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SEEMS TO PLEASE EVERYBODY

The comments made in Washington on the appointment of George Wharton Pepper indicate that the character and abilities of the man are well known there.

NOVELTIES IN CRIME

IN ONE day's news there were narratives of three men who, at various places and for various reasons, fought slugging duels with police in the public streets.

SUPERFLUOUS TINKERING

TUCKLESH problems of interpretation are suggested by Representative Edmonds' plan of a federal constitutional amendment making it unreasonable for any person to attempt to incite by word or deed the establishment of any new form of government except by amendment to the Constitution as provided herein.

BRITISH OPPOSITION QUANDARY

BRITISH opposition to restrictions upon the freedom of merchant shipping was forecast when the submarine limitation plan failed of adoption by the Washington Conference.

ON SECOND THOUGHT

CHARLES GARLAND, the young Bostonian, who declined to accept \$1,000,000 for his share in the great father's estate because he was opposed to a social system under which it was possible for a man to accumulate a large fortune while others went hungry, has decided to permit the money to be paid to him.

CITY VS. COUNTRY

IT USED to be supposed that the open country held all the advantages which people seek who desire to get the most happiness out of life.

LIGHT ON BARLEYCORN

FRANK, open and vigorous discussion is good medicine for all the social, political and economic ailments with which humanity is afflicted from time to time.

scientific control of the water supply. In some instances the average death rate in American cities is far below that reported from country districts.

IT IS EASY TO LAY THE LA FOLLETTE BUGABOO

The Senate Can Keep the Wisconsinian in His Place as the House Discouraged the Ambitions of Congressman Vane

THE death of Senator Penrose has brought Senator La Follette so near to the head of the Committee on Finance that certain timid politicians in Washington are talking about asking the President to use his influence to defeat La Follette for re-election this year.

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