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BROADBRIM'S

Letter From Greater New York.

THE ONLY HOLIDAY

IN THE OLDEN DAYS WAS FOURTH OF JULY.

The Battles on That Day—Six Hundred Pistols of Celebrators of the Fourth Confiscated—A Sad Day For the Tenderloin.

Special Correspondence, Letter No. 1,521.

New York, July 13.—I recollect, long years ago, when the Fourth of July was the only holiday of the year; one single act stood out bold and clear, and that was the declaration of independence, the act of consecrating the individual colonies to liberty for all time. It was perfected by an earnest band of patriots in a quiet room, each member representing an independent state. Great as was their patriotism and earnest their love of freedom, there was not a single member of that great body, not even Thomas Jefferson, who thought of forming a consolidated nation, and it took eleven years of suffering and bitter experience, for the thirteen units that proclaimed independence to realize that the compact that held them together was only a rope of sand.

After seven years of suffering, oscillating between victory and defeat, peace was proclaimed, in 1783, and it took our forefathers five years to realize that unless a stronger compact could be formed and the thirteen independent colonies should become a grand consolidated nation, their fate would be infinitely worse than when they left the protection of the mother land. In 1787 the constitutional convention was convened and a united republic proclaimed, but there were several members that clung to the idea of state independence, and it was this idea coupled with slavery that caused the war of the rebellion.

Forty-three years ago, on the Fourth of July, our soldiers were busy on the blood-bought field of Gettysburg, giving aid to the wounded and burying the dead. Fifty-five thousand federal and confederate soldiers had consecrated the green sward of that beautiful spot with their heart's best blood to freedom for all time and announced the death knell to slavery in the republic forevermore.

The scene that met the eye on every side was one of indescribable ruin. The dying and dead were everywhere; broken gun-carriages and dismounted cannon were silent and terrible witnesses of the tremendous three days' battle, when the fearful roar of three hundred pieces of artillery seemed to shake the globe from its circumference to its centre, presenting to the eye of the wondering gazer a picture more like Dante's "Inferno" than anything ever seen on the earth before.

It was just after high noon when two sharp shots from the confederate lines announced the beginning of the final struggle, on the third day of the battle which virtually decided the fate of the war; for over an hour, a hundred and fifty cannon had been pouring a deadly storm of shot and shell all along the union lines; Gen. Lee had calculated that this terrible attack would demoralize Gen. Mead's army and render it incapable of successful resistance. He would then make a desperate charge with 17,000 men, who had taken no part in the fighting of the previous two days, but were held in reserve for the last desperate assault which was to decide the battle. Gen. Pickett led the assault in person; he had no doubt of the victory. Already he could hear the shouts of his victorious battalions as they scattered the union hosts and his name would be emblazoned on history's page! Alas! for the decrees of fate, instead of a successful chief at the head of a victorious army, crushed, defeated, broken hearted, leaving nearly five thousand of the troops he lead so proudly to battle, wounded or dead, on the field of glory, he staggered back to the confederate lines, his name never again to be heard as a potent factor during the war.

But Gettysburg was not the only confederate disaster and union victory on July 4th, 1863. Far away in the southland on the bank of the Mississippi, Gen. Pemberton marched his starving army out of Vicksburg and surrendered that famous stronghold to Gen. Grant; verily, verily, the royal people of the north had every reason to return thanks to the Almighty for the glorious July day, and to make the welkin ring with the grand anthem of "Glory to God in the Highest."

All the great commanders that led our armies to victory in the time of the republic's deadliest peril have paid the debt of nature which we all must pay and we hope have gone to their reward. The rank and file that was their main support grow less with the passing years and with each returning Independence day I miss many faces which I saw on the previous year and the sharp warning tells me I must soon join the departing host. The celebration of independence day in New York was the quietest that this city has seen for many years.

The torrid heat of the early portion of the week drove three or four hundred thousand away to the seashore or the mountains but the youthful patriot who succeeds in making everyone miserable with giant firecrackers and old revolvers and kept up a fusilade all through the day till the stock was exhausted and the shades of night were falling. The arrests for discharging firearms in the street resulted in enriching the treasury several hundred dollars and nearly six hundred pistols were confiscated by the police department and the sorrowing owners consider themselves lucky in getting off, even without their guns. Only one woman was arrested for firing pistols in the street. The judge remarked, "Madam, I shall have to fine you ten dollars just as I have the men," "Its all right judge," the lady replied as she slipped a $10 gold piece into the hand of the clerk, "I think it is cheap for I had about $20 worth of fun."

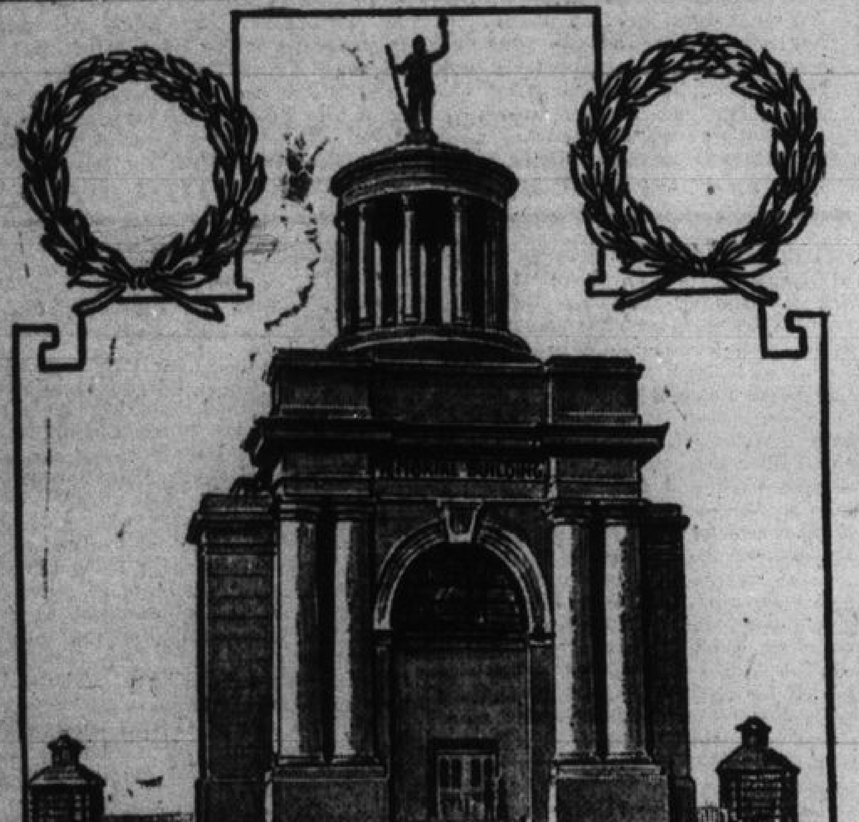
The crowd that sought refuge at Coney Island was simply appalling. You have heard of the locusts in Egypt that devoured everything in sight; notwithstanding the ample preparation which had been made, the hungry crowd created a famine. The larders of the different hotels looked as if they had been swept by a cyclone; everything eatable and drinkable had vanished and along towards midnight the hungry and thirsty crowd departed from the beach whistling sorrowfully, "There is no Place Life Home."

Sunday was a sad day in the Tenderloin. Captain O'Brien, who has just been appointed to take charge of that wicked precinct notified all the saloons that they must shut up tight at twelve o'clock on Saturday night, and not open until Monday. All the police were notified that they must see that the order was obeyed, and if any policeman neglected his duty he would find himself in trouble. The result was that every saloon in the Tenderloin district was shut up tight as a drum.

Politics are getting quite lively in New York, the object being to make William Jennings Bryan, the next democratic presidential candidate. Tom Johnson of Cleveland, will be the god-father to the reception which is to be given to Mr. Bryan when he arrives in New York. It is said that the dinner will only be $10 a plate, but even if it were twenty the money would not be wanting.

I see by the will of Dan Lamont, who was Cleveland's secretary of war who died a short time ago, that he left a fortune of nearly six millions of dollars. Ours is a land of great opportunities; ten or fifteen thousand dollars was the amount of Mr. Lamont's fortune twenty years ago; five or six millions is the comfortable sum which is left to his widow and children.

—BROADBRIM.



The Soldiers', Sailors' and Pioneers' Monument, erected by public contribution in Hamilton, O., dedicated on July 4th with appropriate ceremonies. It is a magnificent monument and will be an ornament to the city of Hamilton.

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DIVORCES ARE EASY

AND MARRIAGE IS REGARDED AS A FARCE.

French "Reformers" Submit to Chamber of Deputies Drastic Law on Subject—Separation at Will.

Paris, July 14.—The French Marriage Reform League, after numerous committee meetings and many months of deliberation, has decided to lay before the Chamber of Deputies the draft of a bill reforming the existing marriage laws.

The proposed reforms are of a most drastic character, and may be said to begin and end in the divorce court. Women are to be placed on an equal footing with men, and divorce, which is to be made easy for both sexes, will be granted under two separate headings.

In the first place, a clause in the draft provides for a divorce for some specific reason. Drunkenness, insanity and sentence to penal servitude for criminal offence are to be added to the legal reasons for which a divorce can be granted.

On the other hand, the existing law which provides that a wife may obtain a divorce for ill-treatment would be abolished under the proposed reforms, so that h s husband, presumably, could beat his wife persistently without the wife being able to get a divorce.

The most striking suggestion, however, is that a divorce should be granted without any apparent reason, provided that both parties make a formal legal request for divorce and persist in this request for a period of two years. In all such cases, however, two years must elapse before the decree is made absolute.

The reformers go so far as to propose that after his probationary period of two years a divorce may be granted without any specific reason on the application of either one of the parties, even should the other party be opposed to the decree.

Needless to say, these proposals are the subject of much criticism, because under such a law no marriage would be absolutely binding for a longer period than two years.

BULL WITH MEMORY.

Strange Case of Animal's Vindictiveness.

A strange case is reported from an Austrian village of a bull's vindictiveness. A peasant named Eger had sold the animal a few days previously to the parish, and it was grazing in a field, when it suddenly became furious, rushed through the streets and entered the house of its former owner. Here it attacked one of the boys, and on the father coming to his assistance the bull chased him out into the road, and round and round a small chapel. Catching him at last, it impaled him on its horns, and dashed him against the wall, killing him on the spot. Directly after having done so, it trotted back to its stall, and allowed itself to be tethered quite quietly. It is supposed that the man must have maltreated the beast formerly, but such an instance of bovine rancor is unique, reminding one of the stories of vindictive elephants.

Wanted—A Farmer's Wife.

Aint got no use for "modern" gals,
whose heads are full of knowledge;
Who've studied Greek an' Latin, too, in
some great female college;
I don't care nothin' 'bout their French
an' nothin' 'bout their dancin—
The fact on 't is, I don't believe in
kickin' 'round an' prancin'—
An' while, of course, I'd like a wife
that folks would call good-lookin',
One thing I will be sure on first—she
must be good at cookin'.

Now don't you think that I'm agin
good, honest education,
For that, I know, has made us beat out
ev'ry nation;
An' I would like a wife who's got the
finifies of learnin'
S'long's it doesn't spoil her for cookin'
an' for churnin';
The trouble is, these high-toned things
have set their heads half crazy.
An' when it comes to common work
they're downright soft and lazy.

Excuse me, gals, I want a wife who's
good an' kind an' tender,
An' one who aint ashamed a man
should shield her an' defend her.
None of your "modern beauties" who
sleep away the mornin'
An' then come down to help their ma,
'bout half awake an' yawnin'.
A gal of the old-fashioned sort, strong,
rosy-cheeked an' willin'—
I reckon if there's such a one I'm just
about her shillin'.

What Is A Gentleman?

Washington Post.

Among the Persians at the time of Cyrus the boys were taught to ride, to speak the truth, and to draw the bow. That meant manliness, truthfulness and courage, all essential to the character of a gentleman. The knights of chivalry, who were the gentlemen of their time, added the duty of rescuing the oppressed and distressed and this completed the ideal by teaching unselfishness and service. If a boy is taught to be always self-respecting, courageous and truthful and invariably considerate, not outwardly but as the expression of true kindliness of spirit, of the rights and feelings of others he will grow up, whether he be rich or poor, a professional man or a laborer, to have the right to claim not by any artificial distinction but in his own right, with all that it implies, "the grand old name of gentleman."

Love In Real Life.

Hartford Courant.

If a novelist ended a story the way a real life love story has ended in Providence, R.I., the women would say, "How unnatural." Twenty years ago W. R. Smith married an eighteen-year-old girl. He was fifty-three years old at the time. They have now two grown up children and Mrs. Smith has fallen in love with a young man by the name of Alexander Estay. Mr. Smith, instead of making a fuss over it, talked it over with his wife and her lover. He said he was seventy-three years old and wanted a home; that if they were bound to love each other he would secure a divorce, but wanted to make his home with them. They agreed and all live in the same house. The father is devoted to his children and his wife is devoted to her new husband.

In some of the public schools of Germany the pupils are compelled to learn to ride a bicycle.

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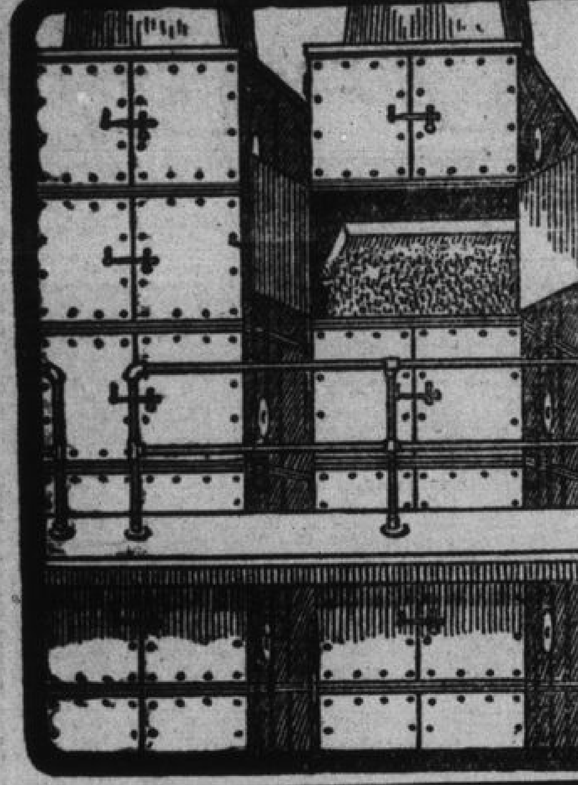

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CURIOUS CONTRAST.

White House of To-Day and Century Ago Present It.

Youth's Companion.

The White House of to-day, with its recent scenes of luxury, offers a curious contrast to the executive mansion of a hundred years ago. After reading the accounts of the wedding decorations in honor of the president's daughter, one is interested to see what Mrs. Adams, the president's wife, says of the dwelling in 1800:

"The White House is built on a grand and superb scale. It takes thirty servants to attend to the work. One serious lack is that there are no bells in this great castle. Another is that there is no large yard in which to hang clothes, and they have to be dried in the large audience room. There are not enough the house, and there are no looking glasses but dwarfs. Tea-parties have become very expensive. Not only tea, but coffee, negus cake and sweetmeats are presented."

Life in those days was on a simpler and homelier plan than now. Imagine a diplomatic caller of the present finding family wash flapping about in the audience room! The big automobile that carried the newly married couple of the other day away from the White House, would not have found such easy going in those good old times. In the heart of the city the wheels of the gilded carriages rolled through or stuck in the mud.

"I went to call," writes one Washingtonian, "and my carriage sank up to the axletrees. It had to be dragged out and scraped to remove the mud and slush, which stuck like glue."

The Rev. Mannasseh Cutler, dining with the president, reports a menu consisting of fried eggs and fried beef, turkeys, ducks and rounds of beef, and a "new foreign dish of macaroni." There was also a "new kind of pudding, very light and covered with cream sauce," which took the good old parson's fancy.

In 1809 the White House was refurnished "splendidly," at an expense of $5,000.

TO STOP TONGUE LOLLING

Plan to Prevent This Disagreeable Habit.

A disagreeable habit that some horses have is lolling out their tongues. J. S. Carter gives his plan for stopping this practice, as follows:

Take a strip of good stiff metal, such as tin or sheet iron, six or seven inches long and three and a half inches wide. At one end of this cut out a strip in the middle about three inches long and a half-inch wide, or just wide enough to slip down over the bit. I have used this and it worked like a charm. One or two small holes are punched in the solid end of the strip to hold it to the cheek piece of the bridle. This end may be covered.

How To Cure Insomnia.

There are several common sense ways of obtaining sleep. One of these is the application of cold wet cloths to the back of the head and neck. This treatment will not be followed by a reaction if it is continued for a number of minutes, and it often works surprisingly well. Another way of solving the problem is to soak the feet in a hot bath until the veins become dilated with blood; or the whole body up to the hips may be given a hot soak. With some people a two or three minute hip bath is the most effective remedy. Others find help in a few slow exercises which do not jar or excite the system, but simply bring some fatigue to the big muscles of the trunk and limbs. Friction of the skin, especially of the lower part of the body, is another means.

Cannot Understand It.

Pearson's Weekly.

When I was 10 and you were 8,
Two years between us stood:
We used to meet by Daddy's gate—
A stolen kiss was good.

When I was 20—quite a boy,
You still were my heart's queen,
But grown of kissing something coy,
You see—you're quite 16!

When I was 30, bronzed and tall,
With sweethearts, too, in plenty,
I met you at the Wilsons' ball—
You told me you were 20.

I'm 40 now, a little more—
Oh, Time, you ruthless bandit!
But you—you're only 24—
I cannot understand it!

Big Benevolent Bequest.

Probably one of the largest benevolent bequests recorded in any country during modern times has fallen to the lot of Hungary by the will of the late Count A. Karolyi. The count was seventy-five years of age, and he left no direct descendants. He had also been one of the most enterprising supporters of modern methods of scientific agriculture in Hungary. By his will he bequeathed a sum of $6,000,000 for philanthropic objects.

Robert Lipsett, born in Bally Shannon, in 1820, is dead in Brockville. He was an Anglican, and was a militiaman in earlier years.

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