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BLOCKLEY'S WAR RECORD

THE Philadelphia General Hospital has a right to pride in its war record. The general public has scarcely realized the measure of its accomplishment, for, as is usual with work efficiently conducted, the performance was unobtrusive.

It was known that under army jurisdiction the Blockley institution was caring for invalided soldiers. Publication of the admirable results attained, however, waited upon the completion of the task. The account was closed with the transfer of the hospital back to the city yesterday, when disclosure was made of the fact that of the 1053 service men. many of them very severely wounded, who were treated there, only four died and a hundred and forty-four were discharged as cured.

Furthermore, the hospital, as well as its inmates, benefited by the regime, since approximately seventy-five thousand dollars' worth of improvements were made to the buildings by the government.

Doubtless the prime reward of the skilled physicians responsible for saving so many lives of the nation's defenders is the simple knowledge of that fact. But it is right that outsiders, hitherto unaware of what was being done, should be acquainted with a fine performance. Though far indeed from the base of operations, Blockley was brilliantly in the

OUTGUESSING THE POLICE

ONE sweet and lovely thing about our present police force is that it enables esthetic thieves to indulge their taste for the thing beautiful without any horrid fear of untimely molestation. So when robbers entered a store on Chestnut street the other night they showed no unseemly haste as they went through the stock, but were able to pick and choose, with a nice discrimination, just what they wished to steal. They went leisurely away at last with six or eight thousand dollars' worth of the finest shirts, underwear, hosiery, office coats

and raincoats. The best is none too good

ure. Their spiritual splendor is as fine as Don Quixote's. As a partner in civilization, Spain to day plays a far more potent part than she did as the possessor of external possessions infinitely richer than those over which imperial Germany ever tyrannized. From America the proud Castilian realm old spirit.

has won respect and sympathy, emotions inspired by Spanish chivalry even before the ink was dry on the peace treaty of more than two decades past.

The reciprocity of understanding beween each of the former belligerents is an illustration of how the wounds of war can be healed by moral attributes stronger than the mightiest battalions Not until Germany has learned to distinguish fine-souled pride from debased sentimentality will that fallen nation be enabled to comprehend how Spain and her former victor can co-operate to make the earth a more decent abiding place.

NOT A HOSPITAL

THE Public Service Commission was not created to provide offices for "lame ducks," or fat salaries for personal friends of the appointing power, or to give momentary prominence to obscurities in order that they might be "quali-

fied" for high office. Yet almost since its creation it has been used for these purposes. Capable men have served on the commission and they have done good work. James Alcorn is one of the most conspicuous among the men of this class. But he has been dropped without notice in order to make a place for a personal friend of Governor Sproul

Thomas B. Smith was appointed to the commission by Governor Brumbaugh and thus made an "available" candidate for the mayoralty. Mr. Smith received his commission on August 18, 1915, and resigned on August 31, serving just fourteen days. Then he was made Mayor. A number of men who have failed of election to other offices have been taken care of by putting them on the commis-

And this sort of use has been made of the most important technical commission in the whole commonwealth. The commission should be composed of experts untouched by political influence. It should contain a lawyer versed in railroad and municipal law. It should contain a man familiar with the management and operation of railroads and other public service corporations. An expert engineer should be a member, and there should be a man trained in the ways of big business, capable of understanding the financial problems involved in the just treatment of the public service corporations. But there has been no effort to create a commission of this kind with a permanent personnel.

The commission is a semijudicial body intrusted with what amounts almost to the powers of life and death over certain kinds of business. It is as reprehensible to name to it a man who must learn the duties of the office after his appointment as to put a layman on the Supreme Court

SMUTS AS A STIMULANT

bench.

THE "gloom" which General Smuts's socalled "protest" against the peace treaty was reported to have cast over the proceedings at Versailles last Saturday susceptible rather of hopeful than of depressing analysis. While the distinguished statesman and soldier censured the pact for harshness, the heart of his observations was referable not so much tion. The league is merely to protect to what has been done as to what remains | nations against external aggression, and to be accomplished.

His appeal for a healing peace, one which shall act as a restorative to the ternal attack upon the integrity of the

fore, funds were made available for a large scale gun development program The War Department was blamed for unpreparednes The Democrats in the House who

fought bitterly to have the aviation appropriation cut to \$15,000,000 show the If there is another war it will be fought

n the air. And we may be assured that the country will be unready for it. The United States is doing less for the development of air traffic than any country in the world.

BORAH, BUNK AND BUGABOOS

THE gravest political crime of which any man can be guilty, in the opinion of certain western demagogues, is to have any dealings with Wall street. Bryan rang the changes on Wall street in the days of his greatest popularity.

The country was ruled by the "money power," and the money power had its seat in Wall street in the offices of half a dozen bankers. We were exhorted to rise and throw off the yoke, and to legislate fifty cents into a dollar so that we might

scale down the debts we owed to the money kings. There was sanity enough in the coun try to reject this demagogic advice and honesty enough to commit the nation to a financial standard under which repu diation was impossible.

But now comes Senator Borah, of Idaho, a state with a population less than one-third of that of this city, with the charge that the league of nations is favored by Wall street because the money power wants to invest its capital in Europe and is anxious that its investments should be protected. He seems to think that this is a valid argument against the

league and that by dangling the Wall street bugaboo in the face of the nation he can frighten it into opposition to everything that big business seeks. Now, the only effect the league can have on the investments of Americans in Europe will be through the preservation

of peace. If peace is maintained property rights will be secure. If there is war the ability of Europe to meet its obligations will be impaired. It is difficult to understand by what process of reasoning Senator Borah or any other man can reach the conclusion that it is a political or economic or moral offense for Wall street to be interested in the preservation

Further, the rehabilitation of Europe and the repayment of the European debt to America of eleven billion dollars are dependent in large measure on financia assistance from America. Europe needs capital. We have it. If Wall street, on own initiative, were not willing to go to the relief of Europe, it would be necessary for the protection of the investments of America in the war bonds of Europe to take such steps as would in-

duce our capitalists to provide the ready money needed to put European industry back on its feet. Such demagogic blatherskiting as Borah is indulging in is disgusting to all thinking men, even in the West, where

there is still some financial sanity. And when Borah talks about the unwillingness of America to send men to Ireland, under Article X of the league covenant, to assist England in putting down a possible insurrection, he is in dulging in pure bunk which cannot even deceive himself. There is nothing in the covenant which requires any nation to lend its military forces to assist in putting down an insurrection in another naby no stretch of the imagination could

any one call an Irish insurrection an exwhole world, even including broken Ger

CONGRESSMAN MOORE'S LETTER

Some Doubt About the Center of Political Power in Washington. Big Men In the Lincoln Club. What Carleton E. Davis

> Is Doing Washington, July 2.

ANY ONE who can tell whether the Repub-licans or the Democrats, as such, have a political advantage in Washington just now. will deserve a D. S. medal. Mr. Wilson is the President and grouped around him are the most strongly entrenched bunch of office-holders the country has ever seen. They are in power and need only legislation and appropriations to continue. They know their chief has the veto power and can block almost anything an avowedly Republican House and a very dubious Senate may do. In the House of Representatives, thus far, under the guidance of the speaker and a steering committee which has been working in measurable harmony with the main body of the House, the Republicans have met most problems as they have arisen intelligently and with an eye to economy but on some questions, due to geographical and other conditions, differences have arisen. On the Senate side the league of nations discussion has bored holes into Republican In both bodies the Democrats. Larmony. shorn of their dictatorship, have been lying low like "b'rer Rabbit" waiting for the Republicans to disagree and chuckling over uch differences as have arisen. In the House they have begun to make light of Republican claims of economy, seeing that what the House does to effectuate economy offset to a large degree by riders attached to appropriation bills in the Senate, all the while knowing that those Senate riders demonstrate the influence of the Wilson bureaucrats to perpetuate their influence through the Senate when they cannot obtain all they want through the House. And the Democrats likewise observe signs of Republican dissension with respect to land bills. soldiers' pay, salary increases and so forth, while the effort is being made to reduce taxes. The rock upon which most Repub licans rest their case with the public i onomy, a lessening of the frightful expense bills incurred by the preceding Democratic Congress. But there are Republicans, and there are big interests, and there are expensive labor claims for a continuance of large appropriations and the creation of new governmental agencies. And they are strong enough to justify the taxpayer putting to himself the plain, blunt question, "How can Congress, or any nation, successfully continue to increase its expenses and at the same time meet the popular demand for a reduction of taxes?"

TOSIAH MARVEL, whose name is a house hold word among the Blue Hen's Chick ens, is a Democrat, but despite the fact he to be president of the Lincoln Club of Philadelphia, a hitherto decidedly Republican organization. Associated with him on the executive committee are such men as John H. Mason, of Victory Loan fame: James H. Eckersley, of Germantown, the granddaddy of the organization; George Stuart Patterson, the Pennsylvania Rail-road's legal luminary; William C. Sproul, whose pen that signed the new charter law now the proud possession of one John Winston; Murdock Kendrick, who has so adjusted his legal affairs as to spend a month in New England; William I. Shaffer. whose fame as attorney general may or may t rest upon a certain state sedition bill; Charles R. Hamilton, who has a horse which now and then takes a blue ribbon; Samuel M. Clement, Jr., whose opinions as a pub lie utility commissioner may ultimately shake the foundations of a commonwealth ; William Conlen, who is so revising the port of Philadelphia through the medium of the Chamber of Commerce as to make it (the port) a deservedly potential adjunct to the national welfare, and Howard B. Lewis, who acts and talks as Abraham Lincoln

said to have done in his serious moods. To such a galaxy have recently been added lisha L Pennsylvania Railroad and Samuel M. Vauclain, head of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, with the thought that ninety-eight other Americans of equal distinction, if they can be found, shall make up the sum total of the club's membership. And when that is accomplished, according to Senator Wolcott, the youthful but impressive Delawarean in Congress, the club ander Mr. Marvel's direction, will be able o induce President Wilson and other dignitaries to put their legs under the club mahogany. And so the Philadelphia club idea continues to develop. It is an asset which progressive citizens may well encourage.



THE CHAFFING DISH

The Club of Abandoned Husbands AJAX : Hullo, Socrates, what are you oing patrolling the streets at this late hour? Surely it would be more seemly to be at ome?

SOUENES

SOCRATES : You speak sooth, Ajax, but have no home to repair to.

AJAX: What do you mean by that? SOCRATES: In the sense of a place of abitation, a dormitory, of course I still have a home; but it is merely an abandoned shell, dark and silent place devoid of allure. have sent my family to the seashore, good Ajax, and the lonely apartment, with all the blinds pulled down and nothing in the icebox, is a dismal haunt. That is why I wander on the highway

AJAX : I, too, have known that condition, Socrates. Two years ago Cassandra took the children to the mountains for July and Auupon my word I l

THE CURTAIN

be cared for by a competent matron. Baby carriages would be provided, and if any of the club members were compelled to remain in town over the week-end they could take the children for an airing in the park.

AJAX: This is a brave idea, Socrates. And then, when all the children were bedded for the night, how would the domestic at mosphere be simulated?

SOCRATES: Nothing simpler. After dinner such husbands as are accustomed to washing the dishes would be allowed to do so in the club kitchen. During the day it would be the function of the matron to think up a number of odd jobs to be performed in the course of the evening. Pictures would be hung, clocks wound, a number of tin cans would be waiting to be opened with refractory can openers, and there would always be several window blinds that had gone wrong.

THE curtain falls, the light goes out, And silence ends the play; And Columbine and Harlequin In dust are laid away; And Pierrot of the nimble heart, And frail Pierrette, the star So must we laugh and go, my lass, God's puppets that we are.

Who knows but that their little tricks Still live, and still amuse? And Columbine still runs away,

And Pierrot still pursues? Who knows but that we, too, shall play Our parts, and reign supreme Upon the Stage of Silence, lass,

Within the House of Dream? -Kendall Banning

Speaking of resolutions, Knox falls and Fall's knocks.

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DELEGATES

for those who know the ways of the police.

Knowing the ways of the police presumes a shrewd knowledge of police psychology. It so happens that the guardians of the law were notified last Saturday of an unsuccessful attempt the evening before to jimmy into the place and had promised extra vigilance. But that was bunk. Any wise guy knows that lightning ain't a-goin' to strike twice in the one place; anybody, that is, but the lightning-and the crook who is a good guesser.

Doubtless the men in blue have a clue. While they are nursing it the thieves have, for a time at least, guit worrying about the high cost of men's furnishings.

NEW MOTOR LAWS

THE new motor regulations approved by the Governor and the Highway Department of the state have been devised to make the theft and resale of motor vehicles more difficult and dangerous for those who make a living by that means. The clause which makes it necessary for drivers to be physically qualified is like that which is operative in the motor regulations of several other states. It imposes a desirable restriction. As important as physical qualification is temperamental qualification in the operation of automobiles. Nothing so clearly reveals the disposition of an individual as the manner in which he drives a motorcar in crowded streets. If the police could arrest drivers whose stupidity and bad manners are conspicuous under such circumstances they would inate the causes which must bring about a growing multiplicity of restric ons to bother the vast majority who use mobiles with decent care for their own safety and the safety of others.

SPANISH LESSONS FOR THE HUN

WENTY-ONE years after a war which deprived Spain of her colonial empire her ruler takes occasion to interpret the close of a much greater conflict as a speini augury of happiness for the nation th so swiftly and decisively humbled

I ask you to accept," entreats King lifonse of President Wilson, "my very est wishes and those of Spain for the esa and prosperity of the United tates in the new era now beginning."

Here is more than the conventional itations to the Entente which Spain n her eagerness to intrude her national into a situation in which she yed no active part has been so prompt im. The note of sincerity is untakable. No policy of "revanche" has ad a standing in Spain as a result of That war was gallantly fought, galnt. Cervera, Montijo and Toral in that spell only material fail-

many, is one which not even the most fervent advocate of iron justice to a criminal foe can dispute. Nor is there any unconquerable reason, in spite of General Smuts's honest forebodings, why civilization cannot be repaired according to his sane principles. The treaty need not stand in the way of them and the league of nations should be of the utmost assistance.

Indeed, the great Anglo-Boer admits as much. He is firm in his position that "the Germans must convince our peoples of their good faith" and equally insistent that the Entente shall remember its immense responsibilities and not abuse the fruits of its overwhelming victory. The league of nations he beholds as yet a form, but none the less "a path of escape for Europe out of the ruin brought by

this war.' "A new creative spirit," he adds, "must fill the institution with life and with the inspiration for pacific ideals, and so convert it into a real instrument of progress.

Statesmen at Versailles who were troubled over reflections of this sort-if any, indeed, were-are unworthy of their office. To read a warning General Smuts painted a dark picture. In its outlines. however, it is a true one. But admission of the fact need not be accompanied by pessimism concerning the treaty. Arrogance, stupidity and blindness can make a mockery out of the most admirable document ever penned. Vision, a sense of obligation and sound liberalism applied to the future can render the Versailles treaty the solid basis of a new and loftier civilization. General Smuts is only one of millions

n passionately hoping for a fairer era. As a spokesman for moral standards, the battle for the maintenance of which justifies the existence of mankind in his earthly habitat, the stalwart champion of the league of nations is a stimulant, not a depressant. His criticism is of the courageous, healthy type, which should disturb only the purblind.

CONGRESS REPEATS

ONGRESS, dealing with appropriations for the further development of naval aviation, is adopting a course suggestive of earlier disastrous blunders in the routine ordnance program.

Appropriations necessary to keep army artillery up to the European standard were stubbornly refused almost to the moment when we entered the war. There was a delusion in Congress that gnns were guns and nothing more. Of the elaborate technical experiments, or the length of time and the exacting effort necessary to a scheme of modern artillery, the members of the appropriations committees knew nothing. When the United States declared war on Germany, and not be-

British empire The longer the discussion of the league continues the more piffling become the arguments of its opponents.

As the Bibulous One Reminiscences leaned against the bar he was heard to sing the variation of an old song: "It is soda

lightful, it makes me feel quite full-but not quite so full as old John Barleycorn." What is a poor three

Canceled cent stamp to do? It has no more rights than a periodical drinker. Its travel priviloges have been cut and its invitations to stick around are growing scanter.

The fact that brewers and distillers can't get Taking Stock rid of their stocks

ould seem to indicate that (1) People haven't the money to buy ; or (2) They don't believe prohibition will really prohibit; or (3) They don't care for the stuff anyhow Which may be amended to fread: (1) They have better things to do with their money; or (2) When one door shuts another opens; or (3) What's the use of fussing?

Score another black Circumstance's mark against profi-Queer Kinks teering landlords They have hampered the recording of Philadelphia's man-contribution to the war. The policemen intrusted with the delivery of the necessary blanks were

in some cases unable to hand them to occupants of houses because the householders had been warned by the 'Tenants' Protective Asociation not to receive notices from consta bles or others who may be interested in the raising of rents.

Old Red-eye is going color blind.

A man has to put up with a suspender ow when he needs a bracer Nowadays there is nothing brewing but

In future we must look to airplane hops for stimulation.

Mary Pickford is to retire after nine more pictures are taken. "She is then going to enjoy life," says her mother. But it is possible that she will find that it isn't possible to have more fun than she has had

It is recorded that on the receipt of the news of the signing of the peace treaty Germans in the Rhine territory drank more beer than usual. Conditions on this side of the Atlantic have served to keep the world average unchanged.

THERE were three happy men in the Philadelphia congressional delegation last week -George P. Darrow, who made a real fight on the floor and got through an amendment increasing the allowance provided for dis-abled soldies in the vocational educational bill; Peter E. Costello, who assisted in having restored on the Senate side an appropriation to encourage the manufacture of small arms ammunition, the Frankford Arsenal in mind, and George W. Edmonds, he of the merchant marine and fisheries committee, whose legislative wrinkles were en tirely ironed out on the arrival of Mrs. George W. Edmonds, who has so many friend in Washington that the Honorable George was compelled to forget all about Mr. Hurley and the shipbuilding program in order to complete a round of social engage ments too long postponed. And not the least of the matter was a little tete-a-tete with the new president of Brazil and certain other notabilities who have been in our midst.

OUR Philadelphia Water Bureau's chief, Carleton E. Davis, is also president of the American Water Works Association, and that association is endeavoring to have Congress authorize the compliation of official statistics with regard to municipal owned water works the country over. At present, however, owing to the state of the treasury, Director Sam L. Rogers, of the Census Bureau, is not inclined to ask for any extra money. The American Water Works Association comprises about 1200 members, representing water works of every size and character, and if they understand propaganda work as well as some other public and private agencies do, Brother Davis may yet be able to impress Congress with the necessity of providing for what he wants.

THE candy men are up in arms. They I say candy is nourishing and that the candy manufacturers have been patriotic throughout the war. Many of them insist that they have also bought Liberty Bonds as an evidence of their intense interest in the country's welfare. Like the ice-cream and soda-water men, they also insist that their products are purchased by the poor. There-fore, according to many of their correspondents, they should not be taxed now that the war is over. The candy men have taken the place of the fur men and the jewelers and the various other dealers who opened up the demand for a repeal of taxes. They are now flooding Washington with letters and tele grams, but it is fairly noticeable, in Washngton at least. that the candy stores are doing a good business, and that they are getting good prices."

of it. What do you say, shall we have re-course to a beaker of ginger ale and discuss this matter? It is still only the shank of the evening.

SOCRATES: It is well thought of. AJAX: As I was saying, the quaint part of it was that before my wife left I had secretly thought that a period of bachelor hood would be an interesting change. rather liked the idea of strolling about in the evenings, observing the pageant of human nature in my quiet way, dropping in at the lub or the library and mingling with my fellow men in a fashion that the husband and father does not often have opportunity to do. SOCRATES: And when Cassandra went

away you found yourself desolate?

AJAX: Even so. Of course matters were rather different in those days, before the archons had taken away certain stimulants, but the principle is still the same. You know, the inconsistency of man is rather entertaining. I had often complained about having to help put the children to bed when got home from the office. I grudged the time it took to get them all safely bestowed. And then, when the children were away, I found myself spending infinitely more and trouble in getting some of my bachelor friends to bed.

SOCRATES: As that merry cartoonist Briggs observes in some of his frescoes, Oh Man

AJAX: I wonder if your experience is the same as mine was? I found that about six o'clock in the evening, the hour when I would normally have been hastening home to wife and babes, was the most poignant time. I was horribly homesick. If I did go back to my forlorn apartment, the mere sight of little Priam's crib was enough to reduce me to tears. I seriously thought of writing

a poem about it. SOCRATES: What is needed is a Club of Abandoned Husbands, for the consolation of those whose families are out of town. AJAX: I have never found a club much assistance at such a time. It is always full of rather elderly men who talk a great

deal and in a manner both doleful and illinformed. SOCRATES : But this would be a club of uite a different sort. It would be devised to offer a truly domestic atmosphere to those who have sent their wives and juveniles to the country for the benefit of the fresh air, and have to stay in the city themselves to earn what is vulgarly known as kale. AJAX: How would you work out the

plan?

SOCRATES: It would not be difficult. In the first place, there would be a large nursery, with a number of rented children of various ages. Each member of the club, has tening thither from his office at the conclusion of the day's work, would be privileged to pick out some child as nearly as possible similar in age and sex to his own abo spring. He would then deal with this child according to the necessities of its condition. If it were an extremely young infant, a bottle properly prepared would be ready in the club kitchen, and he could administer it. The club bathroom would be filled with hilarious members on their knees beside small tubs, bathing such urchins as needed it. Others would be playing games on the floor, or tucking the children in bed. It ought to be quite feasible to hire a number of children for this purpose. During the day they would A really resourceful matron could devise any number of ways of making the club seem just like home. One night she would discern a smell of gas, the next there might be a hole in the fly-screens, or a little carpentering to do, or a caster broken under the piano. Husbands with a turn for plumbing would find

the club basement a perpetual place of solace, with a fresh leak or a rumbling pipe every few days. AJAX: Admirable! And if the matron

really wanted to make the members feel at home she would take a turn through the building every now and then, to issue a gentle rebuke for cigar-ashes dropped on the rugs or feet elevated on chairs.

SOCRATES: The really crowning touch I think, would lie in the ice-box raids. A large ice-box would be kept well-stocked with reminders of apple pie, macaroni, stewed prunes and chocolate pudding. Any husband, making a cautious inroad upon these about midnight would surely have the autheatic emotion of being in his own home. AJAX: An occasional request to empty

the ice-box pan would also be an artful echo of domesticity. SOCRATES : Of course the success of the

scheme would depend greatly on finding the right person for matron. If she were to strew a few hairpins about and perhaps mislatch-key now and thenplace

AJAX: Socrates, you have hit upon a great idea. But you ought to extend the embership of the club to include young men not yet married. Think what an admirable raining school for husbands it would make! SOCRATES: My dear fellow, let us not discuss it any further. It makes me too homesick. I am going back to my lonely apartment to write a letter to dear Xanthippe.

. Sonnet

The incense of your vanished blood and breath

Within the amber spaces of the night Cool as child-love and dark as very death, Is still my one and bittersweet delight. Those ghostly tapers hold the fume of you. Wreathing this quaint, impalpable reward,

Wherewith the dark was subtly spiced and starred. For gone that crown of pale, reluctant gold And those white hands that rose like chords

The twined perfume of one so falsely true.

and fell: Oh, you, so gravely young, so gayly old,

High lamp of Heaven and spark of sheerest Hell: Who but I, Bittersweet, have understood Your gentle evil and your valiant good? RICHARD DESMOND.

Mr. Maurice Weyl has been kind enough to send us a copy of his novel, "The Choice," which has just been published. The first thing we always do to a new bool is to smell it, and we can tell by the fragrance of the paper that Mr. Weyl's book is one we shall greatly enjoy.

But why, we wonder, does the publisher say on the jacker "It is an American novelthat might have been written in England." Surely the old gag about English literary superiority is wearing a little thin?

a New Yorks publisher will print on the jacket of a book : "It is an American novel that might have been written in Philadel-phia."

If the cellar as well as the seller be abolished it will be a dry spell indeed.

It is a certainty that horseshoe tables will never be popular at German banquets.

Motor bandits are daily becoming more umerous, but cheer up !-- the airplane bandits have not yet arrived.

For the second time the negro is finding liberty in the slogan of "The Union forever !

There is also a nice little Mexican probem awaiting the arrival of the George Washington.

The new German-American League in Milwaukee has just one word too many in its name. The members are either Germans or Americans. The hyphen must go.

What Do You Know?

QUIZ 1. Who is assistant secretary of the treas-

ury? 2. What is "long pig"?

8. What is the capital of Rumania?

4. What is the origin of the expression "the Slough of Despond"?

5. What state does Senator Gerry represent?

6. When did Edison invent the talking machine?

7. What is the meaning of the expression "to chronicle small beer"?

8. Who was "Peter Pindar"?

9. What centuries compose the middle ages?

10. Who are the members of the new Council of Four at the Paris Conference?

Answers to Yesterday's Quiz

The Chinese delegates to the Peace Con ference refused to sign the Versailles treaty.

2. Kamehameha, surnamed "The Great," made himself master of the Hawaiian Islands in 1809 and consolidated them into a single realm. He suppressed human sacrifice and encouraged commerce with Europeans. His is the greatest name in the native history of Hawaii.

8. Gold is heavier than iron.

4. Brooklyn is the "City of Churches." 5. Donegal is in the north of Ireland in the

province of Ulster. 6. Pico della Mirandola was a noted Italian

humanist and philosopher, one of the leading scholars of the Renaissance. He died in 1494. 7. A parallelogram is a four-sided rec-

tilinear figure whose opposite sides are parallel.

8. Sericulture is silkworin breeding, production of raw silk.

9. Ambroise Thomas wrote the music of the opera "Mignon."

10. General Cadorna was commander-in-chief of the Italian armies in the war from 1915 to 1917.

trouble. Happy the man who owns a self-start-

ing buttermilk cow. Even Yo, ho, ho will have to get along without his bottle of rum.

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