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HONG KONG KOLUM



Melican luddy talk too much—sit between two gentlemen—makee tongue sandwich! Maybeso Melican not smart enough to use hloarse power of blad cold in head.

Looked That Way Mrs. Wrinkles—Why, I'm just in the morning of life. Her Friend—Don't you think you are rather late in getting up?—Puck.

PINK & WHITE Painters and Decorators Buffalo, New York

Herr Needs He—She has everything she needs to make her happy. She—But it is the things she does not need that a woman needs to make her happy.

Foolish Stuff "Would you love me as much if I had lost my wealth?" "He hasn't lost it—has he?" "No." "Of course, I would, you silly girl!"

Stella's Bargain Counter. A swell chicken can always get up stairs without an elevator. It's a bum adage—"Marry in haste—repent at leisure." Married ginks have no leisure.

For President HARRY K. THAW For Vice President VERNON CASTLE

Mr. Thaw is at present out of work, but he is a young man of parts, an authority on the laws of evidence and medico-jurisprudence. He is hailed wherever he goes by an enthusiastic throng of ardent admirers, who block traffic and cheer lustily as Mr. Thaw bows in silent appreciation.

Unlike most political leaders, he is acclaimed a hero in his home town. Fox popular idols have occupied the public attention more continually or more effectually. His dictum on matters affecting the commonwealth has been eagerly sought by an expectant press, and his statements are accorded a degree of attention equalled only by the outpourings of one of his living predecessors in the high office for which we name him.

We offer the name of Mr. Vernon Castle for quite another reason, and as a palpable son to the silk stocking vote.

Mr. Castle is a very busy young man. The post of Arbitrator Eminentiarum of all matters terphorean and sartorial to a cny of 5,000,000 souls is a burden not to be lightly assumed. The signing of testimonials and the demands of the photographer alone preclude the possibility of leisure, at the moment, for affairs of state.

But our hope is that possession of a niche in history may overcome, in Mr. Castle's eyes, the financial sacrifice our nomination presages. His appearance at a new trotters immediately boosts the price of champagne to \$5 a quart and advances highballs to \$1 each.—Puck.

NEARING THE CHINESE STANDARD.

WHEN James J. Hill remarked that the United States needed half a million or so of Chinese, because the Chinamen have solved the problem of living on 10 or 12 cents a day, he undoubtedly aired the view of big business. The promoters of the movement to inculcate thrift among the masses doubtless also consider the Chinese standard the ideal thrift standard.

The Manley report which the Industrial relations commission has ordered submitted to congress, shows how the United States is already on the way to the Chinese standard. The following are taken from it as showing the conditions of labor and industry in America:

Of the millions and millions of workmen in this country, one-third are poverty-stricken. Thirty-seven per cent of wives and mothers of workmen are forced to do hard work themselves to help keep the wolf from the door.

Five hundred dollars per year is the income of half of the wage-earning fathers. Less than \$15 per week is the wages of two-thirds of the adult male workers.

Nearly half the women workers earn less than \$6 per week. Three or more persons occupy every sleeping room in 37 per cent of the workers' homes.

Babies of the poor die three times as fast as those of the rich. Nearly 20 per cent of the school children of this country are underfed and undernourished.

One out of every twelve corpses in New York is buried in the Potters' field. Economic pressure forces two-thirds of all children to leave grammar school before graduating, and only 10 per cent finish high school.

Farm tenancy is increasing at an appalling rate. Landlordism is therefore increasing at an appalling rate. Workers in basic industries are out of jobs one-fifth of the time.

There are 44 families with incomes equal to the earnings of 100,000 workingmen. The "rich," 2 per cent of the people, own 60 per cent of the wealth of the nation. Sixty-five per cent own less than five per cent.

Industrial conditions are responsible for our biggest crime problems. Labor and living conditions in this country are such today that immigrants only come from Italy, Russia, Austria-Hungary and other "backward" nations of Europe.

The progress and prosperity of a nation are measured by the welfare of its people. With such economic conditions existing, with the poor becoming paupers and the rich billionaires, the remedy offered by our savings bankers is the inculcation of thrift in a nation where only thrift enables half the people to exist now!

It is evident that before trying to regulate its neighbors or interfering in the quarrels of Europe, the United States should set its own house in order. Instead of big navies and standing armies, let us have social justice. To establish it is a task that calls for all the wisdom and statesmanship of the nation—a work in which old world diplomacy has miserably failed, a problem the new world must work out for itself, for government should be something more than a robber in time of peace and a murderer in time of war, something more than an instrument to exploit the many for the few.

MORGAN APPEARS AT OFFICE FIRST TIME

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—J. P. Morgan appeared at the office of J. P. Morgan and company in Wall Street today for the first time since he was shot at his summer home at Glen Cove, L. I., on July 3, by Erich Muehter, alias Frank Holt.

Private detectives have been stationed about the building occupied by the Morgan firm since the day Mr. Morgan was shot and the detectives were on duty when Mr. Morgan arrived.

Mr. Morgan appeared to have entirely recovered from the bullet wound. His face was bronzed and he walked with a rapid and firm step.

ACREAGE TOTAL FOR WATER IS 13,925 ACRES

Table with 2 columns: Name, Acreage. Includes entries for Farm, Orch, Frank Christman, J. H. Patterson, C. B. Lyon & Bro., R. B. Wilson, John Birch, Mrs. Charles H. Conner, C. A. Knight.

URBAN AUTOCAR COMPANY Time Table

Leave Medford daily except Sunday for Ashland, Talent and Phoenix, at 8 a. m., 1:15, 3:30, 5:15 and 10:15 p. m. (Saturday at 11:15 p. m. Sunday leave at 8:00 and 11:00 a. m., 1:00, 3:00 and 5:30 p. m.)

EXPLOSION DESTROYS MUNITION FACTORY

EMPORIUM, Penn., Aug. 16.—Five men were killed and the relation house of the Aetna Explosive company's plant at Grove Run, near here, were blown to pieces today by an explosion. Two other buildings were badly damaged and the entire country-side shaken. The men killed were the only employees in the building when the explosion occurred and company officials said the cause probably would never be known. The company has been engaged in filling war orders, it was stated.

ASIATIC CHOLERA REACHES WURTEMBERG

GENEVA, Aug. 16.—Asiatic cholera has appeared at Cannstatt, Wurtemberg. An official notice says only one case has developed—that of a German soldier on leave who contracted the disease in Galicia—and that every precaution is being used to prevent the spreading of the contagion.

TRAINS TO RECORD TRAVELING SPEED

SHARON, Pa., Aug. 16.—Passenger trains on the Mahoning division of the Erie railroad have been equipped with a device which records the speed over the entire distance traversed. If at the end of the run it shows that the speed has exceeded that prescribed by the rules, the engineers are suspended. Trains are permitted to travel sixty miles an hour, but an engineer has a margin of six miles above that speed.

With Medford Trade is Medford Made

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John A. Perl UNDERTAKER Lady Assistant 22 S. BARLETT Phones M. 47 and 47-38 Ambulance service Coroner

"A GENTLEMAN OF LEISURE" AT STAR THEATER MONDAY



Wallace Eddinger, a noted Broadway comedian, makes his film debut in "A Gentleman of Leisure," on Monday, August 16th, at Star theatre. Eddinger is one of the few "child actors" who has retained his popularity through all the stages of development, ever since the days when he made his first hit as "Oedric" in "Little Lord Fauntleroy." Speaking of recent events, he made a truly unusual hit in "Officer 666" and "The Only Son."

BARNES CIRCUS TO BE HERE SEPT. 2

The small lad's heart leaps with glee. And just where youth stops and old age begins is a pretty hard question to settle when one word is mentioned—Circus.

That's the magic word, and really and truly now, doesn't that word send a chorus of happy thoughts and memories chasing through your mind? And why shouldn't it?

There's no more time honored amusement than the circus, no entertainment more instructive, none that's cleaner. Who doesn't enjoy watching the cages and animals unloaded and hauled to the show grounds, the hustle and bustle incident to getting things ready for the show, and the street parade with its tooting bands and steam "planner" the "dolloped-up" show girls and the clowns that guy the folks along the route. You betcher, its fun, and I expect that you-all and we-all will be there.

The A. C. Barnes big three ring wild animal circus will be here on Thursday, September 2, and will give performances at 2 o'clock and 8 o'clock.

The Barnes show is well known to almost every resident in town and in the surrounding country. It exhibited here last year and "made good."

SAFE CONDUCT FOR MEXICAN MESSAGE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Assurances that General Carranza will not obstruct the delivery of the Pan-American appeal to Mexico reached the state department today in a message from C. B. Parker of the American embassy staff in Mexico City, saying General Pablo Gonzalez, Carranza's commander there, had "promised safe conduct to the messengers who are to carry the appeal to General Zapata and others."

Parker also reported destitution among Americans in the capital, and said 120, being aided by the American embassy attaches, had asked for transportation to the United States.

Advices from Monterey said Villa forces under Rosalio Hernandez and Raoul Madero, had advanced within nine leagues of the city.

No replies to the Pan-American appeal had reached here today.

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