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A FIELD FOR THE P. R. T. PARK

THE transit company's promise of summer openings at its proposed new amusement park at Sixty-third and Market streets suggests a type of enterprise which already has proved attractive in several large cities.

Singers of distinction are conceivably not averse to summer engagements for remuneration lower than that which figures in the Metropolitan, Chicago and Gallo companies' payrolls.

A ONE-THEME TREATY

THE thirty-day recess of Congress which began last night will enable the treaty negotiators of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to subject the new pact with Germany to the most searching examination.

The use of the motorcar has so increased in Pennsylvania that the total number of passenger cars now on the State roads is twenty as great as the number of machines of all types operated by the State two and one-half years ago.

THE INTERNATIONAL WHIRLIGIG

THE evanescence of national animosities is strikingly illustrated in the numerous applications for enlistment in the current war against the Moors which have been made at the Spanish Consulate in this city.

HE WOULD BE KING

AS a man who would be King, Prince Faisal, formerly of Arabia, takes distinguished rank. His invaluable aid to the Allies in the Palestine campaigns was originally so magnanimously received by both the English and the French that the brilliant young chieftain was chosen to represent Mohammed himself, who was richly rewarded with promises.

The answer is furnished by Great Britain in establishing Prince Faisal as King of Mesopotamia or that portion of it called Iraq, for which the British Government holds a mandate under the League of Nations.

Faisal is obviously not the type of man who can indefinitely be cheated successfully. His occupancy of the throne at Baghdad not only restores something of the prestige enjoyed by that ancient capital during the great days of the Caliphate, but it means a powerful friend for Britain in one of the corners of the globe where she needs assistance most.

NEW ROADS ARE A GREAT AID TO ALL CIVILIZED PROGRESS

The West Chester Pike and a View of the Future Suggested by its Reopening Yesterday

ONE of the most magnificent new concrete roads in the United States is being opened to traffic at West Chester, Pa., over long distances like the spokes of a wheel.

What might be called express motor routes are being established here after year between the more important cities and in accordance with scientific plans devised to extend the benefits of good roads to the farms. Year after year, as the number of motorcars in use increases, money for such work becomes more plentiful.

COMMUNISM ON ITS LAST LEGS

WHAT purports to be a confession of failure by Lenin has been published in Paris. It is in the form of a letter to a friend whom he knew when he was in exile. The confession may or may not be authentic, but it contains a revealing insight into the Russian situation.

Lenin is represented as saying that the Russian workers and peasants have betrayed their own interests. He gambled on the collective instinct which he thought ought to hold the people and the members of the Communist Party together, but he found that the collective instinct was weaker than the individual instinct to possess and to retain that which was acquired.

A "MYSTERY" UNCOVERED

THE mystery behind President Wilson's Panama tolls address to Congress is uncovered in the second installment of the letters of Walter Hines Page which appear in the current World's Work.

Story Lacks Frills

A Hagerstown, Md., correspondent says a lightning struck a pear tree and ran along a fence until it struck a hen's nest, where it left the skeleton of the bird and a hole in each egg and emptied it.

AN ODD COINCIDENCE

How Horace G. Knowles, a Delaware Diplomatist, Brought King Peter of Serbia to Terms Thirteen Years Ago—An Unwritten Story of the Balkans

By GEORGE NOX MCGAIN

AN ODD coincidence appeared in the newspapers of the country the other day. In one column was the announcement of the death of King Peter of Serbia.

For a dozen years or more he was in the diplomatic service of the Government. In 1908 he was Minister to Rumania. He had toured the Western Balkans, Rumania, though he was also accredited to Serbia and Bulgaria.

THE summer of 1908, oddly enough, found me with three members of my family in Belgrade, capital of Serbia.

Consul Moorehead informally communicated the contents of my telegram to the palace and the American Minister, instantly fixed a date for his reception.

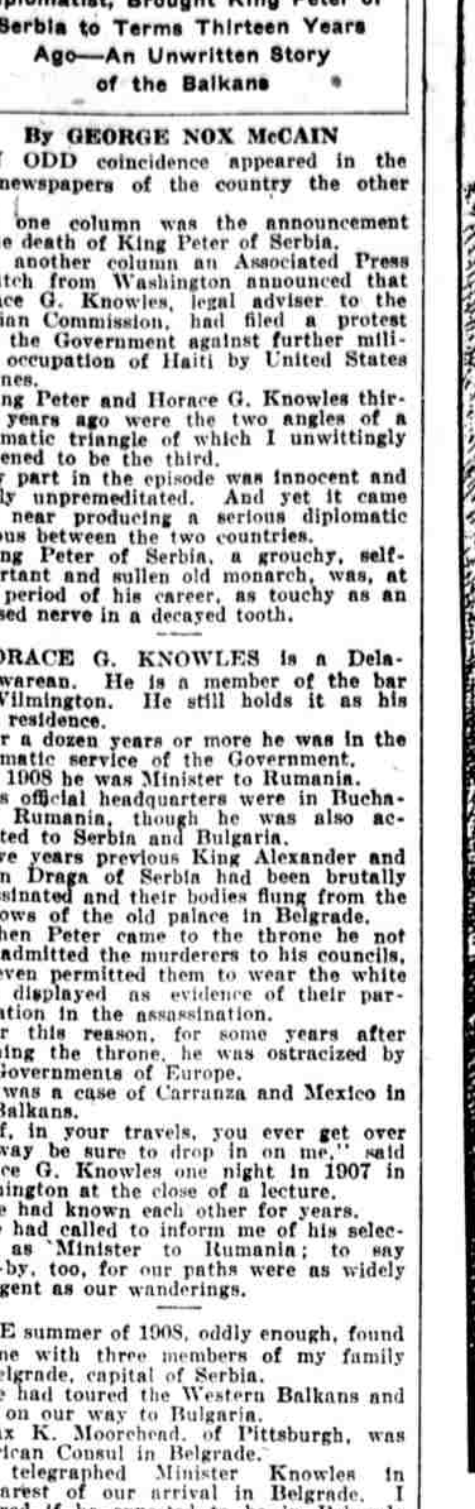
Consul Moorehead had received an official telegram from the American Minister announcing his intention to visit Belgrade.

KING PETER flew into a rage. Within twenty-four hours Consul Moorehead was informed that the reception to the American Minister was postponed indefinitely.

THE eight Americans at the table there, the only representatives of the United States in Serbia that night outside the Embassy, had a mighty good time for strangers in a strange land despite the comment and curious inspection.

KING PETER was stiff-necked and refused to receive the American Minister. He said that he would never again permit his name to be used in connection with the American Minister, just as all Europe had done.

THE PICTURES OF THIS FIGHT PROBABLY WILL BE WIDELY SHOWN IN THE NEXT CAMPAIGN



NOW MY IDEA IS THIS

Daily Talks With Thinking Philadelphians on Subjects They Know Best

ALBERT M. GREENFIELD On the Realty Situation

PHILADELPHIA real estate prices and values are tending toward a new normal, according to Albert M. Greenfield, a prominent real estate man of this city.

On the other hand, central realty will not only hold its present values, but must inevitably advance, he says.

What Do You Know?

- QUIZ 1. Who is the present King of the Serbs, and by what exploit in the American Revolution is Ethan Allen noted? 2. What is the estimated population of the United States? 3. By what legislation are holidays fixed in the United States? 4. What is the name of the morning star that is sometimes called the Lucifer? 5. How is a million written in Roman notation? 6. What is the longest-lived of birds? 7. When was gold discovered in California? 8. Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone, is a native of Edinburgh, Scotland. 9. The Katmai region of Alaska has been the scene of the most terrific volcanic eruption of the last decade. 10. The Sadducees were members of a Jewish sect or party at the time of Christ. What was the restoration of the Sadducees? 11. What is the name of the traditional law?

SHORT CUTS

Add Powerful Legends—Penrose. "Longchamps reports even shorter skirts." Is it possible? May all the expenses of the hat business be considered as overhead? Though Russia is starving today, she is all fed up on unbalanced rations. Senator Reed is now in a position to appreciate the weakness of over-statement. What chance will there be for the strong arm if the Mayor puts his foot on it? Argument with a slum landlord is always a waste of time. He is never right in his premises. What knavery can't hope to gain still foolishness supplies. When the wise man fails to register he really isn't wise. Unless our citizens wake up and use their heads and legs, the ascetic gain will rue the roasts as sure as yeggs are yeggs. In justice to the big railroads it must be remembered that what Henry Ford did with his railroad was done without Government "regulation." "Director, may I go out to swim?" "Why, yes, I think you oughter," says Dr. Furbush—List to him!—"but be sure and boil the water." In order to delay hardening of the arteries, says a French physician, cut garlic. It may not win out, but it will at least put up a strong argument. Word comes from Sault Ste. Marie that a former Governor of Michigan has killed a bear with his bare hands. No ordinary story this. It's a bear. "Do you intend to violate the Fourth Amendment in order to enforce the Eighteenth?" demands the Senate. "You can search me!" replies the House. French doctors say that the use of alcohol and cigarettes is causing the growth of whiskers on women's faces. This may cause some feminists to repent profusely. An Atlantic City woman has been divorced from her husband because he refused to live elsewhere than on a motorboat. In the matrimonial market he prefers a put-put to a call-call. Militants are secretly hoping that Great Britain's four new battle cruisers, this country's six new Lexingtons and the warships under construction in Japan will be combined, be able to shoot the disarmament conference full of holes. From Spartansburg, S. C., comes the story of a bloodhound that broke all precedent by failing to lose the scent. The Negro being chased waited for it to catch up, then tied it to a tree and continued his journey. When Hooch is hero of a tale that's full of derring do his henchmen, you may well believe, are after revenue. And by that self-same token strong at certain times and place the "revenue" gets after them (as witness local case).

UNENVIABLE POSITION

Friends of former Emperor Charles in Hungary plan a demonstration as a bit of propaganda toward the same condition. However, there is no doubt whether re-establishing him on the throne would be an act of friendship.

Answers to Yesterday's Quiz

- 1. Spain has been officially representing the interests of the United States in the many since the severance of diplomatic relations in 1917. 2. The six vicinities of Central America are Guatemala, El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Panama. 3. When Venus is the morning star it is sometimes called Lucifer. 4. Rinderpest is cattle-plague. 5. Birkland is the name of the Parliament of Sweden. 6. A protoplasm is a semi-fluid, colorless, transparent substance, consisting of carbon, hydrogen, carbon and nitrogen. 7. The word mezzanine is from the Italian "mezzo," diminutive of "mezzo." 8. Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone, is a native of Edinburgh, Scotland. 9. The Katmai region of Alaska has been the scene of the most terrific volcanic eruption of the last decade. 10. The Sadducees were members of a Jewish sect or party at the time of Christ. What was the restoration of the Sadducees? 11. What is the name of the traditional law? "It must also be considered that, while