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Children's Barefoot Sandals

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CITY NEWS

HILL SAYS PUBLIC OPINION PUNISHES

THE LAW DOES NOT, "FOR THERE IS TOO MUCH 'PULL.'"

Northern Securities Magnate Calls for a "Great Awakening" and a Change of Business Methods—Says He Will Never Build Another Ship Under the American Flag.

Thank God, there is public opinion. That is the great corrective and a punitive agent in this republic. Public opinion, it would seem, punishes in this country and not the law, for there is too much "pull."—James J. Hill.

James J. Hill, commonly reputed to be one of the most autocratic millionaire railroad operators of this country, has finally come to a realization that public opinion is a great factor in keeping large affairs moving in the right direction. The quotation which leads this article is taken from a long interview telegraphed from Lenox, Mass., by a correspondent for a Chicago paper, who interviewed the Northern Securities magnate at his son's summer home there.

Mr. Hill introduced his interview by saying: "I see no dangerous shoals ahead in the business and financial situation here, nor do I look for any sort of a business boom. The country ought to be thankful if business moves along in its present volume. What is needed the country over is a great awakening, a sort of revival in its business methods in domestic and foreign trade, and a different and higher commercial standard or moral tone. This great awakening will have to come before we are a world power."

"Making a Poor Job of It."

"There is much to say on the general condition of business," he continued. "There are many favorable elements in the prospect and still more unfavorable features to be reckoned with in the general affairs. We are in a period of demagogry which reacts and 'pull' in turn promotes graft. There are, too, quack political theories which clash with sound business. We are a nation of 80,000,000 people, or more, working and developing rich natural resources. I complain, however, that we are making a poor job of it from a trade and business point of view. The country is richer far than England or Germany, and yet the fruits of trading are exceedingly small compared with what they ought to be. It is all very well to be content to swap jackknives with one another, but what is that but taking money out of one pocket and putting it in another? Individual effort is restrained by political theorists and demagog leaders.

"We are dilly-dallying with South American trade and are trying to build the Panama canal. What good will come of it? We have not the ships and freight rates to the far east are against it. We have not the protecting laws for a merchant marine. I, myself, have recognized that condition and shall certainly never again build a ship under the American flag. Ships can be built cheaper abroad and operated more successfully from a commercial point of view under a foreign flag.

WHAT WAS HIS GAME?

Man Who Pretends to Be an Inspector Ruins Gas Meter.

Two men knocked at the door of the home of Mrs. Boyd, 3336 Irving avenue S, yesterday and pretended to be gas meter inspectors. She admitted the elder and locked the door, leaving the other outside. Following the inspector to the basement, she saw him rap a few times on the meter and pour some oil on it. Then he declared it was "all right." Last evening the meter would not work and Mrs. Boyd reported the matter to the police and then to the gas company. An expert was sent out and said that the meter had been ruined by the oil.

Do You Know

The Northern Pacific Ry is becoming one of the greatest Tourist lines in the world! The reason for this is the magnificent train service offered. The North Coast Limited train cannot be excelled anywhere on earth for comfort and convenience, and the greatest of all attractions, the Yellowstone National Park, is reached from the main line at Livingston, Mont.

Crops and Profits.

"Last year the south raised a bumper crop of cotton—some say 13,000,000 bales and others more. The year before was a crop failure, when less than 10,000,000 bales were raised in the cotton belt. Yet the crop gathered in the fall was netted to the southern planter \$150,000,000 more than the record-breaking crop of 1904. Why is that? Simply because we had not developed our own markets. Asia, with its millions of people ready to take our goods, particularly the cotton goods, is shunned and tabooed to such an extent that it is cooperating against and boycotting American wares.

"Our crops are none too good this year," continued Mr. Hill. "We will not raise any bumper crop of wheat. I think that if the west raises more than 600,000,000 bushels it will be doing well. What does Jones say? I can rely on him."

Mr. Hill was told that Mr. Jones had estimated the wheat crop would be less than 650,000,000 bushels.

"I don't think it will be as much as that," said Mr. Hill. "However, if we gather 600,000,000 bushels of wheat and a 10,000,000-bale crop of cotton we

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2,000 pieces French and German Valenciennes laces, value 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c yard. Sale price..... 5c

Fancy cotton wash laces and insertions, 2 to 5 inches wide, worth 25c to 38c a yard. Sale price..... 10c

575 pieces English Torchon laces, Cluny insertions and white and ecru applique bands, values 10c to 25c. Sale price, per yard..... 5c

25 pieces Allover laces in white, cream and black, regular prices \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 yard. Sale..... 69c

Embroidery Bargains

Two lots of Allover embroideries, suitable for shirtwaists, etc., at a mere fraction of their value.

Lot 1—150 pieces tucked and embroidered Allovers, value \$1.25 to \$2 a yard. Sale price, a yard..... 59c

Lot 2—175 pieces fine Allover embroideries, value \$2.25 to \$3.50 a yard. Sale price..... 98c

Women's Neckwear Reduced

One-Fourth to One-Half Off

125 dozen manufacturers' sample collars, in the lot there are turnover collars, embroidered stocks, Buster Brown collars and collar and cuff sets, usual value 25c to 50c. Sale price..... 8c

Lace trimmed chemisettes, value 50c. Sale price, each..... 25c

Fine lace and embroidery Chemisettes, value 75c and \$1.00 each. Sale price, each..... 50c

100 dozen fancy lace and embroidery stock collars to be closed out at, each..... 25c

Women's Handkerchiefs at Sale Prices

150 dozen manufacturers' seconds; these are all linen hand embroidered, worth per doct 25c. Sale price..... 10c

Women's sheer linen handkerchiefs, 1/8, 1/4 and 1/2-inch hems. Sale price, each..... 10c

Children's plain white initialed Handkerchiefs. Sale price, each..... 3c

All Remnants of laces and embroideries at less than HALF PRICE.

Sale of White Aprons

Small aprons, large aprons, nurses' aprons and fancy lace trimmed aprons, regular prices were 38c, 50c and 75c each. All at one price..... 25c

Muslin Underwear Sacrificed

25 dozen white petticoats, trimmed with lace and embroidery, value \$1.50 each. Sale price, each..... 98c

10 dozen Night Gowns and Chemises, handsomely trimmed with lace. Value \$2.50 each. Sale price, each..... \$1.38

50 dozen corset covers, handsomely trimmed with val lace and insertion. Value 75c and 85c each. Sale..... 50c

White Petticoats trimmed with lace and insertion, also some trimmed with embroidery; value \$2.75 each. Sale price..... \$1.98

A Poor Cook Makes Tasteless Postum

SEND IT BACK

DEMAND that it be boiled full 15 minutes AFTER ACTUAL BOILING BEGINS. (Not only 15 minutes after the pot is put on the stove.) A curious chemical change takes place between 12 and 15 minutes after Postum begins to boil. This change releases the food elements and produces a crisp, snappy coffee taste so fetching that the makers have been many times accused of mixing coffee in. But that is false. The full analysis of Postum made by the best American authorities shows that it is made only of the selected parts of cereal grains treated by complex methods in the factory.

Postum is Absolutely Pure

and entirely free from the smallest grain of coffee. Remember you get a charming coffee taste if you insist on having your Postum made right and that is easy. Full and simple directions on pkg. Remember also that when you leave off coffee you stop the drugging of stomach and nerve centers and give Nature a chance to heal your ails. In this work Postum is a most powerful aid, for you not only have your hot morning beverage but take a liquid food containing the very elements Nature must have from which to rebuild the gray matter in nerve centers and brains that have been broken down by coffee.

Ten days trial works wonders. Small matter what form of stomach, heart, kidney or nervous disease you may have, for the probabilities are that your troubles have originated from a nervous system thrown out of balance by coffee.

Prove your own case by leaving off coffee for ten days and using Postum. It may be worth more than a gold mine to you.

Get the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

"There's a Reason for POSTUM

DARKTOWN FAILS TO RIDE STUBBORN MULE



An act that is not down on the regular program at Gentry Bros' performances, but one that has made a decided hit with both the young and old who have formed large audiences twice a day during the current week, is that of a young man who tries to ride a small mule which refuses to be ridden. The ringmaster, after introducing this stubborn mule to the show, offers to give him as a souvenir to any one who will ride him around the ring

will be doing well. Nine and 10 cent cotton is profitable. The world will buy it from us at those figures." Incidentally Mr. Hill said there was no truth in the current Wall street reports that a big script dividend was about to be paid on the stocks of his companies.

Minnehaha Excursion.—Steamer Hiawatha leaves foot of Jackson 9:30 daily for Ft. Snelling, Soldiers' Home, Minnehaha Falls, Hiawatha and barge for excursions, \$50 per day. Tel 808-E2.

three times. Last night a young colored man tried for five minutes to perform the trick, but his efforts were vain, as Maude, the mule, not only threw him three times, but ran him out of the ring.

The genial ringmaster has not found anyone who has succeeded in riding this stubborn native of Arkansas. Whether the young negro who tried to ride Maude hailed from Minneapolis or was a member of the show, is a question that puzzled yesterday's audience. The press agent says he is a Tennessee dandy and is known around the show as Darktown.

The big tents are packed at each performance, and Gentry brothers this year deserve the large patronage they are receiving, as the show now in this city is the best in their career. Two performances are given each day, at 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

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