forces have been obliged to take the decision to extend their position, the attacks upon which are also in progress. Preparations for an attack on the fortifications on the line north of Verdun have been completed."

"As before the German troops are in contact along the border with the French troops."

"GERMAN ADVANCE BEGUN." Special Cable to The Commercial Tribune. AMSTERDAM, Holland, Nov. 2.—It is reported here that the general position of the German army in France is

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EAST DANVILLE.

Nov. 2, 1914.

James Sonnar and family and Love Winkle, wife and daughter spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Cincinnati.

M. R. Pulliam and family took dinner with James Donohoo, at Union, Sunday.

Ira Fouch and wife, who have been visiting the former's parents here the past two weeks, returned to their home in Monroe, La., Saturday.

Chas. Wiggins and wife spent Sunday with R. R. Roush and family at Carr's Crossing.

John Fouch and wife and daughter took dinner with Roy Redkey, at Honolulu, Sunday.

Bert Walker and family visited P. H. Hopkins and family, near Folsom, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Robinson was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Pratt, at Rooster Peck, Thursday.

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He—I gave a poor man \$1 yesterday and told him to come around and let me know how he was getting on.

She—That was good of you; like casting your bread upon the waters.

He—Yes, something like that. Anyway, he came back this morning "soaked."—Boston Transcript.

HOLLOWTOWN

Nov. 2, 1914.

Those entertained by Wm. Roberts and family Sunday were W. E. Fawley and wife and son, Raymond, A. D. Hess and wife and son, Orlis, and John King and family.

R. C. Davidson and family and Miss Madge Roebuck and George Lance and family attended love feast at Stone

Lick Saturday evening and remained over Sunday.

William L. Monda entertained Harvey Vance and family of Union, Sunday.

Mr. Bess Euverard and son, Ernest, went to Washington C. H. with Fenton Roller and wife, Sunday.

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