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HONG KONG KOLUM



Some people shanancee self starters—others you must clank up evly day.

A. KOLLUM Expert Accountant New York, N. Y.

From Vaudeville (Wilson Brothers)

"I got arrested once—der chudge fined me ten dollars." "Vot vos de charge?" "Dere vos no charge. He did it for nothing." "No, no. I mean how did they come to arrest you?" "In a patrol vaxgon."

Can't Get Along Without It. (From Onelda, N. Y. Union.) Owing to there being no gas our news this week is much curtailed.

Sure Cure "How is it that you look so healthy and happy?" "Every time I sit down to worry I fall asleep."

What Became of the Grasshopper A live grasshopper will eat a dead grasshopper. A Missouri farmer mixed Paris green and bran together and let a grasshopper eat it. It died, and 20 ate it up, and they died. Four hundred of those 20, and they died. Eight thousand ate those 400 and they died. A hundred and sixty thousand ate those 8000, and died, and the farmer was troubled no more.

Stella's Bargain Counter One reason women like to feed traps is because they are the only men who don't complain of him cooking.

When Books Were Stone First Cave Man—So this novel is having a great sale? Second Cave Man—Yes. It has just gone into its second stone quarry.

Three to Two Some little girls were boasting of their respective families. They had passed from clothes to personal appearance and finally came to parental dignity. The minister's little girl boasted:

"Every package that comes for my papa is marked 'D. D.'"

"And every package that comes for my papa is marked 'M. D.'" retorted the daughter of the physician.

Loony Idlericks There is a fair Miss Polly Boant, Who flirts, but marry,—she won't. "Polly a fibber," says Sis, "when they ask for a kiss, "She says she'll call mother, but she don't."

THE FIELD OF HONOR

IN the Illustrated London News there is published every week a shocking series of pictures.

There is nothing immoral or disgusting about it—it is merely a double page full of small photographs of fine-looking young men. The shock comes when one reads the words printed boldly above the pictures—"Dead on the Field of Honor."

Dead on the field of honor! All the pictured faces you see are dead. A fine, up-standing lot of young Englishmen they were—intelligent, clean, brave and gay—but they are all dead. That boy, with the eyes full of glorious youth and the mouth still sweet and whimsical—he is dead. There is a man with the face of a chief—firm lips and steady eyes and square chin—but they led him to death. This one must be a poet, the beauty of his face revealing his mighty visions for the future—but he is dead, too. And there is a face from the Canadian prairies, a face that is strong and gentle and clear-eyed with looking out across mighty acres of wheat—eyes dull now, and dead. It is all dead—the youth that pushed us up and on, the laughter and courage that sweet-ened the world, the dreams, the strength, the man-power—all dead on the field of honor.

"On the field of honor." The field of honor is a field in a strange land. The marching men thought it was a green field, full of music and glory, but it was just a sugar beet field, very muddy and full of trenches that in time made good graves for the honored dead. On the field of honor there was no music—only a roar and a shrieking; no marching of brothers banded—only lying flat in the mud to shoot brother men; no glory—only hate, and dirt, and horror, and real pain. It was the field where men threw away life work, homes, the love of women, the future of children, the existence of a race, and then—beautiful creative life itself—the field of honor!

We look at these pictures of the men who died on the field of honor and offer a prayer for their souls and the souls of those dead whose bodies yet live.

Then we make a prayer for ourselves.

"Lord! What shall we do to be saved?"

ARCHIBALD SAYS ACTED UNWITTINGLY FOR AMBASSADOR

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—James F. Archibald, the American correspondent, who was intercepted by British authorities, while carrying a message from Dr. Constantin T. Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador to Vienna, arrived here today on the liner Rotterdam.

Several secret service men boarded the Rotterdam and questioned Archibald. They were reported to have searched the man, his baggage and his state room and to have taken away a cane belonging to him. Archibald denied this.

After leaving quarantine Archibald said: "If there is any contemplated prosecution of me it is perfectly unjust. I took the letter which caused the trouble from Ambassador Dumba without knowledge of its contents and entirely unwittingly. That is all I care to say at present."

Archibald, on landing, met a man he described as his secretary. The man said he was Charles Mercer. Archibald and Mercer held a short conference and Archibald announced he would defer the issuing of an additional statement. He said he expected to go to Washington soon.

BRITISH LAUNCH MOST POWERFUL OF BATTLESHIPS

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The super-dreadnaught Barham of the British navy, whose keel was laid in 1914, the most powerful battleship afloat, is about to be commissioned, according to word brought to New York today by passengers on the steamship Orduna.

The Barham is now fitting out at Liverpool and probably will be in service within six weeks. It was reported that she would be sent at once to the Dardanelles.

The Cunard liner Aquitania, which some time ago was fitted out as an auxiliary cruiser, but was found to be unsuitable for such service, because of her light construction, has been refitted as a hospital ship and sent to the Dardanelles, where she is now doing service.

The Olympic, it was said, also is fitting out as a hospital ship, after having done several months duty as a troop ship between England and the Dardanelles. The Mauretania, a sister ship of the ill-fated Lusitania, was at Liverpool when the Orduna sailed, about to depart with troops for the Dardanelles.

Taken Up. Jersey helper, one year crop off left ear. Owner can have same by paying charges. W. R. LAMB, Medford, Oregon.

SQUIRREL FOOD BY AHERN "DREAM DOPE"



JACKSONVILLE ITEMS

James Wilson of San Francisco who was called to Medford by the death of his father, spent Wednesday in Jacksonville, renewing old acquaintances.

Pike Thurman and family have returned to their home at Yreka, Cal. Miss Lael Klum of Medford spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in town.

Mrs. Rose Erickson has returned Watkins after an absence of years spent with her son in San Francisco.

Judge Neil attended the Pioneer union at Ashland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grieve of Escondido are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunnington, Jacksonville and Mr. and Mrs. F. O'Kelly of Williams motored to Crater Lake last Sunday, but were unable to see the lake on account of snow storm.

Claud Saunders and Miss Leo Smith of Ashland were married by Henry Dox, justice of the peace, in Wednesday. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Onea Dunford.

Miss Elizabeth Renter was a Medford visitor one day this week.

Mrs. Leslie Stansell returned from Rosamond's Beach, Cal., Monday morning, where she visited relatives.

John Devlin of Buch was a business caller one day this week.

Among those from here who motored to Ashland for the Pioneer's reunion Thursday were: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. M. Cronmiller, Misses Mamie and Kate Cronmiller, Miss Innie M. Cully, Mr. and Mrs. Harbaugh, M. E. J. Kubli, Mrs. Mary Miller, M. R. H. Robinson, Miss Mollie Bev, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Ulrich, Mrs. Lev Ulrich, Mrs. Ella Cook, Mrs. Paul Hines, Mrs. Kate Hoffman, Mrs. M. E. Day, Mrs. M. D. Nelson, W. Johnson, E. Britt, John B. Renault, Chas. Prun, Jr., left for Eugene Monday where he will attend the university this year.

Mrs. W. H. Bowen and Miss Marian Bowen spent the day with Medford friends Tuesday.

Mrs. C. L. Springer and children arrived from Klamath Falls on a visit to the former's mother, Mrs. L. A. Ryan.

Mrs. T. J. Kenney arrived home Saturday after a three month's visit in San Francisco and vicinity.

Mrs. A. Elmer is spending this week with Medford friends.

Mrs. S. A. Canttrak, Mrs. R. B. Dow, and Mrs. Cora B. Crump went to Klamath Falls the first of the week where they were called by the sudden death of Roscoe Canttrak.

Mrs. J. A. Norris accompanied by her little granddaughter, left for Tennessee Tuesday on a three month's visit to her old home.

At the meeting of Pioneers held at Ashland Thursday Emil Britt was elected president and W. H. Gore vice-president of the association.

Chris Kenney was in from his homestead near Buncom the first of the week.

School began Monday with a good attendance, the following teachers having charge of the work this year: Principal Prof. F. C. Smith; assistant principal, Miss Ethel Dick; fifth and sixth grades, Miss Laura Couch.

John A. Perl UNDERTAKER Lady Assistant 88 S. BARKLETT Phone M. 47 and 47-39

"WHEN WE WERE TWENTY-ONE" AT STAR THEATER TODAY ONLY



William Elliott, one of the most promising of the younger element of American stars, who a few years ago attained a tremendous triumph as the impassioned young defender of the accused woman in Henry W. Savage's sensational success, "Madame X," and who is at present distinguishing himself in the principal role of the current dramatic sensation, "Experience," will make his initial appearance on the screen on Monday, Sept. 20th at the Star theater on the Paramount program in the Famous Players' Film company's five-part photo-adaptation of the celebrated success, "When We Were Twenty-One," and who is at present distinguishing himself in the principal role of

JOHN D. JR., VISITS COLORADO MINES

TRINIDAD, Colo., Sept. 20.—John D. Rockefeller Jr., arrived here today to inspect the workings of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company.

The Colorado visit of Mr. Rockefeller, as active representative of the principal owning interest of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, has been planned since early in the year. It had its inception at the New York hearings before the federal commission on industrial relations.

Mr. Rockefeller who had traveled all the way from New York without his destination becoming known, stepped from an ordinary sleeping car arriving from Chicago. He was accompanied only by his secretary, Charles O. Heydt.

Mr. Rockefeller said he knew nothing of a report that the J. J. Hill interests were negotiating for the purchase of the Rockefeller Colorado Fuel and Iron holdings.

TRYING TO SETTLE LONGSHOREMEN'S STRIKE

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Richard Butler, president of the New York strict council of the International Longshoremen's association, began today an effort to settle the strikes

WHY SO WEAK?

Kidney Troubles May Be Sapping Your Life Away—Medford People Have Learned This Fact.

When a healthy man or woman begins to run down without apparent use, becomes weak, languid, depressed, suffers backache, headache, dizzy spells and urinary disorders, weak kidneys may be the cause. The slightest symptoms of kidney trouble is too serious to neglect. Doan's Kidney Pills have earned their fame by their effectiveness and keeping them well in Medford readers demand further proof of their merit than the following statement:

Mrs. Jane Waterman, Phoenix, Ore., says: "Any exertion or being on my feet much caused backache and pains across my loins. I had headaches and dizzy spells and blurring before my eyes. All these showed that my kidneys needed attention. Doan's Kidney Pills lived up to all the claims made for them. All the ailments that distressed me so much were removed."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Waterman had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

Don't Talk It! Don't Think It! But SEE It!! STAR THEATRE ONE DAY ONLY TOMORROW, TUES., SEPT. 21.

WATCH FOR THIS A Drama You'll Never Forget SCANDAL WRITTEN BY LOIS WEBER AUTHOR OF "HYPOCRITES" 5 REELS PRODUCED BY LOIS WEBER AND PHILLIPS SMALLEY A TRULY GREAT PICTURE

REMOVAL I have moved my Shoe Repairing Shop across the street from my old location on South Central and would be pleased to see all old customers and those needing shoe repairing. Notice the Big Red Boot.

M. S. BIDEN This will be shown at the STAR THEATRE Where the crowds go On account of the high rental of this picture the prices will be 10c and 15c