

Trade Winds

BY P. E. G. QUERCUS

M. K. showed us a quotation, "Without books God is silent," ascribed to Thomas V. Bartholin. Who was this? Was it the Danish anatomist and gland-explorer of the 17th century? It is odd that in all the recent tohubohu about the D.A.R. no one has thought to reprint Grant Wood's gorgeous painting, *Daughters of the Revolution*, which threw them into fits some years ago. Old Q. is obliquely reminded of a dreadful thing he heard of lately. In a peaceful hotel in the West 40's, whose name is that of a well known mathematician, a number of ladies of innocently earnest and righteous mien were gathered at a lunch table. It was evidently a cultural klatsch or perhaps someone's 25th wedding jubilee. Well snugged in all their gear, and tilted hats bobbing with colloquy, they were superbly the types specialized by a talented New Yorker artist. So much so that a passer-by could not resist: he tipped a waiter to go into the room and announce to madam president an urgent message:—"Love and kisses from Helen Hokinson." Among a good many odd things we have seen lately were some of Mark Twain's letters about his law-suit with John Wanamaker of Philadelphia.

News on Baker Street

It is good news that Mr. Vincent Starrett has accepted the editorship of the volume 221 B, being some transactions of the Baker Street Irregulars, and is preparing the copy for publication. This year, as noted before, is the 50th anniversary of the first publication of Sherlock Holmes in this country. It was the late Joseph M. Stoddart, the brilliant managing editor of *Lippincott's Magazine* in the 80's and 90's, who got Conan Doyle, Oscar Wilde, Kipling, Amelie Rives, James Lane Allen, Julian Hawthorne, John Habberton and many others for his magazine. Stoddart (1845-1920) were, we believe, his "dates") was a lively fellow. He began at Lippincott's as a youngster; had some soldier experience in the Civil War; then started a subscription book business of his own which included such ventures as Max Adeler's *Out of the Hurly Burly* (illustrated by a young artist named A. B. Frost) and T. S. Arthur's *Ten Nights in a Bar Room*. He leased a theatre and produced Gilbert & Sullivan. He published the famous American reprint of the 9th edition *Encyclopædia Britannica*. He brought Oscar Wilde over here for a lecture tour. He invented new magazines every few years.

We are guilelessly pleased by a letter from a lady in North Carolina who says her family always refer to the S.R.L. as the Leg, because that's what she'd rather lose than miss one issue. A pleasant coincidence was that while talking about Kipling's soldier stories (with an editor in a bar on 47 Street) past the window went a truck with the name *Tommy Atkins* on it. This was sufficiently surprising; more so was to see the same truck (or one just like it) a few hours later, the same day, at Penn Station.

Among excellent enterprises is that of the committee raising money to put up a new building for the Community Church ("which knows not sect, class, nation or race") of which John Haynes Holmes has been minister now for 32 years. If we remember correctly, the fire that partly destroyed the former edifice (Park Avenue and 34th Street) started during a centennial service in memory of Walt Whitman, in 1919. Men and women of some 40 different nationalities belong to Mr. Holmes's congregation. This is the kind of church the world needs. At the birthday dinner given John Haynes Holmes last autumn messages arrived,

among many others, from Einstein, Gandhi, Herbert Lehman and Helen Keller. Those interested will be glad to know the address of the Community Church committee, 51 East 42 St., N. Y. City, Peter Grimm chairman.

Old Q., impoverished for space, can only print very brief poems, but is glad to comply with C. G.'s request for the Toast written a good many years ago by an old friend and skilful benefactor, the lyrical surgeon Jim Burgess, D.D.S.:—

*Here's to man, the cooing dove,
The faithful slave, the doting sire—
Who sacrifices all for Love—
Let him tell it, the G. d. liar!*

JAMES KENDALL BURGESS.

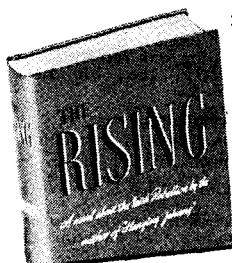
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"As they were carrying the very decrepit coffin from one building to the other and had got halfway across, the bottom fell out and out came John Trumbull! Of course there was great consternation but the janitor of the school, a crabby old fellow named Enos, had a bright idea. He rushed out with a dustpan and broom and swept John Trumbull back into the coffin, which was turned upside down for the purpose, and the removal proceeded satisfactorily."

The New Books

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have an absolute control over mankind. "On the Frontier" fulfills more definitely and more effectively what was only tentative in the earlier plays of Auden and Isherwood. They have discarded theatrical effects which, though amusing, were clearly the marks of clever tyros, not of experienced dramatists, and which, as a result, marred the basic unity of conception. Through greater concentration on the immediate problem they not only have heightened the dramatic suspense, but have given greater depth to their treatment of the subject.

J. G. S.

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DIRECTIONS	DEFINITIONS	WORDS
<p>To solve this puzzle, you must guess twenty-five words, the definitions of which are given in the column headed DEFINITIONS. The letters in each word to be guessed are numbered. These numbers appear under the dashes in the column headed WORDS. There is a dash for each letter in the required word. The key letters in the squares are for convenience, indicating to which word in the definitions each letter in the diagram belongs. When you have guessed a word, fill it in on the dashes; then write each letter in the corresponding numbered square on the puzzle diagram. When the squares are all filled in you will find (by reading from left to right) a quotation from a famous author. Reading up and down the letters mean nothing. The black squares indicate ends of words; therefore words do not necessarily end at the right side of the diagram.</p> <p>When the column headed WORDS is filled in, the initial letters spell the name of the author and the title of the piece from which the quotation has been taken. Authority for spelling and definitions is Webster's New International Dictionary (second edition).</p>	A. Ankle.	108 35 77 95 9 147
	B. "Ox-eyed" goddess (Gr.).	148 133 3 25
	C. Sect of Mohammedan purists.	13 53 131 125 59 128
	D. Feverish, filled with excitement.	170 21 1 48 183 90
	E. Railed bitterly.	49 101 18 2 122 26 87 115 135
	F. Savage.	159 68 138 164 180 56 116 24
	G. Sharpened.	120 158 27 168 70
	H. House sparrow (comp.).	63 64 109 61 104 78 149 113
	I. Not fully prepared (colloq. comp.).	160 17 37 72 151 103 105 139 185 89
	J. Flux and reflux.	132 60 117 51 119 111 30
	K. Compromise in religion or philosophy.	169 181 23 99 45 76 67 175 31 156
	L. Alaskan codfish.	173 65 121 137 129 14
	M. Extended beyond.	41 84 178 10 19 102 142 34 186
	N. Highly seasoned meat stews.	28 91 20 146 11 36 118
	O. Forestalled; anticipated.	150 88 162 94 134 176 112 75
	P. Scottish Highland city.	83 126 184 73 144 172 123 42 7
	Q. Gelatin pudding containing chestnuts.	54 157 98 47 69 57 82 80 127 163
	R. English poet and author (1859-1907).	40 177 106 50 86 12 152 141
	S. Another name for Esther.	179 140 55 43 96 16 8 79
	T. Ebb and flow.	161 66 136 155 124
	U. Giving a vague, misty appearance (painting) (It.).	15 166 46 85 22 130 171
	V. Inclination; drift.	5 29 39 52 71 107 93 165
	W. Bizarre; uncouth.	6 44 81 182 100 74 58 32 154 174
	X. Reunion with Brahma (Hindu).	153 62 92 33 4 110 143
	Y. God in Book of Job.	97 167 145 38 114

The solution of last week's Double Crostic will be found on page 18 of this issue.