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LATER NEWS WAIFS.

CAPITAL AND LABOR.

At Johnstown the Cambria Iron Company has resumed. Over 3,000 men will be given employment.

At Belfast the Congress of Trades Unionists passed unanimously a resolution that the government pay union wages to all men employed on public works.

The following manufactories have resumed work: The Ashland, Ky., Steel works; Curtis & Co.'s collar factory, Troy, N. Y.; Diamond Knitting mill, Waterford, N. Y.; Orkney, Himes and Leroy knitting mills, Cohoes, N. Y.; Miller, Hall and Hartwell's collar factory, Troy, N. Y.; National India Rubber factory, Bristol, R. I.; the Lymans, R. I. mill; the Compton, R. I., mill.

The wages of the 2,000 employes of the Pencoyd Iron works, near Philadelphia will be reduced 10 per cent., beginning Sept. 18. The puddlers are excepted and their pay will be cut down to $3.25 per ton.

The report that the Cumberland, Md., Steel and Tin Plate Works have been closed for three months is wrong. They have been running full capacity, except 10 days, which were required to make necessary repairs. They are full of orders.

The Bellaire, O., steel works, employing 600 hands, which started up 10 days ago, closed down indefinitely on account of no orders.

Twelve strikers at Charleston, W. Va., have been arrested for bulldozing a miner who wished to work.

The Wheeling and Lake Erie coal works at Laurelton, W. Va., paid out over $140,000 in wages. The work are now employing over 800 hands, an increase of 300 over the same time last year. The coar operators of the Fairmount, W. Va., regions have resumed in full and are rushed with orders.

A St. Louis local newspaper has made a careful computation of the industries that have already or soon will resume operations, and by actual count 11,700 men will by the 20, be at work in factories and foundries that were frightened into closing by the "hard times" panic. Every line of wholesale trade reports increasing orders and some notable advance over sales of a year ago.

FIRES.

Cayucos, Cal., was nearly wiped out by fire. Only two buildings were left standing. Cayucos has a population of about 700. Twenty business structures were destroyed.

At Canby, Minn., a block and a half in the business section, including 16 stores, the postoffice and a bank. Loss $200,000, insurance $60,000.

Two blocks of business buildings and dwellings at Baldwin, Wis., were destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $100,000 with small insurance. Many families are meless.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

The first national bank of Nashville, Tenn., which suspended August 10, has resumed.

The national bank of Sturgis, Mich., has been permitted to reopen its doors.

CRIMES AND PENALTIES.

Benjamin Jackson, colored, was lynched by a mob near Quincy, Ala., and his body filled with bullets. Jackson put poison in a well and three deaths resulted.

No Sunday Cars For Toronto.

The Toronto, Ont., people have voted, by 13,000 to 14,000, against the running of street railway cars on Sunday. The street railway employes have formed a union and threaten to strike unless it is recognized by the company.

A Civil Service Pension Bill.

In both senate and House simultaneously a bill will be introduced granting a disability pension to government employes after 20 years' honorable service and granting compensation for injuries received in the line of duty. Widows and minor children of employes killed while in the government service are also to be pensioned.

The Sunday Fair Continues.

Judge Ewing decided at Chicago that he would not hear arguments in a motion to set aside Judge Goggin's order continuing proceedings in the Clingman injunction suit 60 days. This means the World's Fair will remain open on Sunday unless Judge Goggin vacates the order.

Toadstools Kill Three People.

Venyl Vejack, his wife and one of his children, of Newark, N. J., have died from the effect of toadstool poisoning. Mr. Vejack thought they were mushrooms.

—FRED O'CONNOR, the train dispatcher whose forgetfulness caused the wreck on the Ft. Wayne road, at Colehour, Ind., in which a dozen lives were lost, has disappeared. Before leaving Ft. Wayne he sent a message to the coroner of Cook county requesting him to release all of the men held for the accident, as he alone was to blame.

—THE SILVER shut down in Colorado is thus summarized by Labor Commissioner Brentlinger: Unemployed during July and August, 45,084 of whom 22,492 left the vicinity where at work. Since then many of the big mines have resumed work.

His Reason.

In administering punishment in the navy different penalties carry with them reduction to a lower conduct class. Of these there are four, the fourth being the lowest, and one placed in it is deprived of shore leave for a period of three months. For some breach the executive officer of the United States ship Juniata found it necessary to place a man on the fourth class, who decided to try to obtain a mitigation of his sentence. With this object in view, he sought and obtained an interview with the executive officer, when the following conversation ensued: "Well, L——, you wanted to see me?" "Yes, sir, I did. I wanted to know, Mr. R——, why you put me on the fourth class?" "Ah, you wanted to know why I put you on the fourth class, eh? Well, I'll tell you, L——, I put you on the fourth class because I hadn't a fifth class to put you on. Now go forward." He went.

CURIOUS FACTS.

European railroads stretch 142,685 miles.

The Colossus of Rhodes was cast in over 100 pieces and fitted together.

Traces of prehistoric city have been discovered not far from Zanzibar, in Africa.

There are in the world 261 blind asylums and training schools, with 11,780 inmates.

At the beginning of the Christian era the relative values of gold to silver were as one to nine.

Quails whose combined weight is 100,000 pounds are sold every day in the Parisian market for food.

All the ancient Egyptian paintings were executed according to a code of rules laid down by the priesthood.

The largest church in the world is St. Peter's, in Rome; the smallest a church ten feet square in the Isle of Man.

The wife of Mr. Vankieker, of Leeds, Canada, recently gave birth to four children—two girls and two boys—one of whom has three hands.

We eat every year in this country about five and a half millions of oysters—raw, stewed, fried, roasted, pickled, scalloped and in a pate.

Louis XVI. did not behave with overwhelming dignity at his execution. On the contrary, he screamed for help, struggled with the executioners and begged for mercy.

Most of the transportation in Havana, Cuba, is furnished by little horses hitched to a Victoria. There are 3000 of those rigs in that city and but one horse car line.

Soil in Egypt is tilled by exactly the same kind of plow used there 5000 years ago. The furrows made are extremely shallow and the clods are further broken up with a big wooden cudgel.

Two basket mills at Dover, Del., are now turning out 9000 peach baskets per day. The work is done with great ease, rapidity and precision. The fastest basket maker in the Dover mills makes from 250 to 300 baskets per day. He is paid one cent per basket.

In some of the London churches the old fashion of open-air pulpits has been revived. These pulpits are of stone, with heavy oak sounding-boards. Chairs are placed in the grounds of the church. The hyms are printed in hugh letters and hung from posts. These open-air services are well attended.

During the Peninsular war the British Twelfth Royal Lancers Regiment plundered a convent. As a penance the authorities ordered that the regimental band play three tunes, the Vesper Hymn, Spanish Chant and Russian National Anthem, as soon as last post, 10 o'clock p. m., is sounded every night for 100 years. What was at that time imposed as a punishment is now looked upon as an honor, so much so that it is never omitted.

A farmer away down in Somerset County, Maryland, finds that his straw is worth more than his wheat. He produced 630 bushels of wheat on thirty-three acres, or about nineteen bushels to the acre, which at the price ruling when the calculation was made indicated for the crop a value of $12 per acre. His straw weighed two tons per acre, and was worth $8 per ton, or $16 per acre. The aggregate value of the grain was $403; of the straw, $528.

The Venice of Siam.

Bangkok is only one hundred years old, but it has over half a million of inhabitants. It has grown very rapidly, and is the largest town between Calcutta and Canton. It is surrounded by walls and canals. The town proper is on the left bank of the Menam, but vast suburbs prolong Bangkok to the right bank.

Canals traverse the city in all directions. It is only within the last few years that streets like those of Europe have been made along the river and in the vicinity. Nevertheless, the transit through the city is by water.

From a distance "The Venice of Siam"—which is larger and more elaborate than that of Italy—presents a most picturesque appearance. Vast pyramidal pagodas rise above the waters and the ships and the trees, embellished with mosaics which glitter like gold in the sun.

Houses of European construction are built on terra firma near the port. The royal palace is one of these, and is a fine edifice in the Italian style.

The native houses are nearly all sculptured and ornamented with pictures and leaves of gold. They line the banks on both sides the Menam. The legations and consulates—off which the French gunboats lie—are a little below Bang Kolem. Half the population of Bangkok consists of Chinese.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Not Taking Any Chances.

A certain judge in Chicago, who rather prides himself on his vast and varied knowledge of law, was compelled not long ago to listen to a case that had been appealed from a Justice of the Peace. The young practitioner who appeared for the appellant was long and tedious; he brought in all the elementary text-books and quoted the fundamental propositions of law. At last, the judge thought it was time to make an effort to hurry him up. "Can't we assume," he said, blandly, "that the court knows a little law itself?"

"That's the very mistake I made in the lower court," answered the young man; "I don't want to let it defeat me twice."—Argonaut.

A tunnel under the Thames at London was proposed in 1799; the first tunnel was finished in 1843.

How Is It Used.

A country town in one of our Middle States, in which is a sectarian college, was startled by the suicide of one of the college students. He had become a confirmed drunkard; and enfeebled in mind and body; conscious that his career in college was over, afraid to go home, in despair he sought death.

His brother was sent for to take the dead boy home. He found the President of the college, and said to him:

"My mother three years or more ago sent you her youngest son, her Benjamin. He was a healthy, honorable boy, who, when he left home, had never touched a drop of liquor. There is nothing to carry back to her but this poor diseased body. Who has done this? Who is guilty?"

The venerable president was deeply moved. "Not I," he said. "The faculty were interested in him. When he began to go astray they remonstrated with him. I pleaded with him. Every influence that we could exert was brought to bear. But he went down as if drawn by some invisible hand."

Whose was this hand?

As the dead boy was carried down the street, a pretty young girl looked out of a window of her home, and saw the hearse. She remembered how, nearly three years ago, vexed at his blindness to her charms and his eagerness for study, she had used all her little wiles to attract him; how she had succeeded; how mad he was in his admiration of her.

There was a club in the college composed of students of free social habits. At their late suppers wines were used, and stakes were played for at their card tables. She had urged him to join the club, and had praised their "manly" ways; their freedom from boyish restraints. "They were men of the world; she never could care for any man who had not seen life."

He had joined the club, and this was the result.

The silly, frivolous girl gave a sigh, and then laughed nervously. It was a pity! She had lost an admirer. But who was to blame? Not she. She knew other men of the world who would not be driven to suicide by a few glasses of liquor!

She went on her foolish, cruel way.

This is a true story, stripped of its worst details. In every college town there are young girls whose influence, unfortunately, is stronger over the students than that of their wisest and dearest friends. How do they use it?—Youth's Companion.

So Say We All.

Alphonse Karr, the gardener-poet, was present at a banquet given by the followers of Hahnemann, the founder of homeopathy.

Toasts were given to the health of one medical celebrity after another by different members of the company, till at last the president remarked:

"Monsieur Karr, you have not proposed the health of any one."

The poet rose and replied modestly, "I propose the health of the sick."

Bill Nye Observes.

An exchange comes to us with an article entitled "The Mormon Issue." From what we know of the Mormon issue it seems to be, as a general rule, red-headed and cross-eyed, and weighs about six pounds without clothes.

A scientific article asks, "Will the coming man use both arms?" That depends on whether the coming man's "mash" is a slim kind of a girl, or one of the stouter variety.—*St. Louis Magazine.*

Carl Pretzel's Philosophy.

It vas oney der amadoors now dot vinds der larboard vatch ub.

It dond vas efery crank dot durns der shweetest musicks out.

Der bar of public obinion vas der blace vhere dot imberial gin gwestion vas settled already.

Some all wool gloting should cofer der bare word of a goot many fellers yoost now.—*Chicago National.*

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ALMOST every one who isn't sixteen and pretty, looks very lonesome at times.

When Animals Are Removed.

When animals or plants are removed from their peculiar and natural districts to one entirely different in climate some surprising changes take place. As soon as possible after such removal they change their character and habits so as to conform with their new homes, or else cease to exist. A good wool-bearing sheep transferred from some northern pasture to the topics changes his coat to a thin covering of straggling hairs scarcely resembling wool; the dog becomes destitute of hair altogether, and even bees cease to lay up their stores of honey and in a great measure lose their industrious habits.—St. Louis Republic.

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