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Alliances

"Our first President fixed the foreign policy of the United States clearly and unequivocally when he adjured his fellow-countrymen never to enter a permanent alliance with any other power. This policy has been reaffirmed by practically all his successors. It was reiterated with great positiveness in our latest national campaign by our present president and was confirmed by a majority of the people so great as to be beyond the range of comparison."

These were the words of wisdom uttered by that great diplomat, George Harvey, ambassador to Great Britain, no longer ago than last November. Yet two months later we see the United States enmeshed, despite this sacred mandate from the people, in two entangling foreign alliances—a four power alliance in the Pacific to protect Japan and a five power alliance for the rest of the world.

And these entangling alliances have been fathered by that impeccable statesman, Henry Cabot Lodge, under whose wise leadership the alliance with our late war allies was rejected and the world embracing alliance to preserve peace spurned.

It is evident that foreign policy laid down by Washington is a very sacred thing, an ark of the covenant, when a democrat is president, and must be preserved for national salvation—but under a republican president it becomes a thing of shreds and patches—discarded, as it were.

It is a fearsome thing to contemplate a fifty power alliance to preserve peace, but a four or five power alliance to dabble with disarmament, is pretty nifty. And the old world heaves such a sigh of relief over the knowledge that war has been made respectable again—at least until the fighting begins.

Death of a Satirist

"The death of William Voight, shoemaker of Tilsit," says the New York World, "makes only a brief item of the day's news. Does not the passing of the humble satirist who pricked the bubble of German military bureaucracy and sent a laugh throughout the world deserve a better appreciation?"

"Fifteen years ago the press was full of the Tilsit cobbler's fame. Impersonating a captain of grenadiers, he recruited a detachment of twelve men in the streets of Berlin through a forged military order, and proceeding at their head to the suburban town of Copenick he arrested the Burgomaster and Treasurer and made off with \$1,000 of the municipal funds. Caught and sentenced to four years' imprisonment, he was pardoned by Emperor William in 1908 and subsequently visited this country, from which he was deported.

"The echoes of that rare exploit have hardly yet died out, even under the din of the war. His death is a reminder of the world of its loss of a great elemental humorist. Captain Copenick," indeed, was one of the company of Aristophanes and Rabelais, inarticulate, perhaps, but a master of the art of satire. Cervantes smiled Spain's chivalry away; Voight found the weak spot in Prussian militarism and exposed it to a jeering world."

Tram Car Escapes Bomb; Man and Wife Riot Victims

Belfast, Jan. 12.—(By Associated Press.)—A bomb was thrown at a tram car bearing 75 persons to their work in a Crumlin Road district today. The quick action of the driver, who put on full speed when he heard a revolver shot, resulted in the missile going wide of the mark. The explosion splintered the car.

A man and his wife lying nearby, who went to the door of their house to learn the cause of the commotion, were shot dead by a volley of rifle fire which swept the street.

Masked Men Tar and Feather Auto Driver in Texas

Bronson, Texas, Jan. 12.—A masked band yesterday flouted and applied a coat of tar and feathers to Charles Eason, a chauffeur. He was seized near Pineland and two passengers in his automobile were blindfolded while the gang carried on its work.

Standard Oil Buys Share In Vanderlip Scheme

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 12.—The Standard Oil company of California has purchased a quarter interest in the Washington A. Vanderlip syndicate, which more than a year ago reported the acquisition of vast concessions in the Kamchatka peninsula in Siberia from the Russian soviet government, according to a story the Los Angeles Times published today.

Planes To Search For Missing Man

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 12.—A dozen members of the Duluth tank corps, Minnesota national guard, with tanks and trucks, will leave here this morning for the wilderness of the northeastern tip of Minnesota to establish a base for an airplane ordered by the state to search for James Maher, Cook county commissioner, who has been lost for two weeks in the vicinity of Thunder Bay Lake Superior.

CHINAMAN IS BARRED BY BOARD

Directors Act to Keep Young Huie, Paroled from Prison, Out of Salem High School

The Salem school board, at its regular meeting last night, voted to bar Fred Huie, Salem Chinese who was recently paroled from the state penitentiary, from attending the Salem high school. The action was taken after J. C. Nelson, principal of the high school, had appeared before the directors, had complained about Huie's actions during the last few days, and had declared that other students were afraid of the Chinese youth.

Huie, who was arrested several months ago after he had shot through the windows of two Salem buildings and had robbed his father's store and who subsequently pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary, was on January 4 sentenced to serve an indeterminate sentence not to exceed two years in the penitentiary. He was then paroled by Judge Percy Kelly pending good behavior.

At the suggestion of the school board, Mr. Nelson and George Hug, superintendent of schools, will visit Percy Varney, state parole officer, with a view to determining what disposition should be made of the case. Huie is under the supervision of Mr. Varney.

In his statement to the board, Principal Nelson declared that young Huie, who was formerly a student of the high school, has recently made himself obnoxious on several occasions. Without ceremony the young Chinaman would, he said, break into classrooms without ceremony, demand that he be enrolled, offer irrelevant observations concerning classroom procedure and generally prove a disturbance to both teachers and students.

On one occasion, Mr. Nelson said, Huie was reported to have threatened gun-play in the school gymnasium. The disturbance was of short duration, for one of the high school boys found, by searching Huie, that the Chinese had no gun on his person.

Huie's career, during recent months, has been a stormy one. In former years, while a student at the Salem high school, he was prominent both in athletics and student body activities and was generally well liked. Quitting school, however, he drifted to the larger cities, where according to officers, he became associated with Chinese "bad" men. Subsequently he found himself in jail on several occasions.

Dallas News

Dallas, Or., Jan. 12.—Amelia Gooch, who has lived for the past 20 years in Dallas, died in this city January 10 from cancer. Deceased was born in New York, September 15, 1869. Funeral services will be held in the Chapman chapel Friday at 1 o'clock. Burial will take place in the Mount Crest Abbey mausoleum in Salem.

Turner News

Ross M. Gintey, an E. B. U. student, will preach at the Christian church both morning and evening.

New Building To Rise at Canby

Canby, Or., Jan. 12.—Two store buildings, one occupied by the Waite automobile sales rooms and the other by the Yoder Brothers' cigar and confectionery store, are to be moved to make room for the new concrete store building to be erected by John Koehler, contractor of Canby, who recently purchased the property from Mrs. Anna Knight of this city.

British Pledged To Aid France by Terms of Treaty

Cannes, Jan. 12.—(By Associated Press.)—The British memorandum of the proposed Anglo-French pact, which was telegraphed textually to London, declared Great Britain makes the security of France a problem of her own, and that she will be ready again to throw in her forces, as in 1914 if French soil is attacked.

SAP AND SALT

BY Bert Moses
Bad folks are bad and good folks are good, and nobody can tell why.

Friends are plentiful if you happen to have what they want.

Shakespeare's reputation rests upon the fact that so few people read him.

It's hard to believe in a tariff that reduces your profits.

"How did you get it?" is the big question.

I had rather have health than anything else, for it will keep me alive longer.

HEZ HECK SAYS: Love and lies goes together as much as fleas and dogs.

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Central Howell

Central Howell, Jan. 12.—Supervisor W. H. Baillie visited the Central Howell school January 4. Mr. Baillie gave the advanced group a very interesting talk on state club work. He also told us we would have a standard school as soon as the flag pole was put up, which the wind has blown down, and the boards which were left in the yard from the building were cleaned up, which the school board said they would do for us soon.

Rosedale Notes

The farewell social for Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Friday evening was very largely attended by their friends. After dainty refreshments were served a program of music, short talks, etc., by various ones was given, a silver collection taken impromptu was given as a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Hadley.

Why Are Some Women Popular

happy, beloved and successful, while others drag out a negative existence, of no use to themselves or anyone else? Except in a few cases the answer is to be found in a state of freedom from the troubles known as "female." The well woman radiates cheerfulness and serenity, while the ailing one repels because of her lack of these qualities. It is not necessary, however, to harbor aches and pains, and the "blues" that make one a detriment to society. The use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has brought relief to such women, and given them a new lease on life. (adv)

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Men and Men.
Herb was frowning when I looked at him, somewhat timidly. I couldn't understand whether it was because of his long distance talk with Ria or for something that I had done. I concluded that the best thing to do was to wait until he was ready to speak.

West Salem

C. A. Bolding of the Bethel district visited relatives here a few days ago.

Hazel Green Notes

Lalish Center Parent Teachers association held their monthly meeting Tuesday evening. A unique and lively program was given by local negro minstrels. Their costuming and realism were decidedly clever. Those taking part were Walter Weinart, Art Freeman, Ed Frewing, George Rhodes, Frank Isam, Earl Isam, D. R. DeGross, Frank Snider, O. T. McClaughray, Frank Weiman, Harry Doehn and Bobby Boynton.

For Raw Sore Throat

At the first sign of a raw, sore throat rub on a little Musterole with your fingers.

MONTHS OF SUFFERING

How a Baltimore Girl covered Her Health

Baltimore, Maryland.—"For several months I suffered with general weakness, backaches, and could not do any comfortable work for weeks on my back. I read your book and after reading it I began at once to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I feel better than I have in many months. I have very good results and some of my friends are taking it now. You use this letter to help other girls like me."—ROSE WADSWORTH, 3018 Lombard Place, Baltimore, Md. As often expressed in letters received, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. These women know what it has done for them, and they describe the symptoms and state how they were finally made well.

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