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MARY ANNE EVANS CROSS

When we write of George Elliott, the pen name of Mary Anne Evans Cross many say 'Why I did not know that she was married, but a short tim before her death, she married, John Walter Cross, a London banker, some twenty years younger than she. After her death he wrote a biography of his wife, which shows his admiration of and his love for her.

She was always called Marian, Her brother Isaac Evans was very dear to her. In one of her most attractive novels, 'The Mill on the Floss' she brings in many incidents which really occured in her own life in her associasm with him. Her mother, who was notoriously partial to her son, Isaac, died when Marion was sixteen. Then she became the solace of the father, and when later, Isaac married, they gave up the old home to him, and moved to a smaller home near Coventry. There she devoted her life to reading the best works in Italian, German and French. When her father died, she went abroad for a while and on her return went to live in the family of John Chairman, the editor of the Westminster Review. He persuaded her to try writing for the paper and she began to write critical reviews of current Literature.

While engaged thus, she was thrown with Mr. Lewis, who recognized that she had an unusual mind, and persuaded her to try, her hand on a novel which she did. Her first book was 'Adam Bede.' It became popular at once, and established her reputation as a novelist. Meanwhile she was thrown more and more with Mr. Lewis. His bright congenial mind was a constant inspiration to her, they seeming to have similar tastes in all things. His was a sad life, his wife had left him, and his four children. The English law forbade a divorce. So Marian took the step which banned her from many of her friends and made her lose the influence which she would have otherwise had, she went to live with him this scandalizing society and many of her former friends.

She and Lewis lived happily together, and she spent much of the money which she obtained from her books, on his wife and his children. Her books made her famous yet she always shunned society, though she was sought out by all the literary men of her time.

Year by year new novels came out, eighteen in all, each teaching some good lesson at the same time intensely interesting. 'Adam Bede' is the most read, but Romola, a story of the persecution of Savonerola, in Florence; Daniel Deronda; the noble Jew, and Silas Warner all are eagerly read by the public 'Middlemarch is considered by some to be the finest of her works, though it is not as popular as some others.

'The Choir Invisible' is one of her greatest poems. Here she says 'May I join that choir invisible.

Whose music is the gladness of the world'. In 1878 Mr. Lewis died. About eighteen months later she married Mr. Cross, but died very suddenly in 1880.

Personally George Elliott was a rather small homely woman, with large strong featured yet gentle face, with quiet almost timid bearing and a fine sympathetic voice, a quickness and clearness of thought and gift of expression which made her society altogether charming. Mr. Cross in his biography says of her that 'she showed from her earliest years the trait that was most marked in her through life, namely, the absolute need of some one person who should be all in all to her, and to whom she should be all in all. Knowing this trait of her nature, her life story is made more clear. She was born in the year 1819 and died in 1880.

Did one ever see such weather? is asked as day after day the bright warm days of October come and go.

Some can answer 'yes' when they remember that glorious October day when the monument to Philip Reed and his noble band of soldiers was unveiled and dedicated to their memory. It is a day to be remembered when ever we travel the way to and from Tolchester, and see the monument, built of native stone, standing near the intersection of the roads. Among the throng, that day, were two very instrumental in erecting the monument who have passed away, Mrs. Thos. W. Hill, and Mr. Columbus Leary, he so manly and strong and she the very essence of lady hood.

Both of them spoke that day and the thought of their patriotic speeches is still remembered by those who heard them.

Another in the crowd was Mr. Charles Hopper, who did much in interesing the people in the duty they owed to their defenders, and Mr. Fred Usilton, who was also much interested, the latter, having an ancestor with Philip Reed, in the battle.

The sky was intensely blue that day, and the trees were brilliant in their autumn coloring but as we stood celebrating the deeds of the noble army, we thought of the other army, just as brave and self effacing who had been sent from their homes under their commander, Sir Peter Parker, who was wounded and died on the field of battle that fat al night. Surely war is a terrible thing, for then we glory in the deeds of our victorious troops there are hundred of others bleeding and dying on the field of battle.

'Oh when shall come the time. When war shall be no more?'

We think of the suffering world now, of China falling before her invaders, and of Ethiopia invaded by the Italians. War means suffering for so many, that the few may win their triumphs. Will Mussolini be happier by 'the anguish and pain that he has caused?

RECIPES

'And may good digestion wait on appetite.'

Baked Oysters

32 large oysters
2 cups grated cheese
1 1-2 cups canned tomato pulp
Salt, pepper, paprika

Clean, drain and pat oysters dry. Arrange in a large baking dish or in eight individual dishes. Dust with salt, pepper and paprika and shake over the oysters half the cheese. Drain liquid from a can of solid-pack tomatoes and spread the thick pulp (there should be about 1 1-2 cups) over the cheese. Dust again generously with salt, pepper and paprika and top with remaining grated cheese. Bake 20 minutes in a hot oven—400 degrees F.—and serve immediately.

Thanksgiving Salad

1 1-2 tablespoons gelatin
2 cups cold water
3 cups cranberries
1 1-2 cups sugar
1-3 teaspoon salt
1-3 cup diced apple
1 cup diced celery
1-3 cup broken nutmeats
Lettuce
Mayonnaise
Additional nut-meats

Soften gelatin in 1-2 cup of the water for 5 minutes. Cook cranberries with remaining water until tender, then add sugar and cook 5 minutes longer. Dissolve gelatin in scalding hot cranberry, add salt, strain and cool. When almost at setting point stir in apple, celery and nut-meats turn into a square pan oreight individual molds (previously dipped into cold water) and chill. Unmold on to lettuce and garnish with mayonnaise into which a few additional chopped nut-meats have beenstirred.

GALENA

The Galena School mates of Miss Frances E. Williams daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams, numbering about twenty-four, tendered her a 'Farewell Surprise Birthday party, last Friday evening, from eight to eleven. as she will soon be leaving here for her new home in Pesnsylvania. The evening was most enjoyably spent with music, dancing and games, at a late hour the guests were invited to the dining table, which was beautifully decorated with yellow orange colors which were so in harmony with this particular season of the year. Delicious refreshments were served, consisting of ice cream, cake, nuts and mints, which harmonized with this autumnal season.

Relativs of Mrs. Eva McCauley gave her a surprise 'birthday party' at her home last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Davis, Jr., and Clara Virginia, visited, Mrs. Davis' father, Dr. E. A. Scott in Baltimore, Md., last Sunday, they found him much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gillespie and little daughter, Ruth Ireland, left last Sunday to make their home in Greenville, N. C., where Mr. Gillespie has a position there. On Thursday evening, October 17, Mrs. Gillespies friends gave her a farewell party at the home of Mrs. Richard Redding.

Mr. Happy Cochran and friend Miss Hope Sparre, of Wilmington, Del., were Sunday guests, of the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Keith Cochran.

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church met at the home of Messrs. Clark and Addie Walters last Tuesday evening.

Messrs. Emory Ford and Dennis McCauley were visitors in Wilmington, Del., a few days last week.

Miss Marian Newnam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newnam returned home on Saturday after having her tonsils removed in the Kent and Queen Annes Hospital, Chestertown, Md.

Mrs. Davis Smedley and children, of West Chester, Pa., spent one day last week with the formers father, Mr. Raymond Tapper.

Mrs. Alvin Coxe is a patient in Elkton Hospital, Elkton, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mach and family, of Wilmington, Del., were week end guests of Mrs. Mack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Janes.

Mrs. John Newnam returend home last Saturday after spending a day with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Hadley in Claymont, Del.

Mr. James Hooper and daughter, of Skantelles, N. Y., are guests fo Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cruickshank.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolton and grandson, Bobby Kent, Mrs. E. A. Scott Mrs. Wilson Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McCauley, of Cecilton, Md., visited the latters father, Mr. Frank McCauley in Cambridge, Md., last Sunday.

Rally Day was observed in Locust Grove, Md., M. E. Church last Sunday night there being no church services here, quite a number of the congregation attended.

Miss Kathryn Thornton spent last Sunday with her sisters, Mrs. Guy Lockerman, and Mrs. George Pearce, in Warwick, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jarman were guests at the home of Mr. Wallace Jarman, last Sunday in Centreville, Md.

Mr. James Ryan and Miss Bliss Jarman spent last week end with the latters, brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Powell, Jr., are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son last week.

Miss Martha Whitaker, of Chestertown, Md., spent last Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Hicks.

Among those who have been on the sick list were: Mrs. Katherine Hyland Dr. Earle Gilfillan also at this writing, Mr. George Johnston, Sr., is quite ill.

Mrs. Jesse Ireland spent a few days last week with friends in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. James A. Quinn spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Devine, in Middletown, Del.

Among those who attended the Wilmington Conference Rally in Dover, Del., last Tuesday, were Misses Nellie Dempsey, Kathryn Thornton, Mrs. Walter Hadley, Mrs. Katherine Hyland and Mr. John Walls.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Roe and Mrs. Mary Broadway, of Dover, Del., were guests in town last Saturday.

Miss Alice Prettyman is a patient in the Md. General Hospital in Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jarrell and family, of Middletown, Del., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Jarrell's parents, Mr and Mrs. Joseph Dixon.

Mr. Edward Kruzer and Miss Eva McCauley, of Philadelphia, Pa., were week end guests of the latters mother, Mrs. Eva McCauley, Miss Mary McCauley returned with them after spending a week here.

Mrs. Edna Gilfillan left on Tuesday to spend the winter months in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Vermillion, Charles Sisson, of Washington, D. C., were week end guests of their aunt, Mrs. Linda Walls, Mrs. Walls returned home on Saturday after spending a month with relatives in Washington D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dempsey and Miss Nellie were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Church in Queenstown, d., last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cochran and family, of Philadelphia, Pa., were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Cochran.

Miss Margaret Burns, of Baltimore, Md., spent one day last week, with her friend, Mrs. William Weller.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hadley, Jr., and little daughter, Anne, of Claymont, Del., were week end guests of their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnston entertained over Sunday her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Price, of Still Pond, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Pennington, of Washington, D. C., were recent guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Wamsley at Fredericktown, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walls and Roland Barcus, of Wilmington, Del., were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. McCosh Walls.

Mrs. Walter Barlow, gave her husband, Rev. W. Barlow a surprise birthday dinner, at their home the following guests were: Rev. J. H. Geoghegan, Rev. O. B. Rice, Rev. E. H. Collins, of Wilmington, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bowen, of Millinart Heights, Pa., Mrs. Clarence Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tussey, of Hillcrest, Del., Mr. and Mrs. John Coxe Smyrma, Del., Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown and son, Billie, of Chestertown, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Heston Coxe.

STILL POND

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held it's monthly business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. Eugene Bonwill last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Haddaway and daughter, Irma visited in Baltimore a few days last week.

Miss Pauline Moore, of near Millington returned home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haddaway and family. Miss Irma returned home with her.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Club was entertained by Mrs. Harrison Cornelius of near Lynch last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. John Davis and daughter, Gene and friend, of Baltimore, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson a few days last week.

Mr. Gale Rasin, of Wilmington, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rasin.

Mr. George Haddaway spent the week end in Wilmington.

Mrs. Ella Pennington, Miss Louise Pennington, Miss Kate Howard visited in Baltimore last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Wilmer, of Baltimore, visited with relatives here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Newcome and family, of Chestertown, spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hackett.

Miss Edna Wroth, Miss Lily Parrott and Mr. Robert Bowers were guests in Wilmington over the week end.

Miss Edith Wyle and friend, Mr. George Wilde, of Wilmington, visited with friends and relatives here on Sunday.

A Halloween Social will be held in the I. O. O. F. Hall next Wednesday evening, October 30.

William Medders, Jr., was week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Medders.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Waye, Mrs. Birdie Flynn, Miss Brown, Miss Steward, Miss Louise Toulson, of Wilmington, Mrs. Elsie Hoyle and daughter, Mildred of Fairlee, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Clark last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Penn Toulson, of Vineland, N. J., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Toulson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haddaway and family, Mr. Albert and Alfred Hickman visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis of Swan Point, last Sunday.

Mr. Carlton Thompson, of Philadelphia spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Emma Thompson.

Mr. Thomas Hammocker, of Baltimore, spent the week end with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thompson.

Miss Louisa Travers, Mr. Walter Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Romie Skirven, of near Fairlee, visited in Towson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Toulson entertained the following guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Penn Toulson, of Vineland, N. J., Mrs. Harriet Bacon, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Fellows, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Price, Mr. and Mrs Edward Fellows.

Mrs. Lillian M. Scheetz and Mrs. Cora Eaton visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Bidwell on last Thursday.

Mrs. Lavinia Harper returned to Baltimore for the winter after spending some months with her son, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Harper.

Mrs. Elmer Atwell spent the week end in Baltimore and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Jennie Boulden and Miss Pearl Coleman were guests of Mr. and Mrs Clarence Ford, of near Lynch last Sunday.

Mr. Harry T. Bidwell and Mr. Baynard Harper visited Baltimore on last Saturday.

Rev. R. R. Nichols spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. William Medders.

IT SHRINKS IN THE HEAT

'Is a ton of coal very much, papa?

'That depends, my son, on whethe you are shoveling or buying it.'

MRS. H. D. GEOHEGAN

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Writes

Cambridge, Md.
September 23., 1935

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