

SOCIETY WILL AID MESTIZAS

Children of American Fathers and Filipino Women Get Protection

PROMINENT MEN ACT

Mishandling of Funds and Slavery of Girls to Be Given Scrutiny

MANILA, P. I., Feb. 1.—The American Guardian association, an organization for the protection of American mestiza children (those born of American fathers and Filipino mothers), has been incorporated. Governor General Leonard Wood, Lieut. Col. Gordon Johnston, Roman Catholic archbishop, M. J. O'Doherty, Episcopal bishop, G. F. Mosher, and Methodist Episcopal bishop, Chas.

Edward Locks, being among the incorporators.

Money Donated
Although the association has been in process of formation only two weeks, it has a charter membership of 100, and donations approximating \$5000 have been received.

One of the purposes of the association, according to an announcement by Colonel Johnston, treasurer of the association, is to handle, as a trust company, money forwarded by American fathers in the United States to their children in the Philippines. Many stories already have reached the association of money sent from the United States to guardians here who are trusted by fathers to give it to their children, but which is so diverted that it never reaches the children. Stories of ill treatment of these children, especially girls, also have come to the headquarters of the association, an investigation showing that some of the girls had been sold into slavery.

Honesty Assured
"We are ready to handle these funds, and anyone in the United States may keep his children supplied through the association," said Colonel Johnston. "We have had stories of money sent to girls by fathers in the states being diverted by the dishonesty of the friend trusted to give the money to the child."

American women in Manila and

RIVAL OF VENUS DE MILO BOUGHT BY BERLIN MUSEUM.



The marvelous ancient Greek goddess, found in Lochridas and believed to be of the school of Phidias, which was sent out of Paris on a ruse at the beginning of the world war and recently was bought by the Berlin Museum for 1,000,000 marks. Anatole France says it is one of the finest pieces of work ever produced.

shares registering gains of 1 to 4 points.

Shipments, sugars, tobaccos, American Ice and Famous Players common and preferred contributed to the rise, but specialties which recently displayed unusual prominence were relegated to second place with rails.

The advance was again accomplished mainly at the expense of a stubborn short interest, but the end of the week effected a marked diminution in the contracts of that element. Sales 475,000 shares.

Bonds were dull and irregular. Liberty issues reflected the trend of federal legislation, while rails eased under realizing. European bonds retained much of their better tones, however, higher foreign exchange rates being a factor in that quarter. Total sales of bonds (par value) aggregated \$9,350,000.

Sterling demand bills made the new high of \$4.32 1-2 their maximum quotation since August, 1919. All continental bills were better by 2 to 20 points, the German mark proving the only exception.

Payments by local banks incidental to February requirements caused no material alteration of loans and discounts by clearing house institutions. The actual cash loss of about \$18,000,000 effected a decrease in excess reserves to \$20,750,000.

Business reviews referred to brighter prospects in general lines of merchandise at distributing centers and the disposition of the banks to lend more freely on merchants' paper.

Bonds Are Certified for Talen Irrigation Project

The state irrigation securities commission Saturday certified \$474,500 bonds for the Talen irrigation district of Jackson county. The district has authorized by a vote a total issue of \$1,050,000 and has expended \$295,000 in constructing one unit. One reservoir is to be built immediately and another next year.

The district embraces 11,000 acres, covering one of the most highly developed territories in the state immediately adjacent to Ashland and with the town of Talen in the center of the district. The Pacific highway from Ashland to Medford runs through the district.

The acreage is all under cultivation and is highly developed with fine orchards, buildings, and alfalfa fields. It has been farmed since the early 50's and it is estimated that 46 per cent is in orchards.

FOLLOWING DIRECTIONS

Teacher (in domestic science) "I told you to notice when your soup boiled over."
Pupil: "I did. It was a quarter after three."

VOCATIONAL WORK IS PROGRESSING

Conference of State Board Held Yesterday at Churchill's Office

Vocational education is making progress in Oregon, according to reports read at a meeting of the state board for vocational education here Saturday at the offices of J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of schools.

It was brought out that 23 schools in Oregon are now offering courses in agricultural educa-

tion, that four trade and industrial day schools have been established and four are operating under the home economics department. Also a dozen part time trade extension schools have been instituted. These are at Ashland, Corvallis, Mill City, Oregon City, Portland, Ontario, Salem, Salem Heights, Redmond, West Linn and Astoria.

Those who attended the meeting were Governor Okott, Secretary of State Koser, Mrs. George McMath of Portland, F. B. Ingels of Dufur, E. E. Elliott, state director for vocational education, A. R. Nichols, supervisor of industrial education, and Miss Bertha Davis, director of home economics. The three latter are not members of the board. They made reports covering the work throughout the state.

President Harding smokes a pipe and plays "hearts." And

they do say that in the old Mar- ton rags he used to do fairly well at the enticing sport of draw poker.

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OILS AND MOTORS ARE CONSPICUOUS

Stock Market Brief But Active Yesterday—Sugar is Cause of Raise

DAIRY—POTATOES
PORTLAND, Feb. 4.—Butter: Prints extras, 38c; cubes extras, 32c; prime firsts, 32c; butterfat, Portland delivery, No. 1 sour cream, 34c.
Potatoes: Buying price, locals \$1.30 at \$1.50; selling price, \$1.60 at \$2.

FRUIT
NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Evaporated apples, firm; prunes, easy; peaches, firm.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Equipments, oils and motors were conspicuous features of today's brief but active stock market, those



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