

YE TOWNE GOSSIP

By K. C. B.

About Broadway Plays And Players

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Charles Dillon has announced the complete cast which will support Fred Stone in "The Boy" opening at the Forrest theater, Philadelphia, this week. In it are Gladys Cooper, Oscar...

BY WAY OF DIVERSION. Oh, gentle reader, tell me why it is I'd like to know—that when the sunny actor springs his knees down at the show, the new ones hardly bring a smile, while those who've heard for years evince applause and interest.

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grabbed him and hugged him. Then she glared at the actress. "Why did you leave Phil's collar?" she demanded.

TIRNEY'S SHOWN GONE. Frank Tirney, the discomfited actor who ran across his old, dilapidated stage shoes the other day and threw them away. They were No. 1's and had been a part of Frank's blushing act for years ago!

HOOKED. Jane Green and James Blyler, who appear together in "The Midnight Rounders" at the Century Promenade and in "Cinderella on Broadway" were married yesterday at Beachhurst. Those who have seen Miss Green on the stage won't blame him.

LULA'S AWFUL CRIME. White Lula McConnell of "The Poor Little Girl" was bathing at Long Beach recently she heard screams from a fat woman out beyond the life line.

FOOLISHMENT. A girl named Katiiska McKay, in church sang a solo one day. On reaching its close, she sang, "Oh, Lord! he began, 'Let us pray!'"

HOLDS U. S. SHIP TO FORCE LOAN. London, Eng., Sept. 11.—A Piuma dispatch received in Rome says that Gabriele d'Annunzio has informed the Italian government he will release the American steamer Cognac on condition that a loan of \$10,000,000 be granted to Piuma, says a dispatch to the Central News from Rome.

Dr. Carpenter has resumed his practice in El Paso.—Adv.

HE ISN'T very old. MAYBE ABOUT four. AND HAS black eyes. AND BLACK hair. AND DEEP red cheeks. AND HIS parents live IN ONE of the houses. OF A long row. NEAR WHERE I live. AND HE'S very quiet. AND WANDERS around. AND LOOKS in basements. AND DELIVERS wagons. AND IS always interested. IN WHOEVER gets out. OF THE automobiles. WHEN THEY stop nearby. AND THEN he'll sit. ON HIS row of steps. WHILE THE bigger boys. HAVE THEIR baseball game. OUT ON the street. AND I suppose. THAT MAYBE he dreams. OF FUTURE days. WHEN HE'll be big. AND THEY'll let him play. AND ANYWAY. ON YESTERDAY. THERE CAME this boy. YET HE hid his basement door. AND TO the street. AND HE held a sack. A PAPER sack. THAT WAS rolled outside. AND FILLED within. AND I was there. JUST PASSING by. AND HE held the sack. SO I could see. AND THERE were cakes. FROM A grocery store. AND HE undidled something.

WOULD I have one. AND I said I would. AND THE bigger boys. CAME CROWDING over. AND EACH took one. AND THE little fellow. ATE NONE at all. AND I asked him why. AND HE up and said. "BECAUSE I found them. "OUT ON the street. "AND MAMMA says. "THEY AIN'T good to eat." BUT I still like. SO THEY must have been good. I THANK you.

Questions and Answers.

Q Does the English language vary in different parts of the United States as much as it does in different parts of England? E. H. P. A. It is said that it is harder for a Lincolnshire farmer to understand a Lancashire miner than it is for any two Americans from different sections of the United States to understand each other. The reasons advanced for the uniform standard in America are the wide use of text books, and the fact that our public schools are forced to devote much time to the teaching of English on account of the large number of foreigners in the schools. There are many provincialisms in our language, but most of them have been scattered over the whole country and are understood by all.

Q How much assistance has the American Red Cross given in Poland? J. W. H. A. The American Red Cross commission to Poland arrived in Warsaw on March 2, 1919. Since then 110,000 persons have been aided and \$241,500 expended. These figures for Polish relief were compiled before August first, so do not include the wounded and refugees cared for since the heaviest fighting began.

Q What is the platform of the National Women's Trade Union League of America? A. F. L. A. This is a federation of organizations and individuals with the following platform: Collective bargaining through trade unions; a maximum eight hour day and 48 hour week; a just wage; wage based on occupation and not sex; full citizenship for women.

Q Please advise us whether Poland and Lithuania have been recognized by the United States. If so, who represents them in this country? A. H. G. A. Lithuania has not been recognized by our government, but Poland has and her representative in this country is prince Casimir Lubomirski.

Q Did Gen. Pershing himself visit the tomb of Lafayette or did he send a representative? A. M. M. A. The war department says that Gen. Pershing, with his staff, visited the tomb of Lafayette.

Q Has a woman ever swam the English channel? S. W. C. A. Janet Holtzman tried twice in 1907 and failed. Two other women have tried this year, but did not succeed. Aside from Capt. Webb and F. W. Burgess, no one has performed this feat.

Q How did the expression "to the bitter end" originate? E. M. A. The true phrase was "better end" and was used to indicate a crisis or moment of extremity. When in a storm an anchored vessel has paid out all her cable, the rope ran out to the better end, that is, to the end that was in better condition because seldom used.

Q How many men are there in the Mexican army? C. A. B. A. The council of national defence says that it is announced from Mexico City that the Mexican army comprises 117,000 officers and men, 100 of whom are generals.

Q What is meant by "at the market"? F. K. A. A. In Wall street parlance this is a form used in orders to buy or to sell or sell at the best price that the market affords when the order reaches the place of trading.

Q Which of president Wilson's famous 14 points was the one said to have paved the way for the League of Nations? G. M. H. A. It was the "14th point," to the effect that "a general association of nations must be formed for the purpose of guaranteeing political independence and territorial integrity to great and small states alike."

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KWIZ

1-What is nitrogen? 2-What is radium? 3-How many bones are there in a person's hand? 4-Where is the Desert of Sahara? 5-What bodies of water are connected by the Suez canal? 6-What is "The Flaming Queen"? 7-What is the shortest freight route from the Great Lakes to Europe? 8-Who were the Astorcs? 9-What is a Dodo? 10-What was the Phoenix? Answers to Last Questions. 1-Obent is a city in Flanders, especially famous during the middle ages. 2-The Olympic games were revived in 1896 at Athens and are held every four years. 3-A unicorn was a mythical animal supposed to have been chased like a horse, and to have a long horn in his head. 4-Archimedes was the great mathematician and inventor of antiquity, many of whose devices were used by his countrymen in the siege of Syracuse. 5-Tokio is the largest city and capital of Japan. 6-An elderberry is an ever green shrub, found originally in Europe. It has lance-shaped leaves and clusters of pink or white flowers. 7-A slum is that section of the city occupied by the poorest class of people. 8-The game of roquet or croquet as played by experts with special mallets and on a clay or turf court. 9-A philander is a lover or suitor; one who plays at love making. 10-A malingering is one who feigns or induces sickness to avoid service or duty. Sell Liberty Bonds to Curtiss & Co.—Adv.

PARODIES ON POPULAR SONGS MAY HELP SCHOOL AMENDMENT. In order to emphasize the campaign which is being made to amend the state constitution and allow increased assessments for school appropriations, pamphlets have been sent out from the department of education at Austin, containing parodies on popular songs. The pamphlets are being distributed from the office of Miss Myra Winkler, county superintendent of schools.



What is the big idea?

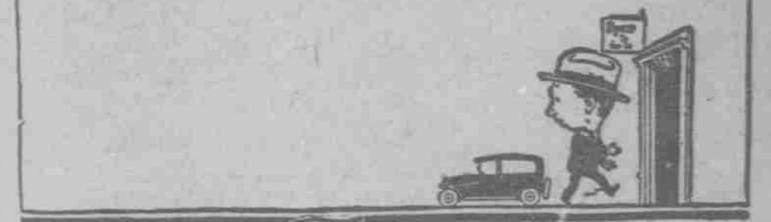
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