

SMUGGLING CHINESE INTO PHILIPPINES

Old Pastime With Orientals, and Still Continues, Says Manila Report

Smuggling of Chinese into the Philippines is an ancient and honorable pastime which has been practiced ever since the United States established its sovereignty here.

Recently, however, a new method of entry was exposed when it was discovered that two Chinese had come in on the same birth certificate, and they weren't Siamese twins either, says an International News report from Manila.

The First Time

The birth certificate contained the name of Francisco Siodico, the son of a Chinese father and a Filipino mother. As one of the parents was a Filipino, the possessor of the certificate was entitled to make a permanent residence here.

In 1918 the certificate was presented to customs officials and the bearer was allowed to enter. A few months later the certificate bobbed up again, in the hands of another Chinaman, and he too was allowed to take up his residence in the promised land of the Philippines.

Tell Authorities

Someone told the authorities about their mistake a few weeks ago and following an investigation the attorney general's office declared both men should be deported. On the grounds that they had lived here more than five years, which gave them legal right to remain, they are fighting the deportation order and present indications are that they will remain here.

To the underfed, underpaid Chinese laborer, the rich tropical lands of the Philippines look like the United States do to the worker in Southern Europe. To keep the Philippines for the Filipinos is one of the big problems in local administration.

North Shore Congregation Israel Christmas and Chanukah

Sermon by Rabbi Kopald.

"Christmas and Chanukah" is the title of the sermon to be delivered by Rabbi Louis J. Kopald next Sunday morning, Dec. 29 at 11 o'clock at North Shore Congregation Israel, Lincoln and Vernon avenues, Glencoe.

The sermon is suggested by the Christmas season and the Festival of Lights which the congregation is celebrating this week.

The general public is cordially welcomed.

Astronomers during the past several nights have been on the lookout for falling stars and shooting stars. We would think that the best place for this would be in the vicinity of Hollywood.

One newspaper has figured out that the average depreciation of a battleship is a million dollars a year. Some of them depreciate faster than that when they get into battle.

Remember the good old days when you could go into a restaurant and get a crockful of baked beans and all the catsup you could drink for a nickel?

GRADE SEPARATION HEARING ON JAN. 15

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The cities interested are working together for the common good in this matter and already have an efficient working organization in which each of the towns along the route is adequately represented. Their plan is to present to the commerce commission a mass of evidence to show that the safety of life and property is endangered at all times by the existing conditions, and many specific instances of serious and fatal injuries at grade crossings in this territory will be offered, it is planned, to substantiate this position.

To Work Together

It is understood that the railroad companies are willing to co-operate in this project in as far as is reasonable and feasible, and the idea is that by working together a plan may be evolved whereby the menace of grade crossings may be forever eliminated from the shore line cities. It is admitted by all who have studied the matter that this will take time, probably years, to work out but all interested in the proposed improvement are confident that a workable plan will be eventually agreed upon.

Step in Right Direction

The feeling is that this goal will never be reached unless an earnest effort is made to start the project off in the right way, and it is believed that the work preliminary to the hearing before the state commission on January 15 has been well done, and that the hearing will mark a distinct step in the direction desired.

The assistance of all local citizens and organizations is being asked by the groups working on the proposition in the several cities interested with a view to eventually carrying out the project to the mutual advantage of the communities and the railroads affected.

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Wheat crops take 2,250,000 tons of fertilizer out of the soil annually, which at the prevailing price of 20 cents a pound is worth \$900,000,000.—Farm & Fireside.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE
SPECIAL WARRANT NUMBER 341
Public Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lake County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for a special assessment upon property benefited by the following improvement: The construction of a reinforced concrete pavement with concrete combined curb and gutter and the necessary storm drainage in Ridge Road, Clavey Road, Eastview Road, Sumac Road, Ridgelee Road, Old Briar Road, Poplar Road, Balsam Road and Blossom Court in the City of Highland Park, Lake County, Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office. That the warrant for collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the Collector's Office, City Hall, corner Green Bay Road and Central Avenue, Highland Park, Illinois, within thirty (30) days from the date thereof.

Notice is further given that the said assessment is divided in ten (10) installments. That the amount of the first installment is \$17,185.98 and that each of the remaining installments is \$17,185.88. That all installments draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from December 2, 1929. The first installment is payable on the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1930.

The second installment one year thereafter and so on annually until all installments are paid.

FRED W. RURLY,
City Collector

Dated at Highland Park, Illinois, this 26th day of December, 1929.

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