



### Sense And Some NONSENSE -

By Dewey

Counting the blossoms of the February shipment of daffodils seems to be a popular pastime of many in this area, if remarks to the Pilot mean anything. Of the 29,500 pounds of blossoms sent out, some have come up with such figures as 2,200,000 on up. How many blossoms do you imagine this number of pounds would represent?

It has been quite a number of years since I've operated a slide rule, and my arithmetic doesn't

have that many numbers, so it will be my reaction to follow lines of least resistance—just be lazy and let others guess.

This much I will say, those blossoms, while yet in the field, represented quite a number of hours work, and planning, to say nothing about the letters which might have gone out to create the market. It tells me, too, that the flower business, if markets are established properly, will be exceedingly profitable to the good growers of this area.

Greyhound bus lines seemed well pleased that such revenue came to that line from this area. The superintendent of this division, who recently stopped in this area, expressed his delight in the progress of this area in the last couple or more years.

Visual education projector and the films therefor have been ordered, pending action of the local budget committee. Reason for this action is the hope that delivery will be made in time for beginning of school next fall.

Visual education has been advanced a lot in recent years. I know how much students will be benefitted from advantages of this assistance. I can look back at my school days—they haven't been too long ago—and think of how I would have liked to view pictures about some country I was studying in geography at the time.

In chemistry, physics, or any science in high school, think how much pictures of application of these sciences would mean to students. This revelation to the student, might, if a hypothetical case may be set up, be a deciding factor in the future work for the student.

World War 2 revealed the deficiencies of our educational systems. Remember how the boys who entered the air corps were forced to take primary work, or the subjects they should have completed in high school. Boys were compelled to complete the study of physics in a matter of six to eight weeks, which, in high schools, are spread over a whole school year.

I have always felt that our educational systems have been inadequate to prepare a student for life, and this goes for college as well as high school. Here is what I have found, in my years of experience in the newspaper field: Many firms prefer not to hire young college graduates, as well as engage high school graduates for the simple reason that too many of these young men have a misguided idea concerning their education and abilities.

Editor of the Peoria, Ill., Star once told me: "You college guys don't know what the score is. You have the idea that because you have a college degree that your education equals the experience you could have gained in the meantime. Business never is built on theories—it is based on cold fact—and you college fellows don't have it."

Future educational plans must be developed on the trade school idea if business and industry is to absorb more than 10% of the graduates of the colleges each year. Perhaps that may be a bit over-estimated.

Graduate engineers of the different colleges may know their mathematics, their engineering principles, but the moment any of these men are put in the field, immediately they find that they had seen no problems in the books to match what they now face.

Contentions of mine are: 1. A student in any line should, during his college career, work at the profession he expects to follow during vacations, and better yet, he should take six years to gain his degree, and work two years in the profession.

Graduates of journalism know how to write very good news

stories, many are really brilliant at the editorial desk, but they do not understand life. They do not understand how it must be done in different places. Certainly the style of journalism which would apply on a college newspaper, where these lads are being trained, would never apply in any small town, unless that particular town is populated by purely sophisticated college men and women.

I am not trying to indict high schools and colleges as failures. I am, however, maintain that neither high schools nor colleges include enough in the curriculums to really give the student the education he is entitled to. This comes back to visual education. If it is impossible to see first hand, then pictures must be shown to "clinch" the theory of the text book.

### Local News Items

Conner Kessler arrived last Thursday afternoon from Camp Stoneman, Calif., where he had been discharged from the army. He is now helping his father, Homer Kessler, at the Curry County Lumber Co.

Ty L. Hopgood, of Portland, representative of the Linotype Co., was a business caller here last Saturday evening and was a caller at the Pilot. His territory includes all of Oregon, southern Idaho to Twin Falls.

### Notice To Creditors

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executrix of the estate of Robert Henry Bunnell, deceased, by the Circuit Court of Klamath County, Oregon, and that all persons having claims against said estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same to said executrix at the office of the undersigned at 9 Loomis Building, Klamath Falls, Oregon, together with proper vouchers, within six months of the date of this notice.

Dated this 25th day of February, 1947. IDA MAY BUNNELL, J. C. O'Neill, attorney, Klamath Falls, Ore. 1-41

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