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By WALTER WINCHELL

**By Central Press**  
New York.—An interesting commentary on Boston music lovers concerns Heifetz, who was urged to serve as a guest player with the Boston Symphony crew. He asked for \$5,000, but when they reminded him that it was just as much of an honor to play with them he agreed to do it for \$1,000, which, by the way, he turned over to a charity.

His appearance brought a roof-lifting ovation and his solo was cheered. Later, in the green room, over 100 Boston music devotees collected to fawn over him, but when they recognized Mrs. Heifetz (Florence Vidor, the movie star) the very great violinist and the classics were forgotten.

**SHOW SHOP TALK**  
Two old-timers were gabbing about the theater at the Players' club, according to Leon Errol. "I wonder," queried one of the veteran actors, "where the good old ten, twenty and thirty has gone to." "It's gone up to \$3.85" was the retort bitter.

**HAWK**  
The belly-laugh of a recent New Yorker was in Alex Woolcott's summary of dramatic critics who have been barred by theater managers. Woolcott related the incident in a small New England town concerning a critic who was barred by the local theater impresario. New plays came so infrequently that the critic had to take a daytime job at his other specialty, which was plumbing.

So, when his critical duties prolonged spree of civil war. J. J. Mantell, an American engineer, has been engaged to survey the 7,000 miles of Chinese railroads and to propose plans for new equipment, shop machinery, etc. China is worth the attention of the western world. One reads that reverence it gained supreme power in China, the Nationalist government has been active in commissioning American experts to advise it. Those who already have been engaged to help in the wreckage of 15 years of civil war include Dr. Edward Walter Kemmerer, professor of economics in Princeton university, who, with a large staff, arrived in Shanghai in February to advise on currency reform; Henry Killam Murphy, architect, who is to draw plans for modernizing Nanking, the Nationalist capital; and Ernest Goodrich, seaport engineer, who is to draft plans for constructing in the Pearl river, at Canton, a harbor for ocean liners.

**CHINA AWAKE AND SOBER**  
China is sobering up after the

**A SEVERE LESSON**  
A play called "Poison Gas Over Berlin" has been shown in the German capital. Some of the newspapers declared it was treason to show the drama. It depicts the horrors of poison gas in the next war. It is propaganda against the use of this deadly weapon. There ought to be more plays like that, and they might well be shown in the theaters of all nations. It is time the people were taught less about the glories of war and more about its horrors.

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