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Nature's Gift from the Sunny South

TRYING OUT OF MILITARY BALLOONS

Washington, July 23.—Aeronauts and army officers who look to them to develop the art of war in the fourth medium—the air—are beginning to center their attention upon Fort Meyer, near Washington, where the army signal corps is soon to determine by actual experiment what part aerial maneuvers can be made to play in the American game of warfare.

Captain Baldwin's dirigible balloon which he has built according to army specifications, has been shipped and is being assembled. In a few days it will be put through the paces prescribed by the signal corps. It is not built on so large a scale as the Zeppelin dirigible nor is it expected to establish a record for air craft. Yet the trials, if successful, will be important as marking the beginning of a period of development of air navigation by the army.

Next month the Herring and Wright aeroplanes will be tried out under the most exacting conditions. These trial flights are expected to be the longest attained, the specifications calling for a machine that will remain in air for an hour. The trials will also be the first notable public demonstration of the Wright machine which has been the great mystery of the aeronautic world.

Gen. Allen and officers of the signal corps are counting upon these trials to bring home to congress the practicability of air navigation. If success is attained an appropriation will be asked to enable the corps to devote its energies to building up an aerial fleet and encouraging inventors in perfecting mechanical aerial flight.

This feature of the trials is by far the most important. Since the experiments of Prof. Langley on the Potomac which, although they did not solve the problem of flight, went far toward perfecting the necessary mechanical apparatus, congress and, as a consequence, the army have looked upon aerial flight as a chimerical notion. The ridicule following Langley's experiments had much to do with his death and the subsequent praise of his work by all scientists has tended to make the national legislators more charitable and less cocksure.

If the aeroplanes and dirigibles are fairly successful in answering army requirements it is probable that congress will appropriate a sum sufficient to take up this work in earnest.

There is in America no lack of inventors. Gen. Allen, of the signal corps, has kept well in touch with them. Besides there are hundreds of aspirants many of them cranks, who deluge the department with all manner of suggestions, plans and even miniature ships of the air. If the army takes up the question there is no doubt that in a few years the United States will be abreast of any nation in aerial equipment.

POLITICIANS ASK WHAT'S BETWEEN TAFT AND HUGHES

Washington, July 23.—Why Mrs. Gov. Charles Evans Hughes the New York executive, been unrepresented in the harmony conferences between Judge Taft and the late lamented "allies," at Hot Springs?

That's what politicians of the first magnitude are asking in Washington today. Is the governor grouchy over something, or don't the Taftites want him to play in their back yard?

The smoke of battle had hardly cleared away when Speaker Cannon was puffing his cigar under Judge Taft's vine and fig-tree and expressing his humble desire to serve Buckeye Bill in whatsoever capacity he might will. Senator Beveridge, senator Hemenway and Representative Watson blocked the door in their eagerness to get into Judge Taft's room first to tell him how loyal the Fairbanks men would be to the Ohio nominee. Being the loudest talker, Senator Beveridge got Taft's ear first.

Rep. Burke, of Pennsylvania, hot-footed it across country, from Senator Knox's country home to tell the new big chief how much the senator loved his conqueror. He had hardly gotten to Hot Springs before Rep. Cooper, of Wisconsin, came in to pledge the vote of the La Follette crowd of reformers. Even Senator Dick, of Ohio strutted around, as the representative of Senator Foraker, to display within the sight of Judge Taft, a beautiful white flag.

But where was he who bore the insignia of Gov. Hughes? Not in Hot Springs. And Judge Taft has seen no one of that stripe since he was nominated. The politicians are wondering if he wants to.

GOOD WILL HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO CANADA

(United Press Leased Wire.) Quebec, July 23.—Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks today delivered an address of good will and neighborly friendship from the United States to Prince George Frederick of Wales at the tercentenary celebration exercises before the Champlain monument.

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PHILIPPINES NO LONGER HOME OF UNDESIRABLES

Washington, July 23.—As President Roosevelt honored the late President Cleveland by renaming a Californian forest "Cleveland," so he is seeking to pay tribute to the coming President—maybe—by removing the stigma of the name of "Land of the Undesirables" from Judge Taft's pet country, the Philippines.

Through the secretary of state, orders have gone out to the American consular representatives at Asiatic ports to discontinue their long-established practice of shipping vagrants to Manila. The Philippines have been made the dumping grounds for human trash, who claim American citizenship, it is said, on the theory that at Manila or vicinity work may be procured by the wanderlust victims, or that they might be sent on to the states. Such a practice was nice for the Asiatic ports, but Manila did not see any fun in it, and complained at the cost thus placed upon her. The question of taking care of these stranded persons, or sending them home on a government ship was a vexing one and the authorities of the city and of the islands, complained to the President.

Last year there were not less than 223 vagrants who were provided with transportation. In 140 of these cases the cost of subsistence was paid by the insular government. Some of these are sailors who had been discharged and who had deserted from American sailing vessels either at Manila or at such places as Hongkong, or Singapore, whence they were sent to Manila by the local American consular representative, "on their way home," wherever that might be.

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FRATERNAL ORDER OF WHITE MICE

To the 2,000,000 Elks, Owls and members of other benevolent societies in the United States which have zoological names has just been added the newly organized "Fraternal Order of White Mice."

With this newcomer in the field the names of at least a score of the better known beasts and birds have been utilized as titles for societies. The tendency to select animal names seems to be a deep seated and growing one, and investigation into the uses of these names would make an interesting study.

The Fraternal Order of the Moose is one of the most recent additions to the "Elks" and "Buffaloes" and orders named for the big animals. Among the benevolent societies the Beavers and Eagles both have large memberships. Another order, the Owls, has 156 nests all over the country, with a home nest in South Bend, Indiana. There are over 76,000 members belonging to these. The Fraternal Order of Eagles has an enrollment of over 250,000 members and the Elks is one of the largest benevolent societies in Chicago, the total disbursements running into millions of dollars. The Independent Order of Foresters has an enrollment of 255,000 members and its total disbursements for benefits to its members, amounts to \$22,500,000 since its organization in 1874. The queerest named secret society found in Chicago, however, is the Concatenated Order of Hoos Hoos, an organization of lumbermen, with a large membership.

Over Thirty-five Years.

In 1872 there was a great deal of diarrhoea, dysentery and cholera infantum. It was at this time that Chamberlain's colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was first brought into use. It proved more successful than any other remedy or treatment, and has for thirty-five years maintained that record. From a small beginning its sale and use has extended to every part of the United States and to many foreign countries. Nine druggists out of ten will recommend it when their opinion is asked, although they have other medicines that pay them a greater profit. It can always be depended upon, even in the most severe and dangerous cases. For sale by Dr. Stone's drug store.

PROSPERITY HURTS PAWNBROKERS

Pawnbrokers and loan sharks throughout the country have been hard hit by the returning wave of prosperity. Interesting and curious information about this line of business was uncovered by the board of review in this city who heard from one ghetto property owner, Abraham Newman, that he was being ruined by prosperity and that he was losing money every day. "Ruined by prosperity?" asked one of the reviewers in astonishment. "I can't understand that." "Easy enough," returned Newman, "I am a pawnbroker and when the times are good there is no business for me. There are 120 pawnbrokers in Chicago and not one of them who is doing an honest business is making any money today." The ill effects of the present revival on another line of business were bewailed by George Armstrong, a manufacturer of rat traps, although just what the connection was between prosperity and the falling off in the sale of rodent snares was not made clear.

"My business has been seriously damaged," stated Armstrong solemnly. "It must have been the fact that Bryan would be nominated," he added enigmatically, "that caused such a feeling of disgust among purchasers, and I am afraid his nomination will have a permanent depressing influence on the rat trap industry."

The work of the board of review had a more serious side, however, for it led to the discovery of over \$150,000,000 of taxable wealth hidden away in Chicago and vicinity, the taxes on which will enrich the city and county by several millions of dollars. The newly discovered property is the estimated total value of \$90 undivided estate which, during the lives of their owners, were undertaxed and now will have to be properly paid on by the heirs. As a result of the strenuous look into the past, conscience-stricken property owners are rushing to the reviewers with true valuations and hard-luck stories.

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