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Ice water guzzling can be overdone.

Summer life is one long, sweet ice cream.

Say, now, aren't these the days you wanted two weeks ago?

The air will be free for a year, the courts decide. Save your air!

Aviation is rapidly becoming the nation's favorite outdoor sport.

Boiled down, the hot weather advice calls for temperance in all things.

As a matter of fact, it is generally supposed to be warm at this season of the year.

It is the duty of the law to punish the man who is not now merciful to his beast.

Whenever invented the hobble skirt must have had an awful grudge against womankind.

Peoria wants to borrow \$5,000,000. There are others but they haven't the nerve to mention it.

There are some knotty problems that will have to remain unsolved until the hot wave passes.

Going shopping for porch furniture and bathing suits seems worth while even on the hottest day.

New York persists in the thought that it is a world's fair in itself. It has all the sideshows, anyway.

Though the aeroplane could not conduct a war all by itself it could give the enemy a severe nervous chill.

If the world were your oyster would you open it now or wait until the oyster season begins next September?

King George must be a deliberate ruler. He hasn't even discharged a fourth-class postmaster since he went into office.

Robins are reported to be eating all the cherries in York state. That is probably what the robins think they are there for.

Prof. Schiaparelli, who discovered the canals on Mars, is dead without ever having had a chance to explore them in a motor boat.

That chauffeur who inherited \$1,500,000 must have felt almost as happy as when he reads his taximeter after an all-day shopping excursion.

Expert opinion seems to be that a woman who wears a hobble skirt looks like the sort of a woman who would wear the fool thing.

Two prisoners in the jail at Coopers-town, N. Y., sawed their way to freedom with a razor blade. That kind of razor blade is common enough.

With great tact the Minneapolis committee in charge of the International convention for the prevention of smoke entertained the delegates at a banquet instead of a smoker.

A New Jersey man convicted and about to die in the electric chair upbraided his attorney for "butting in" and saving him from death. The man probably always has lived in New Jersey, and scarcely could be blamed for being disappointed when escape was in sight.

The anti-kissing crusade has progressed to the point where friends and relatives will be asked not to kiss brides, and fathers and mothers not to kiss their babies. But the kissing of brides and babies was done long before sanitary osculation crusades were thought of, and is apt to survive them.

If women are to be kept on the farm, farm life must be made less burdensome and more attractive to women. The conditions which result in farmers' wives figuring first on the list in the statistics of insanity are not calculated to develop rural life at its best. Improve the motherhood of any section of the country and the section will improve itself.

Sooner or later most of them come here. There have been many princes and potentates among visitors to the United States, and now Maharajah Sir Sayaji III, Gaskwar of Baroda, India, has started for New York and Boston. The Gaskwar is renowned as the richest of the Princes of Hindustan, but is also credited with being an enlightened and progressive ruler. And as he has a son who is a student in Yale University it is evident that he has imbibed some American ideas.

New Jersey woman, married on what she thought was her deathbed, wants a divorce. It seems that "the funeral baked meats did coldly furnish forth the marriage table."

The raising of a twenty-two story building in New York City in rumpo room on valuable ground for a structure that will make adequate return on an investment of \$275 per square foot in the site shows that economic conditions must be closely studied by property owners who make improve-ments.

WELCOME THE ISSUE

REPUBLICANS EAGER FOR BATTLE OF BALLOTS.

Splendid Record of the Party in Power Makes Certain the Verdict That Will Be Returned by the Voters.

Champ Clark brought "glad tidings of great joy" to the Tammany braves July 4, predicting with typical Democratic fervor of a stump speech on Independence day, that victory would certainly "perch" on the banners of the Democratic party not only in the congressional election this fall, but in the "main event" two years hence. The Democrats have chosen for their slogan in these campaigns "The administration's extravagance, the tariff and the trusts." On either or all of these issues the Republicans have by far the better of it and will "out-class, out-fight and out-last" the opposition, if the voters have anything approaching ability to weigh facts and vote accordingly.

If the Taft administration has accomplished anything at all it has been substantial reductions in the operating expenses of the government. This is a tremendously big country, with lots of people working in it. The nation's "cost of living" is constantly rising. In the very nature of things. Not even the opposition of the Democrats can keep the country from expanding. It is a billion dollar country and the appropriations of the session of congress just closed were not abnormally large or greatly in excess of those for recent sessions. The cry of national extravagance is not substantiated by the facts.

On the tariff issue the Republicans should win as easily as Johnson. The Democracy cannot "come back." It was able to knock out Blaine and Harrison and Cleveland and exhibited something like championship form. But the Democracy cannot stand the adversity which it always brings, combined with the prosperity which Republicanism—real Republicanism, that is to say—always affords. The "glad tidings" based on the hope of winning on the tariff issue will look like some of the predictions of the high brow fight experts just before the late unpleasantness.

As to the trusts, if the people want more done to them than has already been done, they would better vote the Debs ticket straight. The Republicans have achieved results. The Democracy has a choice assortment of weird, rabid theories which would, if put into practice, do no particular damage to the trusts beyond what would be involved in the general demoralization, if not destruction, of the whole industrial system of the country. At times the Republican policies have verged on the dangerous and in some instances have actually crossed the line. But on the whole the severe but relatively conservative treatment of the problem has accomplished enough practical good to satisfy the demands of all but the most drastic radicals.

President Taft's Source of Strength.

It is said that Mr. Taft has obtained a large part of the legislation that he wished, and this is due in great part to a quiet insistence on his part rather than to the exhibition of strength or the use of more dictatorial methods than he has pursued. In making this comment upon Mr. Taft's history up to this time in the White House, undoubtedly a fact has been stated, but we shall lose the point of it entirely if we do not go beyond and see what the conclusion is that we are to draw. It is, namely, that the result of Mr. Taft's methods shows what is gradually dawning upon the world, that the least important force is that known as physical, whether in its coarser or more refined forms, and that the clumsy methods of noise and overbearing display of strength must always yield before an idea, provided that idea be good. It is not Mr. Taft's idea or anybody's idea of right that wins, but it is the idea itself that wins and carries us forward.—Christian Science Monitor.

Credit Belongs to President.

When Mr. Taft's administration opened he said unequivocally that it would be an administration run with due regard to the government's income. Almost his first executive actement was concerned with the establishment of a business system in the departments through which money could be saved to the people by foresight and strict economies. For the first time he approximated the idea of the English budget in outlining a common financial policy for the different cabinet members.

Thus it is to the president as well as to the secretary of the treasury that the credit for the year-end surplus must go. And coming, as it does, right on top of the unprecedented long list of legislative triumphs of the administration, it must give another fillip to the upward turn in the president's popularity.

The working of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law is a vindication of the wisdom of President Taft, who signed it not as the best tariff law ideally possible, but as the best which has been enacted so far in the history of the United States.

If the Democratic party could get Mr. Bryan off on a trip to the jungles of Africa to outdo "Teddy," if possible, there would be some chance to elect a Democratic president in his absence.—Accomac (Va.) News.

UNFAIR TO AMERICAN WORKER

Democratic Policies Would Mean Subjecting Them to Ruinous Competition.

China is threatening to repeat what has been done in Japan in the way of manufacturing for export. Shanghai has eight large cotton mills in which are employed over 30,000 Chinese at spinning and weaving. In one mill 1,000 persons are employed in day and night shifts, the children earning about four cents a day, and the wages of adults averaging no higher than 20 cents a day. Modern machinery is being imported from foreign countries and Chinese operators are said to be quick to learn. The Chinese will soon make a good deal of their own cotton goods, as, in fact, they do now. The United States has lost a good deal of its Chinese trade as a result of unfair Japanese competition. England is suffering to a less extent in the same way. The Chinese are sending pig iron to the Pacific coast, and will no doubt be sending cotton and other products in time if not kept out by efficient protection to industries in this country. American workmen cannot compete in point of wages with either Japanese or Chinese. Japanese workmen produce large quantities of rugs that are now sold in the United States, the work on which costs in Japan only two or three cents a day. This takes bread out of the mouths of American workmen, but that is the kind of competition the Democrats want to subject American workmen to by the reduction or removal of tariff duties.

The Tariff and High Prices.

It continues to be very hard to make the theory fit the facts in the contention that the tariff is responsible for high prices and for increased inability of the people to buy commodities. The inquiry by the United States senate committee has not gone far, but it has been sufficient to make it very embarrassing for Democrats who have "laid it all to the tariff." Full opportunity has been given to examine witnesses, and yet, says a Washington dispatch, in no single instance has a witness been found who ascribed increased prices, except in certain luxuries, including champagne, to the tariff. And the drift of foreign trade under the new law has been equally confusing to the Democratic argument. The dispatch says: "The imports for the nine months ending with March show an increase of \$235,300,000 over the same period of the preceding year, and yet most of the articles on which the tariff was lowered show a falling off. Tea and coffee, both on the free list, have both fallen off, while cocoa, on which the duty was reduced, has fallen off \$1,000,000 in nine months. Lemons, under an increased duty, show an increase of \$200,000. Silk dress goods, with a decreased duty, show a decrease of \$1,000,000, and the importation of champagne, on which the duty was materially increased, has jumped for the nine months from \$3,900,000 to \$5,900,000." Inexorable truth is a great demolisher of free-trade fustian.

Surplus Instead of Deficit.

The end of the first fiscal year in which Secretary Franklin MacVeagh has been in charge of the United States treasury shows that there is a surplus of \$9,462,432 in the year's ordinary receipts and expenditures. This is a record that was absolutely unexpected a year ago, when the deficit in the same items ran to \$58,734,955.

The average citizen avoids treasury statistics as consistently as possible. They have so many strings and cross-strings to them that it often takes a financial mind to find out what they really mean. Thus this \$9,462,432 surplus is not an actual surplus, as the expenditures on which it is based did not include the large sums paid out for the Panama canal. With these payments included there is a real deficit of \$25,884,644, but figuring the same way it was \$118,795,926 last year. It is legitimate finance to leave the Panama payments out of the current expenditure column, because they are but temporary disbursements for which the treasury is to be reimbursed by a bond issue.

Whichever way the figures are taken, however, Mr. MacVeagh has made a wonderful record. And in it one more of the president's promises is redeemed.

The Linen Industry.

Mr. Pogue, in an address delivered before the Franklin Institute in Philadelphia, called attention to the fact that this country burns 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 tons of flax fiber each year after extracting \$50,000,000 of linseed oil and cake. The straw that is burned if manufactured into fiber would be worth \$60,000,000. Here is an opening for a great industry in this country. There is no linen industry to amount to much at the present time but in time, if sufficiently protected, such an industry will be created here that will give employment to thousands of American workmen and produce in this country the linen which is now imported.

The people are just now beginning to recognize how great a man President Taft really is. He is growing in favor and strength. He has both the modesty of Lincoln and much of his quiet effectiveness, and if he continues as he has thus far done, he will stand exceptionally high in public estimation at the close of his official term.

The tariff has nothing to do with the high prices of foodstuffs; there have been practically the same rates of advance in Canada as in this country.—Steubenville (Ohio) Herald.

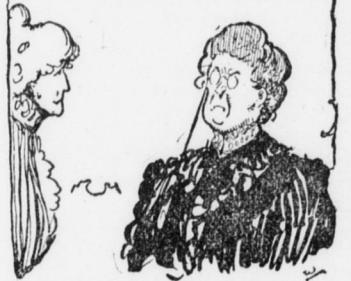
WEAK KIDNEYS WEAKEN THE WHOLE BODY.

No chain is stronger than its weakest link. No man is stronger than his kidneys. Overwork, colds, strains, etc., weaken the kidneys and the whole body suffers. Don't neglect the slightest kidney ailment. Begin using Doan's Kidney Pills at once. They are especially for sick kidneys.

Mrs. George LaJole, 162 W. Gamble St., Caro, Mich., says: "I had lost in flesh until I was a mere shadow of my former self and too weak to stand more than a few minutes at a time. My rest was broken and my nervous system shattered. Had Doan's Kidney Pills not come to my attention, I firmly believe I would be in my grave. They cured me after doctors had failed."

Remember the name—Doan's. For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

THE LIMIT.



Landlady—Mr. Hall Room is about the meanest man I ever met.
Mrs. Slowpay—What's the trouble?
Landlady—Wants me to reduce the price of his board because he's lost two teeth.

SCRATCHED SO SHE COULD NOT SLEEP

"I write to tell you how thankful I am for the wonderful Cuticura Remedies. My little niece had eczema for five years and when her mother died I took care of the child. It was all over her face and body, also on her head. She scratched so that she could not sleep nights. I used Cuticura Soap to wash her with and then applied Cuticura Ointment. I did not use quite half the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, together with Cuticura Resolvent, when you could see a change and they cured her nicely. Now she is eleven years old and has never been bothered with eczema since. My friends think it is just great the way the baby was cured by Cuticura. I send you a picture taken when she was about 18 months old.

"She was taken with the eczema when two years old. She was covered with big sores and her mother had all the best doctors and tried all kinds of salves and medicines without effect until we used Cuticura Remedies. Mrs. H. Kiernan, 663 Quincy St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 27, 1909."

Judges' Wigs.

The wig is only worn by English barristers to give them a stery judicial appearance, and no one can say that it falls in this respect. The custom was originated by a French judge in the seventeenth century when, happening to don a marquis' wig one day, he found it gave him such a stern and dignified appearance that he decided to get one for himself and wear it at all times in court. This he did, and the result was so satisfactory from a legal point of view, that not only judges, but barristers, also, took up the custom throughout Europe.

A Protection Against the Heat.

When you begin to think it's a personal matter between you and the sun to see which is the hotter, buy yourself a glass or a bottle of Coca-Cola. It is cooling—relieves fatigue and quenches the thirst. Wholesome as the purest water and lots nicer to drink. At soda fountains and carbonated in bottles—5c everywhere. Send 2c stamp for booklet "The Truth About Coca-Cola" and the Coca-Cola Baseball Record Book for 1910. The latter contains the famous poem "Casey At The Bat," records, schedules for both leagues, and other valuable baseball information compiled by authorities. Address The Coca-Cola Co., Atlanta, Ga.

A Real Argument.

They were talking about argument, not in the abstract, but as applying to domestic happiness. "What do you think is the most unanswerable argument you ever heard?" one bachelor asked a married man.
"That's very easy," he replied.
"When your wife says, 'If they can afford it, we can,' there is no flaw in that—and never will be."—Youth's Companion.

Elbert Hubbard on Suffering. Elbert Hubbard, editor of the Philistine, says: "Most of the suffering in this life comes from too much work, or too little." He could have left off that "too little," and he would have left it off had he referred to wash-day suffering. There has been too much work on wash day for the women, but now we have Easy Task soap that does the work easily, quickly, cleanly and surely—and does half the work all by itself. It is the cleanest, purest, white laundry soap made and sold at five cents a cake.

Freedom doesn't always bring happiness, but you'll notice that it is the best dog that howls.

WANTS HER LETTER PUBLISHED

For Benefit of Women who Suffer from Female Ills

Minneapolis, Minn.—"I was a great sufferer from female troubles which caused a weakness and broken down condition of the system. I read so much of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for other suffering women I felt sure it would help me, and I must say it did help me wonderfully. My pains all left me, I grew stronger, and within three months I was a perfectly well woman."

"I want this letter made public to show the benefit women may derive from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. JOHN G. MOLDAK, 2115 Second St., North, Minneapolis, Minn.

Thousands of unsolicited and genuine testimonials like the above prove the efficiency of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made exclusively from roots and herbs.

Women who suffer from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

If you want special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. She will treat your letters as strictly confidential. For 20 years she has been helping sick women in this way, free of charge. Don't hesitate—write at once.

SHOULD HAVE BEEN BUSY.



Old Lady—What are you crying about, my little man?
Kid—Nothin'.
Old Lady—Nothin'!
Kid—Yes. Me teacher ast me what I was doin' an' I told her nothin', and she said I ought a been doin' sumthin'—an' give me a lickin'.

Yes, indeed.
Hostess (at party)—Why, so silent, Miss De Muir? You've scarcely said a word since you came.

Youthful Guest—Really, Mrs. Leader, I am having a very enjoyable time, but my father has told me 100 times never to say anything unless I have something to say, and I suppose—

Hostess—But, my dear child, think what a stupid and tiresome thing society would be if everybody followed that advice!

Undoubtedly Bad.

Mary Mild—Wouldn't you call her a—ah, doubtful character?
Carrie Caustique—Not unless you wanted to give her the benefit of the doubt.—Smart Set.

By a patient loving endurance of annoyance are we preparing ourselves gradually for the discipline of trials.—E. M. Goulburn.

Hungry Little Folks find delightful satisfaction in a bowl of toothsome

Post Toasties

When the children want lunch, this wholesome nourishing food is always ready to serve right from the package without cooking, and saves many steps for mother.

Let the youngsters have Post Toasties—superb summer food.

"The Memory Lingers"

Postum Cereal Co., Limited, Battle Creek, Mich.

The Place to Buy Cheap
—AT—
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Advertisement for DROPS CURES RHEUMATISM LUMBAGO, SCIATICA NEURALGIA and KIDNEY TROUBLE. Includes text about Dr. S. D. Bland and a 'FREE' offer.

How's Business?

THIS ad. is directed at the man who has all the business in his line in this community. Mr. Merchant—You say you've got it all. You're selling them all they'll buy, anyhow. But at the same time you would like more business. Make this community buy more. Advertise strongly, consistently, judiciously. Suppose you can buy a lot of washtubs cheap; advertise a big washtub sale in this paper. Put in an inviting picture of a washtub where people can see it the minute they look at your ad. Talk strong on washtubs. And you'll find every woman in this vicinity who has been getting along with a rickety washtub for years and years will buy a new one from you. That's creative business power. OUR AD. RATES ARE RIGHT—CALL ON US

Word-of-Mouth Advertising

Passing encomiums, only over your store counter, about the quality of what you've got to sell, results in about as much satisfaction as your wife would get if you gave her a box of cigars for Christmas.

Advertising in This Paper talks to everybody at once and makes them talk back with money.

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