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There seems to be a sort of savagery in some people's natures that lies closer to the surface than we generally suppose. The day before the state of Ohio electrocuted Dr. James H. Snook for the murder of a university co-ed, several women got in touch with state prison officials and asked that they be given the privilege of pulling the switch that would send him to death.

The trained nurse is one of those people who seldom get from the general public the amount of appreciation that they deserve. We take her for granted; it is only when something exceptional happens that we realize how well she serves us.

THAT TROUBLESOME SECOND YEAR Rodney Dutcher, in an analytical dispatch from Washington, points out that President Hoover, in his second year in the White House, faces a number of weighty problems, all of which will probably be quite effective in keeping him from supposing that the presidency is anything like a bed of roses.

On top of these things, there is the controversy which Secretary of the Interior Wilbur has aroused by his attitude toward the disposal of power generated at Boulder Dam; and the fight over the Hughes nomination indicates that no presidential appointment can hope to escape sharp criticism in the Senate.

Reconsideration Of Sugar Tariff Vote Requested

WASHINGTON, March 7 (AP)—Reconsideration of the increase voted by the senate on the sugar duty was demanded in the senate today by Senator New, republican, North Dakota, after the coalition of democrats and republicans independents met another revenue when a duty on cement was restored to the tariff list.

Abe Martin STOP HENRY Chief Dan Moss, of the New Palace hotel, tried carrots without peas today but they didn't get over. Next to the fling of a dasher, no other food thing has been so short lived as the popularity of feminine knees.

WORK BEST FARM AID SAYS FORD

Machinery, Chemistry and Education of Farmer Held Necessary By Rex Saffer (Associated Press Staff Writer) FORT MEYERS, Fla., March 7 (AP)—Solution of the farm problem, like almost every other economic difficulty, lies in work, which is a remedy for all things.

As he talked he sat in an airplane chair, apparently the favorite piece of furniture in an improvised office at his winter home here. He had just returned from a day's automobile trip with his old friend, Thomas A. Edison, in search of rubber producing plant life and was preparing to leave Florida for his northern home after spending some time here.

It is the machine age, then Henry Ford believes that it is an age that must be directed by man. No man or woman, he said, will fail to find plenty of work if he looks for it.

What about the automatic machines that are replacing men in plants and factories? he was asked. "Who's going to make the machines?" was his question in reply. The manufacturer recounted at length his ideas on work.

Debating Club In Cove School Makes Headway

By Mrs. A. G. Conklin (Observer Correspondent) COVE, Ore. (Special)—The debating club of the Cove High school held its weekly debate at the assembly room Wednesday afternoon. The subject under discussion was "Should a high school student carry more than four subjects?"

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lincoln will leave in a few days for Eugene. They are going down for their daughter, who has been staying with an aunt for some time. T. R. Conklin spent Thursday in Baker with his wife and daughter. Mrs. Conklin will return to her home Saturday or Sunday.

WOMAN LEAVES BABY

PORTLAND, Ore., March 7 (AP)—Police today were seeking a young woman, between the ages of 25 and 30, shabbily dressed, who asked Mrs. H. Brown, of Heaverton, to hold her baby at a stage terminal here yesterday while she attended to checking a suitcase.

GRADUATION IN EVIL

There is no man suddenly either excellently good or extremely wicked; but grows so, either as he holds himself up in virtue, or lets himself slide to viciousness.—Sir Philip Sidney.

missionary society with Mrs. Sweet-Allen in charge. This society meets only bi-monthly and their next meeting will be with Mrs. W. A. Winters in Baker. Those present were Mrs. George McDaniel, Mrs. J. P. Conley, Mrs. Towle, Mrs. Ruth Baker, Mrs. J. K. Robinson, Mrs. Sweet-Allen, Mrs. Kenneth LaViolette, Mrs. J. P. Dean, Mrs. M. V. Suedeker, Mrs. O. Lund, Mrs. Thomas Towle, Mrs. Wes Smith and Mrs. C. E. Clark.

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By Andree Berding (Associated Press Staff Writer) THE POLI (AP)—The Paris of the Sahara as the city of Murzuk, in Pezzani, is called, will probably come back to a semblance of its one-time prosperity and fame, in consequence of its occupation by Italian troops under the Duke of Apulia.

MEXICAN EXECUTED

FLORENCE, Ariz., March 7 (AP)—Refugio Muelas, Mexican citizen, died on the state prison gallows here this morning, for the murder 14 months ago of Pedro Ornelas at Morenci, Ariz. The trap was sprung at 4:14 a. m. and Muelas was pronounced dead at 4:28 a. m.

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BRUSHING UP SPORTS By Laufer MOEBERG, CATCHER OF THE CHICAGO WHITE SOX IS THE INTELLECTUAL OF BASEBALL. HE SPEAKS SEVEN LANGUAGES. FRENCH: TU ES FOU! ITALIAN: VATTIENE FUORI DI QUESTA CITTA! SPANISH: LISTED ES UN LADRONE MUY GRANDE. YIDDISH: וויסן דיין זאך? GERMAN: WO IST DEIN PFERD, DU GROBER LUMP? POLISH: CZY ZE BIM JA CIE VIBIEL? GLOSSARY: FRENCH—YOU'RE CRAZY AS A BEDBUG! YIDDISH—WHAT'S THE MATTER, CAN YOU SEE, YOU BIG BLIND LUG? GERMAN—WHERE'S YOUR HORSE, YOU BIG UGLY BUM! ITALIAN—THEY OUGHT TO RUN YOU OUT OF TOWN! SPANISH—YOU'RE JUST A GREAT BIG SECOND STORY WORKER! POLISH—ARE YOU FISHING AROUND FOR A GOOD PUNCH IN THE NOSE?

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