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EM-TEES

TABLE Once upon a time ye pianist on the stage, after getting through playing his repertoire, asked ye audience to mention their favorite piece.

After twenty years of unsuccessful labor a Minneapolis inventor has at last perfected his machine for smoothing the wrinkles on the doorknob.

GOSH? By Gus McCohn The wife went out and bought some furs.

Money we dream about doesn't draw interest. Love makes the world go round, and so does a half pint bottle.

A lot of the things we wish for are about as useful as an umbrella in a Turkish bath.

PROFANITY DICTIONARY PROFANITY—Words used by a rusty brain to fill blank parts of a conversation.

ITALIANS REFUSE TO HEAR WAGNER MUSIC

ROME, Nov. 20.—An attempt to introduce Wagner's music into a concert conducted by Toscanini resulted in an uproar last night which brought the performance to a premature conclusion.

An Austrian aviator hampered Padua on November 11, and according to news dispatches, killed thirty-two persons and injured about twice that number.

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GERMANY has given the world another lesson in war—a lesson showing that modern scientific war has the same effect on conquered peoples that ancient war had—that Christianity has not in any way tempered the steel of barbarism.

Thousands of Belgian civilians are being forced to work in Germany so that thousands of German men may drop their civil tasks and rush to the firing line.

To the neutral world it is a violation of the laws of war prohibiting the employment of civilians or war prisoners in labor that aids the enemies of their country.

The laws of war relating to this problem were framed with the idea of sparing the feeling of conquered peoples from outrage.

Belgium is paying the penalty for being small, weak and helpless—the penalty of the conquered.

Belgium is paying the penalty christianized that she paid paganism when Charlemagne christianized the Belgians by slaying all the males that stood above the height of his sword.

RAILROAD BOURBONISM

WITH customary bourbonism, the railroads in their resistance to progress have started the first of their 5000 suits to restrain the operation of the Adamson eight-hour law.

The railroads objected as strenuously to all regulation. They fought the interstate commerce commission and the various state commissions.

The railroads delayed action on the Adamson law until after election, expecting that the verdict of the people would, by the aid of Wall street finance and the old guard, be against the eight-hour law.

That government ownership is a possible outcome of the railroads' attitude is recognized both by congress and the president.

The conduct of the railroads, the inefficiency shown in management resulting in car shortage and poor service, their frenzied finance and swollen profits, their placing themselves above the law in their efforts to make the courts greater than the people, are rapidly making government ownership a necessity.

COVERED BOX FOR CHRISTMAS



Box in Blue and Gold. (By Biddy Bove) Boxes are among the requirements of every dressing table. New boxes follow the prevailing fad for color-contrast effects in fancy work.

DIED Edward J. DeHart, a member of the old firm of Honeyman, De Hart & Co., and the first president of the Commercial club of Portland, one of the promoters of the Medford-Jacksonville railroad and for seven years an orchard owner and resident of Medford, died Saturday, November 18, at his Portland home, aged 80 years.

APPLE SHOW AT SPOKANE OPENED WITH CARNIVAL

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 20.—To the scream of whistles, the ringing of bells and honking of automobile horns, the ninth National Apple show opened in Spokane Monday morning.

The big apple palace presented a beautiful appearance, decorated in a mass of cool and evergreens, with a profusion of apple blossoms setting off the stage.

The carnival feature, which has been added to the apple show this year, promises to make this week one of the merriest and jolliest ever had in Spokane.

The coming of King Boreas II of St. Paul will be a spectacular event, followed by a king's pageant that in grandeur has never been excelled here.

Special reduced rates have been offered on all railroads and reservations are pouring in by the hundreds from nearby towns.

CHINESE DECLARE JAPAN AFTER LOOT AND PLUNDER

PEKING, Oct. 11.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Japan's insistence upon immediate settlement of the demands growing out of the Chengchiatun incident, is creating great uneasiness among Chinese officials.

The Associated Press correspondent is now able to give a paraphrase of the four demands and the four suggestions made by Japan, which is practically the text of Baron Hayashi's representations to the foreign office.

The demands are as follows: 1. The commander of the twenty-eighth division of the Chinese army in Manchuria is to be reprimanded.

2. Officers responsible for the Chengchiatun incident are to be dismissed, and those in direct command are to be severely punished.

3. Orders are to be issued to Chinese troops in Southern Manchuria and Eastern Inner Mongolia that hereafter Chinese soldiers and officers are not allowed to act in such a way as to irritate and provoke the Japanese troops and Japanese residents.

4. (a) The Chinese government is to permit the stationing of Japanese police in interior Southern Manchuria and Eastern Inner Mongolia at such places as the Japanese government may consider it necessary to station police for the protection and control of Japanese residents.

5. In the principal military divisions in Southern Manchuria and Eastern Mongolia, a certain number of Japanese officers are to be employed as military advisers.

Chinese newspapers have been particularly incensed by Baron Hayashi's insistence upon granting of police rights to Japan of Southern Manchuria and Eastern Inner Mongolia not already open to trade.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

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WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR RE-ELECTION OF WOODROW WILSON?

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Who is responsible for Wilson's election? John M. Parker says the progressives elected Wilson.

The "fighting pacifists" claim they did it. The American Union Against Militarism of which Amos Pinchot, Lillian Wald and Jane Addams are leading lights, point to the defeat of DuPont, the ranking republican member of the senate committee on military affairs, and of William S. Bennett of New York, who ran on a platform including universal military service, and to the re-election of such ardent peace advocates as General Isaac Sherwood, and Representative Gordon and Crossner, as evidence that it was the "kept us out of war" voters in the west that did the business.

Samuel Compers points with pride to himself and says: "The cause of labor, justice and freedom has been vindicated!"

The Navy league says, "President Wilson declared for preparedness and the American people decided to keep him four years more."

But from the west comes the statement of Hiram V. Johnson, governor of California, that "General Otis, W. H. Crocker and Francis V. Keessling have the proud distinction" of having elected Wilson by antagonizing the progressives of California.

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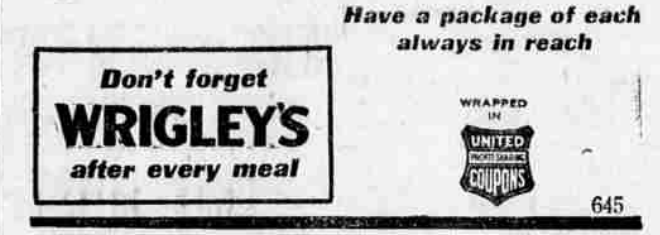
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