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CONVENTION

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expressed themselves to the high officers of the American fleet as earnestly desiring such a conference. One of the Japanese officials is quoted as having said that he favored "open discussion of the Eastern question among the powers instead of the secret diplomacy now in vogue."

It is the sentiment of the foreign diplomats here that Japan will have outgeneraled the world in diplomacy if the plans succeeds, fortifying herself at one stroke against the dangerous sentiment for a "White Pacific" that the visit of the American fleet to the Antipodes engendered, and nipping in the bud the much talked-of China-American treaty, that would league America and China as allies against the domination of the Far East by the Mikado's empire.

The visit of the American fleet to Japan and the lavish reception and manifestations of good will by the Japanese toward the Americans have done much to convince the officers of the fleet that Japan is sincere in her desire to cement an alliance with America.

The exchange of good will between the Emperor and Admiral Sperry, representing President Roosevelt, has created a profound impression here. The Japanese press declares today that the visit of the Atlantic fleet has established an "unwritten alliance between American and Japan that is as strong as written treaties."

CHINESE EDITOR HAS NO FAITH IN JAPS

San Francisco, Oct. 22.—"Personally, I have no faith in Japan's professions of friendship for America," said Ng Poon Chew, editor of Ching Sain Yat Po, the leading Chinese daily paper of America, in a statement to the United Press today, when he was shown the cable message from Tokio regarding the proposed conference.

"I think that Japan's enthusiasm for the proposed conference of Pacific powers is two-faced," he continued. "Japan is well-known the world over as a greedy nation, and if she cannot head off the so-called alliance between America and China, it is her greatest wish to participate in such an alliance. It would fall to her lot to protect her trade in China, in the event that a China-American alliance is formed and she is left out of it, and Japan would do so at the greatest risk of war with any other nation on earth."

ANOTHER OMEN OF "BRYAN PROSPERITY"

Aurora, Ill., Oct. 22.—Judge Taft declared that if it is being reported that business men are giving orders to be filled in case he is elected, and not to be filled in case Bryan is victorious, it is "only another indication that the election of Bryan will not restore confidence." He spoke to a big crowd here, and was well received. At Milan, Ind., the candidate addressed a gathering of farmers, pointing to their prosperity, and declaring that Republican success will be to their advantage.

When the doctor is called he asks: "How are the bowels?" They are generally wrong. His visit might have been saved by a timely dose of Lane's Family Medicine.

COMMONER TAKES A FLING AT ROOSEVELT

Point Pleasant, W. Va., Oct. 22.—In reference to President Roosevelt's letter to Senator Knox, of Pennsylvania, in which the President said Bryan had not made known his views on the labor question, the Commoner today declared that if the President desired the information all he had to do was to read Bryan's labor day speech at Chicago. Bryan will reply at length to the Roosevelt letter later. He declined to make any further comment, however, at this time.

Bryan delivered 20 addresses today in West Virginia and will start tomorrow for New York. He will stop in New Jersey on the way. In his speeches today Bryan appealed to the farmer and the labor vote. He reiterated his arguments of previous addresses on similar subjects, and protested vigorously against the alleged attempts to coerce voters.

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Trustee's Sale in Bankruptcy.

Notice is hereby given that R. E. Downing, trustee in bankruptcy for Clarence Ullom, bankrupt, will receive sealed bids at his residence, at 245 North Commercial street, Salem, Oregon, for the property of said bankrupt, described in his petition for order of sale on file in said matter at the office of John Bayne, referee in bankruptcy, including the bakery stock, fixtures, etc., of the Capital Bakery at 439 Court street, Salem, Oregon, said property to be sold free and clear of liens and encumbrances, as set forth in said petition, and as may be ordered by the court. Said bids to be received before October 28, 1908, and to be accompanied by certified check of bidder for 10 per cent of the amount bid. Bids to be opened October 25, 1908, at 11 a. m., at the office of the trustee, the right to reject any and all bids being reserved. Dated October 22, 1908, at Salem, Oregon. R. E. DOWNING, Trustee, 10-22-3t

M. COHAN IN "THE HONEYMOONERS"

Finest, brightest and best of the famous Cohan song shows is "The Honeymooners" which comes to the Grand opera house next Monday direct from an all summer engagement at the palatial New Amsterdam



in "The Honeymooners." Cohan in New York where it played to capacity at \$2 prices. The original Metropolitan production is coming to New York critics declared that the production of a musical comedy had ever been seen on Broadway and the verdict of the road is nothing so beautiful has been heretofore outside of New York. M. Cohan likes "The Honeymooners" best himself. He lavished his upon it and the result is an entertainment packed with novelty.

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BUILDING RAILROAD ON THE SNAKE RIVER

E. P. Farrell, of Homestead, says that there is great activity on the Snake river. At present there is about 20 miles of track laid out from Huntington and within a short time the rails will be laid to Brownlee. The Ox Bow company has a good wagon road from Brownlee to Copperfield and will haul their machinery, provisions and cement over this line. A large amount of cement is used by the company and many teams are kept busy hauling it in. The company has four acres of ground in Copperfield and this land is covered with shanties of work-

men. There is a large dining hall that will seat 300 people and several cooks are kept busy.

The Ox Bow company will soon start their sawmill and things will begin to hum. The railroad people are pushing the work with great vigor and of the 2170 feet of tunnel to be excavated, more than 1000 feet has been completed. Work is being pushed beyond the tunnel so that when the big hole is opened the track will be ready to connect on both sides. There are three tunnels between the mouth of Powder river and Pine creek and a short tunnel between Pine creek and Homestead.

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SOME DEFECTS OF OUR EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM

For all the educational system seems to be aware, every boy who enters the primary grades expects to graduate, spend four years in high school, pass to college and eventually become a professional or business man. The schools do not seem to know that any women outside the teaching profession earn their living. That thousands upon thousands of children, girls as well as boys, are obliged by the hard conditions of life to go to work with their hands at the age of 14 seems to be utterly unknown.

The best proof that the educational system has lagged behind is the fact that it is impossible to induce the great majority of children to remain in school a day longer than the law obliges them to. They flee from the schoolroom at 14, most of them to go to work, and the rest of them to learn work. They want to learn to live, and they are not taught that lesson in the schoolroom.

At the time the public school system was placed on a national basis all the educators were agreed on one common ideal, which was that the schools must be democratic. Courses of study must be founded on the theory of the absolute equality of all American citizens. Therefore, the curriculum was arranged as a series of ladders, leading from the primary school to the grammar school; from the grammar school to the high school; from the high school to college, and from college to the White House.

This was intended to be a democratic program. It was, in fact, entirely aristocratic, since it redounded to the advantage of the children of the prosperous and the intellectual classes.

Fully 95 per cent of school children never advance beyond the grammar grades, and less than 2 per cent of high school pupils pass on to college.

Now a truly democratic system of public school administration would use these facts for its main basis. Since an overwhelming majority of children will never receive any more education than they get in elementary schools the proper elementary school would be, not a like in a chain, a preparatory department of the high school, but a complete think in itself; a complete education of a very practical nature. Its object would be to educate children for a world of industrial pursuits—Rheta Childe Dorr, in the Delineator.

FORTY DAYS OF HEAVY RAINS PREDICTED

Editor Chronicle—Sir: For several years I have endeavored to bring before the public a system of long-range forecasting of the annual precipitation upon the Pacific coast. Three years ago I sent a forecast to the San Francisco weather bureau, indicating that while the early part of the winter would be dry, later sufficient precipitation would follow to bring the rainfall above normal. Last year I again sent the weather bureau another forecast to the effect that we would experience a dry year; also sent such forecast to the Chronicle, but for some reason it

was not published. Now I shall try again, with the expectation that the Chronicle will publish the same, and, whenever the Chronicle is sufficiently interested, will give the basis (from years of observation) how the forecast is made.

This year all indications point to a dry fall, probably extended into the early winter months, but followed by heavy precipitation for about 40 days, from which time there will be intermittent rainfall until late in the spring months, and altogether more than normal rainfall for the season on the Pacific coast. I expect to keep up these forecasts until it is taken up by the government or until it fails.

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