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HONG KONG KOLUM

Most of these proud family trees now grow nothing but apple trees. Around Verdun March came like a dandelion.

Nervous Harmony: This number will be a joint recital by Viola Cole, a nervous wreck for several years, and Tew, bass, of London, Eng.—The Goshen (Ind.) Democrat.

Absent Treatment: M. Melbermott, brakeman on the Cairo division, has been for the past three months in Prairie, Texas, for his wife's health.—The Harrisburg, Ill.) Chronicle.

We Never Heard: An orator refer to the days of ancient Greece as "the pantless past." (It seems a shame to let a high sounding phrase like go unused.)

MYSTERIES OF NATURE

LAP DOGS: Lap dogs are alleged entities that look like a cross between a fox and a weasel. If it were not for women who don't have to do their own housework, lap dogs would have to shift for themselves and the regular dogs would have eaten them up long ago.

Today's Belongings: Necessity is the mother of invention, and the hungry Frenchman told about in a biography recently published in England illustrates the old adage anew.

Says the Girl on the Film: The girl who lived in the "good old days" was also considered by lectures on how much better girls were in the good old days.

The Truth About Colin: Stephen kissed me in the spring, Robin in the fall, but Colin only looked at me and never kissed at all.

Two Chivalry: The most polite man in Paris recently offered his seat to a woman seated opposite him.

North sea off Terschelling Island, north Holland, according to the report of a steam trawler which has arrived at Yumden, says Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent. The fleet was proceeding westward.

The correspondent adds that Monday morning five large cruisers of unknown nationality passed Yumden at full speed.

AGAINST BUSINESS

MR. JASON ROGERS, publisher of the New York Globe, is visiting Portland in the interest of the National Trade association, an organization of business men of the nation bonded together primarily for the purpose of opposing the enactment of legislation inimical to business interests.

Mr. Rogers says there are five hundred bills before congress affecting business. If this be true, there is something radically wrong either with congress or the gentlemen who conduct the business of our country.

We believe that Mr. Rogers might have gone further and said all the bills before congress are against business. In truth, most legislation since the institution of parliament has been against business.

Some of the first laws were against the king "business." The kings strenuously objected to any laws that curtailed their power of life or death over the inhabitants of their realms. The contest grew so bitter that some of the kings lost their crowns through amputation of their heads.

But the world at that time was growing a new crop of rulers—business kings, like the Rothschilds. For two centuries they have ruled the world. Because of their unwarranted power, the people in all civilized countries have been trying to dethrone them by laws, and one stage of this conflict is taking place in Europe today.

There is much for Mr. Rogers and his friends to do. There has been much legislation in this country during the past hundred years that a good organization like he represents might have defeated. For instance, there were the laws against piracy and smuggling, both of which were considered at one time as respectable callings.

Business has been assailed all along the line. Pure food laws and meat inspection laws impertinently interfere and cut down profits, as does railroad rate regulation. The laws requiring safety appliances on railroads and in factories is another blow, as in the past it was cheaper to kill men than provide protection for them.

Business is against any progress that means the least sacrifice, just as the slave owners were against the abolition of slavery. It will be interesting to watch them march on congress.

VILLA'S RAID IN U. S.

THE raid upon an American town by Villa and his bandits is part of the program announced by Villa of forcing armed intervention by the United States in Mexico to restore his fallen fortunes in the confusion and tumult following.

The Carranza government is not to blame for the outlaws' depredations, save as they may have failed to exercise proper vigilance in running him down. Numerous bodies of soldiers have been in his pursuit—but Villa is a hard man to catch in the Mexican mountains and it will be remembered he was able to successfully defy the strong arm and long reach of Diaz for years.

Nevertheless, we shall hear anew in congress the loud wail of those seeking for selfish interests the invasion of Mexico. Again we will be told that watchful waiting is a failure and the time again come for drastic action—echoing the wish of the exploiter. Once more patriotism will submerge patriotism in another effort to discredit an administration by its political opponents.

Some eighteen helpless prisoners, mostly Mexicans, locked up on suspicion in an El Paso prison, were burned to death a day or two, through the criminal carelessness of their jailers. Yet, though as many Mexican lives were taken by the jailers as American lives by the raiders, the senate heard no words of regret, and the Mexican government threatened no reprisals.

The conditions in Mexico were well set forth in the president's report, recently sent to the senate, as follows: "In respect to the evidence in the possession of this government of the ability of the de facto government of Mexico to fulfill its promises and obligations relative to protecting American lives and property in Mexico, the department's information indicates that the de facto government is now in control of all but a few sections of Mexico, and that, bearing in mind that the nation is just emerging from years of domestic strife, it may be said that within the territory which it controls it is affording in all circumstances reasonable adequate protection to the lives and property of American citizens, and it is taking steps to extend its authority over and to restore order in sections now in the hands of the hostile factions."

MIGHTY GERMAN FLEET SEEN IN BATTLE SEARCH

LONDON, Mar. 9.—A German fleet consisting of at least five big warships followed by a large array of smaller vessels was sighted Monday afternoon in the North sea off Terschelling Island, north Holland, according to the report of a steam trawler which has arrived at Yumden, says Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent. The fleet was proceeding westward.

SOCIETY BRIDE CUTS WEDDING; DISAPPOINTS WASHINGTON SET



Washington society was disappointed when this belle and beauty and February bride married "quietly" and failed to send invitations to society. The bride was formerly Miss Claire Lapcomb.

QUEEN LILIUOKalani WAS INSANE AT DEATH

HONOLULU, Mar. 9.—The supreme Liliuokalani, former queen of Hawaii was mentally competent when, several years ago, she executed a deed of trust conveying all her property to three trustees, headed by the late Samuel Cleghorn, father of Princess Kaiulani, also deceased.

The decision was rendered in a suit brought by her nephew, Jonah Kubio Kalaniana'ole, better known as Prince Kapi'olani, delegate to congress from Hawaii to have the trust deed dissolved on the ground that the former queen was mentally unsound when she executed it.

Cupid brought suit as Liliuokalani's "next best friend." The court denied his right to bring the suit and decided that the former queen was presumably sane and competent.

The deed of trust gave the trustees absolute and irrevocable control over the former queen's extensive estate.

COMMUNICATION

To the Editor: The editorial in March 3 edition of your paper, headed, "Our Sundaying a Nuisance," also previous articles in your paper along this same line, have come to the notice of the writer.

It so happens that the writer has had an opportunity to observe rather closely what has been done in all parts of the country towards the protection of orchard crops from frosts, and the only successful method at the present time is by means of oil burning, smudge pots or heaters. It may cross your mind that the writer has "an ax to grind" in writing you this, however, the principal idea in addressing you is that the Mail Tribune shapes a good many of the ideas in the valley and the gist of your editorial is liable to lead many growers away from their best interests.

The fruit growers in the Rogue River valley have a good many problems before them, and on this particular subject it would seem that the Mail Tribune would serve them better by steering them into the correct idea of setting out their pots before the frost season commences, providing plenty of oil in storage and staying on the job through the frost season with the fixed idea of bringing through their crops.

Yours very truly, M. M. ROOT, American Can Co., San Francisco, March 7.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Cheney declares that he is the author of the story of the "Hundred Dollars" and that he is the owner of the same. He is a resident of Toledo, Ohio, and is a citizen of the United States.

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JACKSONVILLE SCHOOL WORK TO BE SHOWN

Manual training was introduced in the Jacksonville school this year as an experiment and the people feel such a pride in its success that they are going to hold an exhibit of the work accomplished along industrial lines about the first of May. Sewing, basketry, raffia-weaving and manual departmental work will be emphasized at this exhibit.

Jacksonville feels that it has one of the best manual training departments in southern Oregon. The work was laid out along practical lines, the pupils making these articles which could be used in the homes. The boys under the direction of their instructor, G. J. Shafer, built eight double work benches equipped with round sawing vices, at a nominal cost of eight dollars per bench, one hundred and ten dollars was expended for tools and a wood lathe installed.

The work was made compulsory to all boys from the fourth grade up through the grades and optional in the high school. The course has proven so popular that every boy in the high school and a class of nine high school girls are taking the work. Sept. Smith says that the girl's work is on a par and in some cases superior to that of the boys, three having finished library tables, one a sewing table and another a writing desk. The pupils start with the rough lumber and follow the work through to the last coat of varnish, even turning the drawer pulls and knobs used on the furniture. Electric power will be installed next year and the department enlarged.

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KLAMATH LUMBER PLANNING EARLY WORK RESUMPTION

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Mar. 9.—With the ice practically all gone from upper Klamath lake, the lumber plants are making alterations, preparatory to beginning milling operations. There is a greater demand for upper grade now than there has been for several years, with prices from \$4 to \$5 per thousand feet better than they were last fall, so in order to fill these orders the mills will start as early as possible.

The Pelican Bay Lumber company expects to begin sawing with its big double band mill next Monday, and will cut about 25,000,000 feet of lumber during the season. A supply of logs for early use is now in the Pelican bay log pond, and the members of the logging crews are preparing to go to the camps this week.

The Algona Lumber company, at Algona, plans to get under way as soon as possible with sawmill work, but no definite date has been set for the resumption of cutting, other than that the mill will open about the middle of the month. The Algona company cuts 125,000 feet of lumber every 10 hours. Besides its sawmill, it has a large box factory, thus furnishing a year-round pay roll for the little town of Algona.

The H. H. Edmonds company's mill at Olene, which began cutting late in July, last year, will open April 1, and the Klamath Manufacturing company's mill will begin work soon. This mill will cut from 70,000 to 80,000 feet daily, and will operate its box factory all summer as well as all winter.

The Lamm Lumber company's mill, under construction at Modoc Point, a few miles from Klamath Falls, is being rushed to completion, and will begin operations the forepart of April. The Lamm company purchased 20,000,000 feet of timber bordering on upper Klamath Lake from the forest service, and Nicolle Bros., of Eugene, have a contract for logging the entire tract.

Last year the pay roll of the lumber industries here aggregated \$100,000 a month. With more mills in operation and an increased demand, making night crews a possibility, there will be a still greater number of men employed and a much larger pay roll.

A Slight Error

Through error it was stated that Mrs. Henry Weirather entertained the Belmont Cosmopolitan Physic club, Jan. 13. It should have read Belmont Cosmopolitan Civic club.—The Keokuk (Ia.) Constitution.

PETROGRAD, Mar. 9.—Russian troops have captured the town of Alza (Rish) on the Black sea thirty-five miles east of Trebizond. This announcement is made in the official statement issued from general headquarters, which adds that the Russians have also occupied the town of Seha, north of Kerimanshah, in Persia.

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