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Nations are at each other's throats. The torch is lighted and plied. Twenty-one million men

THE LAST TO GO ECULIAR significance attaches

SHAT.

ing in the sum of \$10,000, which shall be conditioned upon the faith- visible under the bandages. And they lows they used to know-around Sest-

-and he looked pleased.

-just as though-he hadn't-suc-

cumbed to Mammon-and gone to San

-and dreamed that Kenny-spoke to

-and Kenny said-it came in \$2 bot-

¶ And Lloyd asked-what that had

-and Kenny said-"Well-I've got

-and I asked why-and he said:

that-I knew I was sound asleep-and

Letters From the People

(Communications sent to The Journal fo

"LISTEN, Rex-When Joe said ago.

back in his pocket.

front.

of the richest farm communities in SILVER LAKE LEADER: The the. United States.

opening of 143,686 acres of land to nomestead entry in the Silver lake KLAMATH PALLS HERALD: The Want ads. country will be another impetus to people of Klamath Falls and vicinity our prosperity. The capping climax should be pleased to note the work to the energy of our country now that is being done for this end of SECTION THREE would be the coming of a railroad, the state in the fostering of railroad Good supand that is sure to be with us ere interest in this section. Photoplay news. long. Traffic Manager Hardy, of port and considerable interest is be the Oregon Trunk lines, told us while ing taken by the Portland papers In stageland. here this week that our freight ton- Chamber of Commerce and business Editorial. nage is getting to be something admen of the metropolis who have gallery-with some pictures-out in This is a splendid admis- visited this section, and it all means mirable. sion from a railroad man, for they that with the work continued along WAnd there was Kenny Beaton-the talk but very little. It is only the this line that we will get what we matter of a short time when we will want sconer than we would otherhave the railroad. wise.

What's doing in good roads field. Marine news and gossip.

under arms, are ravaging, burning and destroying. Beautiful and ancient edifices and priceless works of art are dynamited.

The continent is on fire, and great governments, instead of trying to extinguish the flames, are exercising every resource to feed the fires. Productive industry is robbed of its regiments of workers. Wealth is being burned up under the fury of madmen. Lives are sacrificed with the ferocity of wild beasts. There never was such a tearing down, such a devastating process, and it is the work of governments.

The pictures of Europe and America-how different they are! ,As the devastation in Europe is

he work of the rulers, so the constructive and peaceful endeavor in the United States is under the leadership of one man. He is a country builder. What if he were a Caesar!

A FIT PLAN

HE concert of action by the its mobilization camp Johnnie Clem Washington government and secreted himself in a baggage car pan-American powers as to and the following day climbed out Mexico assumes practical at Covington, Ky., tired, hungry,

It is a fit plan, Too much has That was the way Colonel Clem been made of the so-called obliga- go' into the army. Refusing to be tions of the United States and too sent back home, he was taken two years ago; failures less numer- there is a true and courageous aclittle has been made of the duty along as a sort of combination ous; unemployment dwindling; good count of what is actually going on of pan-America as to Muxico. The Mexican problem is not an drummer boy. The soldiers rigged exclusively American problem. If him out in a uniform and pro-It is a problem for anybody outside vided him with a drum and a of Mexico, it is as much a pan- sawed-off musket. He was a sol-American problem as a problem d'er, even though a child.

If the disorders were in Canada entrance examination in 1871, the instead of Mexico they would not young man was made a second be considered an American prob- lieutenant in the regular army by iem. If civil war and confusion President Grant. He became a reigned in the United States no- captain in 1882, a major in 1895 body in America would demand and a colonel in 1903. That ex- friend of the accused. Is it not that Mexico, or Germany or Japan plains why Colonel Clem is the the true theory of public position invade us with armies to restore last to go.

order. The loud calls for us to make war for restoration of peace in Mexico are from partisan moor from American exploiters of Mexico.

Lincoln's action in Mexico was like Woodrow Wilson's action. In invading the Pacific Northwest's best cattle sections and they are a message to congress he said: Mexico continues to be a theatre purchasing practically all the good expected to wear. war. While our political cattle they can secure. of civil

relations with that country have Just now the purchasing moveundergone no change, we have at the same time, strictly maintained ment is in Idaho, whence comies Mexico appears to be imminent, of the Frankfurt newspaper is to be facts at hand, the Portland board of between the belligerents, a large percentage of the best watch the noisy "defenders" of neutrality The concert of action now in cattle marketed in Portland. Total progress is a fit program for Mex- supplies of cattle in the Northwest guns and hurry to the front. But ico. It is the hemisphere's effort are smaller than normal and the don't blame your eyes if you can't After the War," and discusses the spirit of braggadocio. for humanity. It is the endeavor added shipments to the east are see them. of all the republics to assist the expected to affect the price of distracted and disheveled Mexicans beef at coast points in the late

in getting back to the moorings of season. self government. The Washington government

could have adopted no better plan. nia-fed Mexican cattle to Portland We have always been distrusted for sale in the open market, if

to a Washington dispatch GOVERNOR AND BE FILED saying that Colonel John L. OF STATE. Clem, U. S. A., will be on the retired list tomorrow. Colonel now on the active list. He is 64 governor. years old today, the age fixed by law at which officers of the army must retire. He is the last to go. which disbanded half a century that he would never approve it. ago. The men in the ranks long He defies the law. since dropped out of the rosters, but many of the officers remained

in the nation's active service. directed by law? Their duties were such that years were not a handicap. Their experience was valuable to the serv-

ice. Colonel Clem was 10 years old when President Lincoln issued his first call for volunteers. The boy near relative to interfere when he Their reviews of trade contain the sought 'to' "enlist" in the Third following:

Ohio infantry. He was refused, but when the regiment started for

continue to improve; pig iron quotather strength in steel products; metal manufacturing lines more active; shipbuilding active as never before: and dirty. lumber, coal and lewelry reviving;

crops in prospect regimental mascot and emergency with business, and who have the confidence of business men. Their

for the United States. Failing to pass the West Point prosperity fact.

A STUDY IN BEEF tives, from war-at-any-cost people. TTTAR in Europe has created

a new situation in the livestock trade. Chicago and fused to be a leading movie lady other eastern buyers are because she prefers her typewriter.

Still there is the possibility that she didn't like the dress she was Now that real trouble with

----fects through shipment of Califor- bition state before long.

There is much complaint by without initiative and far behind the censor board. pan-America. The seizure of the eastern interests find they can movie men of the local censorship. times in their methods. As for the of what the censors

¶ And Joe stopped-two or three courses, all the saving and the skilled THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY times-to write some jokes-that Lloyd organizing-yes, and all the heroic made him think of. The bond has been executed by endurance-cannot prevent the eye of -and LloydAdon't know-what they State Engineer Lewis, and has, as common sense from perceiving that were.

Clem is the only Civil war veteran the law directs, been handed to the a perfectly enormous wastage of blood q And they went out-and were and wealth is draining the vitality walking along. -and they came to a photograph

But the governor refuses to ap- of the belligerents. prove it. He refuses to have any-

Some remarkably frank utterances thing to do with it. He is quoted The retirement of Colonel Clem as declaring at this week's meet- on this subject were recently made only man that ever made-any money visualizes the passage of that army ing of the highway commission by the Frankfurter Zeitung. They -with town gossip. had a double significance, appearing as they did in a newspaper holding -of Billie Burke. Should state road funds be ex- such close relations to German banking and the great commerce. The pended in violation of law or as

text for its remarks it found in the Kenny. debate in the house of lords, when it was said that the huge war loans, Francisco. A PROSPERITY FACT piled up on each other, pointed

UNS and Bradstreets agree straight to the bankruptcy of Europe. Portland-he had a dream. that business conditions and to possible revolution on top of throughout the country have that. The Frankfurter echoed this him-out of the picture. materially improved and that word. To be sure, as in duty bound -- saying-he had a new way-to

was an orphan, and there was no greater improvement is certain. it made out's worse case for England the war. ¶ And Lloyd asked-what it was. than Germany. Besides, Germany might count upon victory to yield Business headway sustained de- her a great money indemnity; while ties-and was guaranteed-to prevent serve for our city freedom for the prespite discouraging weather in some in England every hope of that kind melting. parts of the country; basic conditions had long since been buried. This is tions for distant deliveries rising; fur- an example of the "bluff" of which to do-with the war. we spoke above; all the warring na--and Kenny said-"Can't you seethe key to the situation-is the Dardations furnish samples of it.

nelles? . . -and Lloyd said-"Y-e-s." export trade heavy; time money plen-tiful but firmer; collections better; But in the following from the Frankfurter Zeitung there is no bluff: bank clearings larger than one and the whole situation-hottled up." in Germany, despite all that we have bottle. These are the reports of exbeen told of the marvellous power -when Joe Gilbert said-"Come on perienced investigators throughout of German "organization" in wringing -Lloyd-I'll buy a drink. the country, men who are in touch prosperity out of war: ¶ And Lloyd told me-he put the \$2

"Our productive labor has in good part shrunk away, while millions of statement is an incontrovertible the most skilled men are now di-

verted into manufacture of war supdreaming." plies. And what we make is no A prosecuting official in the longer productive goods which till Portland police court declined to now meant new values and an enconduct a case against a man on largement of our national wealth. trial on the ground that he is a Where we formerly built houses, facpublication in this department should be w ten on only one side of the paper, should exceed 800 words in length and must be tories, machines, canals, merchant ships, now we produce only war ma- companied by the name and address of the sender. If the writer does not desire to have that the official is without enemies terial of every kind; the work of our to punish or friends to reward?

the name published, he should so state.) hands disappears in the air as powder and lead. We are using up our The young woman who was resources, our capital. \* \* \* We crowned queen of beauty at the save, but we create no new reserves. San Francisco exposition, has re-. Unless reason comes to the countries of Europe, we are

steering for European bankruptcy. The saying of the English lords, as we have explained it, we accept." ....

A sort of sidelight on this article found in one printed at about the censors-or at least some of them-America's honor shoulder their same time in the Berliner Tageblatt. played not in good judgment. A few or It is entitled, "The World Market them even manifested an exaggerated

In their relentless expurgation of the good chance that Germany will have so-called objectionable features in to regain and even enlarge her for- films, these over-zealous moralists Up in Washington they see eign trade. Hope is pinned to the have outrivaled Anthony Comstock and snakes that catch 12-inch trout. superior organizing and technical Madam Grundy. Censor boards are generally conceived in the minds of Though there are bearish ef- But Washington will be a prohi- ability of Germans. English com- itual cave dwellers. Reaction and repetition is dismissed on the ground pression are the inevitable goals of a that England's manufacturers are board clothed with the powers of our

Most movie fans are not so fearfal may eliminate the canal zone, in which we tore secure theaper cattle elsewhere They insist that it is czar-like, ar. Americana. Germany has no reason from the comedy films; they are more

-and he was between two pictures concerned over the laceration of the from having any share or part in masterpieces of Tolstoy, Victor Hugo that life. and other great writers. I have been Unemplo Unemployment and poverty are se ¶ And Lloyd and Joe-talked about

vere arraignments of civilization. What has not the common man done informed that one of Tolstoy's works was "chopped" by the Portland board. for his country? He made the roads Think of it. Movie fans do not want a censor farmed the land, settled the cities, board. They are in favor of abolishbuilt the cathedrals: and just common men manned the ships and dis-¶ And after Lloyd came back-to ing our present board. They have concovered America. fidence enough in Dave Griffith, Mack Now the common man wanders Sennett, the Inces and Frank Powell

forth in the land homeless in to know that these directors have the business acumen not to hazard putting increasing numbers, the jest and ridiout a film that may meet the discule of society, the sport of civilization, and is talked about as if he approval of the great body of theatrewere a beast. Is the working man a free man or Let all movie fans who desire to pre-

a slave? In the war zone he is the savior of his country. Kipling wrote hangnails-or keep ice cream-from sentation of masterpiece films, attend the meeting at the Empress theatre "For it's Tommy this, an' Tommy Saturday noon, and work for the abolithat an' chuck him out, the tion of a petty censor board and therebrutel

by save the city \$100 a month. But it's savior of 'is country when LOUIS MEBUS. the guns begin to shoot; And it's Tommy this, an' Tommy

The Portion of the Poor. Portland, Aug. 11 .- To the Editor

please; Tommy sin't a bloomin' fool-you bet that Tommy sees!" An' of The Journal-"Fear the Greeks, even though they bear gifts," is a The working, man's body has been -and Lloyd said-it was a great warning for common life. The quoused. Now, what of his brains? Be-

idea-and was just going-to buy a tations from W. L. Chenery, of the hold, the picture shows: Chicago Herald, in Saturday's Jour-"The poor man's wealth, the picture nal, and from the Boston Globe, in show. Sunday's issue, were articles for Behold the factory tollers go To glean enjoyment from the screen thoughtful reading. The Globe re-Of Maggie at the picture show.

that, an' Tommy anything you

marks upon the enormous change in the world's sentiment from a year A smile succeeds the pitcous look Of weariness on each wan face. What does it mean? Its meaning we do not wish to The pictures open wide life's book

believe, for it foreshadows changes The poor man's wealth indeed thou in high places and in, low. Are those art. His friend and guide from day to in power willing to meet what the, day, and of his life a part, Thy magic art."

I did not visit the convict ship.

horrible monster of crime be brought

sent over the waters of the earth to

the poor wretches who made this ship

Bringing this monument of past cru-

up fromithe deep, where it belongs, and

perpetuate in thought the misery of

world's civilization now asks-just better living for all? General Gorgus said the rich are surfeited from over MRS. M. A. BUCKLEY. eating, while the poor sicken and die The Old Convict Ship.

before their time from eating too Portland, Aug. 8 .- To the Editor of little. A certain writer states we have Journal - In expressing my The outgrown the conviction that slavery. thoughts as to the psychological effect

the classical world regarded of the recent visit of the convict ship as an ordinance of nature, is necesto our city I am aware that an avalanche of criticism and disagreeing as-Now we must abandon the belief that poverty must exist, or that sertions will be called forth in the there need be large numbers of peo- minds of some of my readers, even if ple doomed from their birth to hard they do not give written expression to work in order to provide for others their thoughts.

the requisites of a refined and cultured life, while they themselves are distressed me too greatly to think or prevented by their poverty and toll those poor souls who had endured such agony of mind and body. I said to myself, "It is over. Why should this

a 'Success.' " Chicago-The net. operating income of the Atchison, Topeka and elty to light seems as gruesome and Santa Fe railway in the fiscal morally illogical as if some one with year ended June 30 last amounted a penchant for the morbid should hear to approximately \$35,000,000, acof a dead and buried human being that cording to a statement made by had been a freak of nature, a monstros. President E. P. Ripley yesterday. ity, and should exhume it for purposes This is sufficient to pay interest of exhibition. In these days when alcharges, dividends on the premost every man, woman and child ra ferred and leave a balance of beginning to truly realize the power of about 9 per cent on the common thought, many will understand why I stock. The gain in net operating feel that great harm is done by giving visibility and life to the horrors of this income over the previous year is approximately \$4,000,000.

.Town topics. News from foreign capitals. Illustrated news review. Real estate and building news. Markets and finance. Pictorial features. SECTION FOUR

The week in society. Women's club affairs. Realm of music. News of the beaches. Fashion's vagarles. Needlework designs.

## SECTION FIVE

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Seeing America First. Random Facts and Fancies.

Cartoonagrams. "The Greedy Goldsmith," by

"The Story Lady." Mere Man a Creature of Color.

SECTION SIX

Comic section, featuring: Original The Katzenjammer

Kids. Happy Hooligan. Jimmy.

Mutt and Jeff.

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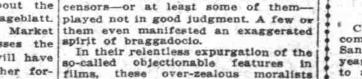
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Discussion is the greatest of all reformers. It rationalizes everything it touches. It robs principles of all false sanctity and throws them back on their reasonableness. If they have so sary. it ruthlessly crushes them out of existence and sets up its own conclusions in their stead."-- Woodrow Wilson, **Opposes** Portland Censor Board. Portland, Aug. 11 .- To the Editor of

turned. The moving picture managers have launched a movement against the Portland board of censors. From all



The Journal-At last the worm has

convict ship, in displaying the wax fig-.............. ures which, it must admitted, is a

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