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## EDITORIALS

### We, Too, Are Foreigners

(Exchange)

Often the greatest surprise which comes to an American while traveling in some other country is to hear himself referred to as a "foreigner." He is reluctant to accept the title because he has never thought of himself in this light.

Most people within their own boundaries consider themselves peace-loving. No American can escape himself in the role of a continental enemy. So it is with almost amazement that Americans read recently of how the Japanese must increase their armament program to a certain high level in order to insure protection against those whom do you think—why, the United States. If it were not so tragic it would be extremely funny.

We might give them our assurance that we mean them no harm but they cannot be sure of it. Why? Because we are "foreigners" to them. And it is upon this very fear, this underlying suspicion toward the man who speaks a different tongue, that the makers of war find fertile material to generate their corruption.

### The New Monarch

(Exchange)

Amid blare of trumpets and boom of guns, a King and Queen are crowned in Westminster Abbey.

The Coronation expresses four definite realities. First, it is an international event. Second, it concerns particularly the English-speaking world. Third, it is a constitutional declaration. Fourth, it is mysticism.

At this "solemnity," Britain is the host. Marking the guest. Races, religions, nations are united in one hospitality. The occasion demonstrates that, despite the empires of a disordered era, the close frontiers, the increasing armaments, the amenities of life are still possible.

Dictators declare that sovereignty is absolute. There is no power superior to the power of Herr Fuehrer and Il Duce. There is no higher law to which they should submit their omnipotence.

In Westminster Abbey, the King kneels before a spiritual authority which is above any secular authority that man can confer on man. The entire ritual is designed to assert that a monarch with crown and orb, with sword and scepter is subject to the obligations of justice and mercy and reverence for what is greater than himself and his throne. The ceremony suggests that courtesy, good faith, respect for the achievements of mankind in the past, are essential to a true exercise of power, even in a modern and materialistic world.

### Bringing Up Parents

(Exchange)

"Be a good boy—Be a good girl." Fathers and mothers may never realize it is easier said than done. They are telling themselves to be good parents, and finding that one requisite for this achievement is knowing how to bring up children.

To that end, Miss Alice Sowers, parent education specialist of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, has conducted an inquiry—2000 children deep—into the young idea of the ideal parent. Results indicate that the judgment children pass on parents comes favorably with that which parents pass on children. No wonder mothers and fathers are willing to listen, for some day parents he may require them to fill out an application blank for this most important of positions, and they may want to know the answers to such questions as these:

Why do you want to be my parent? To regard me as an extension of your own personality? To own somebody? To dictate to somebody?

Do you expect children to do as you say, but never notice that you don't always practice what you preach?

What about allowing a child privileges on the ground that other children are allowed similar ones?

Do you know that if you don't let a child attract some of your attention by his good works he may try to attract it by less worthy behavior?

Do you know that what your children are likely to most admire in parents is good manners?

Do you make edicts in fits of

emotion, or in periods of quiet reasoning?

Are you aware that children as a rule do not resent firm discipline if it is obviously fair?

Would you expect to gain a child's respect by letting him coax you out after proper thought on going to movies, staying out later than usual to play, or on other privileges?

Would you be disappointed in a child who did not wish to follow in your footsteps, to succeed where you had wished to succeed?

Would you recognize a child as an individual who might not share your prejudices or inclinations?

Some of these questions were answered by Miss Sowers' study. Others were not. Happy the parent who has not forgotten the child's point of view, but who can see the lions once he is in the garden.

Imagination depends such vision, but who can foresee the disillusion in a child's heart at an elder's promise unfulfilled.

Lincoln Steffens who observed that a group of bad men may be a boy's good man; a "bad politician" had kept a promise to give young Lincoln a pair of stilt shoes.

After all, being a good parent depends in considerable measure on knowing how a child tries to measure up to an altered standard of propriety.

To code the youth that elders sometimes forget.

### A Fortune From Air

(Exchange)

Shortly after the close of the Civil War a young inventor, just past 21, endeavored to interest Old Commodore Vanderbilt in a new brake for railroad trains, to be operated by compressed air.

After hesitating with impatience to the proposition, the Commodore asked whether the inventor really meant that he could stop a rushing train "with nothing but air."

"Then get out of here," he said, "I have no time to waste on fools."

The young inventor was George Westinghouse, who shortly afterward perfected his air brake and succeeded in placing it on the market.

To make his triumph complete, the first big order for the new Westinghouse air brake came from Commodore Vanderbilt.

This invention and others made Westinghouse a fortune and when he died in 1914 he was rated among the "wealthy" men of America, the use of his air brake having become almost universal.

His early struggles were typical of those of many other young men with an idea and nothing else, but he was more fortunate than most of them. He did not die.

And he saw the rewards of his genius, while many inventors, through lack of business ability, are defrauded of theirs.

### Natural Beauty

(Exchange)

Michigan has considerable natural beauty and this beauty will attract many tourists to the state if it is allowed to assert itself.

Advertising the beauty of Michigan is an excellent thing as tourists and visitors to the state spend considerable money.

One of the poorest ways of advertising the state is by showing unsightly billboards and other eyes on any highway from any of the industrial centers and you will find huge billboards advertising everything from "soup to nuts" if there be such a bill of fare in billboard advertising.

Tourists from large industrial centers can see enough billboards in their daily life. What they want to see is something of more natural beauty. Michigan has that to offer if the billboards of these unsightly billboards are pulled.

And tourists once coming to Michigan will want to return if they are treated well.

Many of these billboards are real revenue producers yet they pay nothing toward the upkeep of the highways which they commercialize.

"Restore the beauty of Michigan" is a good slogan for garden clubs or any other civic organization.

Do you make edicts in fits of

### WEST POINT PARK

Melvin and Mrs. Murphy, Ruth and Robert and William D. and Mrs. Zwalhen and daughter Janet Mae of Detroit, called Sunday morning on William H. and Mrs. Zwalhen, on their way to Lansing.

Mrs. Edwin Johnson was hostess to house party at her home over the week-end. Guests were a dozen of Mrs. Johnson's relatives from Lansing and Grand Rapids.

Miss Shirley Zwalhen was the Sunday dinner guest of Lloyd and Mrs. Childers of Detroit.

Mrs. Albert Nacker was the guest Sunday afternoon of her brother and family, J. W. and Mrs. Hess of Pontiac.

Mrs. Leslie Mansfield of Middle Belt, is very ill with pneumonia. Russell and Mrs. Borland and family of Redford were guests Sunday of the former's mother, Mrs. Margaret Martin.

No quorum being present, no quorum being taken care of at the May meeting of the Community Club, held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lillian Owen. Those in attendance enjoyed a very agreeable afternoon socially.

William Owen was a guest at a stag party held in honor of the twenty-first birthday of Melvin Stronowski of Wayne, Wednesday night.

Miss Virginia Ault entertained the members of the eighth grade graduating class of Plerson school at her home Friday evening. Prizes and favors were awarded. A dainty lunch was served, and the party proved a delightful occasion.

Stanley and Mrs. Simmons of Redford were Sunday afternoon guests of Lucian and Mrs. Gilbert.

Mrs. Margaret Martin was the guest Thursday, Friday and Saturday of her son and family, Carl and Mrs. Borland of Detroit.

Henry Jr. and Mrs. Trapp of Redford were Sunday dinner guests of Otto and Mrs. Trapp.

Miss Marjorie Helchman was the guest this week of Jesse and Mrs. Zeiler and son Gerald, at their cottage at Houghton Lake.

Harold and Mrs. McVicar and son Harold Jr., were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Clarence and Mrs. McVicar of Bay City.

Mrs. Gertrude Mead and two children Maxine and Gerald Jr., of Frankfort, were weekend guests of Elmer and Mrs. Helchman.

Ralph and Mrs. Vorpheis gave a birthday dinner Sunday at their home in honor of John Rowe's 70th birthday. Others present were Norman and Mrs. Gedig of Detroit, Albert and Mrs. Owen, Kenneth and William, and Austin and Mrs. Ault, Miss Virginia, and Phyllis and Helen.

Mrs. Marvin Adkins attended a Mother and Daughter Banquet Monday evening with her daughter, Mrs. Max Bergin of Howell.

### "MY MOM"

Today she faces the setting sun Four score years her life's span run,

Of joy and sorrow she's had her share, But shades of bitterness linger there,

Her hair once gold is silvered now And furrowed grown that smooth white brow,

But sweetly calm as one ages afar The gates of Heaven set ajar,

Soon she'll cross to that shining shore And dim eyes closed will open no more,

So give her roses while she can And be the sort she prayed you'd be.

—Mrs. R. Fredericks

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### LOSEY CORNERS

Pal, a valuable police dog, owned by Mr. McTye, of Cheltra avenue, was struck by a speeding motorist and injured to an extent necessitating his being shot.

Mr. E. K. Tami and family of Keego Harbor, also Henry Miner and family visited Mrs. Robert Fredericks of 18390 Glenwood boulevard, Sunday, bringing flowers for Mrs. Fredericks and Mrs. Mansfield in honor of Mother's Day.

Mrs. Helen Dixon of Breton Road, was a visitor of her sister in Pontiac, last week.

The many friends of Mrs. Leslie Mansfield are sorry to hear of her illness. She is suffering from pneumonia.

D. V. and Mrs. Mitchell and Mr. Arthur Howe and family, enjoyed a trip to Benton Harbor to see the blossom festival.

Mr. Albert Spicer and family spent Sunday with friends in Detroit.

Robert and Mrs. Grossnickle of Middle Belt Road announce the arrival of a baby boy, to be called Paul.

The Woman's Service Union will hold a strawberry festival June 18, at the corner of Middle Belt and Seven Mile Road.

Money has been raised by the Union to buy dishes for the Mother and Daughter Banquet to be held in the Wilcox School May 21. Tickets are now on sale.

Rev. Bagnall of Detroit paid tribute to all motherhood in his sermon Sunday Evening. A special feature of the program was a quartet by Detroit visitors.

Many Supplies Needed

The Bell Telephone company uses annually \$200,000 pencils, 77,000,000 pins, 60,000,000 paper clips, 92,000,000 pounds of paper, 320,000,000 paper towels, 1,214,000 boxes and 6,500,000 pounds of brass.

Crime Scare in West Indies

Crime almost is an unknown quantity in the smaller islands of the West Indies. Rarely will the natives steal money or valuables. Highway robbery is unknown.

Seawater Under Pavements

Sea water actually flows under the pavements of certain streets in Durban, South Africa, owing to the tide raising the water through the ground.

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Barley Used to Be Cultivated According to ancient Egypt, barley was the first of the cereals to be cultivated. Standing crops of barley were figured by them under the fifth dynasty, or about 2240 B. C.

### NOSE PORES

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