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FEEDING FAMINE STRICKEN

Millions of Unfortunates in China and Russia

Washington, April 11.—Columbia alone the "Gem of the Ocean"; she has become the Lady Bountiful of the world. Through its open generosity the United States has taken a unique position among nations. There is not a country in the world by war, by famine or by pestilence of nature that does not appeal to this country for aid, and rarely do such sufferers appeal vainly. As a result the name of the United States in far off countries is synonymous with kindly generosity.

The state department this week received from Consul General Rodgers at Shanghai cablegram declaring that the food supplies sent and those on their way to relieve the Chinese famine sufferers are sufficient to meet the needs of the people. The cablegrams that this food relieved the famine in some sections actually having been driven to starvation before the United States stepped in with its aid. Consul General Rodgers, however, says that a small amount of money will be necessary to complete the work of resupplying.

Now that the relief of the Chinese famine is completed, the American people are turning their eyes to the fearful suffering being borne by the Russian peasants. President Roosevelt has subscribed to the fund, accompanied by a letter to Bishop Potter, chairman of the lately organized Russian famine relief committee, which has its headquarters at 135 E. Fifteenth street, New York city. In this letter the President urged upon the American people the necessity of co-operation with the committee in this humanitarian cause. Largely as a result of this letter the committee has already collected about \$25,000, many of the contributions being small ones from scattered sources.

More than \$100,000 still is needed to save a large portion of Russia's peasant population. There are 30,000,000 of Russian men, women and children in the most abject condition, and disease is threatening the lives of those who already have not succumbed to starvation. The committee announces that \$5 sent at this time will be sufficient to save human life until the next harvest. This fact is thoroughly understood and it is expected that sympathetic

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Americans will pour their contributions into the fund. The money thus subscribed will be expended by the committee's own agents, and care will be taken that none of it passes over the itching palms of Russian officials.

The latest advices from the famine territory depicts the suffering as extreme, a letter this week from a village near Moscow saying:

"At present the temperature in this village is in the neighborhood of 20 degrees below zero. Many of the peasants are living in holes dug underground. They are almost naked and they are without fuel. Their food is a sort of bread made of ground acorns or other uneatables, to which have been added a little rye meal. Typhus, scurvy and blindness, resulting from starvation are on all sides striking down grown up people and children. This is not a single village; there are thousands like it, and these thousands of villages have no hope unless help can come to them from the outside. Seventy-five cents will keep an adult alive for a month. It is bitter to ask for alms; but it is still more bitter to look upon these agonies with empty hands."

Dr. Samuel J. Barrows, who is secretary of the Russian famine relief committee, would not be surprised if the famine situation in Russia were made a strong argument for universal peace at the next conference at The Hague. The famine beyond doubt is a direct result of the war with Japan, and the work of relieving the present suffering directly taxes civilized countries for the effects of a struggle in which they were not involved.

Rheumatic Pains.

I have been a very great sufferer from the dreadful disease, rheumatism, for a number of years. I have tried many medicines but never got much relief from any of them until two years ago, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I found relief before I had used all of one bottle, but kept on applying it and soon felt like a different woman. Through my advice many of my friends have tried it and can tell you how wonderfully it has worked.—Mrs. Sarah A. Cole, 140 S. New St., Dover, Del. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a liniment. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. It makes rest and sleep possible. For sale at Dr. Stone's drug store.

The interstate commerce commission may appeal to the federal courts to compel the attendance of E. H. Harriman.

St. Paul.—The house unanimously adopted a resolution asking Roosevelt to run again. Five Democrats did not vote.

New York Theater News.

"The Road to Yesterday" which has proved to be one of the most popular plays of the year, and so has succeeded in filling the Herald Square theater the past three months leaves that popular playhouse for Brooklyn where it will be presented at the Shubert theater.

"The Boys of Company B," a military comedy by Rida Johnson Young, follows "The Lion and the Mouse" at the Lyceum theater next week. Mr. Arnold Daly and a capable company are the fun makers.

Miss Ethel Barrymore, scored a signal success as Stella Dex in Captain Robert Marshall's farcical romance "His Excellency the Governor," on Thursday evening, at the Empire theater. The change of the actress from the part of a charwoman to that of Stella, the light hearted heroine of Captain Marshall's romance presents her in contrasting roles. Bruce McRae played the part of the governor and Jack Barrymore that of Captain Carew.

On Monday evening the Will J. Block Amusement company presented for the first time here in the New York theater "The Land of Nod," an extravaganza in two acts, the book of which has been written by Frank R. Adams and William M. Hough, and the music by Joseph E. Howard. To this was added an "Operatic Outburst," termed "The Song Birds" which has been written by George V. Hobart, and musically illustrated by Victor Herbert.

Kyrle Bellew appeared on Monday evening at Wallack's theater in the new modern play, "A Marriage of Reason," written by J. Hartley Manners, and founded by arrangement on Mrs. Arthur Kennard's novel, "The Second Lady Delecombe." The story of the piece deals with a particularly opportune subject—the possibility of happiness in the marriages of convenience that have now become so common between rich American women and impoverished English men of title. It is presented in four acts, with three scenes, representing the paddock of the Goodwood racing track in England on Cup day, the grounds of Delecombe Abbey and the library in the abbey. Kyrle Bellew impersonates Lord Delecombe, an easy going good-natured, half cynical and wholly warm hearted man of the world. A lord by birth, he is almost a pauper through circumstances, and his own early extravagances. He meets a very attractive, travelled, brilliant little woman from Chicago, Rita Forrest, played by Miss Fannie Ward, who is glove trotting with a chap-ron. She becomes interested in him and he in her, and at the end of the first act they have a proposal scene that is quite unlike anything in the whole range of comedy drama. He proposes and she accepts. On the one hand, she will become Lady Delecombe with the vast social prestige of that position, and on the other he will have command of her immense financial resources. There is to be no sentimentality on either side and from first to last it is to be "a marriage of reason."

"The Lilac Room," the English dramatic comedy in which Amelia Bingham and her company opened at Joe Webber's theater Wednesday evening was written by Evelyn Greenleaf Sutherland and Beniah Marie Dix, authors of "The Road to Yesterday." The scenes of "The Lilac Room" are laid in provincial England, and the characters, with the exception of the one played by Miss Bingham, are mainly aristocratic English men and women who live lives of refinement. At the time of the play, however, the even tenor of their way is marred by a series of untoward incidents, which upset the placid current of their existence, and which would have resulted disastrously for all concerned, save for the timely presence of a witty, plain-spoken resourceful and fascinating American woman. The latter, impersonated by Miss Bingham, grapples with the situation in a masterful but thoroughly feminine manner, straightens out the tangled skein, and incidentally wins for herself a husband, helps Scotland Yard capture a couple of notorious crooks, and brings together a pair of lovers who were in imminent danger of final separation. The comedy of the play is breezy and refreshing, and sustains just the right relation to the more exciting incidents of the story.

BAKER IS DEBTLESS.

For First Time in History of the County.

The Baker City Herald of Saturday carries a full page head declaring that Baker county is out of debt. Following is what the paper heralds: Baker county is out of debt with money in its treasury to pay its expense for the year. This has been accomplished by the new administration.

Bad Symptoms.

The woman who has periodical headaches, backache, sees imaginary dark spots or specks floating or dancing before her eyes, has gnawing distress or heavy full feeling in stomach, faint spells, dragging-down feeling in lower abdominal or pelvic region, easily startled or excited, irregular or painful periods, with or without the catarrh, is suffering from the weaknesses and derangements that should have early attention. Not all of above symptoms are likely to be present in any case at one time.

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No medicine extant has such a long and numerous record of cures in such cases as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. No medicine has such a strong positive guarantee of cure of its various troubles, such as irregular menstruation, the very best ingredients known to medical science for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments enter into its composition. No alcohol, harmful, or list of its ingredients printed on each bottle wrapper and attested under oath.

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tion, Judge Messick and Commissioners Cropp and Fisher, despite the fact that they reduced the tax levy three mills, were forced to pay for the Moody murder trial, and were hampered in every way possible by the agents of the old gang which had been sinking the taxpayers deeper into the financial mire for the past 12 years.

Besides having cleared away a debt of nearly \$100,000, which lumbered the county when they went into office, the members of the new court have administered the affairs of the county so wisely that there is the sum of \$20,000 in the road fund, \$32,000 in the school fund and money enough on hand to pay cash for every dollar of expense of the county for the next year.

Cured Rheumatism.

Mr. Wm. Henry of Chattanooga, Tenn., had rheumatism in his left arm. "The strength seemed to have gone out of the muscles so that it was useless for work," he says. "I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and wrapped the arm in flannel at night, and to my relief I found that the pain gradually left me and the strength returned. In three weeks the rheumatism had disappeared and has not since returned." If troubled with rheumatism try a few applications of Pain Balm. You are certain to be pleased with the relief which it affords. For sale at Dr. Stone's drug store.

S. A. Parks, attendant at the asylum, came in from Salem yesterday.—Eugene Guard April 9.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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