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### The First Consideration

select a superintendent of schools said, "And if all the after-dinner for the coming year. The outcome of the meeting will be watched with interest by every resident in the community, particularly because of the circulation of petitions on behalf of Principal A. R. Crawford.

The good citizen, and the control of the good citizen, and the control of the control of

session of a master's degree by

last Friday night.
One of these fellows who is "daffy" on figures, the toastmaster related, had gone to a great deal of trouble to gather statistics on after-dinner speakers. He collected a great mass of information about them, and was able to arrive at a good many con-

One evening he was asked to reveal the results of his studies, does, and he did so. The average aft- Qu er-dinner speaker, he said, is five feet, ten and three-eights inches number was greater than in height, and weighs about one might ordinarily believe. And the hundred and seventy-three folks from the small towns got

tain percentage have dark hair The Farmington Board of Eduard so many have brown eyes. cation meets Friday evening to Thus he went on, and at last he select a superintendent of schools said, "And if all the after-dinner

The good citizen, and the conscientious public official, will always in these public questions wherein nearly every home in the community is involved, view the problem first and foremost from one angle—What is best for the school district as a whole? All other considerations will be subordinated to this.

By a cecent vote, the Farmington Board has indicated an inclination to adopt as a fixed rule, that the superintendent must possess, by the time school opens, the degree of master of arts. This would, of course, eliminate Mr. School of arts degree, but not the massing that some and therefore a first degree of the community is involved, view that the superintendent must how or other, we doubt that the superintendent must how or other, we doubt that for the degree of master of arts. This would, of course, eliminate Mr. School opens, the degree of master of arts. This would, of course, eliminate Mr. School of arts degree, but not the massing that ouse it without charge, eliminate and the use it without charge, eliming; chain-slower and may fall free dimer, super to use it without charge, eliming; chain-slower and may fall free there, want to use it without charge, eliming; chain-slower and may fall free there. The want to use it without charge, eliming; chain-slower and the town may fall free dimer, super to use it without charge, eliming; chain-slower and the town may fall free there want to use it without charge, eliming; chain-slower and the town may fall free there want to use it without charge, eliming; chain-slower and the throw may fall free there want to use it without charge, eliming; chain-slower and the thorn and the throw may fall free dimer, super the super used.

Whose Trial Is This?

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ter's.

Those who favor appointment of Mr. Crawford express the of Mr. Crawford express the opinion that a master's degree is of less importance to the community and the proper training of its children, than proven character, confidence of parents and students, and a highly satisfactory record of work.

The question is, of course, for the Board to decide. The people can only indicate their desire and sentiment. But it would seem that when it is so earnestly contended that qualities of character in a man whom the community knows, outweighs the possession of a master's degree by called a halt to the proceedings.

Mr. Van Coppenolle might well have been pardoned if he had on one of the trial days stepped right out to the middle of the floor in the police trial room, called a halt to the proceedings

session of a master's degree by an unknown applicant—and when that contention is backed by a well-night unanimous public opinion, certainly it is the duty of each and every member of the Board to weigh the factors with utmost care before making a defision against that public opinion.

\*\*Laid End To End\*\*

Perhaps this is not just the most psychological moment or time of year to tell this story, what with so many speakers in our vicinity at the father-and-son and other banquets. But a friend has urged us to print a story told by the toastmaster at just such a banquet—because heaving well as the West Point Park banquet last Friday night.

One of these fellows who is "daffy" on figures, the toastmast and the indications not be very may early the this anyway?"

What next? Or isn't there any the according to the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, may have the upt to maked. There may be a cough but not necessarily. The child may even be up to norall weight, though more likely below weight. The signs most easily noticed by the mother are that the young-steel after a night's sleep and in fifty to be pale, his appetite is process. The signs most easily noticed by the mother are that the young-steel after a night's sleep and in surface and the indications not be very may even be up to necessarily. The child may even be up to necessarily. The signs most easily noticed by the mother are that the young-steel after a night's sleep and in the microal process. The signs most easily noticed by the mother are that the young-steel after a night's sleep and in supervise and the indications not be very may even be up to necessarily. The child may even be up to necessarily. The child may even be up to necessarily. The signs most easily noticed by the mother are that the young-steel after a night's sleep and in the microal process. The signs most easily noticed by the mother are that the young-steel after a night's sleep and in the microal process. The signs most easily noticed by the mother are that the young-steel after a night's s

#### Not So Bad

It is frequently said that because the stock market went to pieces that this condition should not affect trade in outlying com-

Perhaps it should not, but it

Quite a few people towns were speculating. The pounds. A certain percentage of just as bad a trimming when speakers have light hair, a cer- stocks went down as did those

from the larger cities.

But the effect upon business the most abrupt mountain grades the most abrupt mountain grades that been in another direction. Of the rugged west recently offer. The fall in stocks was dramatic ed abundant proof of the supercycle of the supe has been in another unrection. The fall in stocks was dramatic ed abundant proof of the superior largely composed of mind and striking. It sent a chill high-gear hill-climbing ability of and striking. It sent a chill the new Oakland V-type Eight.

through everybody, irrespective of their market activities. Necessity compelled many people to again measure the value of a dollar. That was contagious.

It will do the nation as a whole no harm to spend to spend carefully for a while. It will help everyone to save. There is nothing at all wrong in having people live within their means, contract spending and expand savng.-Grand Rapids (Minn.) Herald-Review.

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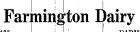
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