

GREAT EVENT FOR MOSLEMS

Gala Day When the "Procession of the Holy Carpet" Leaves Cairo for City of Mecca.

Always picturesque, Cairo is never more fascinating than during the "Procession of the Holy Carpet." In the bazaar we watch the barefooted workmen embroidering, holding the cloth in their toes, which appear to be prehensile, or watch them go to the nearest mosque to bathe five times a day. As many times a day also from the minarets of mosques the muezzins are reminding the natives of the approaching festival, and that "God is great, there is no God but God, and Mohammed is his prophet. Come to Prayer."

Howling dervishes are dancing in the mosque near the Square of Sultan Hasan, while devout Moslems are engaged in eventide prayer on their housetops. Water carriers are on the way to the yellow Nile for water, or are bearing wine in their goatskins the same as in Biblical times, while aged men in the mosques are appareled exactly as in Abraham's day.

The streets are filled with soldiers, while thousands of civilians attend the ceremonial held in the sacred prophetic enclosure in the great square near the citadel. The enclosure is a pyramidal wooden structure covered with embroidered stuffs emblazoned with the Koran. Here the people receive the blessings of the prophet, together with special dispensations and sacred talismans.

The khedive and his dignitaries are all present to formally start the caravan and its military escort toward Mecca, in far-off Arabia. The people press forward to touch the sacred inclosure, kissing it with fervor. Women let down their shawls and face veils from the windows, as the procession at last starts. Following it are the pilgrims who will accompany the carpet to the sanctuary in the mosque at Mecca, and who will return later with the same caravan to Cairo, bearing the carpet of the previous year.

Marriage in Bulgaria.

Since Bulgaria's unconditional surrender to the allies the men of her armies have been straggling homeward and many weddings are being celebrated in consequence.

Bulgarian methods of entertaining before the wedding do not differ materially from those of other nations except that the bride instead of having her trousseau carefully put away in the "hope chest," from which she only takes it for the privileged few, hangs it up on cords which are stretched across the main room of the house. Here it is viewed by all the matrons of the town, while the bride and the maidens dance before the door and remain there until the matrons have given their full criticism of each garment, and if they disapprove of them the girls must help the bride make them over until "suitable."

Instead of rice, corn as an emblem of plenty, is showered over the bride and groom, who are escorted to their home with many ceremonies and they are virtually imprisoned within its doors.

New Uses of Raw Products.

The Weltmarkt directs attention to new uses of some raw products. If Holland a useful gum or paste is being made from garlic. The bulbs are pressed and the juice or fluid matter so obtained is thickened by inspissation. A good substitute for cork is obtained from certain fungi, which are dried and ground, mixed with cement and consolidated by pressure. In Norway a process has been patented to enable carbide to be used for driving motors. In Denmark a company has been floated to make briquettes from heather. These have a higher heat value than peat. Experiments are being made to use chalk marl, especially that which comes from the Limburg mines, as a manure.

Notice of Guardian's Sale of Real Property

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Marion County. In the matter of the estate and person of Theodore Gehlen, a Minor.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County made and issued on the 26th day of May, 1919 by said court, duly empowering and licensing Bernard Gehlen, as guardian of the above named estate and person of said Theodore Gehlen, a minor, to sell certain real property belonging to the above named estate of said minor and in said order described, at private sale, the said Bernard Gehlen from and after the 30th day of June, 1919, at the hour of two o'clock, p. m., will proceed to sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, at the law office of V. A. Goode, Stayton, Marion County, Oregon, the said real property described as follows, to-wit: An undivided one-sixth interest or part of Lots Nos. 7 and 8 in block No. 5 of Ottomier Luetlich addition to the Town of Stayton, Marion County, Oregon, as shown by the plat of said addition now on file and of record in the Recorder's office of Marion County, Oregon.

Terms of sale: cash in hand. Dated this 26th day of May, 1919. Bernard Gehlen, Guardian of the estate and person of Theodore Gehlen, a Minor. V. A. Goode, Attorney for said Estate. First publication, May 29, 1919. Last " June 26, 1919.

ISHII'S DEPARTURE MEANS WHAT?



Conflicting versions of the impending return of Viscount Ishii, the Japanese ambassador, to Tokyo, announced by the Japanese embassy, are the subject of animated speculation in American official and diplomatic circles.

According to the embassy, the ambassador is going home on leave to consult with his government on various questions relating to the relations of the United States and Japan, and is expected to return to Washington to resume his duties. The embassy was at pains to emphasize that there is no friction between the American and Japanese governments which might account for it.

The other version of the incident is that the ambassador has been recalled by his government, is taking his family with him, and will not return to Washington.

Viscount Ishii was sent to Washington by the Terauchi government, an imperialistic and militaristic ministry, which was driven from power a few months ago by popular disapproval of the Siberian adventure. Although Viscount Ishii successfully negotiated the Lansing-Ishii agreement, in which the United States recognized the special interest of Japan in China, he is said to be out of favor with the present Hara ministry, controlled by his political opponents.

NANSEN TO FEED STARVING RUSSIA



Dr. Fridtjof Nansen of Norway, head of the commission appointed by the peace conference to feed Russia, is famous by reason of his arctic explorations and experiences. His "Farethest North" (1897), which tells of his drifting for two years on the Fram, is his best-known book. Doctor Nansen's letter to Wilson, Lloyd George, Clemenceau and Orlando, suggesting the commission, reads in part:

"The present food situation in Russia, where hundreds of thousands of people are dying pothily from sheer starvation and disease, is one of the problems now uppermost in all men's minds. As it appears that no solution of this food question has so far been reached in any delegation, I would like to make a suggestion from a neutral point of view for the benefit of this gigantic misery, on purely humanitarian grounds.

"It would appear to me possible to organize a purely humanitarian committee for the provisioning of Russia, the foodstuffs and medical supplies to be paid for, perhaps to some considerable extent, by Russia itself, the justice of distribution to be guaranteed by a committee. The general make-up of the commission would be guaranteed by Norwegian, Swedish, and possibly Dutch, Danish, and Swiss nationalities.

"It does not appear that the existing authorities in Russia would refuse the intervention of such a committee of a wholly nonpolitical order, devoted solely to the humanitarian service of saving life."

Doctor Nansen in conclusion points out that such a commission would raise no question of political negotiations.

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Taxes Drive Out Estates.

There are, or were before the war, nearly 1,000 great country estates scattered over Great Britain, many of which have now been closed because of the huge taxation. Of these sixty may be classed as private palaces, for each required a staff of from 200 to 600 servants and attendants. Outside of the household servants there were many men employed as caretakers for the grounds, gardens, parks, coverts, outbuildings and stables. — Rocky Mountain News.

On London's 'Bus Tickets.

By simplifying the system of tickets given to London's omnibus passengers a saving of 100 tons of paper pulp a year was effected. — Indianapolis News.

The Fishing Worm.

William Drake is a little fellow living in Eastern avenue. Birds, fishing worms, crickets and spiders are strange creations to him, this year and he has not been fully able to determine just what kind of noises they make when happy and when angry. A few days ago William was watching a neighbor woman prepare ground for flowers. An unusually large fishing worm came to the surface.

"What is that?" William asked excitedly.

"That is a fishing worm."

"Well, I thought I heard her going 'tweet, tweet' a while ago when you commenced digging," he said, and ran to tell his mamma of the strange animal. — Indianapolis News.

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