

OUR WARD IN THE PACIFIC

It is refreshing in these days when the landlord and tenant problems exercise the public mind to a large extent to learn from the statements of the Philippine Mission that 8,000,000 of the 10,000,000 population of the

Islands live on their own farms, and that 91 per cent of the houses and lands of the urban population is owned by the natives. At the same time while the United States is shocked at the inventory of its own wealth, it is pleasant to learn that the Philippine government holds

about 39,000,000 of the 40,000,000 acres of timber lands in the Islands. The population of the Philippines is more homogeneous than that of the United States. Seventy per cent of the population above ten years of age can read and write, which is pretty good when one considers that the percentage of illiterates in Louisiana is 29 per cent; 22 per cent in Mississippi, and over 20 per cent in Georgia, Arizona, Alabama, New Mexico and South Carolina. The comparison shows that there are conditions among our own states which make it imperative that there should be educational awakening, lest some of these localities might have the damaging suspicion cast upon them as was the case in the Philippines—that they were not capable of self government.

The Philippines are very proud of their colleges and schools, which have been in existence for hundreds of years, their University at Santo Tomas being twenty-five years older than Harvard. Fifty years ago there were 841 schools for boys and 833 schools for girls in the Islands. The present Governor-General Francis Burton Harrison declares emphatically that the Filipinos "are entitled to be free from every government except of their own choice."

Since August 29, 1916, when the Philippine Commission was abolished and an elective legislative body was chosen by the voters the progress has been "straight ahead." The actual attainment in the past three years prove beyond the shadow of argument that a substantial government is already in existence. Just as all countries have been making "sidewalks" of their streets and roads so has the Philippines forged into the game of good roads, with the result that there are 7,000 miles of as good macadamized roads as there are in the world on the Islands.

SLIGHT EARTHQUAKE FELT IN THE NORTH

Tonopah, June 23.—A second shock of earthquake occurred here yesterday morning at 4:15, when the force was sufficient to rattle furniture on the top floor of the Mizpah hotel and arouse the sleepers. Around town the trembler made itself felt quite vigorously, according to the testimony of reliable witnesses, so there is not the slightest doubt about the seismic visitation.

The usual monotony of existence in Hawthorne was disturbed several times during the past week by earthquake shocks, says the Walker Lake Bulletin. Thursday night about 11 o'clock a sharp shock was felt in town, and there were two distinct shakes this morning, one about two o'clock and another at four. The latter caused dogs to bark and roosters to crow, and sent a thrill of fear through children and timid folks.

So far as the Age has been able to ascertain the shocks noted above were not felt in Las Vegas or vicinity.

California vacation land

The vacation season is approaching—the time to plan for a change of scene, for rest and recreation. It will be the effort of the Railroad Administration to aid in such planning and do everything reasonable within its power to facilitate passenger travel and make it more attractive.

California with its beaches, mountains and numerous vacation haunts—lakes and streams—offers every attraction for the vacationist.

Summer excursion fares to resorts in California are now in effect.

The staff of the United States Railroad Administration will be glad to furnish illustrated booklets and provide necessary information as to fares, train service, etc. Such information may be obtained from the local Ticket Agent or the nearest Consolidated Ticket Office.

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OLD GLORY! LET HER WAVE JULY FOURTH



The Following Program has been prepared by the Committee in charge of the Fourth of July Celebration, which is being held to honor the returned soldiers, sailors and marines. Clip this out and follow up the day's events:

July 3 at 7:00 p. m.—Banquet under the auspices of the Red Cross for returned soldiers and sailors to be held at Ladd's Resort.

July 3 at 9:00 p. m.—Dance under auspices of the Las Vegas Band to be held at Ladd's Dance Hall.

July 4—Sunrise salute. 10:00 a. m., parade to form at corner of Main and Fremont streets to be headed by returned soldiers and sailors in uniform, and to be composed of citizens and representative of various organizations.

10:30 a. m.—Addresses at court house square. Presentation of Certificates of Appreciation to returning soldiers and sailors.

Display of Japanese Daylight Fireworks. 1:30 p. m.—25 mile Automobile Race; free for all; \$150 prize. Start at intersection 5th and Fremont streets. Course around the limits of Las Vegas townsite.

2:00 p. m.—Exhibition Airplane Flight at Aviation Field. Airplane expected to arrive by flight from Los Angeles on the evening of July 3rd. Passenger flights to be made at all times during day of July 4th. Plane returns by flight to Los Angeles on the 5th. Reasonable charge for carrying of passengers to be made.

2:30 p. m.—Small sports at Aviation Field, with suitable prizes to winners, program as follows:

- Three round boxing contest.
- 50 yard free for all foot race.
- 50 yard relay race.
- Sack race.
- Three legged race.
- Potato race for girls.
- 25 yard race for girls.
- Obstacle race for men and boys.
- Tug of War. Teams, Machinists and Boilermakers.
- Base Ball game.
- Pie eating contest.
- Field meet.
- 9:00 to 12:00 p. m.—Free street dance on Fremont Street.

Brilliant Display of Japanese Fireworks to begin at 9:00 p. m. The following are the committee in charge:

General Committee: C. H. Craig, representing Machinists; Roy Goodwin, representing Carmen; Jack Reynolds, representing Blacksmiths; Mr. Engle, representing telegraphers; Mr. Lee, representing coppersmiths; Mr. Schofield, representing R. R. Clerks; Mr. Snyder, representing R. R. Conductors; Mr. Gorton, representing Boilermakers; A. H. Johnson, representing Band; O. C. Cazel representing Locomotive Engineers; C. P. Ball representing Trainmen; W. H. Rogers, E. W. Griffith, Mayor W. E. Farron, David Farnsworth, F. A. Stevens.

Finance Committee: Roy W. Martin and Leo McNamee. Committee reports \$621 pledged with considerable more in sight. Special Committees:

- Parade and Addresses—E. W. Griffith, chairman.
- Refreshments—Roy Goodwin, chairman.
- Sports—R. W. Gorton, chairman.
- Street Dance—A. H. Johnson, chairman.
- Reception—W. H. Rogers, chairman.
- Publicity—Leo McNamee, R. W. Martin, A. S. Henderson.

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS PLAN

Besides annuities the Standard Oil Company is putting into effect an industrial relation plan based on the principle of mediation.

Representatives on an employee board will be chosen at three large plants on June 15, who are to have a voice with employers.

Any controversy between the management and the employees will be considered by an equal number of men for each side.

Monthly meetings of the industrial relations body will be held and will consider matters of common interest to employer and employe.

Organization of the industry for high efficiency, social well being including sanitation and housing will be openly dealt with.

The new plan specifically states that it will embody nothing that will conflict with the rights of employes to belong to labor unions.

It is believed this is the most progressive step taken by any large industry in the west and will prove beneficial to both sides.

It is a great triumph for the principle of voluntary mediation when the largest national industry adopts such a plan and puts it over.—Industrial News Bureau, The Manufacturer.

JUDGE LILLIS IN SPARKS

Judge H. M. Lillis of Las Vegas is a visitor in this section of the state. He was in Sparks today looking over the town.

Mr. Lillis is justice of the peace and municipal judge in his district, and is one of the strong citizens of the county and of the state.

While here he will be in attendance at the session of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows next week, of which body he is Grand Marshal.

The Judge reports conditions in Las Vegas country as very good and states that the country is coming ahead fast.—Sparks Tribune.

ALL WORN OUT

Does morning find you with a lame, stiff and aching back? Are you tired all the time—find work a burden? Have you suspected your kidneys? Las Vegas people endorse Doan's Kidney Pills. You can rely on their statements.

Mrs. Sarah Clayton, Second St., Las Vegas says: "I really think Doan's Kidney Pills are the best kidney medicine there is. Several years ago I was feeling all run down. I had sharp catches of pain in my back and sometimes specks would float before my eyes and everything would turn black. I always felt worn out and run down. A friend of mine in California had used Doan's Kidney Pills with excellent results so I decided that they were what I needed. Doan's soon relieved the pains in my back and before long they removed all the trouble." Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Clayton had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

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- One gallon gas pump and line complete with 220 gallon tank.
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SECRETS OF THE STUDIO ON 'THE HEART OF HUMANITY.'

The actual cost of the production of "The Heart of Humanity," which will be shown at the Airdome the evening of July 5, amounted to about \$325,000.

The film was over eleven months in preparation.

Over 200,000 feet of film were used to obtain the eight reels comprising the feature as it is at present.

A squadron of tanks and a squadron of airplanes were used, and ten machine guns, all captured from the Germans in one of the last drives of the war, were used in the production and German machine gun belts were obtained so that the detail of the picture would be beyond criticism.

Eleven players were injured and two cameras were destroyed by explosions; seventeen completely built houses were destroyed to produce some of the required effects, and a standard, brand new airplane was burnt to ashes after falling from an elevation of 4,000 feet.

During the process of production, on the Universal stages, the largest in the world, the interior settings occupied an area of 120,000 square feet—the largest area ever devoted to a single production in the history of the cinema.

POLICY OF BURLESON CREATES HARDSHIP

Washington, June 25.—Renewed complaints are heard to the effect that refusal of Postmaster General Burleson to observe the postal eight-hour law is inflicting hardship on postoffice clerks and depriving former soldiers and sailors of opportunity for employment.

President Gilbert T. Hyatt of the National Federation of Postal Employees made this statement at a meeting of members of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Legion here:

"In the city of Minneapolis we have the spectacle of postoffice clerks being worked ten and eleven hours a day while soldiers are begging quarters and dimes from passersby in front of the postoffice. Our appeals to Mr. Burleson to restore the eight hour day in this and other offices, and thereby give the former military men a chance for a job, have been in vain.

Postoffice clerks willingly worked long hours during the war emergency and when the department had difficulty in securing additional help. But now in many large cities hundreds of former military men would gladly accept at least temporary employment. This policy is harmful to the overworked postal employe and a hardship upon the soldier seeking work. The public, too, suffers in poor service."

STATE LOAN QUOTA IS OFFICIALLY FILLED

Nevada officially subscribed \$3,670,200 in the Victory Loan, according to figures received today by Manager Lemmon from the federal reserve bank. This was 101.62 per cent of the state's quota which was \$3,611,700. The final figure for which Nevada was given credit is considerably below the estimate made by state headquarters when the loan closed.

Reno is officially credited with subscriptions amounting to \$1,124,550 which was 121.25 per cent of the city's quota of \$927,500. The total number of subscribers here is given as 2530 and in the state 9221.

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- \$500.00 for Stealing Cattle.
- \$100.00 for Stealing Horses.
- Reward to be paid upon conviction and imprisonment in state prison.
- This reward revocable at any time by undersigned by posting notice in three (3) public places in Esmeralda Co., Nevada.
- Dated: February 8, 1919.
- SOUTHERN NEVADA CATTLE OWNERS' ASSOCIATION, Goldfield, Nevada.

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