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Our Sympathies With Japan.

Philadelphia Public Ledger. Russia was one of the most prominent parties to the Peking treaty, and was solemnly bound by it to preserve the administrative entity and territorial integrity of the Chinese empire.

WHY DO WE DIE?

Vital statistics classified show the respiratory organs to be the feeble point in man. Diseases of the lungs are out of all proportion in fatality.

The Sharp Lawyer and the Average Jury.

It was announced a few days ago that a woman from Philadelphia, who had bought a ticket to Concord, N. C., on a train that does not stop there was put off at Salisbury and compelled to wait 21 minutes for a local train, whereupon she sued the Southern Railway Company and obtained a verdict for \$750 damages.

A RED HOT STOVE

Burns when you touch it, if you have Paracamp, First Aid to the Injured, handy and apply freely, the pain is relieved quickly, and it heals without leaving an ugly scar.

WHAT BALTIMORE LOST.

Fire Damages Believed to Be Less Than a Hundred Million.

Baltimore, Md., February 18.—It was learned from authoritative sources to-day that the tax assessments on the realty in the burned district were approximately twice as high as the assessments on the realty in the unburned district.

Mysterious Circumstance.

One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it.

The War.

Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

War in these days is a barbaric anachronism. Five arbitrators with a panel of a law court have settled in a few weeks, and at the cost of nothing more than a few thousand dollars, the whole question at issue in the Far East more justly than can be settled by war.

And so it is war. Very well; since it is war the people not concerned may as well glean what lessons they may from the terrific spectacle of what is sure to be the fiercest conflict of modern times.

The spectacle will be impressive beyond words for those who can see it even measurably in its entirety. It is the life of a nation of 40,000,000 people against the inexorable on-ward-creeper of Russian policy.

MOTHERS OF HENDERSON.

ARE YOUR CHILDREN THIN, PUNY AND AILING?

Vinol Will Make Them Strong, Robust and Rosy or We Return Your Money to You.

Is there a mother in Henderson who will ignore such a generous offer as this? You risk not one cent. We have for all the Vinol your child takes if it does not give satisfactory results.

There are plenty of children all around us who are thin, puny, ailing and tired all the time. Don't want to do this and don't want to do that. Do not blame the children; they have no strength, no blood, no vitality; rapid growth takes all their strength.

Vinol is just what your child needs. It is a delicious cod liver oil preparation, and children love it. It invigorates strength, makes rich, red blood and vitality, and nothing else can, and after a severe sickness there is nothing that will build your child up like Vinol.

The following letter is only one which we have received from hundreds of mothers in regard to what Vinol has done for their children.

Mrs. E. M. Oswald, of Mansfield, Ohio, writes: "My little daughter became so poorly that I was obliged to take her from school. She had no appetite, and I had tried all the time. We had tried several medicines without benefit, and I noticed your recommendation of Vinol. I decided to try it. She commenced to gain at once, and after taking three bottles, she is as well as ever; she has gained in flesh, rosy cheeks and good appetite, and is going to school every day."

We want to say to every mother in Henderson that Vinol will build your children up into strong, robust, healthy children. We have had nothing equal to it in our store for this purpose, and we will return your money if it fails.

WANTED—SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE in this county and adjoining territories, to represent an old established business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21.00 weekly, with expenses advanced. Monday by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address: Blue Brothers, 600 Union Bldg., Chicago, Ill. March 24.

MADE \$25,000. Big Pick Up by Fortunate Young People. "Money saved is money made," and on this basis a young man of 25,000 was made last year by the sale of his home.

A WONDERFUL SAVING. The largest Methodist Church in Georgia, calculated to use over one hundred gallons of the usual kind of mixed paint in painting their church.

They used only 32 gallons of the Longman & Martinez Paint mixed with 24 gallons of linseed oil. Actual cost of paint made was less than \$1.20 per gallon.

Saved over eighty (\$80.00) dollars in paint, and got a big donation besides. EVERY CHURCH will be given a liberal quantity whenever they paint.

Many houses are well painted with four gallons of L. & M., and three gallons of linseed oil mixed therewith. Walls and covers like gold.

Best Remedy for Blood and Skin Diseases. For eczema, pimples, dandruff and all skin diseases, use Hancock's Liquid Sulphur. In such cases as scale eczema and sores of any nature, when the skin becomes dry and harsh, you should use Hancock's Sulphur Ointment in connection with the Liquid. A few applications of Hancock's Liquid Sulphur will cure the worst cases of prickly heat.

At Your Service. Having been re-elected constable of Henderson township I respectfully announce my readiness to serve the public in my official capacity.

LAST SAD RITES.

Senator Hanna Laid to Rest in His Home City—Many Notable Personalities Present at the Obsequies—Immense Throngs of People Line the Streets Along the Route of Funeral Cortege—Business is Suspended as Mark of Respect.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 19.—The nation, State and home city of Senator Marcus A. Hanna bestowed upon him this afternoon its last honors. Funeral services over the remains of the dead statesman were held in St. Paul's Episcopal church shortly after the noon hour the casket was taken from the Chamber of Commerce auditorium and the funeral procession took up its slow march to the church two miles away.

At the head of the column rode a platoon of twelve mounted police, followed by three platoons of Troop A, all mounted on black horses, and with swords at carry. The hearse came next and was followed by 100 carriages, carrying the pall bearers and official guests, which included members of President Roosevelt's cabinet, Governor Herrick's staff, the delegations from the Senate and House of Representatives, city officials and delegations from several civic organizations.

When the body and its escort reached the church the edifice was closed to all except members of the funeral party. The pall bearers received the flowers of sympathy from the hearse and with bowed heads bore it into the church and placed it upon the catafalque in front of the altar. The casket was closely followed by members of the Hanna family, J. Pierpont Morgan, the New York financier, head of the family party and escorted Miss Phelps, a member of the Hanna household.

THE OFFICIATING CLERGY.

The body was met at the church door by the officiating clergymen—Right Rev. W. A. Leonard, bishop of Ohio; Dr. G. H. McCrew, rector of St. Paul's church; President W. F. Pierce, of Kenyon College, an institution which has been greatly benefited by Senator Hanna's liberality, and Rev. W. Jones, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, of which the dead man was a member, who spoke the usual sentences as the body was borne down the aisle.

The customary service was read and Bishop Leonard delivered an eloquent eulogy. The Bishop laid stress upon Mr. Hanna's integrity, purposefulness and service to humanity. Integrity, said the bishop, was a keynote in his life.

It is this word that is carved deep upon the stone that marks his long and useful business career. He was not only honest, but he was fair and just in his dealings. He was respected by every one in his employ. Each man of the hundreds that looked upon the silent procession these 24 hours there was always the clear, unshakable element of integrity. His field was an open one, and his methods were never belittling or degrading. He is an example to the young men of our country who would achieve in any department of endeavor.

HE WAS A PURPOSEFUL MAN.

"Then, too, he was a 'purposeful' man. He had definite objects in his life. He had aims to achieve, goals to reach, standards to attain. Clear visions, quick in his perceptions; his diagnosis of a situation was rapid and searching. And then when he had determined upon his duty he positively and persistently and patiently and fearlessly he moved towards its compassing. I think he would have disdained a mean, or an evil course."

And, finally, how true and tender of heart he was. He reached the highest level in life but it did not spoil him. His good heart was untouched by any canker of pride or arrogance. Would you see him among the laborers on the dock, among the workmen of the mills, among the Salvation Army people, among simple and plain folk you would find him cordial, hearty, wholesome and friendly. Do you not recognize the reality of this man's genial, general efforts in the silent procession these 24 hours? Ministers are offering while we worship here, the tribute that rebukes the noisy, shallow harangue which would inflame one class against another; and that tells the world of the reverence of the vast industrial army for a righteous man, a strong leader, a "righteous employer."

As a mark of respect for the dead business was abandoned from 12 to 2 o'clock throughout the city. For five minutes, from 1 o'clock to 1:05 o'clock, traffic on all the steam and electric roads was suspended. During a portion of that time people stood with bowed heads.

LOST HIS GRIP.

When a man has lost his grip on the affairs of life, he becomes incapable of performing the ordinary duties that business requires. Body languid, brain dull. His liver is out of order. Hydrene Liver Tablets are what he needs. One dose usually will, two always will restore normal condition of body and mind, and fit a man for the duties and pleasure of life again.

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CRYSTAL WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. John King of Suffolk, Va., Entertain in Honor of the 15th Anniversary of their Marriage.

Contributed. The Crystal Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. John King, recently celebrated in Suffolk, was one of the most brilliant social functions that has ever taken place in the State of Virginia.

This handsome home, on Main St., was artistically decorated for the occasion, the color motif throughout being green and white. The entire lower floor was thrown into one (by folding doors) and appeared an endless forest of palms, white electric chandeliers, tendrils of smilax and trailing cedar and blooming plants.

The Norfolk Orchestra, (whose leader was at one time a member of Queen Victoria's Band) discoursed its sweetest strains throughout the evening.

As the guests entered, the butler received cards in a silver waiter. Mrs. Alexander Baker and Mr. John Pinner received the guests in the hall and Mr. Pinner presented them to the receiving party as they stood under stately palms, in the front parlor, near a picturesque bay window with its lace drapery—Mr. and Mrs. King, the Hon. John Parker, of Franklin, Va.; Mrs. W. O. Shannon, of Henderson, N. C.; Rev. W. G. Parker, of Wakefield, Va.; Miss Leila Shannon, of Henderson, and Mrs. J. M. Coleman, of Manson, N. C.

Mrs. King was magnificently gowned in white crepe de chine and chiffon over taffeta, of palest green trimmings, diamonds; Mrs. Shannon, in black velvet (colonial style) with entire front of white satin embroidered in white and gold, diamonds; Miss Shannon, in white crepe de chine over taffeta, embroidered in pearls and opals; Mrs. J. M. Coleman white crepe de chine and lace over taffeta, diamonds.

Mrs. John Pinner, Mrs. Philips and Mrs. Bogue Slade, received the guests in the back parlor. Delightful fruit punch was served in the oriental hall, where Misses Kate Ashburn and Virginia Jordan presided most gracefully.

Mrs. L. H. Carr and Miss Julia Philips received the guests in the dining room. The decorations here were beautiful beyond description. White ribbons and smilax hung from the chandelier to the corners of the room, and in the center piece a magnificent vase of bride's roses and fern-tendrils of smilax wreathing the walls and doors. Little tables, with embroidered covers, were arranged around and at these the guests were seated and trained waiters served the delicacies of the season.

The ice cream was frozen into hearts of green and white pierced by silver arrows. The guests were next invited into the gift-room on second floor where three tables were laden with cut glass, one hundred and twenty-five pieces, from friends in New York, Washington, D. C., Norfolk, Portsmouth, Henderson, N. C., (Mrs. King's home formerly) and other places.

Noticeable among them a magnificent punch bowl with handsome silver handle given by a number of young men of Suffolk, a beautiful candleabra with pendants, splendid and costly cut glass bowls of every design, a creme de menthe set, a Bohemian nut bowl, a tall pitcher of unique design and a pink glass vase encased in an open work-design of silver.

After a most delightful evening the happy company separated, all wishing that their hospitable host and fair and charming hostess may live to celebrate their diamond wedding. Those present from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Coghill, Mrs. F. S. Harris, Mrs. W. O. Shannon, and Miss Leila Shannon, of Henderson, N. C.; Mrs. J. M. Coleman, of Manson, N. C.; Mrs. J. R. Harris and Mrs. Harris, of Mecklenburg, N. C.; C. C. Teague, of Fremont, N. C.; Hon. J. C. Parker, of Wakefield, Va.; Miss Leila Barham, of Newsoms; Mrs. Thomas Bogue Slade, of Hamilton, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Joyner, Mrs. M. E. Kitchen and Miss Kitchen, Miss Mary Etta King, Mrs. W. S. Holland and Mrs. M. E. Nelms, of Windsor, Va.; Mrs. L. H. Carr, Mrs. M. F. Harrell, and Miss Harrell, of Drivers, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Edwards and Miss Virginia Shen, of Portsmouth, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Montague Harris, Miss Carrie Watkins and Mr. McCarriek, of Norfolk, Va.

Your Tongue

If it's coated, your stomach is bad, your liver is out of order. Ayer's Pills will clean your tongue, cure your dyspepsia, make your liver right. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c. All druggists.

NOTICE OF SALE.

UNDER and BY VIRTUE OF THE power of sale conferred upon the undersigned and contained in a Deed in Trust executed by Allen Clark and Rebecca Clark on the 7th day of March, 1899, and recorded in Deed in Trust Book No. 19, Page 482, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Vance County for the purpose of securing the payment of the indebtedness therein mentioned, default having been made in the payment of the same, at the request of the holder of the same, will sell at the Court House door in Henderson, N. C., at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on

MONDAY, MARCH 22ND, 1904.

The property conveyed by said Deed in Trust, to-wit: A lot of land in Henderson, Vance County, N. C., bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the intersection of Tan Yard street and Richardson's Alley, thence along said Alley 50 feet, more or less, to J. M. Young's corner; thence South along Young's Alley line thence Eastward parallel with Richardson's Alley to Tan Yard street; thence Northward along Tan Yard street 70 feet to the place of beginning.

ANDREW J. HARRIS, Trustee.

\$25,000 Sewerage and Street Improvement Bonds of Henderson, N. C.

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Notice of Summons. NORTH CAROLINA, VANCE COUNTY. In Superior Court. Eliza Jefferson, vs. William Jefferson.

The defendant, William Jefferson, will take notice that the above entitled action was begun in the Superior Court of Vance County on 9th day of Feb., 1904, for a divorce from said Court, and said defendant is hereby required to appear before the Judge of said Court on the 23rd day of May, 1904, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said Court in said action.

HENRY PERRY, Clerk Superior Court of Vance County. This 9th day of Feb., 1904.

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