

EMPORIUM TO MANILA.

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ters or come out of the city is carried on coolies shoulders as explained in my last letter as to Hong Kong. I was also informed that Canton is estimated to be 5000 years old. It is today ages behind America and is the chief manufacturing city in China. With this information you can perhaps fancy my feelings, a single American entering such a city, what would become of me. How was it possible to pack so many people into such a small place, for most of the buildings are only one story high. I was however to be somewhat enlightened. We entered the city and presto all is changed. We entered what I supposed was a little passage way, soon, very soon we would get into the passage way, we went on and on, shooting out of this passage way into another, turning this corner at right angles, that corner at another angle and so on and on, everywhere little shops without door or window right in the passage way, everywhere streams of Chinese all busy carrying something. It may be a basket with pigs or a crate with ducks or chickens or wood or silk or coal or stoves, always something; my coolies dodging here and there, continually calling to others to move out of the way, sometimes nearby other chairs and then often we had a time to get passed each other. Everywhere shops and work rooms. By this time it began to dawn upon me that I was in the regular streets. The first chance that offered, I ask my guide, who informed me, we were on the regular streets and that the streets were mostly six feet wide, while there were a few that were ten feet wide, but they were very wide streets. At last we rested before a larger shop than usual. We entered the shop which was a holy pawn shop, manufacturing for silks. We could not but admire the beautiful designs in pillow covers, dollies, etc., and after a few purchases we again took up our journey and next visited a jewelry shop, the chief manufacturing here was silver jewelry, the coloring being done by using peacock and kingfishers feathers. The coloring was most exquisite, the Chinaman using such small pieces of feathers for his work, that look as I may, I could scarcely see them. I would here state, all the workmen had no clothing on, except a very thin pair of trousers; here again we bought a sample of their jewelry and passed on. We next visited a silk factory, in which were two old, very old crude hand looms, covered with cobwebs, one Chinaman operated the machine by foot pedal, he also threads the bobbin or shuttle; a boy up above manipulated the warp; yet in this old filthy loom, a dirty floor, man and boy dirty and the perspiration falling from them in big drops, they were making exquisite silk, beautiful patterns and the silk clean as possible. This man's wages was ten dollars Mexican silver a month or about \$1.50 in our money and the boy's half as much. I may here say the family in all cases live in the shop. At last on we went along the narrow street, elegant signs both carved and painted; almost every shop had a joss altar with lamps burning incense spirals burning at the altar and at the doors to keep the devils away. We visited a great many shops, all the parties busy at their trades and sell something fearful and seemingly getting worse the further we penetrated into the city. I saw one old Chinese woman take up a handful of small dried fish and smell them and put them down. If the fish had a worse odor than the street, I pity the fish. At last we came to the head Buddhists Temple of the city, called the Temple of the 500; in it were five hundred idols, all shapes and descriptions. We first visited the idols of Medicine; then entered the main temple and walked around and looked at the different gods; all the time two priests were chanting prayers in a sing song sort of manner, beating drums and ringing bells and looking at me. At last we stopped before a different looking idol than the rest, my guide informed me this idol represented an Italian, who four hundred years ago was wrecked on an island and the ship sunk, but in thirty minutes quelled the typhoon and afterwards did other wonderful things, so he was made a god; from this we visited the executing gods. I will try to relate the horrors of a Chinese execution. The men are beheaded, the women cut to pieces but not beheaded. Burglary is sufficient cause for decapitation in China. From here we visited the water clock, it is over 500 years old and is composed of five jars, one above the other, the upper one is filled with water, the water slowly passes from one jar to the other until it falls into the bottom one. In this one there is a float and attached to the float is a brass rod about eight or ten inches thick and one and a half inches wide; on this rod is marked off the minutes and hours. This was the only way the Chinese had to tell the time until China was opened up, now the American clock is everywhere; I saw scores in small shops; this clock is on one of the highest points in the city, so punctually at each hour the keeper of the clock hangs a board outside the tower with the hour on it and by this means all parties could see the time. I was informed the clock now keeps fairly good time. It was simple but crude. We next visited the so-called city or house of the dead. I found a large one story building surrounded by trees, containing a great number of small rooms; most of these rooms contained a coffin, the remains of some wealthy Chinaman or his wife and under each coffin quick lime; always an altar and idol and incense burning. It is the custom of the more wealthy Chinamen to rent a room in this place, paying for each room according to size and location, etc., from ten dollars a month up. The body is conveyed to this room in an elegant coffin as can be afforded, many Chinese bankrupt themselves at weddings and funerals. The coffin generally remains here a long time, often several years. When the husband, wife or friends, in time find a suitable place for final burial, the remains are carefully taken away, the bones scraped and the bones buried in a large earthen pot. There was one coffin there I saw, costing fourteen thousand dollars, Mexican; it contained the remains of a rich Chinaman's mother, from Hong Kong. We were now six miles from the steamer. I had been in the chair for five hours and with the jolting on men's shoulders and the different smells and sights, I was rather tired and desired to go back to the steamer. My guide asked if I wished to visit the prison, I told him no, I had seen enough to satisfy me for one day; so we started back, outside the city wall. These four frail looking Chinamen, with not even a pretense of a shoe on their feet, carried me back through the British settlement without even taking a rest and did it in a little over an hour. I say British, for British here rules also or at least protects her subjects and have a strip of land on the river front, perhaps a third of a mile long and about two hundred yards wide, separated from the city by a canal. You only enter this concession through iron gates. What a contrast between this strip and the city. Here all order and cleanliness, beautiful bungalows or houses, nice lawns, beautiful trees or flowers, while in the city, narrow passages reeking in filth, no trees or flowers, very little sunshine, dirt and poverty everywhere. I was glad to get out and breathe the pure air once more. I forgot to say that every here and there in the city there are doors and gates, at dark some of these doors are closed, closing up a portion of the city. After the door is closed no one can pass in or out unless known by the guard. Other doors or gates are closed at eight or nine o'clock, the chief thoroughfares being kept open until eleven o'clock, then all are closed. From then until daylight there is no ingress or egress. At two p. m. we left Canton and at 8:30 we arrived at Hong Kong in a perfect deluge of rain. If I can, I shall again visit Canton on my return journey and remain there three or four days and become better acquainted

with the city and its people. My impressions are, the city is away behind the age, everything the crudest, yet they turn out magnificent works of all kinds and descriptions. There does not seem to be much hope that the Chinamen will improve. At Hong Kong, Singapore and even at the very gates of Canton, the Europeans have the most magnificent bungalows and grounds, dress neatly and yet the merchant Chinaman or most of them to-day dress in the most crude manner, if it can be called dress at all, and live in the most miserable hovels. I will not longer take up your time, but will close, promising that if you wish on my return, I will willing give you and your readers a short talk or two about what I have seen in my travels and exhibit a little of the work I have seen these people do.

(In a personal letter Mr. Julian says: "I shall be glad when it is all over, for there is no place like home after all."—Editor.

Respectfully,
FRED JULIAN.

Mr. Frith's Portrait of Dickens.

It was early in the fifties that John Forster asked me to paint a portrait of Dickens for him. I gladly consented and was about to propose a day for the first sitting when Forster stopped me by mentioning what he called a most unfortunate propensity which Dickens had developed—he was actually growing a mustache! "Tis just a fancy of the moment," said Forster, "and we must wait till the craze has passed away." A very few months convinced us that the mustache, so far from passing away, was rapidly growing into what threatened to be a formidable beard, so, unless one-half of the face was to be lost to us, no more time should be lost. My idea was to paint him in his working clothes, but when I found that he always wore a light bright blue silk coat with big red cuffs every morning when he took pen in hand I reconstituted so successfully that after a little hesitation he consented to wear the black jacket in which he now appears at South Kensington.—W. P. Frith, R. A., in King, His Navy and Army.

Audubon and His Hair.

Audubon, the great naturalist, early in his career wore his hair very long. He wrote in his diary one day: "I wear my hair as long as usual. I believe it does as much for me as my paintings." However, in 1827 his friends succeeded in persuading him to get his hair cut according to the prevailing fashion. On March 19 of that year he wrote in his diary: "This day my hair sacrificed and the will of God usurped by the wishes of man. As the barber clipped my locks rapidly it reminded me of the horrible times of the French revolution when the same operation was performed upon all the victims murdered by the guillotine. My heart sank low." Further to express his grief the margin of the page on which this entry was made he painted black about three-quarters of an inch deep all around.

Eagles in the Tennessee Mountains.

There are many eagles in the Tennessee mountains, and consequently there are many mountaineers who are expert catchers of the young eagles. These reap rich rewards in return for their perilous risks and adventures, and some of them receive as much as \$2,000 for a single year's catch. The keen eyed hunters watch the nests until the young are hatched and then, patiently waiting for the mother bird to leave in search for food, make short work of the capture, while the mother bird is invariably shot to death upon her return to the nest and in her frenzied search for her young. Bolder hunters than these make attacks at night, while the less experienced use snares and nets, a method, however, in a majority of cases, unsuccessful.

Cast Iron.

By altering the rate of cooling the strength of iron can be greatly changed, and the test bars are often run separately from the casting and cooled quicker, so that they usually have greater strength, sometimes more than twice as much. Separately cast test bars are always stronger than those cast on the castings itself, and of the latter the one nearest the heaviest part of the casting is always the weakest. The remedy, as above indicated, is simple when the false witness has once been pointed out.

An Apt Headline.

An English weekly, speaking of headlines, tells of an excellent one which appeared over a story of the Pigott forgery. In that case one of the devices by which Sir Charles Russell brought the unfortunate forger to bay was by getting him to write the word "hesitancy." In the forged letter the word was misspelled "hesistency." The day the flight of Pigott was announced an editor suggested the headline, "The Man Who 'Hesiteted' Is Lost," and it was so excellent that it was immediately put in type.

Smell and Taste.

The sense of smell is most nearly allied to that of taste. Hearing and seeing depend upon nerve responses to vibrations in the air and in the ether. In order to taste a substance it has to be wholly or partially dissolved; in order to smell a substance it must encounter the olfactory organs as a vapor, an emanation, a cloud of particles arising from odoriferous matter.

Burial.

"How much better I like the word 'burial' than 'funeral.' The burial is just the fulfillment of our latest prayers. 'None of self and all of thee.' The poor pettiness of that which is not living and loving and so glorified in him, all buried away, and nothing precious in his sight, and so in ours, can be buried there!"—Letters of Emelie Rusell Gurney.

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I, Harry Hemphill, High Sheriff of the county of Cameron, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county of Cameron, Pa., that an election will be held in the said county on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, A. D., 1903, it being the Tuesday following the first Monday of November, (the polls to be opened at 7 o'clock A. M. and closed at 7 o'clock P. M.), at which time the freemen of Cameron County will vote by ballot for the purpose of electing the following officers: One person for State Treasurer, one person for Auditor General, two persons for Judges of the Superior Court, one person for Associate Judge, one person Prothonotary, Register, Recorder and Clerk of the Courts, one person for Coroner, one person for Jury Commissioner.

To vote a straight party ticket, mark a Cross (X) in the square opposite the name of the party of your choice in the first column.

A cross in the square opposite the name of any candidate indicates a vote for that candidate.

The voter may insert in the blank space at the bottom of each group, the name of any person whose name is not printed on the ballot for whom he desires to vote.

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	AUDITOR GENERAL. [Mark One.] William P. Snyder, { Republican, Citizens, Arthur G. Dewalt, { Democratic, Independence, Elisha Kent Kane,..... Prohibition, Wm. W. Atkinson,..... Socialist, Wm. J. Eberle,..... Labor.	ASSOCIATE JUDGE. [Mark One.] John McDonald,..... Republican, J. Campbell Floyd,..... Democrat.	DISTRICT ATTORNEY. [Mark One.] J. F. McNarney,..... Republican.	CORONER. [Mark One.] Dr. E. O. Bardwell,..... Republican.
	JURY COMMISSIONER. [Mark One.] James R. Batchelder,..... Republican, O. L. Bailey,..... Democrat.			

VOTING PLACES.

The place for holding the election for the Township of Shippen shall be at the building of the late J. S. Wiley, east of Portage wagon bridge in said Township.
 For the West Ward of the borough of Emporium, at the Rink in said Ward.
 For the Middle Ward of the Borough of Emporium, at the City Hall in said Ward.
 For the East Ward of the borough of Emporium, at the Hose House in said Ward.
 For the Township of Portage, at the Bath House building on the premises of E. D. Sizer.
 For the Township of Lumber at the Alpine House.
 For the Township of Gibson at the house of Julia Dent.
 For the borough of Driftwood, at Borough Building.
 For the Township of Grove at the Hotel of Joe. M. Shaffer.

ELECTION OFFICERS.

Notice is hereby given that every person, excepting Justices of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the government of the United States, or of this State, or of any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise a subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the legislative, executive or judiciary department of this State, or of the United States, or of any city or incorporated district, and also that every Member of Congress and of the State Legislature and of the Select or Common Council of any city, or Commissioner of any incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector or Clerk of any election of this Commonwealth and that no Inspector, Judge or other officer of any such election shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for except that of an election officer.

Given under my hand and seal at my office, in Emporium, Pa., this 29th day of October, A. D., 1903.

HARRY HEMPHILL, [Seal]

Sheriff of Cameron County.

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Tour to the Pacific Coast.

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