NOW AND THEN

WHAT THE THRUSH SAYS

"Come and see! Come and see!"
The Thrush pipes out of the hawthorn tree;
And I and Dicky on tiptoe go
To see what treasures he wants to show.
His Call is as clear as a call can be
"And Come and See!" he says;
"Come and See!"

"Come and See!" "Come and See!"
His house is there in the hawthorn tree;
The neatest house that ever you saw,
Built all of mosses and twigs and straw;
The folk that built were his wife and he—
And Come and See he says.
Come and See!"

"Come and See!" "Come and See!"
Within the house are treasures three;
So warm and snug in its curve they lie,
Like three bright bits out of Spring blue sky;
We would not hurt them he knows not we;
So Come and See, he says
Come and See.

Queenie Scott Hopper.

There was a chorus of song this morning in birdland. The robin of course leading, as he always does, the red bird, the cat bird, the wren the song sparrow and the thrush are of them filling the air with song. There were other voices in the Chorus that I did not know. The Thrush is a new comer in our garden, a very welcome addition. His brick dust red coat and speckled breast are seen hopping over the garden, and I strongly suspect he is building in the rambler by the garage. Any how he is a very busy bird.

A TRAGEDY

Speaking of birds: Such a tragedy occurred in this street last week. A pair of red birds had built in a neighbor's yard. There were birdies three in the nest, and such a happy family they seemed to be.

But alas; one morning the merry whistle of the birds was not heard, and then the poor little mother was found dead on the ground and all three birdies were dead too. Who killed them is still a mystery.

COMMENCEMENTS

Commencements are the rule of the day during these early June days. They are a great event to the sweet girl graduate and the lusty clean limbed young men.

It means to them a beginning of the stern reality which succeeds their graduation. What profession or trade shall as they follow as they will enter into the working world. May they find useful and congenial work as they join in the arena of life.

Chestertown will miss the bright young faces which pass to and fro in the streets and other meeting places. She will also miss hearing the school bell and the children hurrying to school to obey its call.

GENIAL TAFT

Throughout his life William Howard Taft was blessed with a rare good humor and a kindly and considerate manner, endearing him to all who had the good fortune to know him.

Once while campaigning in the West, Mr. Taft stopped at the home dated, wobbly house filled with rath- of a friend who possessed a dilapier old and frail furniture. Then, as always, Mr. Taft was exceedingly stout, and in his insubstantial surroundings there was good reason to believe that he was not wholely safe. All went well, however, until the visitor got into bed. Immediately the whole thing collapsed with a bang, landing Mr. Taft resoundingly upon the floor.

"What's the matter, Bill?" called out the host.

"Oh, nothing much," replied Mr. Taft. "But listen, Joe: If you don't find me here in the morning, look in the cellar."

Fathers don't rank, even when they're royalty. Not, at least, as against mothers. The story is that Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret Rose were attending an official function, their first without their parents. Accustomed to follow along on these occasions, they suddenly found themselves in the front row—and alone. One was heard to whisper to the other, "Oh, I wish Mummy were here—even Daddy would do."

Firemen in Butte, Montana, objected to growing beards in celebration of early frontier days, because they might catch fire. No doubt they are to be congratulated in holding fast to the laws of their profession in keeping all brush and fire hazards cleared away.

PROUD MOMENT

Once when the late Gov. John Johnson of Minnesota had finished making a stirring and important address before a distinguished audience, a friend remarked, "Governor, this must be the porudest day of your life, speaking before such a great assemblage—Supreme Court Judges, Senators, and Congressmen."

"No, it isn't," replied Johnson, after brief reflection.

"Well, what day was?" the friend inquired.

"The proudest day of my life," replied Governor Johnson, "was when I was a boy of 12 and, on receiving my first pay of $3 for a week's work, I went home to my mother and said, 'Here, Mother, you needn't take in washing any more'."

CARETAKER FOR 40 YEARS WINS COLLEGE DIPLOMA

Washington, Pa. (AP)—Henry L. Coates, who never attended a single class in his 40 years at Washington and Jefferson College, treasured today a diploma from the school.

Tears welled into the elderly caretaker's eyes June 3 at commencement exercises when President Ralph Cooper Hutchison presented the honorary diploma to him as a "member" of the 138th graduating class. Mr. Coates, who doesn't know his age but believes he is about 80, was offered a pension a year ago but refused to quit.

ROCK HALL

Mr. and Mrs. Catlin Joyner and family, of Georgia, are spending sometime here with the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Joyner.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Taylor and son were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shallcross this week.

Miss Sallie Bruff is visiting Miss Mary Judefind.

Mrs. Allan Urie and daughter, Anna Mae visited Wilmington and the Long Wood's Gardens on Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Furst spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ashley, of Bridgetown, Queen Anne County were visitors here on Saturday of the formers mother, Mrs. Mary Ashley who continues very ill at her home here.

Miss Helen Shallcross spent the week end from Chestertown with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Shallcross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNeal and son spent Sunday as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Davis they motored from their home in Baltimore.

Mr. Walter Briers was an over night visitor in Baltimore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hillman and daughter, spent the week end from Baltimore with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gagalski.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClusky were visitors of Mrs. Clara Wilson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dickerson are the proud parents of twin boys at their home in Swan Creek.

Mrs. Grace Coleman Elbourne spent several days with her parents this week. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coleman in Piney Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stevens and daughter, of Baltimore are spending sometime with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hadaway.

Thomas Parsons is spending his vacation here with relatives and his father, Charles Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cornelius of Newark, Del., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wagner.

Franklyn Jacobs, Jr., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jacobs.

Mrs. Milton Glenn, Mrs. Thomas Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vansant, Miss Mildred Coleman and Mrs. William Edwards were among those who attended the wedding of Oscar Vansant in Baltimore on Saturday. The ceremony was performed in St. Johns M. P. Church.

Adelaide Gagalski spent the week end with her parents here from Baltimore where she is employed.

Wesley Chapel M. P. Church held their Children's Day services on Sunday. There were 223 present at Sunday School. At night there was a pageant. "Makers of Tomorrow," by the Sunday School and junior choir. Rev. A. G. Lynch will go to the Maryland Annual Conference on June 14th which wil be held at Westminister, Md.

Rock Hall M. E. Church had an attendance of 148 on Sunday. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. C. Louhoff Epworth League was lead at night by Mrs. Albert Bryden. Mrs. Allene Simpson was soloist.

Traffic Suggestion

When driving in traffic do not apply the brakes suddenly unless it absolutely is necessary. The car behind may have less efficient stopping equipment and the result will be a collision. Keeping always in mind that the other man's brakes may be better or less efficient than one's own is a distinct factor in safe driving at all times.

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