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THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 18

THE COLONEL'S VOICE

COLONEL ROOSEVELT'S friends in all parties will regret to learn that he is suffering with a serious throat affection as a result of his strenuous campaigning heretofore and the attack of jungle fever from which he suffered in South America.

There is no more interesting figure in American life than the Colonel and while his admirers do not always agree with his political opinions there are few who do not entertain for him great personal respect.

Colonel Roosevelt is a difficult patient to handle, especially when he scents the battle from afar, but the London dispatches state that he will follow the specialist's advice, although to do so means a material change in his campaign plans.

This development in the campaign lineup will seriously interfere with the progress of the ultra-Progressives who banked upon Colonel Roosevelt almost entirely this year.

It is believed, however, that Colonel Roosevelt will have sufficient voice left to protest against the surrender of the Wilson administration in the matter of the Colombia treaty and the apology which accompanies it, plus twenty-five million dollars in the way of solace for the wounded feelings of the official grafters of that section of the Isthmus.

Nor is it likely that the Colonel will be so incapacitated as to be unable to express in some vigorous way his opinions of the milk-and-water diplomacy of the present administration at Washington.

"Papa Has No Job Now" is the very appropriate title of a little leaflet which Congressman Benjamin K. Focht is sending out to his constituents and to others who are overwhelmed by the enforced idleness of armies of willing working men.

Multi-millionaires of the Pinchot and McCormick type may go up and down the State exuding theories and promulgating fantastic doctrines, but the common people are more interested just now in how to live than they are in reconstructing the universe.

There is no longer any Republican party in this State—Harrisburg Patriot.

There is no sun, nor moon, nor stars. Psychology is wonderful.

COL HUTCHISON'S PAPER

HARRISBURG owes Colonel Jos. B. Hutchison a vote of thanks for the very able manner in which he presented the Harrisburg of to-day to the convention of police chiefs of the United States in session at Grand Rapids in the paper he read yesterday.

Oh for a breath of Franklin's sanity and common sense in this hysterical generation, when the whole world seems topsy turvy, when many classes are in revolt against the institutions which make for stability, when women are growing masculine in the frenzied and violent advocacy of new privileges and men are becoming feminine in submitting to intolerable wrongs.

The colonel is modest. He knows that he and his police force have done and are doing a splendid work for the city. He knows that their combined vigilance is making Harrisburg a safer, better place in which to live.

EVENING CHAT

Hoffman's woods is commencing to come into its own again. Last week there were a couple of picnics held under the shade of its lofty trees and yesterday had a dozen bands of youngsters were to be seen enjoying "tea parties" on the grassy places, while in the upper part of the woods Scouts kept watch and ward against any invasion of Indians from Susquehanna.

The Colonel need not worry over the doubtful problem of segregation. So long as he and his officers keep Harrisburg as free from the operations of commercialized vice as at present they will have done well enough to satisfy most people.

Tilting at windmills, the Don Quixote of the White House rides for a hard fall.

The question now naturally arises, will he pay that \$12,000 note?

BURYING THE HAMMER

ON the site of the proposed new rapid transit station in the heart of Paterson, N. J., Mayor Fordyce and members of the Board of Trade yesterday carried out an elaborately arranged ceremony to mark the passing of "knocking" in Paterson.

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The hammers are clanging on the anvils of these "knockers" twenty-four hours of every day. The President's "psychological depression" has no effect on their activities.

Nobody is good in their eyes, except themselves and there are dark moments when they have grave doubts as to their own honesty.

Veterans of the First City Zouaves and City Grays will assemble about the banquet held at the Armory this evening.

LETTER CARRIERS' PENSIONS

THE announced intention of Senators Penrose and Oliver to vote for the bill to provide government pensions for letter carriers will no doubt meet with popular approval.

There is no more difficult or trying work than that of the "mail man."

WANTED—COMMON SENSE

THAT was rather a remarkable address which the eloquent James M. Beck delivered at the unveiling of a statue of Benjamin Franklin at the University of Pennsylvania this week.

He accomplished all he did by his freedom from intellectual conventionalities and his sustained and intelligent application of common sense to the problems that confronted him.

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EXPENSE ACCOUNT

Interesting Item Reported on by the Palmer-McCormick State Campaign Committee

COMMITTEE HAD \$21,000

That Market Street Banner Cost \$160 to Paint and Swing Over the Asphalt

Not only did the McCormick campaign for the Democratic nomination for Governor make a new standard for primary expenses, but it has brought to light a unique way of financing a campaign under the State act.

Not much attention has been paid by Harrisburg people to a series of conferences that has been going on at the State Department of Labor and Industry the last two months.

The display of crimson ramblers on the homes of people about the city is well worth noting as one rides walks along.

Speaking about flowers, the wild roses of the grass plots in State street east of Thirteenth are well worth noting, too.

The city highway department has made up its mind that it will not be bothered with the rush of water from the highway to Derry street any longer and advantage is being taken of the paving of the old pike east of Eighteenth street to put in large catch basins.

William Theurer, of Oil City, assistant general agent of the State Board of Public Utilities, was here to-day.

Among the bequests announced a few days ago at Princeton University was that of Judge Nathaniel Ewing, president of the county when Commission Judge Ewing came in.

Samuel Rea, the president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, who was here yesterday for the hearing on the North-Central lease, took a look about the station just before he went to his train.

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

Jesse T. Vodges, of the Fairmount Park Commission, has worked out a plan to enclose the Grant cabin in Fairmount Park in glass.

IN HARRISBURG FIFTY YEARS AGO TO-DAY

THE Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company advertise a sale of unclaimed goods to take place on the seventeenth of September, in this city.

ZOUAVES TO MEET

A MILLION TO GO A LONG WAY

POLITICAL SIDELIGHTS

A VOTE FOR SPOILS

NOTHING OVER 25c EVERYTHING UNDER

Some Interesting Examples of the Many SPECIAL VALUES That Prevail Throughout This Store

Special Values in Ladies' and Children's Hosiery

Special Values in Embroideries

Special Values in Ladies' and Children's Ribbed Underwear

Special Values in Girls' and Boys' Ready-to-Wear

Special Values in Ribbons

Special Values in Men's Furnishings

Special Values in Muslin Underwear

Special Values in Summer Dress Materials, Etc.

Special Values in Men's Neckwear

Special Values in Ladies' Neckwear

Special Values in Men's Suspenders

Special Values in Ladies' Suspenders

Special Values in Men's Socks

Special Values in Ladies' Socks

Special Values in Men's Ties

Special Values in Ladies' Ties

Special Values in Men's Shirts

NEWS DISPATCHES OF THE CIVIL WAR

Major Stahl Wounded

OFFICER BIRNEY DIES

THE SERVANT OF THE NATIONS

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