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## YELLOW "PEARL" IS CHINK IN COLUMBIA

### He is an Ideal Servant, Attends Strictly to His Knitting and Can Cook to the Queen's Taste.

Victoria, British Columbia, Canada, July 19.—"A yellow pearl" is what a householder in this part of the country calls the Chinese servant, and I have yet to meet the person who does not agree that the problem of comfortable and economical living is solved by the little yellow man from the Kingdom of the Sun.

The people of Victoria and Vancouver are bewailing the effect of the law passed by the Canadian government about eighteen months ago placing a head tax of \$500 on all Chinese immigrants. The immediate effect of this has been to increase the cost of a Chinaman in the kitchen from \$18 to \$20 and \$25 a month.

There is an almost unanimous preference in all this country for the Chinese as compared with the Japanese servant. The statement may be made broader; there is a growing prejudice against the Japanese in all capacities. The Chinese who come to Canada is content to be a servant. That is his chief recommendation. While the Japanese cook will be found reading a textbook on botany, or algebra, and who is burning the midnight oil to prepare himself to be professor in a Japanese college, the Chinese, in the same position, is content to leave book learning and the high places in life to the Caucasian race. While the Jap is in monthly danger of going to another place where more wages may be had, or of leaving to return to his native land, the Chinese is faithful and content to remain.

The Chinese are said to be more truthful. Often, it is admitted, the Chinaman will become a sphinx, and be afflicted with a sudden inability to understand the English language, but he will not lie. The Jap, on the other hand, will spin a plausible yarn.

The Chinaman is always respectful; his patience is inexhaustible; he may not show any great amount of feeling, but he does not take offense. He is quiet; he is never ill; he is neat, economical and industrious. He does all the work that a maid-servant will do, and in addition splits the wood, makes the fire, cuts the grass and does all the work of an outside man.

Both Chinese and Japs are excellent cooks. They seem to have a special knack for pastry. They are good buyers, and many a householder finds it cheaper to let a Chinaman do the buying than to do it himself.

Wing lives at home—that is he goes home nights, somewhere, to Chinatown, to his pipe, his Chinese lottery, his inveterate small gambling, and

mild dissipation. But he is always on hand in the morning; or if he is not there, there is another "little yellow boy" who looks so much like him, and who fits so easily into his place that the householder gets half through breakfast before discovering the change.

Mr. W. C. Nichol, editor and proprietor of the Vancouver Daily Province, would like to see the Chinese given free admission and have the Japanese kept out entirely.

"I am in favor of excluding Chinese or any labor where it comes into disastrous competition with American labor," said Mr. Nichol. "But the Chinese who come to America do not compete with our labor. It is apparently a case of these servants or none. We have no servant classes. The man or woman in Canada or the United States is not content to be a servant all his life or her life. The result is that the people of the United States and of eastern Canada are harassed and distressed by the impossibility to get competent house service. Now, right at their doors are the people who are willing and anxious to do this work for them."

"But I would exclude the Japanese entirely. They are too ambitious and too crafty to be trusted as a competitor with our labor."

The leading citizen of Chinatown, in Victoria, is Mr. Lee Mong Kow. He acts as interpreter for the customs officials of the province and is a man of wealth and refinement. His children are dressed in the richest of silks and embroideries, and each has his own white children to play with his boys and girls in order that they may become masters of the English language. Lee Mong Kow takes a rather pessimistic view of the results of the Russo-Japanese war.

"I fear for the territorial integrity of China," said Lee. "Russia was a protector to us. The czar did not want to absorb the Chinese empire; he was content with a lease for his railroad, a treaty port here and there, and, in exchange, he gave us protection. So long as the bear stood guard to the north the other nations feared to trespass. So far could they go, but they dared not go farther. Now the bear is dead. The Japanese is a pushing, ambitious race. They want power, territory—all. They are the Chinese and the Chinese are not strong enough to withstand them. I am sorry the Japanese have had so much success."

## ROTTENNESS OF NEW YORK SOCIETY

### Where Ten Thousand Dollars Are Paid to Keep Scandal From a Book of Scandals

New York, July 19.—The books of Town Topics, in so far as they deal with the book on American society entitled "Pads and Fancies," from which the publishers realized approximately \$200,000 on subscriptions, will be examined by representatives of the district attorney's office, no matter what opposition is made to such a step.

This announcement was made by Assistant District Attorney Krotel, who is in charge of the investigation of the affair, which is being made in the district attorney's office.

Krotel first came in to the case when he was assigned to prosecute Charles H. Able, who was arrested on complaint of Edwin M. Post, who charged that Able attempted to blackmail him. Post declared that Able tried to force him to subscribe \$500 for a book on New York society, alleging that Able told him that a scandalous story involving his name was in possession of the New York weekly paper but that it would not be published if Post would subscribe for the book.

Krotel has learned that while the regular price subscription to the book was \$500, several persons paid much more. Among those was Mrs. Collie P. Huntington widow of the multi-millionaire railroad promoter, who is credited with paying \$10,000 for her subscription.

## MEDIAEVAL TOURNAMENT HISTORICALLY RESTORED

Brussels, July 19.—Many visitors are in Brussels to witness tomorrow a real mediaeval tournament. Historically correct in all details, the arrangements for the affair were directed by the famous historian Joseph Cuvelier, who searched hundreds of old manuscripts belonging to the house of Burgundy for details of these knightly games, and finally decided to reproduce the most famous of all Belgian tournaments—the one which took place in this city under the auspices of Count de Charlais, on February 20, 1492.

The adversary of Count de Charlais was the Count de Lalsing, one of the most famous knights of that time. Count de Charlais won after eighteen lances had been broken, and received the prize of honor from the princes. In the tournament tomorrow cavalry officers will take the places of the knights of old.

## ENGLISH PRINCE ON A GERMAN THRONE

Berlin, July 19.—Gotha, Coburg, Gumbden and other cities of the Saxe-Coburg-Gotha duchies were enraptured today in honor of the age-coming of the young Duke Edward, the English born Prince of Albany who was chosen to succeed to the throne of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha on the death of his uncle. The young duke reached his twenty-first birthday today with simple ceremonies took over the reins of government from Prince Ernest of Hohenzollern, who has acted as regent during the minority of the young duke.

## GREEK STATUARY FOUND ON SLOPES OF VESUVIUS

Rome, July 19.—In a secluded spot on one of the lower slopes of Vesuvius where doubtless they were buried in the great convulsions which nearly 2,000 years ago buried Pompeii, there have just been brought to light some exquisite examples of the best period of Greek statuary. The objects are in terra cotta, and are said to present all the characteristics of the work of Praxiteles.

## POSTAL TREATY WITH REPUBLIC OF PANAMA.

Washington, D. C., July 19.—The postal treaty recently concluded between the United States and the republic of Panama, went into effect today. Under its provisions the rates and conditions applicable to articles for Panama are made uniform with those in force between this country, Canada, Mexico and Cuba.

## WINE WILL BE USED FOR BATTLESHIP KANSAS.

Camden, N. J., July 19.—Announcement is made by the New York Shipbuilding company that the 16,000-ton battleship Kansas, will be launched at the yards here on August 12. The name of the sponsor has not yet been made public. It is said that the ship will be christened with the customary bottle of wine, notwithstanding reports to the contrary.

## LITTLE PEOPLE SURPRISE MISS LILLIAN HESSELDEN

Yesterday afternoon, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hesselnden, a number of young people surprised Miss Lillian Hesselnden by calling and taking possession of the house. The party was a birthday gathering, and while Miss Lillian was greatly surprised she was equal to the emergency and made her pleasant and pretty little callers enjoy themselves. Games were played and refreshments served. During the merriment the bull-dog pup of the house, named Togo, disappeared, and Mr. Hesselnden announced elsewhere in today's Citizen that he will give \$10 for the return of the pup.

## WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH KANSAS?



## MANY MEETINGS IN MANY TOWNS

### Number of Annual Reunions Goes on Increasing Continually.

## ARE OF EVERY POSSIBLE KIND

Devile Lake, N. D., July 19.—The Bible conference for which preparations have been making for some time opened auspiciously today on the Chautauque assembly grounds and will continue for one week. Noted divines, educators and speakers of prominence are here from Minneapolis, Chicago, Winnipeg and other points and all indications point to a highly successful and well attended conference.

## THE DEGREE OF HONOR ATTENDS GRAND LODGE

Portland, Ore., July 19.—The Oregon grand lodge of the Degree of Honor began its annual meeting here today and will remain in session over tomorrow. The meeting is the best attended in the history of the grand lodge, delegates being present from all local branches of the order throughout the state.

## TEXAS CONFEDERATES IN SESSION AT GALVESTON

Galveston, Texas, July 19.—The morning trains brought scores of people into Galveston to attend the annual reunion of the Texas division, United Confederate Veterans. Hotels and boarding houses are filled with veterans and their friends and all indications point to an unusually successful gathering. The interest of the day centered in the opening exercises, which were presided over by Major General K. M. Van Zandt of Fort Worth. Addresses of welcome were delivered and responded to and resolutions were presented on the death of Governor Ladbroke. The remaining business sessions, which continue over tomorrow, will be interspersed with many features of entertainment arranged by the Galveston veterans. The downtown section of the city is lavishly decorated in honor of the reunion.

## WESTERN CHAUTAUQUA BEGINS IN INDIANA

Rome City, Ind., July 19.—The twenty-seventh session of the Western Chautauque (Grand Park Assembly) and Summer school opened here today and will continue until August 11. The attendance is the largest ever registered on an opening day and all signs point to an exceptionally successful session. The program provides for the usual university study course with competent lecturers and round-table letters.

## TENNESSEE BAR AT LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN INN

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 19.—Many prominent members of the bench and bars of the present today at the opening of the annual meeting of the Tennessee Bar association at Lookout Mountain Inn. The sessions are to continue until Saturday. The features of the meeting will be reports from the various committees and papers on important topics by prominent lawyers and judges of Tennessee.

## KEELS LAID FOR SHIPS OF HAWAIIAN LINE

San Francisco, July 19.—Keels have been laid for the two mammoth freighters of the American-Hawaiian Steamship line that are to be built by the Union Iron works to go into the service between this port, Honolulu and New York. These two big vessels are to be named the Columbian and Mexican. They will both be equal in size to the Texan, the biggest of that fleet of steamships. It will be at least a year before the two new ships are ready to go into commission.

## IGORROTES ON WAY TO PORTLAND FAIR

### Where Fifty Bontoc Hunters Will Create a Sensation.

## PERMIT OF GOVERNOR WRIGHT

Portland, July 19.—By the first of August fifty Bontoc Igorrotos will reach Portland, to build a village at the Lewis and Clark exposition and remain as a living ethnological exhibit during the fair.

## SECRETARY ELIHU ROOT SWORN INTO OFFICE

Washington, D. C., July 19.—Elihu Root of New York, was sworn in as secretary of state today. The oath was administered by William McNier, assistant librarian of the state department. Secretary Root announced that he would remain here during the day, as he desired to look up some legal matters connected with the state department. He expects to return to New York tomorrow.

## DEAD FROM OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS

Chicago, July 19.—Mrs. C. L. Hagerly, recently returned from Chee Foo, China, where her husband was a correspondent of the Associated Press during the military operations against Port Arthur, died here suddenly last night. Death followed an operation for appendicitis.

## COL. GREENE EXPECTED AT EL PASO TOMORROW

El Paso, July 19.—Unless something occurs to keep him in New York, Col. W. C. Greene is expected to arrive here tomorrow for the purpose of making the annual inspection of all the work that is being done in his various enterprises. Col. Greene has made a practice of making this inspection at about this season of the year, and it is understood that it will be undertaken this year as usual.

## NEW MEXICO BOY ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Special to The Citizen. Las Vegas, N. M., July 19.—Wilson Mills, son of Chief Justice Mills, was shot while at target practice at East Stoneham, Me., yesterday. A telegram late this afternoon states that his injury is not serious.

## ROYAL ARCANUM ON POINT OF DISRUPTION

### Over the Raise in the Insurance Rates of the Order.

## ACTION POSTPONED TO OCTOBER

New York, June 19.—It is now nearly three months since the supreme council of the Royal Arcanum met at Atlantic City and decided to advance the insurance rate of the order. This has given sufficient time for the sentiment of the rank and file of the order to crystallize, and it has now become evident that some decisive step must be taken in the right direction or else the order is bound to lose a large percentage of its membership.

During the last two or three weeks state conventions have been held in New York, Massachusetts, Wisconsin, Michigan, Pennsylvania and other states, vigorous protests at the increase in rates have been made and in some instances there have been open threats of secession and the formation of a new order. The secession movement has gained great headway, and its promoters have even gone so far as to agree on a name for the new order, that of the Loyal Arcanum.

The rates agreed upon by the supreme council at its May meeting advanced the monthly payments of members at the rate of 40 and beyond, from 150 to 500 per cent. If after this action, seven grand councils, each representing a state, must send a written request to the supreme council to call a meeting of the supreme council. It is said that the required number of state councils have already made such requests, but so far no action has been taken by the supreme council or the supreme council in the matter.

The objectors have urged all members to retain their membership until October 1 in the hope that the new rates may be withdrawn. If after that date the supreme council still fails of action, it is likely that immediate steps will be taken to form a new and rival order. Those favoring the secession movement declare that more than 50 per cent of the members of the Royal Arcanum are ready to withdraw and join the new order.

## SERIOUSLY INJURED BY FALL FROM BICYCLE

Walter Galloway, the 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Galloway, residing in the Highlands, while riding west on the Coal Avenue viaduct about 5:30 o'clock last evening, lost control of his wheel on the down grade and collided with a wagon going in the opposite direction.

The collision threw the boy to the ground with considerable force, seriously injuring him. He suffered a ragged gash on the right cheek which required several stitches to close, and he also received other painful bruises.

## MILWAUKEE'S MAYOR GOING TO TUCSON

Tucson, Ariz., July 19.—Mayor David S. Rose and party, have left Milwaukee for Tucson. It is expected that they will arrive here Thursday morning. The coming of the mayor is awaited with much interest, as several important matters will come up. Among them will be the smelter proposition. If the plan originally decided upon is carried out, a mass meeting will be called some time during the stay of the mayor, at which mining men from all over the country, will be present. At this meeting, according to plans, subscriptions will be made for portions of the \$25,000 which it is desired to have Tucson subscribe for the custom smelter.

David Weiler, who was one of the many off on a vacation, has returned to the city.

## DEADLY HEAT STILL HOLDS ITS SWAY OVER

### Eastern and Middle Cities in this Country--Matters Getting Worse--Ten Thousand Sleep on Sands of Coney Island.

## NEW ENGLAND IN THE FIERY FURNACE.

Boston, July 19.—From all over New England comes reports of record-breaking heat. Boston at 11 o'clock, reported a temperature of 90 degrees. This was one degree higher than yesterday at the same hour.

Rhode Island cities were from three to five degrees warmer than yesterday. Pawtucket reported a temperature of 95 degrees at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Vermont and New Hampshire also announced a higher temperature than yesterday, while Portland reported a record of 88 at 10 o'clock, which was the highest for that hour ever noted by the Portland weather bureau.

## CHICAGO IN EMBRACE OF THE HEAT DEMON.

Chicago, July 19.—Nine deaths of adults were reported up to 1:30 today, as being due to excessive heat.

## NUMBER OF FATALITIES GROWS IN NEW YORK.

New York, July 19.—By 1 o'clock today twenty-three deaths and twenty-one prostrations had been officially reported.

## LAKE MICHIGAN BREEZE MODERATES CHICAGO'S HEAT.

Chicago, July 19.—Breezes from Lake Michigan tempered the heat here today. Light clouds broke the sun's glare and aided in moderating the weather.

## PHILADELPHIA FEELS FORCE OF HOT WAVE.

Philadelphia July 19.—This city and vicinity are again visited by torrid weather. The intense heat prevailed throughout the night, and at 8 o'clock this morning the government thermometer registered 85 degrees, the same figure as yesterday.

## CONNECTICUT CANNOT ESCAPE GENERAL THRALL.

New Haven, July 19.—Three deaths and eight prostrations from heat were reported from Connecticut in two hours, up to 8 o'clock this morning.

## NEW YORK'S PROSPECTS EVEN LESS PROMISING.

New York, July 19.—No relief, but rather promise of more heat and even greater suffering, is the indication here. Yesterday, with nearly

## LIGHTNING EXPLODES DYNAMITE KILLING FIVE

Des Moines, Ia., July 19.—Five miners were literally blown to pieces by an explosion of twenty-five pounds of dynamite in storage in the powder house at the Riverside coal mine, two miles west of Des Moines, today. The dead are: Charles Brown, engineer. Duke Miller, sinker. Harry Belknap, sinker. D. Vance, sinker. George Arrowood, pump man.

## COL. A. W. HARRIS RETURNS FROM EAST

Colonel A. W. Harris, the well known mining man, who has extensive mining interests at Hillsboro and Kingston, in Sierra county, spent the day in the city. Colonel Harris has just returned from an extended visit to his old home in Vermont, and reports a very pleasant trip.

Colonel Harris says that the recent vigorous fight made in congress to secure statehood for New Mexico and Arizona, has brought these territories into much prominence in the east. The average easterner, according to Mr. Harris, is gradually beginning to realize that New Mexico is no longer a wild and woolly country, but is fast becoming one of the most prosperous sections of the Southwest.

## IN MEMORY OF JEWISH SOLDIERS OF SOUTH

New York, July 19.—A movement is on foot among the wealthy Hebrews of this city who have lived in the south to start a fund for the erecting of a monument to the Jewish soldiers who fought in the Confederate army. It is claimed that there were not less than 1,500 Hebrews who wore the gray and they proved their gallantry on many a bloody field. It is recalled that the first surgeon general of the Confederate army was of this faith. He was General David DeLoam. It is proposed to have a co-operation of members of the fifth from all sections of the south in this movement, and no doubt is felt that funds will be quickly raised for a magnificent memorial to be erected in some place in the south. Richmond, New Orleans and Atlanta have been mentioned as suitable places for such a monument, but affairs have not progressed sufficiently as yet to warrant a serious discussion of the site.

two score of deaths and nearly ten times as many serious heat prostrations officially reported, taxed the facilities of every hospital in the city. Before 7 o'clock this morning five fatalities were reported in the tenement house district. Many others have died directly from heat exhaustion.

## BOSTON HAD ANOTHER DAY OF SUFFERING.

Boston, July 19.—Another day of intense heat was in prospect in this city when the residents awoke after a night which had brought little relief. The lowest point of the official thermometer during the night was 68, at 4 o'clock this morning, and by 9 o'clock it had risen to 78.

## CENTRAL STATES ALSO FELT HEAT FORCE.

Washington, July 19.—The temperature of yesterday and Monday continued today, but a much lower humidity and a stirring breeze offered considerable relief. The heated trend continues with little or no abatement in any quarter. Along the lower lakes, also in Iowa, northern Illinois and southern Wisconsin, there have been a few early morning thunder storms, but the temperature has not materially lowered, except in Iowa and southern Minnesota. It now seems that the prevailing high temperature will be temporarily interrupted by Friday.

## LAKE REGION BEGINS TO EXPERIENCE RELIEF.

Chicago, July 19.—The crest of the warm wave still covers the middle Atlantic and New England states. From the lake region to the Rocky mountains moderate temperatures prevail and local rains have occurred in the lake region and lower Missouri valley.

## NOTED ANIMAL TRAINER SUCCUMBS TO HEAT.

New York, July 19.—Jacob Cook, for thirty years an attendant in Central park, whose death from heat has just occurred, was one of the best known trainers of monkeys in the world. He achieved his greatest triumphs in the education of "Mister Crowley" and "Kitty Crowley," chimpanzees, which were world-renowned attractions and did innumerable tricks.

Thousands of people left their homes last night seeking relief in public parks and other places. It is estimated that 10,000 people slept on the sands at Coney Island. The early morning breeze in Manhattan brought constant relief in the shape of a mild breeze, which caused a drop in the street temperature to 78 degrees, at 4:30 a. m.

## FUNSTON'S FATHER IN POLICE COURT

### He is Fined for Inflammatory Utterances and Pistol Carrying

## IN A PROHIBITION AGITATION

Iola, Kansas, July 19.—E. H. Funston, a former congressman from this district and father of General Funston, was today in the police court found guilty of disturbing the peace and carrying concealed weapons. He was fined \$5 on each charge and costs, making a total of \$31.55.

The charges grew out of the wrecking of three saloons by a fanatic on July 10th. Explosions followed agitation against saloons, in which Governor Hoch was appealed to in an effort to secure the enforcement of the prohibition law.

During the height of the excitement after the explosion, it is alleged that Funston made inflammatory utterances to crowds on the streets. When a patrolman tried to persuade Funston to desist, a quarrel ensued and it is alleged that Funston tried to draw a revolver.

## EX-ALBUQUERQUE BOY DROWNED NEAR NEEDLES

The Albuquerque friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dennis, formerly residents of this city, but for the past few years residing at Maine, Ariz., where Mr. Dennis is largely interested in lumbering, will be pained to learn of the recent tragic death of their son, S. E. Dennis. The account of his death is as follows:

Needles, Cal., July 16.—While assisting his exhausted comrade to shore, S. E. Dennis, of Maine, Ariz., a Stanford student, was drowned in the Colorado river near here this afternoon. His body has not been recovered. Dennis was a son of J. M. Dennis, of Maine, Ariz. He was a student of the class of '08 at Stanford university in vacation time, he made money as a traveling lumber salesman, his father being heavily interested in the lumber trade. As far as can be learned the two men were in bathing. Dennis' comrade was seized with cramps and lost his head. Dennis rushed to the rescue at once, but the other man got the drowning man's grip on him. Dennis became exhausted and was swept away before help could reach him.