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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

RACE SEGREGATION IN SCHOOLS.

Of interest to the people of the west is the very recent decision of the supreme court of the United States upholding the right of the states to legislate constitutionally against the co-education of the white and black races, thus strengthening California's case against the co-education of the whites and Chinese and other orientals.

The question arose in the case of Berea college against the state of Kentucky, in which it was sought to have declared invalid a statute passed by the Kentucky legislature in 1904 prohibiting white and black children from attending the same school. The supreme court of Kentucky upheld the law, holding that the white and black races are naturally antagonistic, and that the forced separation of the children of the two is a wise precautionary measure for the preservation of the peace. The opinion is written by Mr. Justice Brewer, Justices Harlan and Day dissenting.

In the absence of the text of the opinion the exact scope of the decision can not be determined, but there is little doubt that much of the same questions are involved as are present in San Francisco's famous "Japanese school segregation case," that threatened to cause an open rupture between this country and Japan.

There is, however, little doubt that the same reasoning that is applicable in support of the separate education of white and black children can be invoked successfully as regards white and yellow or brown children. The yellow and white races are as much antagonistic as the white and black, and no matter how much they may be educated it will be impossible for the oriental and the occidental or African to meet on such a common ground as will result in their assimilating one with the other.

Each race has its own problems, and each race will have to solve its problems for itself. We have one race problem in this country that does not appear any nearer a settlement than it was before the civil war, notwithstanding the progress of the negro in the last twenty-five years. It is unfortunate, but there is an antipathy on the part of the whites toward the blacks that can not be eradicated, and the problem that the war was supposed to have settled is a problem still, and will continue to be so. The negro and white races were created so far apart, and given such different tastes, habits and ambitions that they can never come together on the same social plane. They must ever occupy separate, even though they may be equal, social habitats.

And here in the west, unless we take action, we will have another race problem, probably not so serious, but still one of magnitude enough to be dangerous. The Chinese have no desire to assimilate with the whites, and make no objections to our school segregation laws. But the Japanese are cast in a different mold. They consider themselves our equals and demand equal advantages with subjects of the "most favored nations." And this attitude is going to lead to further friction, for this school segregation matter as applied to them will arise again.

It is a pity that the whole matter was not threshed out, once and for all, at the time of the American-Japanese embroglio in San Francisco. The questions which must in the future arise as to the proper status and handling of alien races, first brought to America as slaves, and freed, and later permitted to make America their home through too generous and lax immigration laws, will be some of the most grave which have ever, or ever will, confronted the nation. Let them be settled before they grow any more profound or dangerous.

IS NEVADA THAT EASY?

It is rumored that William Randolph Hearst, an alleged degenerate who runs a string of newspapers over the states, and who has at various times tried to be president of these United States; to work a "corner" on the loves of various stage ladies of more fame than reputation; to be governor of New York, and more latterly the scourge of those Republican and Democratic political lights who have taken draughts of Standard Oil as a gentle laxative to relieve chronic looseness of the purse, is to come to Nevada state—to live. Also that Mr. Hearst intends to make Nevada a SHORT CUT TO THE UNITED STATES SENATE.

Well, why not? Sir Francis Sharon Newlands has proved that it is possible, with a judicious expenditure of coin, to reach the senate quickly from this state. Affinity-smitten husbands and wives find Nevada a short cut to painless and prompt divorce; crooked financiers—we are not mentioning the names of Riekey or his associates—find Nevada a short cut to wealth and a long road to prison; and even honest, energetic men find Nevada a short cut to wealth. So why should not William Randolph Hearst, possessed of money, many newspapers, no scruples and a longing for the United States senate regard Nevada as a legitimate short cut to the fulfillment of his desires? Let's have Bill Hearst, by all means!

Even today Nevada is sick of a lot of the scum of the earth which has been foisted upon her in the name of politics. Now let's get Hearst, and he will act as the final bonus which will insure a general spewing out of the bile and filth which now lays so heavily upon the internal organism of the state. After that, watch Nevada brighten up and gain weight. Encourage Hearst into coming, by all means.

MAY EXTEND POWER LINES TO MANHATTAN

The Nevada-California Power company is contemplating extending its power line to Manhattan and Round Mountain. This move has been in the minds of the officials for some time, but up to today no action has been taken. This morning a preliminary survey will be started from Millers. After the Millers survey is completed the company will make a survey from Tonopah to the northern camps and then decide which of the two lines will be used. When seen last evening, Manager Thompson of the power company stated that it will be nearly a month before both

surveys are completed, and that in all probability the work of construction will start in the spring. The company has engaged the services of Walter Hunter, the civil engineer, to superintend the survey.

ATTENTION EAGLES

Tonopah Aerie No. 271, Fraternal Order of Eagles, meets tonight at Butler hall at 8:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

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COMMISSIONERS MAKE OFFICIAL COUNT OF VOTE

The county commissioners were busy the entire day yesterday making the official count of the ballots cast at the last election. The count was completed last evening, but the total figures for all the candidates were not given out. They will be given to the public today and the Bonanza's table tomorrow morning will contain the vote as it stands in every precinct in the county. The partial results made public created some surprise as to the list of assemblymen, for they show that the Republicans have elected three out of the seven candidates. The three Republicans are: Fred Berry, 1169; Matt Kane, 969, and Charles Wonacott, 979. The Democrats elected: J. E. McNamara, 1129; J. B. Giffin, 1105; William Merten, 1082, and Charles Kane, 1015.

The following is the final result of the vote for the candidates named:

- For President—Taft 1124, Bryan 1219, Debs 333, Hisgen 97.
- United States Senator—Newlands 1214, Flanigan 1009, Lutz 300.
- Congressman—Bartlett 1172, Maxson 622.
- Justice of the Supreme Court—Brown 1389, Lorke 306, Talbot 1048.
- Judge of the District Court—Averill 1422, O'Brien 1192.
- State Senator—Bowen 1079, Kendall 1129, Summerfield 1008, Tallman 1096.
- Assembly—Berry 1169, Chandler 877, Daveler 822, Ferguson 938, Giffin 1105, Johnson 943, Charles Kane 1015, Matt Kane 969, McNamara 1129, Merten 1082, Probasco 931, Smith 968, Wonacott 919.
- Sheriff and Assessor—Holland 1132, Owens 1338.
- County Clerk—Agnew 848, Landquist 626, Pohl 1041.
- Treasurer—Gilbert 1315, McNeil 961.
- Auditor and Recorder—Grimes 1276, Herring 331, Rhines 229, Richards 833.
- District Attorney—Baker 1514, Gibbons 670.
- County Commissioner (long term)—Cuddy 991, Gallagher 681, McQuillan 830.
- County Commissioner (short term)—Humphreys 1214, Wilson 994.
- To the amendment—Yes 999, No 1288.

THE BELLEHELEN DISTRICT SHOWS SOME RICH ORE

T. T. Cornforth, of Bellehelen, is also from that district and from his reports it is evident that the camp of Bellehelen will be a scene of great activity this winter. In speaking of the camp yesterday Mr. Cornforth said:

"The Nevada Bellehelen Mines company, which was formerly known as the Cornforth mine, and which I am managing, has been working for the past eight months driving a tunnel. We have a gasoline engine and are working machine drills, thus expediting the work. The tunnel is in now about 600 feet and in that distance we have cut three veins. On the last vein struck we drifted to the east and have encountered a fine body of ore that will average from \$150 to \$200 a ton. The exact width of the ledge is unknown for we have not developed it thoroughly, but it is estimated to be between ten to fifteen feet.

"In the 360-foot drift good ore has also been encountered. In the 480-foot drift the same character ore as that on the surface has been found. At this point the distance to the surface direct is about 265 feet. Every ledge on the property is in true fissure veins and all run parallel to the other. The formation is identical to that of Tonopah, porphyry and dacite.

"We also have a shaft down 150 feet and it is all in ore which will average \$125 to the ton. To the west of this shaft another shaft was sunk forty-five feet and this is also in ore from the top to the bottom. An open cut has been made 200 feet in length showing a strong vein of ore that will assay \$200 a ton.

"After thoroughly developing the property as we have been doing, a mill will be erected on the ground. It is expected that the first work of construction will be commenced before the first of the year. We have

an abundant supply of wood and water near at hand and with the amount of ore so far exposed, it would be an easy matter to keep the mill busy.

"A great deal of work is being done in the district and everybody there is hard at work. A number of promising finds are being reported daily and each day sees new people starting operations."

Mr. Cornforth's report as to the Bellehelen district merely confirms what the Bonanza has predicted for the Bellehelen, Silver Bow, Golden Arrow, Horseshoe and other districts out in that direction.

FIRE LADDIES TO HAVE NEW CONSTITUTION

At the meeting of the volunteer fire department last evening a committee was appointed to draft a copy of a constitution and by-laws, which will be presented at the next meeting night. So far the organization has been using a copy of the Nevada City fire company by-laws and now that the boys are about ready to move into the gymnasium they feel that a more locally appropriate set should be used.

A large number of the members were present, and considerable other business was transacted. The committee named to draw up the constitution and by-laws is composed of Messrs. N. L. Schade, H. Atkinson and L. W. Moore, the first named being chairman of the committee.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

On account of lack of room in the treasurer's office the Tonopah assessment roll is placed in the Nye and Ormsby County bank. Taxpayers will find a qualified deputy there to receive taxes.

R. F. GILBERT,
County Treasurer.

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