

WORLD'S FAIR IN THE WOODS.

Jenkins Orphanage to Hold Lengthy Series of Entertainments.

Charleston, S. C.—The world's fair in the woods is the title of a series of literary and musical entertainments which will be given under the auspices of the Jenkins orphanage in this city, beginning on Monday, Feb. 5, to run three weeks. For twenty-one years similar entertainments have been successfully held for the benefit of orphan children cared for by the institution. The mayor of the city and other prominent citizens have consented to make addresses at different times during the series, and the outlook for a profitable ingathering of funds is encouraging.

The churches and other organized bodies for religious and material uplift will take an active part in helping the asylum to raise the sum of \$1,000, which amount is much needed to enable the management to care for the large number of orphan children housed by the institution this winter. Rev. D. J. Jenkins, founder and president of the orphanage, has asked for 500 volunteers to assist in the work, besides a special committee which has charge of the arrangements.

Through the untiring zeal of the Rev. Mr. Jenkins many friends from among both races have become much interested in the orphanage and contribute annually to its support. These friends are not confined to Charleston alone, but are scattered in different sections, north, east and west. Any one desiring to help a worthy cause could find no better channel through which to contribute for the making of an intelligent citizenship than the Jenkins orphanage.

The city council and the charities commissioners are interested in the institution to the extent of not only placing the funds which the city provides for its support, but take an active part on the official board of managers. The report of the orphanage for 1911 has been compiled and forwarded to the commissioners, who will in turn submit the same to the city council. An accurate account of all funds donated is kept on record and published annually.

The children are taught the various industries or trades, such as sewing, embroidery, domestic science, basketry, shoemaking, chair caning and kindred subjects. Many former inmates of the asylum who have grown to manhood and womanhood are now engaged in gainful occupations. Elementary subjects are also taught. Vocal and instrumental music are among the most interesting of the educational features.

CODE OF ETHICS BY CRISIS.

Influential Publication Issues Broad and Manly Declaration of Principles.

In the January number of the Crisis Magazine the following editorial for the new year occurs under the caption "I Am Resolved." It reads thus:

I am resolved in this new year to play the man—to stand straight, look the world squarely in the eye and walk to my work with no shuffle or slouch.

I am resolved to be satisfied with no treatment which ignores my manhood and my right to be counted as one among men.

I am resolved to be quiet and law abiding, but to refuse to cringe in body or in soul, to resent deliberate insult and to assert my just rights in the face of wanton aggression.

I am resolved to defend and assert the absolute equality of the Negro race with any and all other human races and its divine right to equal and just treatment.

I am resolved to be ready at all times and in all places to bear witness with pen, voice, money and deed against the horrible crime of lynching, the shame of Jim Crow legislation, the injustice of all color discrimination, the wrong of disfranchisement for race or sex, the iniquity of war.

I am resolved to be a man of deep conviction of present methods of distributing the world's work and wealth.

I am resolved to defend the poor and the weak of every race and hue and especially to guard my mother, my wife, my daughter and all my darker sisters from the insults and aggressions of white men and black with the last strength of my body and the last suffering of my soul.

For all these things I am resolved unflinchingly to stand, and if this resolve cost me pain, poverty, slander and even life itself I will remember the word of the prophet—how he sang:

"Though Love repine and Reason chafe,
There came a voice, without reply,
'Thy man's perdition to be safe
When for the truth he ought to die!"

Messengers for James D. Gross.

As a reward for diligence and because of his peculiar fitness for the position the Hon. Frank J. Harris, county treasurer in Pittsburgh, has appointed Mr. James D. Gross messenger in his office. Mr. Gross was for two years a turnkey at the central police station. He has also served seven years as a deputy constable in the Seventh and Eleventh wards. He is a prominent member of royal grand lodge, No. 31, Knights of Pythias, and captain of Greater Pittsburgh company, No. 14, of the uniform rank of the order.

Juvenile Buds of Promise Prosper.

The Juvenile Buds of Promise, No. 5, Grand United Order of Sons and Daughters of Moses, in Brooklyn is one of the most thrifty organizations of little folk in Greater New York. It numbers over 100 boys and girls who are being trained for the work of the order by competent instructors. The reports of the officials at the recent annual meeting showed that after paying all expenses for the year a snug sum remains in the treasury. The Juvenile Buds were organized in 1902.

Dr. D. H. Williams to Conduct Clinic.

The annual clinic at Meharry Medical college, Nashville, Tenn., will be held the first week in February and will be conducted by Dr. Daniel H. Williams, the noted surgeon of Chicago.

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Miss Helen Taft's preference for pink is shown by the many gowns she wears of that shade.

Baroness Hengelmueller, wife of the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, who is spending the winter in her own country, will come to the United States early in the spring.

Maggie Teyte—her real name is Plummon—with reddish hair, numerous freckles and an unmistakable cockney accent, though only twenty, is a new diva, one of the few English singers who have ever captured the ear of Paris.

Mrs. E. H. Harriman, widow of the financier and railroad builder, who left her a fortune of \$149,000,000, received during the past year 6,000 requests for aid, which, if granted, would have meant a disposal of exactly \$120,000,000.

Mother Mary Joseph Stanislas of the St. John's Wood convent, England, and Mother St. George of the Convent of the Faithful Virgin, Norwood, are said to be the only survivors of the band of young nuns who accompanied Florence Nightingale as nurses to the Crimean war.

Current Comment.

There is a large mortality among infant New Year resolutions.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

That some forms of literary work do pay appears from the fact that the banks lost \$15,000,000 last year through forgery.—New York Post.

One by one the old sea fighters pass away, but perhaps their successors will prove just as brave and just as efficient when opportunity gives them a chance to show of what stuff they are made.—Chicago American.

It is not anybody could make a "the" in the middle of a sentence simply by putting the "the" in the middle of a sentence. It is not anybody could make a "the" in the middle of a sentence simply by putting the "the" in the middle of a sentence. It is not anybody could make a "the" in the middle of a sentence simply by putting the "the" in the middle of a sentence.

Pert Personal.

J. Pierpont Morgan has sailed for Egypt, but not for the purpose of buying it.—Detroit Free Press.

When he can borrow \$1,500 and turn it into \$400,000,000 we must admit Andrew Carnegie is some wizard.—Baltimore Sun.

Can't keep a good man down. General Porfirio Diaz has been decorated by the Swiss government for heroism in saving a child from drowning.—New York World.

The first name in the City Directory of St. Louis is A. A. Aal, and the first name in the directory of Rochester, N. Y., is A. Aab. Somebody should invite these gentlemen to come on in—the alphabet is fine.—Kansas City Journal.

Fire Losses.

Europe has long considered American fire losses the most inexplicable of all the national wastage.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The population of the United States increased 73 per cent, while in the same period the fire loss increased 134 per cent.—Toledo Blade.

It is about up to us to make prevention of fire waste one of the important features of our conservation programs.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

It is very remarkable that a people as wide awake and progressive as ours should go on year after year and submit to such immense unnecessary fire losses.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Science Siftings.

Light goes around the world seven times in a second, but it takes 500 seconds for it to come from the sun and four years for it to come from the nearest fixed star.

The theory has been advanced by a Munich physician that heat prostrations are due directly to the reduction by the high temperature of the salts in the body to a point below the required normal.

A new theory to explain the rings of Saturn is urged by Professor Birkenland of Christiania, who holds that they are produced by electric radiation from the planet and are "renewed, so to say, every instant."

The Writers.

William Dean Howells, who recently returned from a trip to Spain, will probably write a book of his impressions of that country.

Mrs. Amelia E. Barr, the novelist, who was born in 1831, wants to sell her handsome estate on Storm King mountain, New York, before she dies.

Edmond Rostand, the noted French playwright, looks upon thirteen as a lucky number. Besides having thirteen letters in his own name, he is the son of Eugene Rostand (thirteen letters) and is the thirteenth holder of the thirteenth armchair in the French academy.

Short Stories.

Moss for fire engines was invented in 1872.

The pulp made from redeemed old bills amounted in value to \$25,000 last year.

For the first time in history portraits of the czars of Russia are to be placed on the postage stamps of that country.

Metal sheets are proposed as a substitute for paper for the pages of books. Such sheets would be tougher, more flexible and would absorb ink better than those of paper.



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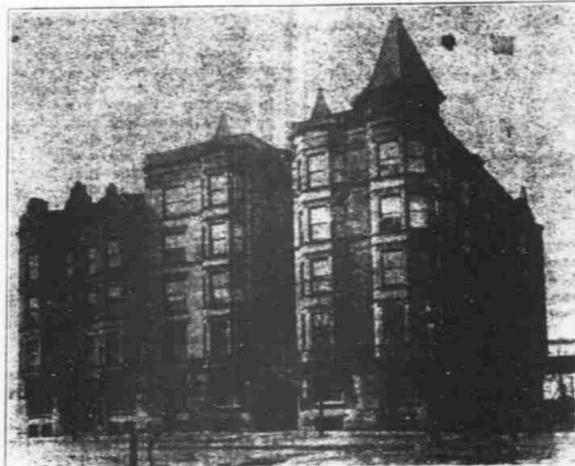
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SIRES AND SONS.

Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations in Washington, has purchased Red Top, the former home of President Grover Cleveland.

Speaker Clark made his first fee when a young man by writing an oration for a college student who had been elected class orator and wanted to get off something particularly fine.

Fernando Pico, son of the last Mexican governor of California, lives with his wife in an old stable on a ranch in the Santa Monica mountains. He is caretaker of the place. Pico is sixty-seven years of age.

William Wallace Gilchrist, for thirty-six consecutive years conductor of the Mendelssohn club, Philadelphia, and now in his thirty-seventh year in that capacity, holds the record for such service in this country.

M. Peru, the last surviving pupil of Chopin, recently gave his farewell concert in Paris. He is over eighty years of age, but remarkably vigorous, and plays with all the delicacy which tradition associates with the art of the great Polish pianist.

Senator Francis E. Warren of Wyoming, now chairman of the senate committee on military affairs, was an

officer in the war between Mexico and received the congressional medal of honor for gallantry in the field at the siege of Fort Hudson.

Current Comment.

Almost any seer will prophesy off-hand that 1912 is going to be a year of unrest for schedule K.—Denver Republican.

The man who invented international peace—if there is such a man—has not yet got his invention in successful working order.—Philadelphia Press.

China is "fighting for freedom and good government." When she acquires the latter we of the occident would mightily like to know how she did it.—Boston Transcript.

Dr. Cook declared in Pittsburgh that he had lecture dates booked for two years ahead. Barnum's immortal saying finds fresh corroboration daily.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

There are forty memorials to Robert Burns, of which twenty-seven are statues. During the last decade statues to the poet have been erected at Toronto, Melbourne, Denver, Sydney, N. S. W.; Chicago, Frederickton, N. B.; San Francisco and Milwaukee.

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