Buried Treasure

by Pinkney Gage

Burl Bowl With Wood Cover a Rare Product

"Dave! You're not going to get another salad bowl, surely!" Dave, standing in front of a kitchen utensils counter, was evidently quite unaware of what his wife was saying.

Dave cradled a large wooden bowl in his arm and carefully lifted off its cover.

"At last," he said, "I've actually found one." And without a word to his wife, walked swiftly to the cash register which presently rang up a $5 sale.

"Look at it, Martha," he said, returning.

Martha looked at it as if it were filled with dead mice, fixed him with a scornful look and clattered her high heels angrily out of the secondhand store.

"It's a beautiful piece of wood," I said as he started to hurry after her.

"Yes, it's that, all right," he replied noncommittally. "A good ash burl." He brightened visibly. "That's what makes it really worth while," And he was gone.

His remark didn't quite make sense to me, but it didn't take long to learn that he was right.

A burl bowl with a turned wood cover is a vary rare product of the 18th or early 19th Centuries. Simple as it is, such a household article commands a high price today. One man I met was happy to pay $300 for an ash burl bowl, 16 inches in diameter, with a turned cover of the same material.

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"That reminds me," said Tom, nodding towards the picture of a sailing ship on the back bar. "I've got a picture of a clipper ship home. A colored print about so big." He gestured with his hands to indicate a picture a couple of feet long.

"What's the name of it?" someone asked. "I got a collection of clipper ship pictures myself."

"I don't recall exactly," Tom replied. "But it was something about 'flying.' Let's see. The Flying . . ."

"Not 'The Flying Cloud,' was it?" broke in the florid-faced man, his voice edged with a sort curiosity.

"I don't know," Tom said. "It's been a couple of years since I took a look at it. All I remember for sure is the ship's under full sail in a greenish, following sea. Plenty of white caps, and a couple of other ships in the distance."

"Look here," said the other man. "You don't seem to care much for it, and it sounds like 'The Flying Cloud.' And I don't have one. So supposing I give you $25 for it."

Tom looked at him for a moment.

"All right, $50 then," the other said. "Sight unseen. Fifty dollars right now."

"No, I don't think so. Not now," Tom replied. But here. Give me your card and maybe I'll change my mind later."

Tom got the card, but didn't change his mind. When he got home that night he phoned me a description of the print. It was by N. Currier, dated 1852, a large folio size. Its value, my catalogues said, was $650.

"No wonder our friend was willing to make a gamble," said Tom.

EGYPTIAN MOTIF CAN UP VALUE OF GOBLET

Few things are more fascinating to watch than a skillful hostess steering the conversational boat away from shoal water.

Somehow we got on the highly explosive subject of Egyptians vs. Israelis, and as tempers began to rise, our hostess deftly went about the job of switching the topic.

"It seems like only yesterday," she said, "when King Tut instead of Nasser was the Egyptian making all the stir."

"In those days," growled one of the disputants, "the only Egyptian who could make a stir was a mummy."

"I know," she said, "and it was so much more peaceful. But King Tut even upset the world of fashion. Why, I remember a dress that . . ."

"But that isn't the first time, daughter, that Egyptian motifs have been popular. Just look at this." The interruption came from our hostess' mother. And as she placed a goblet on the table, I couldn't help thinking that she too, had moved into the conversation as smoothly as oil into jammed gears.

The goblet was of the usual size and shape, but there its similarity to most others of its kind ended. The outer surface of its bowl was ornamented with three panels. The one nearest me showed a palm tree and sphinx. The next one had more palms, a camel and some tents. The third, however, was unmistakably Greek. It not only showed the ruins of the Parthenon but identified them as such with a line of print below.

"This was quite a style back in the 1880," our hostess' mother continued. "At least, that's what my mother told me," she added, putting a noticeable emphasis on the possessive as she patted her hair.

I looked at the goblet more closely.

"It's a funny looking thing," said one of those who had been quite heated about the Egyptians and Israelis. He handled it awkwardly as he picked it up.

"Maybe so," said our hostess' mother, giving him a gimlet-eyed look. "But I had a hard time replacing two that were broken some time ago, and when I found them, I had to pay $10 each."

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The object of the program will be to suppress hail in the area outlined below. The equipment to be used will be silver iodide (AgI), coke-burning generators. The fuel used will be coke impregnated with silver iodide (AgI).

The period of operations will be from on or before April 1, 1956 to on or about October 15, 1956.

The area to be affected will be that area outlined below:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of Township 39 South, Range 1 East of the Willamette Meridian in Jackson County, Oregon; thence West to the Southwest corner of Township 39 South, Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian; thence North to the Northwest corner of Township 39 South, Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian; thence West to the Southwest corner of Township 38 South, Range 2 West of the Willamette Meridian; thence North to the Southwest corner of Township 36 South, Range 2 West of the Willamette Meridian; thence West to the Southwest corner of Township 36 South, Range 4 West of the Willamette Meridian; thence North to the Northwest corner of Township 35 South, Range 4 West of the Willamette Meridian; thence East to the Southwest corner of Township 34 South, Range 1 East of the Willamette Meridian; thence North to the Northwest corner of Township 33 South, Range 1 East of the Willamette Meridian; thence East to the Northeast corner of Township 33 South, Range 2 East of the Willamette Meridian; thence South to the Southeast corner of Township 33 South, Range 2 East of the Willamette Meridian; thence West to the Southwest corner of Township 33 South, Range 2 East of the Willamette Meridian; thence South to the point of beginning, all in Jackson County, Oregon.

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Real Estate Agency Opens New Office

The Vandagrift-Leever agency has moved into new office space in the recently completed D'Anjou building, 328 South Central ave.

The agency is operated by C. C. (Cap) Vandagrift and William (Bill) Leever, who said the firm would handle all types of real estate and general insurance as a "personalized service."

Vandagrift has been associated with real estate business in the valley for five years, prior to which he was an automobile and office equipment salesman. He has lived in the area most of his life and is a graduate of Medford High school.

Leever, a graduate of Ashland High school, formerly was associated in business with his father, Earl C. Leever, at Leever Motors, and a hardware store here. His father recently moved to Phoenix, Ariz., with a brother, Dick. Leever's grandfather was the late W. C. (Con) Leever, former county commissioner and former mayor of Central Point.

Vandagrift and Leever said they have studied features of real estate trends in other localities on the west coast and in Arizona.

They said they plan to develop two or three areas in and near Medford, including Comice village, a subdivision near the new Jefferson school, which will be divided into 31 lots with ranch style family homes.

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