

## WAITING WAITER IS STILL WAITING FOR CHANCE TO BE WAITER

John Burns, waiter, is a most unhappy man. For forty seven years he has lived a waiting life in this vale of tears, and he is still waiting. He has been waiting for a meagre living which he got and for happiness which has always failed to wait long enough for the waiting man to catch up.

Burns is now waiting for a chance to get out of town having been told to quit waiting and move on, the charge being vagrancy. With Browning, Burns is a believer in the theory that "They also serve who only stand and wait" and Burns has no intention of serving in the city jail.

This is the tearful tale of waiting told while he was waiting for 222 to pull in and pull out—with him added to the cargo:

"I tell you kid I've not always been a bum waiter. Once I waited in er place where they has er gny to serve dish from de soup to de finger bowls. But I have bid goodbye to them nappy days. I'm just er waiter when I gets de chanet in de soup knowin' where poached eggs in known as 'Adam and Eve on er raft.'"

"I have been er waiter all my life. I didn't wait once. I didn't wait till I got through school, but I waited one night until the 12:02 freight pulled out and I got to er town and waited around until I got er chanet to wait. I've been waiting ever since."

Linger is a good synonym for wait but linger is not in Burns' vocabulary. Neither is lingerie any more. Linger, clean line, was once but it has been forgotten in the dusty years of waiting.

"I'm waiting here for 22 to pull out. I got me beat it orders this morning. I never had no chanet, not since I was er kid. I never loved nobody and nobody ever loved me. Guess if I'd ever warmed up to some good girl it'd been different, but what girl want to slip er smile ter er guy what comes round and wipes off the crumbs and yells 'soup'?"

Burns is an unhappy man as has been said. He has wiped away the crumbs all through life and he says he has lived upon crumbs. He will spend a waiting life eking out an existence always waiting for success that does not arrive.

Number 222 whistled in the distance.

"Say" he added by way of goodbye, "You-all ain't got no match and makins', has yer?"

## HALO CROWNS THE NEW MADONNA GOWN



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The costume has a foundation of soft, supple white satin made with a medium width skirt cut straight around an shirred to the waist. Over this skin is hung another plain drapery of the white net having a seam down the centre of the front which is outlined with a row of white satin covered buttons.

## Louisiana Lou to Open Theatrical Season at Medford Theatre August 6th



The first attraction of the season of 1912-13 at the Medford theatre will be the appearance there on Tuesday, August 6th of Harry Askin's big "Louisiana Lou" organization from the La Salle Opera House, Chicago, where it has just completed its wonderful run of 356 performances.

Theatregoers this time will get the genuine No. 1 article. The La Salle cast and production come complete and intact. This is one of the all too seldom occasions that a company of such numerical magnitude and expense in personnel as Mr. Askin is sending, plays here without curtailment in quality of quantity.

From all accounts of the musical comedy and the high class of its principals and chorus, its prospects for a banner engagement are most flattering. Chicago has had nothing like it since the World's Fair period of the David Henderson extravaganzas. Barney Bernard and Sophie Tucker are at the head of a glittering array of comedians, singers and

dancers. Both of these stellar artists are prime favorites locally and their welcome in a brand new vehicle with novel musical comedy surroundings is assured. San Francisco engulphed the performance with a fervid enthusiasm rarely displayed in newspaper criticism. Seat sale tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at Haskins Drug store.

## SUPREME COURT REVERSES KANSAS COURT DECISION

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The action of the Kansas courts in refusing to order the names of eight Roosevelt candidates for presidential electors stricken from the republican primary ballot was reversed tonight by Justices Van Devanter and Pitney of the federal supreme court. While the Justices granted the application of the Taft men for a writ of error directed to the Kansas supreme court their decision did not constitute a final victory for the regular republican organization.

Under its terms the right of the Roosevelt candidates to have places on the primary ticket will be decided by a full bench of the supreme court in October.

Meanwhile the name of the Roosevelt men will appear at the Kansas primaries next Tuesday.

The effect of the decision really is to leave the whole controversy suspended until October when it is expected the supreme court will settle it before the national election. The question at issue is of national importance in that it involves the question whether electors are state or federal officers.

## STATES THIRD PARTY WILL HELP WILSON

SEA GIRT, Aug. 2.—Gov. Wilson made clear tonight his intention to take no part in factional quarrels and to keep his hands off any disagreement democrats of any state might have among themselves. He said his answer would also apply to New York.

The announcement was made after a conference with Senator O'Gorman, the latter commenting on that state, said he was sure of democratic success there, especially since the

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DENVER, Colo., Aug. 1.—Denunciation of both the republican and democratic parties, endorsement of the principles enunciated by Roosevelt and the selection of a delegation to the Chicago convention with instructed vote for Roosevelt, were the principle features of the state progressive convention in Colorado today. There was a total of 317 delegates from 23 out of 62 counties present.

## MRS. GRACE'S FATE IS NOW IN HANDS OF JURY

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 2.—After a brief argument by Prosecutor Dorsey, the case of Mrs. Daisy O. Grace, accused of attempting to murder her husband, went to the jury this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## WALL OF WATER SWEEPS AWAY NEVADA TOWNS

RENO, Aug. 2.—Delayed and meagre advices from Lovelock, state a high wall of water swept away Lovelock and Mazuma this afternoon and sent the terrified inhabitants to the hills. It is not known whether any were killed as telephone and telegraphic communication to Lovelock is interrupted. The message from Lovelock states the water is

even feet in Mazuma and most all the able bodied men have gone in automobiles to search for victims and render aid. It is believed in Lovelock several were killed but there is no confirmation.

## MONEY LEADS WOMAN TO CHANGE HER MIND

RENO, Nev., Aug. 2.—Her husband having fallen heir to an estate worth \$500,000, Rose Martin is speeding across the continent today to contest the divorce suit of Leo J. Chrystal, better known as Leo Bell, an actor. After a short period of wedded life the couple separated, and eight months ago Bell filed suit for divorce in Reno, while his wife went east to continue dramatic work.

The death of Chrystal's father and the news of his fortune is said to have caused the wife's contest.

## Emma Goldman Busy

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Recent street disturbances in various sections of the city here are attributed today by the police to Emma Goldman and Ben Reitman, anarchists, who under the guise of socialistic meetings, have inspired bitter attacks upon the city police department.

Miss Goldman and Reitman have been keeping in the background since their arrival here, but according to

the police, are secretly conducting a street speaking campaign, which is against the city regulations.

## SIX FOUND GUILTY OF VIOLATING SPEECH ORDINANCE

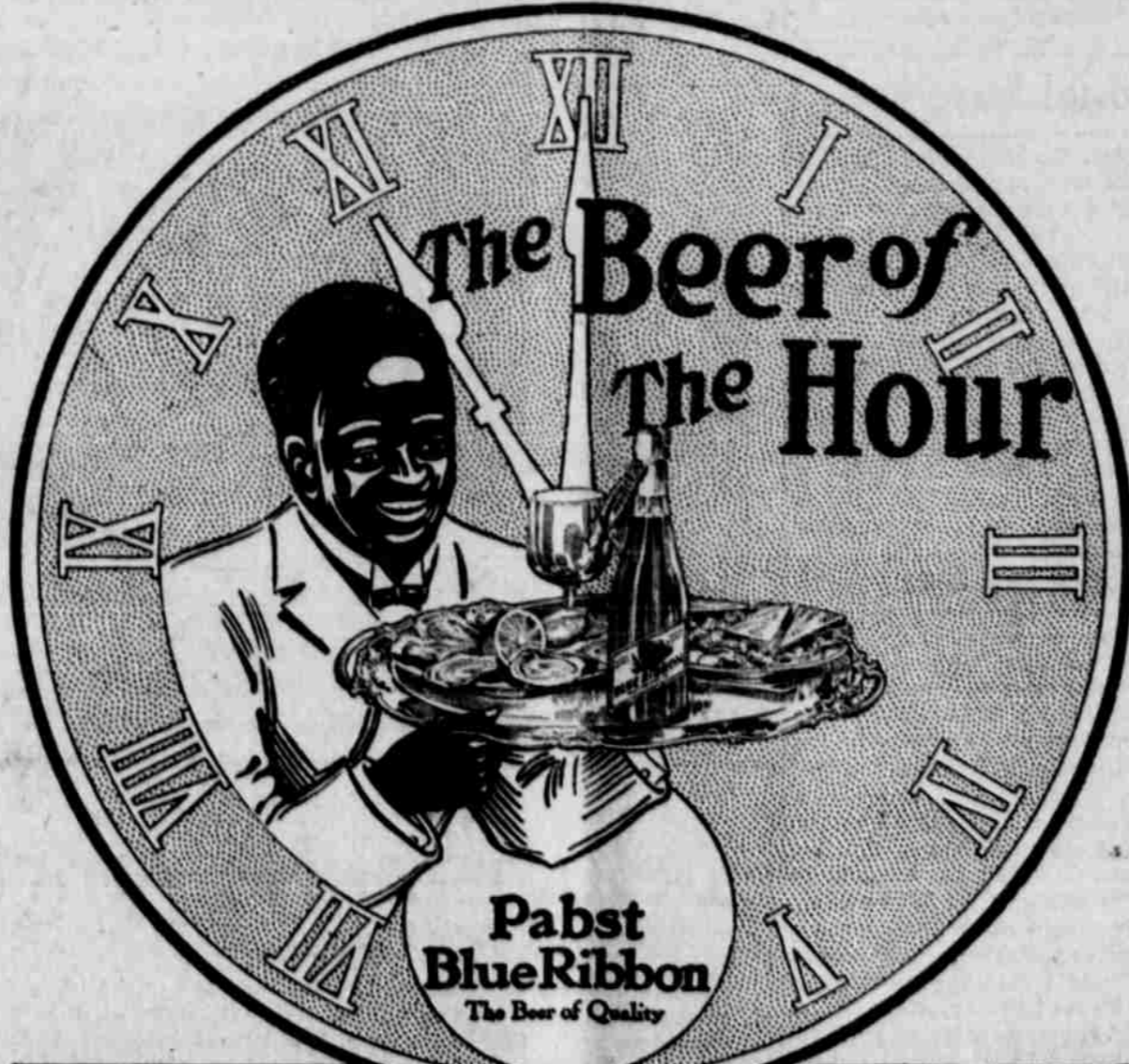
SAN DIEGO, Cal., Aug. 2.—Sentence will be pronounced next Monday by Judge Sloan on the six defendants found guilty last night of conspiracy to violate the city ordinance prohibiting street speaking in certain districts of the city.

The six found guilty are Attorney E. E. Kirk, formerly counsel for the I. W. W.; Harry M. McKee, Jack White, H. Kiser, F. W. Hubbard and Robert Gauden.

Eight other defendants who were arrested for street speaking but who did not attend a meeting at Kirk's office where the conspiracy plans are alleged to have been made were found not guilty.

The attorneys for the defense have announced they will move for a new trial, and if this is refused, will appeal the case.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 2.—The open golf championship of America was won here this afternoon by J. J. McDermott of Atlantic City. He totaled 294 strokes for 72 holes. McDermott won the championship last year also.



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