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TRUTHFUL PUBLICITY WILL SAVE NATION

Much is written relative to blue sky laws and the adequate protection of investors, but the real solution of the problem is in proper publicity. Legislators may pass the laws requiring certain reports from the companies engaged in the sale of securities; they may refuse outright to grant charters to business associations, and there are many ways in which the state could make the promoters of companies realize their public responsibility. Still all of these are not sufficient to provide the means of enlightening the people so that they may use their own judgment with respect to their financial transactions.

Abraham Lincoln is reported to have said "tell the people the truth and the nation is saved," and nothing is truer than this of our mining in Arizona. Mining all over the state is being boosted and boomed, but it is boosted on truthful statements; it has been realized by the people in the state the harm that comes from untruthful booming.

The question does not lie with the legislators entirely, but lies in the education of the people as to the proper analysis of the stocks they buy or the investments they make. If it is necessary to have laws for the protection of investors, let them deal specifically with the responsibility of the organization towards the state in the chartering of it. Enlightenment is a court for all of the evils of society and the only court.

ASSOCIATION TO PREVENT IMPOSITION

(Associated Press)
ST. LOUIS, June 8.—Special precautions are to be taken by the National Conventions Association to prevent imposition on visitors to St. Louis during the Democratic National Convention. At the request of the Association, the Executive Committee of the Business Men's League adopted resolutions declaring visitors to be particular guests and specifying a desire for their protection.

All taxicab, jitney bus, and other vehicle rates as well as room rates in large and small hotels will be published by the Association, and it will operate a service bureau in Union Station, where visitors can get whatever information or assistance they may need. The object of these precautions is to obviate the least chance of imposition. The association expects to go so far as to take up any complaint of any visitor and prosecute.

Italy now understands the meaning of that card player's term, "under the gun."

THE USE OF NAVAL GUNS ON SHORE

(Associated Press)
PARIS, June 8.—The use of naval guns ashore in the present war, it is pointed out by a naval expert, is not a mere expedient, resulting from accidental or incidental circumstances, but as a well defined reason in the greater initial speed of the projectile of a naval gun and the consequently longer range than that of field artillery. The new services they render are due to the aeroplane which gives the gunner on land longer ranges of fire than he used to get.

The 15-inch naval guns with which the Germans occasionally bombard Dunkirk and Nancy are believed to be from the ships lying idle in the Kiel canal. They are utilized because they carry farther than the big mortars. The type of the naval guns would have been more commonly used on land for field work had it not been so much heavier and more difficult to manipulate than the shorter range field and siege guns. Seven inch to eight inch naval pieces may be mounted on railroad trucks, but the recoil of the larger calibres is so violent as to require a solid concrete foundation.

TWINS ENTITLED TO MORE THAN SINGLES

(Associated Press)
BERLIN, June 8.—A mother who gives birth to twins, or to triplets, in Germany is entitled not only to the "nursing money" and the "weekly war assistance" which the government provides for its needy women, but may collect the prescribed sum in duplicate or triplicate according to the number of children born, according to a ruling established by the Imperial Insurance Bureau.

The decision was the outcome of a suit of a Berlin woman, who, giving birth to twins, was refused nursing money and the weekly war allowance for more than one child. The insurance branch bureau in her district held that the law permitted only one payment regardless of the number of children born.

The Imperial bureau, which controls all the municipal branches, holds that it is of the utmost importance for every mother to be nourished in the very best possible way; and that two or three children require more nourishment from the mother than one.

STANDARD OIL CO. WITHDRAWS DRILLERS

(Associated Press)
PEKING, June 8.—The Standard Oil Company has withdrawn all its prospectors and equipment from Shensi province and has definitely abandoned the boring of wells in search of oil. The last of its drilling crew has returned to Peking, and will sail for the United States in a few days.

While there is still a possibility that the Standard Oil Company and the Chinese government may reach an agreement to conduct some further prospecting work some time in the future, there is believed to be little likelihood that such action will be taken soon.

No announcement has been made as to the success the American company has had in its exploitation work, but it is reported that the results of the drilling were disappointing.

GETTING BUSY AT NORTH END PLACERS

In the Placer Belt of Quartzite and the Palomosas there is much mining activity, there being two large companies operating. Col. W. W. Dunn is testing the Shumate holdings, and another company is entering the field with machinery to begin operating. Auto trucks are plying at a lively rate between House and the placer fields, and it is reported that this character of mining will prove surprising in returns after machinery suitable for recovering values is in active running order.

The people of England rather expect to be put on short rations of meat. High prices long since put a good many in this country on short meat rations.

VIRGINIA PEARSON HELD EVERY TRUMP IN A GAME OF BRIDGE

Those folks from Kentuck certainly are some people. Virginia Pearson, the handsome William Fox star, proves the assertion.

When old Colonel Pearson trained his beautiful Virginia, back home in Louisville, he taught the girl all the things a bright beauty who was going to set out to conquer ought to know.

This may constitute a case of lese-majesty in Kentucky, but the only real Kentucky institution in which Virginia Pearson takes no interest and for which she has no liking is the mint julep.

Colonel Pearson made his big, lovely daughter a skilled horse-woman, a painter and singer of much capacity. He taught her a creed of beauty and of admiration for the beautiful.

AND—
Can Play Poker, But—
He also taught Virginia to play a good, brisk game of poker. In the course of time poker became no longer fashionable and whist and bridge whist became the approved forms of card-playing. It is about bridge whist that you are now to be told.

Card players, who are fond of bridge or whist, will appreciate the extraordinary hand held by Miss Pearson during a recent game held at her home in Fort Lee, N. J.

Miss Pearson and three friends were playing bridge. They were using two packs of cards and had been playing about two hours, when Miss Pearson, on looking at her hand was surprised to find that it contained twelve of the diamond suite.

The hands were not played, as the extraordinary combinations caused too much talk. They were so interested that inquiries were started to ascertain whether or not such other hands had ever been known.

Research revealed the authenticated fact that in the military cantonment of Jubulpore, East Indies, in 1863, four British officers of the Ninety-first Foot had almost a similar experience. The game was written up and each officer signed the statement certifying as to its correctness.

The cards they used on this occasion had been played with before and had been shuffled and cut in the usual way. When all the fifty-two cards had been dealt and hands looked at, the combinations astonished the players.

A Remarkable Hand
The dealer had all the thirteen trumps (spades); his partner had eleven clubs; his antagonist on the left had twelve hearts and on his right were twelve diamonds. That the dealer's hand should contain thirteen trumps is extraordinary enough, but the marvel is increased by the fact that each of the other three hands should be made up so nearly of one suite only. This combination of improbabilities is so extraordinary as to make the possibility of such a phenomenon occurring again in actual play almost unheard of.

A less authenticated story was found in which a dealer had all thirteen of the trumps, the presumption being that he took every trick, yet this is not true.

The dealer according to the story, trumped his partner's ace, which started a row and the holder of the trump suite was thrown out of a window.

Richard A. Proctor, a famous mathematician, has figured out that the possibilities of one of four players holding the entire trump suit at whist is as one hundred and sixty thousand millions to one.

The investigations conducted by Miss Pearson's friends revealed another curious freak in whist. This case is apparently well attested. It was that of one suite, spades, coming up as trumps thirteen times in succession. It was noticed because one player had an idea that he was unlucky with a spade trump, and was so impressed as the spade turned repeatedly that he called the attention of the other players to the number of times it was recurring.

This case is accepted by Mr. Proctor, who computed the odds against such a repetition as being more than 30,000,000 to one.

More extraordinary, however, are the odds figured by Mr. Proctor against a dealer and partner holding all of the twenty-six red cards and their opponents all twenty-six of the against this are 800,000,000,000,000 to 1, yet in the hand played at Miss Pearson's home, she and her partner held all the red cards with the exception of one—the seven of diamonds.

Miss Pearson has preserved the cards with which this most extraordinary game was played and will use it as a decoration in her card room.

WAR STOPS VISITORS TO STRATFORD-ON-AVON

(Associated Press)
STRATFORD-ON-AVON, June 8.—Shakespeare's birthplace was visited by only 23,000 persons during the past year as compared with 37,000 in the preceding year, and approximately 50,000 in years of peace.

The diminution of visitors from America was most marked, only 254 having signed the register album as against 8,000 the year preceding and an average of over 11,000 during the five years prior to the war. The pressure of the war also brought about a reduction in the number of admission's to Anne Hathaway's cottage and New Place.

The trustees of Shakespeare's birthplace at their annual meeting elected the Earl of Plymouth a life trustee in place of the late Lord Ronald Sutherland-Gower.

Sir Sidney Lee, who presided, expressed the confident anticipation that American visitors would come in their ordinary numbers when the war was over.

EXTRAVAGANCES OF THE BRANDENBURGS STOP

(Associated Press)
BERLIN, June 8.—The Commandant in Brandenburg Province has followed the example of other military commandants in various places in Germany by an order designed to stop extravagance by young spenders. Persons under eighteen years old will hereafter receive only eighteen marks of their weekly wage and one third of any amount in excess of that sum. The rest must be deposited by the employer in a city savings bank to the credit of the owner, not to be touched until after the war. Only in cases where it can be proved that the young wage-earner's family needs all of his (or her) wages will special exceptions be made.

THE WEATHER REPORT

At 5 p. m., Wednesday, June 7, 1916, the temperature stood at 101 degrees, with a relative humidity of 17 per cent.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SELL IN BULK
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That I, W. V. Wright, of Somerton, County of Yuma, State of Arizona, successor of the co-partnership heretofore existing, doing business and known as Wright & Quick, at the corner of Canal and State street, at the village of Somerton, in said county and state, proprietor of that certain business and store, situate and located at the corner of said Canal and State streets at said village of Somerton, Yuma County, Arizona, and commonly known as Wright's store, and the owner of the entire stock of goods, wares, merchandise, groceries, dry goods, and fixtures therein, do hereby give notice that it is my intention to sell the whole of said goods, wares, merchandise, groceries, dry goods, and fixtures, on Saturday, June 17th, 1916, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock a. m., at the said W. V. Wright's store at the corner of Canal and State streets, in the village of Somerton, Yuma County, Arizona, to E. F. Sanguinetti, for cash; and, said property to be delivered immediately upon said sale, and the expiration of the period of ten days from the recording of this notice in the office of the County Recorder of Yuma County, Arizona, and published at least six times in a daily paper, or three times in a weekly paper, in said county, and be posted in a conspicuous place upon said premises during said period of ten days.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, this 6th day of June, 1916.
W. V. WRIGHT.

This instrument was acknowledged before me this 6th day of June, 1916, by W. V. Wright.

L. C. STAHL,
Notary Public.
My Commission expires July 23, 1919.

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LOST OR STRAYED—Dark, red horse, no brand; also saddle. Was hitched in front of Modest building last Sunday night. Reward. Call at Examiner office. 58-2w-p

Bowel Complaints in India
In a lecture at one of the Des Moines, Iowa, churches a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and believed that it saved his life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventive and cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country Obtainable everywhere.

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