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BOOK FRONT

BETWEEN TWO WORLDS. By Upton Sinclair. (The Viking Press. \$3.00).

Only last year Upton Sinclair published his best seller World's End which sketched the end of the world of the 1910's and conveyed the reader to the new world of the turbulent twenties.

The Story of 'World's End'

In World's End the reader was taken into the life of Lanny Budd, the fictitious American youth, the illegitimate son of a wealthy American munitions maker and a lovely model, from a thirteen-year-old lad to the secretary of the American delegation to the peace conferences.

Around the life of Lanny Budd, in World's End, was interwoven the history of the teens with such personalities as George Bernard Shaw, Woodrow Wilson, Lincoln Steffens, Isadora Duncan, Zaharoff, George D. Herron vividly painted into the scene.

From Adolescence to Manhood

Between Two Worlds continues the story of Lanny Budd from adolescence to manhood; with artist's model, mistress of munitions maker Robbie Budd, mother of Lanny, alias Mrs. Detaze, alias Mme. Dingle persisting in her rapturous love-hungry life just as she did in World's End but with a bit more stability, still looking to her

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"SAVA" INVITES YOU

CHICAGO. — This Sunday the singing society "Sava" will present its annual Spring Concert at the SNPJ hall. Savans have prepared a fine program. You can convince yourself of that by turning to the inside pages of this issue where the entire program is printed.

CONSUMER'S NOTES

A Column of Useful Household

BUYING A REFRIGERATOR THIS SPRING?

Check the size, as well as the price, when you buy a refrigerator, advises the Consumers' Guide, publication of the Consumers' Council Division of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Experts say a 3 cubic foot refrigerator is minimum size for 2 people, and a family of 4 will need a 6 cubic foot refrigerator.

You also have to take your special needs into consideration. If you live within a stone's throw of the grocery store, this space may be sufficient.

Lanny Returns to Politics

Lanny, who in World's End returned to the Riviera determined that if he cannot save the world he would not be a part in its destruction, finds himself in Between Two Worlds once again involved in political escapades, going to the extent of being evicted from Mussolini's Italy because of his anti-fascist sympathies and his "pink" leaning.

History parades through chapter after chapter in this book. Sinclair forcefully reviews the story of those hectic days; men who played a part in those tumultuous, mad 1920's re-enact their roles in Between Two Worlds.

Fascinating and intriguing One need not read World's End to enjoy Sinclair's latest literary achievement; nor need he have a synopsis of what has gone before the present volume.

WHY NOT?

Diner: "Waiter, look at this piece of chicken on my plate. It's nothing but skin and bone!" Waiter (inquiringly): "Yes, sir. Did you—did you want some of the feathers too?"

ATTEND

SAVA'S CONCERT SUNDAY, MAY 11

At SNPJ Hall, 2657 S. Lawndale Ave. Selections by entire chorus and "Sava octette"—solo numbers—and operetta "Snubaci"

Social Security and the New Job



In the central office of the Social Security Board each employee's wages are recorded on a separate ledger sheet which has his name and Social Security number.

Wages of each employee covered by old-age and survivors insurance are credited to his account every three months as employers' reports are received by the Social Security Board.

However, if some discrepancy turns up in the name or account number, the ledger sheet will not clear the machines used for posting wages.

Don't Take Them To Bed

The worries and troubles of trade union officials and committeemen very often make them go home as grumpy as a bear with a sore head.

You may labor your full, friend of mine, if you will; You may worry a bit if you must. You may treat your affairs as a series of cares.

MOTORISTS NOTICE!

A road-sign painter suggested the following signs for railroad crossings: "Come ahead. You're unimportant."

"Try our engines. They satisfy." "Don't stop. Nobody will miss you."

Fallacy: Milk is a perfect food. Fact: There is no one food now known which contains all the nutrients necessary for health.

This necessitates asking the employer to check back on his records and frequently he must call on the employee, if still in his employ, to get the correct information.

Since the amount of insurance benefits for the worker or his family will be based on his wages, it is important that the Social Security Board's record of his wages be accurate and complete.

Another Boost for Novak's Dictionary

CHICAGO.—Slovensko Samostojno Podporno Društvo, an independent fraternal society of Waukegan, Ill., sent me a check for \$68.05, last week designating \$50.00 as its contribution for aiding the publication of Novak's dictionary and ordering 5 copies of the great book for the balance of the amount.

Now the movement for publication of this dictionary is in full swing all over America and our public institutions as well as all those who can afford it, are urged to help us attain this fine goal as soon as possible.

Man-Bites-Dog Dept.

The coal operators are responsible for the shut-down in the bituminous industry, Dr. John R. Steelman, federal conciliator, announces.

MORE SPEED!

In days of yore, if anyone missed a stagecoach, he was contented to wait two or three days for the next one. Now, he lets out a squawk if he misses one section of a revolving door.

IN THE NEWS

COAL STRIKE SETTLED

Both the northern and southern coal operators have agreed to increase wages \$1 a day under the contract which has returned 400,000 miners back to work. They have been on strike since April 2.

NEW YORK TIMES SIGNS FIRST GUILD CONTRACT

The New York Times, the paper which prints "all the news that's fit to print," recently saw fit to sign its first contract with the CIO American Newspaper Guild.

FROM U. S. DEPT. OF LABOR

More than 16,000 men and women workers were killed on the job and a million and a half were seriously injured last year. These accidents and disease deprived the country of a billion and a half man-hours of production.

REACHING FOR THE MOON

"Going up!" The cost of living is reaching for the moon. It already has increased to a point where it is a real problem for the housewife to make her marketing dollars stretch to cover her family's needs.

emphasized last week in a report by Dr. Isidor Lubin, commissioner of labor statistics, showing that during the last year the cost of foodstuffs has increased 22 1/2 per cent.

RAILS REDUCE RATE FOR MEN IN UNIFORM

A special rate of 1 1/4 cents a mile for round-trip travel in coaches is to be established by the nation's railroads on May 1 for men in the military service, President J. J. Pelley of the Association of American Railroads disclosed last week.

250,000 NOW DRAWING ON SOCIAL SECURITY

John J. Corson, director of the Bureau of Old Age and Survivors' Insurance of the Social Security Board, reported in New York that 250,000 beneficiaries were now drawing monthly payments and the number was increasing at the rate of 25,000 to 30,000 a month.

OPPOSES "COOL-OFF" BILL

CIO President Philip Murray's prompt and vigorous condemnation of the Vinson Bill (HR 4139) focused immediate attention upon this piece of anti-union and anti-strike legislation.

The bill imposes a compulsory "Cooling-off" period of twenty-five days before action could be taken on a strike vote, freezes existing wages and open shop conditions throughout industry and would virtually put an end to organization of non-union shops.

SAVA NOTES By A. SAVANKA

A few days back it seemed a long time since we started preparation for our Spring concert, but now that May 11 is almost here, it seems too soon, although every song is in its finished state and readiness for the best possible presentation.

Sava's President John Rak, and Secretary Joe Turpin are kept busy these weeks with final preparations, so that not only a good concert will be rendered to our audience, but also the best services at the bar, in the kitchen and on the dance floor.

Mr. and Mrs. Muha have been devoting much extra time coaching the players cast in "Snubaci" so that they are becoming so well versed in their individual parts that one will believe, when seeing them enact and sing the entertaining and delightful operetta, that they have been performing on the stage innumerable times.

The obligato arrangement to the well-known and loved "Rozmarin" which will be sung with soprano solo, was especially written for our chorus by Ralph Muha, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Muha.

The Octette has been having its share of do-re-mi-, and Stephen Foster's "Jeanie with the Light Brown Hair" has borne its members on many tuneful trippings on the waves of song.

Stephen Foster's life began in the year 1826 and ended 1864, which is a short period of only 38 years, which was also a tragic one.

background and when he reached manhood and realized his talents it was too late to learn to write with the mind as well as with the heart.

The following verse tells in very beautiful and poetic form the powers of song.

"Where is Pain and dire Distress, Songs shall soothe like soft caress; Though the stoutest courage fails, Song's an anchor in all gales; When all others fail to reach, Song shall be the thrilling speech; Love and friends and comfort fled, Song shall linger by your bed; And when Doubt shall question, Why? Song shall lift you to the sky."

Yovan Yovanovich Zmay is the author of the above tribute to song, which was translated into English by Robt. Underwood Johnson.

Popular Demonstration

CHICAGO.—After shattering all known visitor records for Chicago demonstration houses outside the World's Fair, Commonwealth Edison company's Home for Electric Living at 3305 North Marshfield avenue will close its doors for the last time on Sunday, June 1.

War

"War perverts the abundance which civilized life produces to carry on the uncivilized part to a greater extent. It draws from the poor a greater part of those earnings which should be applied to their own subsistence and comfort. Destroy the ability of the people to buy and you destroy the seller."

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