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**Judging by Conditions.**

"Sin, my dear pupils," said Deacon Barnes to his Sunday school class, "is the legacy of Adam."

And the bright boy in the class remarked that that was probably the first case on record where a will was not broken.

"Yes," said the deacon, "but it should be remembered that there was enough to go around. I don't remember hearing of anybody who didn't receive his share of the inheritance."

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**Flag for Old Vincennes.**

The city council of Vincennes, Ind., is considering the adoption of a flag for Vincennes to be used as the city's official emblem during the coming Indiana centennial celebration, says the Indianapolis News.

The suggested design is intended to set forth the British rule of Vincennes by an old English red "V" in the blue center and the French control by a white fleur-de-lis, which was the national emblem of France during the time this territory was under the French government.

Radiating from the center there are 18 white stripes, indicating that Indiana was the 18th state admitted to the Union. There also are 48 small white stripes, indicating the number of states now in the Union.

**Their Use.**

"Is it true that battles are being won in Europe with cigarettes?" asked the reformer.

"Oh, no," answered the contributor to a tobacco fund. "Cigarettes are merely used in the trenches to make a policy of 'watchful waiting' more endurable."

**Saving.**

"Old Van Gelder began life as a poor boy, and look at him now. He's worth millions."

"He saved every cent he earned, I suppose."

"Yes, and some that other people earned besides."

It's an easy task to convert the average man to any theory that promises to aid him financially.

**A Sensible Thing To Do**

When the drug, caffeine—the active principle in coffee—shows in headache, nervousness, insomnia, biliousness, jumpy heart, and so on, the sensible thing to do is to quit the coffee.

It's easy, having at hand the delicious pure food-drink

**Instant Postum**

It is made from wheat roasted with a bit of wholesome molasses and is free from any harmful substance.

Thousands who prefer to protect their health, use Postum with comfort and delight.

Made in the cup—instantly—with hot water. Convenient, nourishing, satisfying.

**"There's a Reason" for POSTUM**

**HELPS IN HOUSECLEANING**

Closet Where There May Be Orderly Arrangement of Utensils Makes the Work Easier.

No one thing does more to help easy cleaning than some kind of house-cleaning closet. This may be placed under the back stairs, in a rear hall, or even in a back porch. It should be wide and shallow, preferably not more than a foot or eighteen inches in depth, to accommodate buckets, pails, scuttles, etc. One of the most successful closets I know of is built on a back porch of a house in the country. It is about a foot wide and has a narrow shelf extending across at the height of about five feet. On this shelf are kept cleansers, ammonia, stove polish, bathbrick and many other bottles and pans of cleaning necessities. Under the shelf are fastened small holders, into which are slipped the various brooms, mops and tools having long handles, thus keeping each separate and in shape. Small hooks are placed lower down, on which are hung lantern, tin basins, carpet-beater, etc. Several high hooks are reserved for holding mackintosh and farm clothing, and boots share the lower space with buckets and pails.—Woman's Home Companion.

**HOUSEHOLD HINTS**

When ironing it is a very good plan to get a clean brick, a white one if possible, as a stand. The iron will retain heat much longer than if an open ironstand be used.

When boiled and unboiled eggs get mixed, spin them, and the boiled ones will spin round quite fast, while these which have not been cooked will hardly spin round once.

Tar may be removed from the hands by rubbing with the outside of fresh orange or lemon peel and drying immediately. The volatile oils dissolve tar so that it can be rubbed off.

When buttons are taken from an old dress they should be strung on a string before putting them into the button box.

When the hair is dry, lusterless and brittle try rubbing a few drops of castor oil well into the scalp.

A little lemon juice added to the water in which the hair is washed will keep it light and at the same time act as a tonic to the scalp.

It is said that the hands may be speedily whitened by rubbing them well for three nights successively with sweet almond oil and then dusting over them as much fine chalk as they will retain.

**To Wash Feather Pillows.**

It is possible to wash pillows without removing the feathers. Boil in borax water, to which a small quantity of ammonia has been added. Use half a teaspoonful of borax to a boilerful of water and add a teaspoonful of ammonia. Boil 15 or 20 minutes. After removing pillows from the boiler, scrub the tick, if badly stained, by laying on a washing board and applying suds with a stiff brush. Rinse in two or three waters and hang out on the line in a shady place to dry. Shake pillow and change ends two or three times a day. Bring pillows into the house before dew falls or it rains, as it takes a long time to dry pillows at best. This process makes the feathers light, flaky and sweet smelling.

**Spanish Rice.**

One tablespoonful of good lard in spider, very hot. Fry one minced onion, a handful of minced olives, one small minced chili pepper (or ten drops of tabasco sauce), parsley, salt and pepper. Fry till golden brown. Add one and a half cupsful of uncooked Carolina rice. Fry until pale yellow. Put this into a double boiler. Add two cupsful of strained tomato and four cupsful of ground steak broth. Stir once, thoroughly. Cover and let cook until rice is done—at least one hour.

**Squab Pie.**

Line a deep dish with puff paste, bake ten minutes in a hot oven and allow to rise. Cover this with a layer of good sausage meat, fill it with four to six squabs stuffed with a force meat flavored with truffles. Cover the birds with a layer of sausage meat and another of paste. Paint the pie with yolk of egg and bake from one to two hours. Fill the hole left in the center with one cupful of melted aspic jelly. Serve cold.

**Puffs of Meat.**

One cupful dried roast meat, two eggs, one cupful milk, one teaspoonful baking powder, one heaping table spoonful flour, pepper and salt. Beat up the eggs, add them gradually to the flour, then add the milk, salt and pepper and powder. Divide into buttered casseroles and bake in a hot oven. Serve hot. Small individual dishes are as good as open casseroles or cocottes.

**Virginia Waffles.**

Boil half of a cupful of Indian meal in a cupful and a half of water 30 minutes. Add a cupful and a half of milk, two teaspoonfuls each of sugar and melted butter, two cupfuls of baking powder and two well-beaten eggs. Fry in a well greased waffle iron. Serve with maple syrup.

**Maple Pudding Sauce.**

This is good on bread or cottage pudding. Beat the yolks of two eggs with a tablespoonful of sugar. Melt a cupful of maple sugar in a cup of hot milk and when boiling stir in the beaten egg yolks, stirring all the time until it thickens. Beat whites of eggs until foamy, and add just before serving.

**PARTY COMMITTEES' VIEWS**

Democratic County Workers in Harness for November.

In the reorganizing of the recently elected Democratic County Committees throughout Pennsylvania, a number of them, within the last week, have held meetings and adopted with remarkable enthusiasm resolutions endorsing the policies of the Democratic national administration. Those committees express admiration for President Wilson's achievements, by which he has made his candidacy for re-election dreaded by all factions of the Republican machine, although welcomed by countless Republicans who are expected to help swell the vote next November to keep him in the White House for four years more. The resolutions may generally be assumed to state, in substance at least, the views of the people whom those committees represent, and to reflect the popular pride in the extraordinary record and strength of the President. Notable also in the resolutions, taken collectively, are references to the confidence of the Democrats of Pennsylvania, as fully evidenced by the vote in the recent primary, in the leadership of National Committeeman A. Mitchell Palmer. Committees, in addition, while pledging hearty support to the new State Chairman, William S. McLean, Jr., have commended heartily the faithful and energetic service given to the party by his predecessor in the chairmanship, Roland S. Morris. These men, as stated, in a number of the committee declarations, stand for honesty and progressiveness, and for the rule of the people, and an organization of the Democratic party, local, State and National, truly representative of the voters and responsible to their will.

Gleanings from the resolutions of a number of the county committees point to the country's peace and prosperity and to the President's having guarded the honor and just interests of America in the face of seemingly insuperable obstacles, at the same time keeping this nation out of the European war. His refusal to allow the country to be drawn by selfish interests into a war with Mexico is commended. Credit is given to him and the Democratic Congress for having brought about the prosperity now prevailing. The President's advocacy of adequate defense against aggression is approved, and favorable references are made to the federal reserve acts freeing the country from danger of financial panics; to the present tariff system's opposition to favoritism and to the income tax law's equitable shifting of a portion of the burden of taxation. General expressions of gratification cover the many other benefits derived by the country from the federal administration since Wilson became President.

**MACHINE BREACH TO LAST**

Democrats Will Gain From Penrose's Conflict With The Vares.

The facts of the long duration and intense bitterness of the factional clash between the Republican machine elements represented on one side by United States Senator Penrose and on the other by Governor Brumbaugh, offer no ground for belief that there will be a realization this year of the hope expressed by John Wanamaker, when in conference with his fellow Republican delegates at the Chicago National Convention, to see the factional warfare terminated and harmony established in the Republican camp. The chief backers of Brumbaugh are the Vares brothers, Congressman "Bill" and State Senator "Ed," the latter being the only one whose name is openly connected with the Vares municipal contracts. Edwin H. Vares's contracts include street cleaning. The Vares have never forgiven Penrose or his colleague, State Senator James P. McNichol, who is also a municipal contractor, for having prevented the nomination of William S. Vares for mayor in 1911. They are striving as hard as ever to weaken Penrose and McNichol politically, and they have done a great deal in that direction lately with the aid of their ally, Mayor Smith, and their other ally, Governor Brumbaugh.

While the Chicago convention was going on the Vares consummated their control of the Philadelphia Republican City Committee. Mayor Smith has been taking and exhibiting as a warning the scalps of Penrose-McNichol men who are being supplanted in the public service by followers of the Vares. A fresh illustration of Brumbaugh's eagerness to assist the Vares by reducing the Penrose-McNichols prestige is seen in the Governor's shake-up of the Board of Registration Commissioners. There is no sign that anything said or done by the Pennsylvania factionalists at Chicago will modify the rancor of the clashing in Philadelphia and Harrisburg. Penrose, shortly before the Chicago Convention promised a large dinner gathering, attended chiefly by independents, that he would fight to the finish against control or attempted control of city government affairs by street cleaning contractors or other municipal contractors. The Citizens' Republican League also sounds that shibboleth and its establishment is, in effect, carrying out the purposes of Penrose against the Vares as far as possible. Furthermore, Penrose has made it perfectly clear that, should Congressman Vares be a candidate again for mayor, that is, if the street-cleaning contractor firm's ambition once more

reaches for the mayoralty, the United States Senator will antagonize the movement as he did before.

The breach is evidently too wide and deep to be closed. Penrose, having regained his seat as National Committeeman, has, in a degree, improved his fighting condition, but the Vares can continue harassing him as long as they have Governor Brumbaugh and Mayor Smith, particularly the latter, to comply with their wishes. It is clear that the Vares expect Penrose and McNichol to do all they can against them, but the Vares think they can stand it. There is no indication that either faction will surrender to the other this year, and therefore the Democrats of the State, who are united and unusually hopeful, may reasonably count upon seeing their cause helped by continuing dissensions among their opponents.

**NO DEAL WITH PENROSE**

Palmer Would Not See Senator About Appointments.

In the early part of President Wilson's administration the Penrose machine undertook to test out the reorganizers who had secured control of the Democratic organization in Pennsylvania. The Penrose managers wanted to see if the reorganizers, particularly their leaders, including National Committeeman A. Mitchell Palmer and State Chairman Roland S. Morris, would yield to such influences from the Republican side as those which had often governed the political conduct of the bi-partisan traders and party wreckers whom the Democrats of the state had driven out of power. Evidence of what Penrose and his colleagues were trying to do was apparent to Mr. Palmer when he noticed that certain appointments of postmasters and other Federal officials were being held up from confirmation in the United States Senate. Upon inquiry Mr. Palmer learned that this inaction with regard to President Wilson's appointments was due entirely to Senator Penrose, in "courtesy" to whom the other lords of the Senate withheld their sanction from the will of the Democratic administration to transact its business in its own way.

As the days passed without confirmation of those appointments Mr. Palmer happened to meet Senator Penrose's secretary, who remarked that certain appointments by the President were awaiting confirmation. Mr. Palmer nodded assent and said yes, he knew it; well, what about it? Penrose's secretary good naturedly replied to the effect that, of course, Mr. Palmer knew how to get around a little matter like that; all he had to do was to see the Senator about it and the matter would be fixed up. "See the Senator?" exclaimed Palmer. "See the Senator about selections of Democrats by the Democratic administration?" Mr. Palmer spoke as if he would see the Senator in Paradise—or some other place—first. Of course, Mr. Palmer did not seek to "see the Senator." The reorganizers were not doing business that way. They had rooted out of Pennsylvania that bi-partisan method of having business done between the Penrose machine and the so-called Democratic managers whose power had been wrested from them. A very short time after the accidental meeting between Mr. Palmer and Penrose's secretary the appointments in question were confirmed. Evidently certain persons were at last convinced that the reorganization leaders were not kow-towing, nor looking for any favors from, the Penrose machine.

The wealth of the United States for 1916 is estimated at \$228,000,000,000. This is not only \$40,000,000,000 greater than the Republican maximum reached in 1912, but it exceeds the combined wealth of Great Britain, Germany and France. The "New Freedom" of Democratic law and administration therefore expresses itself not only in fair play and better conditions to the average man, but in the greater productive power of the nation as a whole.

The clean, efficient government of the last three years and President Wilson's fearless, honest, far-seeing leadership which has dedicated the power of this great country at a time of world crisis to the expression and enforcement of the rights of all Americans and all mankind—these, the Democrats at St. Louis will say, deserve a vote of approval from the American people.

When President Wilson's name shall be on the primary ballot, giving Democrats opportunity to vote their desire that he continue as Chief Executive for another term, he will, no doubt, be without a Democratic rival for President, and yet it is probable that Democrats will go into the Presidential feature of the primary as enthusiastically as if they deemed it necessary to make, in connection with the primaries, a special effort to indicate his full strength against one or more rival candidates.

Among the Presidential year pointers to prosperity under a moderate tariff are the following in the Philadelphia Public Ledger:

"Contracts aggregating more than \$200,000 were awarded during the last week for new buildings and additions and alterations to industrial plants in Philadelphia and vicinity, and plans are being prepared for factory expansion amounting to as much more, the contracts for which will be placed in the next few weeks."

**Hunting Trouble.**

When a man just naturally wants trouble it is mighty easy to find an excuse for making it. According to Mike Hogan, Casey and O'Brien were having an argument of their own at Breckinridge street and Barrett avenue. It had progressed to the extent that each had forgotten what it was about originally and they were wholly oblivious of the gathering crowd until an urbane and genteel person in a frock coat put in.

"Come, come, my man," he said, gently plucking Casey by the sleeve. "You don't want to fight; I can tell it by your looks. Your face is too benign."

"Two be nine! Two be nine, is it, ye scut?" bellowed Casey. "Me face is two be nine is it?"

And there was where the real trouble began.—Louisville Times.

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Suffer from Rheumatism or Neuritis, acute or chronic, write for my FREE BOOK on Rheumatism—Its Cause and Cure. Most wonderful book ever written. It's absolutely FREE. James A. Case, Dept. C. W., Brockton, Mass.—Adv.

**A Protest.**

"I appeal to you as a statesman—" "Don't dig up that statesman rumor about me just now," interrupted Senator Sorghum. "I'm a statesman most of the time. But with several conventions looming up in the near future and a large following of practical citizens to satisfy, I want to go on record as a politician."

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**Santos-Dumont.**

Santos-Dumont is visiting many cities in South America in the interest of the Pan-American aeronautics conference. He was born in Sao Paulo, Brazil, on July 20, 1873. From 1900 to 1906, he demonstrated to Europe the possibility of conquering the air with the dirigible balloon as well as with the aeroplane. He spent in aeronautics alone over \$50,000 a year for 12 years in experimentation. While in Paris in 1901 he won a prize of 250,000 francs. He was made chevalier of the French Legion of Honor in 1904, and in 1905 received the officer's cross.

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**Changing Maps.**

Church—Maps of Greenland have shown it to be about 150,000 square miles larger than formerly believed.

Gotham—Great guns! Has Greenland been carrying on a successful war?—New York Mail.

**Explained It.**

"Father, what is meant by peanut politics?"

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**But Not Unpardonable.**

"Don't you bring that man here again. He's unspeakable!"

"Why, did he insult you?"

"No, but he's dumb and wants to talk with his fingers."

**Paradoxical Quality.**

"There is one queer thing about grass widows."

"What is that?"

"You seldom find a green one."

**FRECKLES**

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There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription of this double strength—strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it right and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is wisdom to clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

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**Cautious.**

"Don't you think her gown is too short?"

"Well, I'd hardly go so far to say that; but I do think her limbs are rather long."

**Might Help.**

"I find it almost impossible to keep the wolf from the door."

"Do you ever try eating an onion?"

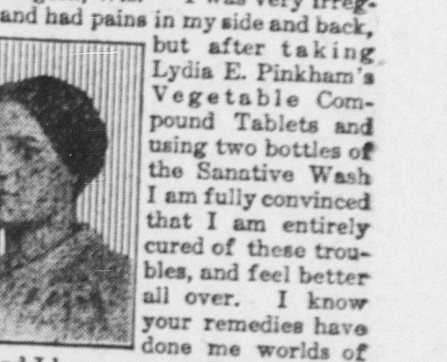
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No less important than the splendid quality of Western Canada's wheat and other grains, is the excellence of the cattle fed and fattened on the grasses of that country. A recent shipment of cattle to Chicago topped the market in that city for quality and price.

Western Canada produced in 1915 one-third as much wheat as all of the United States, or over 300,000,000 bushels.

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