

BRINGING UP FATHER

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JUSTICE AT LAST.

"A MAN may be down, but he is never out." This slogan has particular application today. Not because it is the day before the fight, but because it is the day after the appointment of William Howard Taft as chief justice of the Supreme Court.

It was only nine years ago that ex-President Taft was down so far that even his ample proportions were scarcely discernible through the high-powered telescope of the friendly few and faithful. He was the worst defeated president in American history. He was even denied the dignity of tragedy. The American people kicked him down stairs and then laughed. Taft was a joke.

But today the former president is exalted to the highest position of permanent power and influence in this republic, he is attaining the goal of his hearts desire, and the American people are glad. This sensational return from Elba, this extraordinary "come back" is not so much a demonstration of the volatility of the popular will, as of the power of justice.

For this appointment of Mr. Taft is concentrated justice. After suffering the slings and arrows of outrageous political fortune, he deserved some great compensation. Now he has it. More than that, no man in American public life, is more imbued with the spirit of justice, than Mr. Taft. Justice should have been his middle name. It was this spirit of justice,—the incorrigible judicial temperament,—which made him such a failure as a political leader, and will make him such a success as chief justice of the Supreme Court.

So everyone is happy,—or ought to be. Not only happy over Mr. Taft's good fortune, but happy that the law of the square deal has asserted its vitality again. "A man may be down but he is never out." What an appropriate slogan for an army that bears the title of "Salvation." A corollary to that expression is this "He is never out, if he keeps his grit, retains his smile, refuses to lose faith in himself or the ultimate justice of his fellows."

Ex-President Taft's career now has all the dramatic unity of the old Morality play. Virtue has triumphed, persistence has won, Old Erie and all his works are thrice confounded. A good man and a good sport, has come into his own again.



TIMES IMPROVE.

THE hammer rings throughout the land, they're building shacks for every hand, and normalcy returns; the honest workman sheds his coat and builds a hencoop or a boat, and blows in what he earns. The war is over, and at last we're cutting out the grisly past, of which we talked so long; the present is a bully time for buying lumber, lath and lime, and we are going strong. The Problems we were wont to ride now have a rest, we let them slide, until the Harvest Home; and now we spend our afternoons in planting peas and stringless prunes, and digging up the loan. The loafers do not throng the street, emerging from their dark retreat in alley or in court, and in my jaunts I do not rub against the Spit and Argue Club, which used to hold the fort. The signs and tokens everywhere a better state of things declare, and men are growing sane; less foolish clamors do they raise, and they forsake the dotty ways that gave the gods a pain. There are discordant notes, I know, and there are strains of strife and woe, by which the world is bored; but through the wail of grief and wrong, you hear the grand triumphant song of industry restored.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

- 1-How is milk pasteurized?
2-Where did our present breed of dogs originate?
3-Where do growing plants get nourishment?
4-What was the "Day of Doom"?
5-What was Franklin's greatest literary work?
6-Who were the "midnight judges"?
7-What was the "Ordinance of 1787"?
8-What was the trade dollar coined for?
9-What is the meaning of abintestate?
10-What is a bevel-gear?
Answers to Yesterday's Questions
1-What is a pedigreed animal called?
2-What is the comparative food value of beefsteak to whole milk?
3-How do you remove bad odors from milk?
4-What is the best kind of soil for general farming?

New Infant Industry. WASHINGTON, July 1.—The House ways and means committee recognized a new "infant industry" when it put an import duty of \$350 a head on black and silver foxes in its draft of the permanent tariff bill. Members said the rate was imposed so as to encourage the growth of the species in this country.

Old papers for housecleaning at Mail Tribune office.

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HEREAFTER GUIDES TO S. F. CHINATOWN MUST TELL TRUTH!

SAN FRANCISCO, July 1.—True stories must be told to tourists by licensed guides who show strangers through San Francisco's peaceful Chinatown, the police here ruled recently when they learned that wild, false tales of drug dens, tong murders and slave girls were related to visitors on sightseeing tours. Badges of the guides will be taken up, it was

announced, if they stray from the mild facts.

Police action was taken when Detective Sergeant John L. Manion on duty in Chinatown, stopped one night to listen to a guide telling strange stories to a party of 135 tourists. "Stand close to me," the guide said, according to Manion, "and scatter. Shooting may start any time. On this very spot last night a pitched battle was fought in which 14 Chinese were killed or injured."

Another guide, pointing to the Chinese Native Sons Building, was heard to say, "This is the Chinese Police station. No white man has ever entered. Words, even in our own language, cannot describe what goes on behind its barred doors. The dead are floated off in the sewerage beneath."

Before entering a family residence building in the Chinese quarter, a number of tourists were told to pass

through it quickly. "This is a hop joint," the guide asserted. The fumes are so strong you can even acquire the drug habit by loitering in the passages. The duty collector on the drugs used here pays the salary of every government official in the port of San Francisco.

Police hope to stop the telling of these tales. "Hereafter all fabrications are ruled out," Manion said. "Only straight stuff goes."

ST. LOUIS, July 1.—Officials of the Chamber of Commerce today announced they would request a Carnegie hero medal for Robert J. Taylor of this city, negro Pullman porter, who is said to have saved 26 lives when Missouri Pacific train No. 14 was overturned in the Pueblo flood in June.

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