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Remark Might Almost Be Construed as a Slur on a Most Noble Profession.

One morning Gifford met his old friend, Hall. After they had greeted they did under pretense of studying each other, Gifford said:

"Say, Will, I heard today that your son, Thomas, was an undertaker. I thought you told me he was a physician."

"Oh, no," replied Hall, positively, "I never told you that."

"I don't like to contradict you, old friend," insisted Gifford, "but, really, I'm positive you did say so."

"No, you probably misunderstood me," explained Hall, "I told you he followed the medical profession."—Exchange.

Simple and Effective.

"I understand Smith has got a simple and effective system of betting on the races."

"Yes. He always bets all he's got on the first race."

"And then?"

"Oh, then he goes home—disgusted."

Not Taking Her From Him.

She—I'm afraid poor papa will miss me when we are married.

He—Why, is your father going away?

GOOD GOVERNMENT FORCES RALLY TO GIFFORD PINCHOT

Washington Party Man Picked As Candidate to Defeat Penrose. His Strength Growing Daily. Palmer Asked To Withdraw

Gifford Pinchot stands out today as the strongest candidate for the United States Senate in this State.

He has received a series of the most sweeping endorsements ever accorded a candidate in the history of Pennsylvania.

It was in September that the good government forces of the State, in open convention at Harrisburg, overwhelmingly endorsed Pinchot for United States Senator, as one man who will beat Penrose, and called on A. Mitchell Palmer, the Democratic candidate, to withdraw.

Since then the Pittsburgh Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in session at Rochester and representing 90,000 laymen, has overwhelmingly given its assent to this endorsement. The Philadelphia Methodist Preachers' Meeting, representing 83,000 laymen, also endorsed this action. The Anti-Saloon League of Cambria county, allied with other good government forces there, have announced its intention of working for Pinchot. At Scranton, 2,000 delegates to the Sabbath School Convention, cheered Pinchot and hailed him as the "next United States Senator from Pennsylvania."

United Brethren for Him. The eastern Pennsylvania Conference of the United Brethren Church in session at Philadelphia, went on record with the Harrisburg Conference in favor of Pinchot.

Republicans and Democrats of nation-wide prominence have given their testimony to the value of Pinchot and called on the people of Pennsylvania to elect him to the United States Senate. Ben B. Lindsay, of Colorado is one of these.

Henry L. Stinson, Secretary of War under President Taft and a leading Republican, endorses Pinchot. Herbert Quick, a Wilson Democrat, declares that he is heartily for Pinchot in spite of the fact that Palmer is a candidate. Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, a nation-wide figure in the fight for good food, who is also a leading Democrat, announces that the best thing that could happen to Pennsylvania would be to have Mr. Pinchot elected.

Charles S. Barrett, president of the Farmers' Union, an organization of 3,000,000 farmers, declares that he comes from a family that is identified with the Democratic party. "But I hold that parties are subordinate to the public good," he says, and wants to see Pinchot elected.

J. T. Rothrock, for years the head of the Forestry Department of Pennsylvania, endorses Pinchot. Herbert Parsons, a leading Republican, openly declares that he wants to see Penrose defeated and Pinchot elected.

Decent Voters for Pinchot. Practically every force for good government in this State, leading men of all parties, and temperance and moral associations, have gone on record as being in favor of Pinchot.

On the other hand, Penrose is shunned by the leaders of his party. Not a man of national prominence will come into Pennsylvania to speak for him. He is regarded as a dead-weight on the Republican party and the party leaders themselves headed by the New York Tribune, the historic mouthpiece of the Republican party, have appealed to the Republican voters of Pennsylvania to defeat Penrose and elect Pinchot.

For the past six months, Gifford Pinchot has been traveling through this state, visiting towns and villages, speaking at the gates of mills and personally discussing with voters of every class, the issues of the campaign. He stands for an honest protective tariff and decency in Politics.

He has personally met more voters than any other candidate in this campaign. He has been received by large crowds everywhere attesting the extraordinary interest in the man and the deep popular appreciation of his great record as a public servant.

A. Mitchell Palmer cannot hold a full Democratic vote of this State. The Democratic Old Guard leaders of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh are openly declaring that they will not vote for him. The candidate for governor, recently defeated at the Democratic primaries, refused to attend a harmony dinner held under the auspices of Palmer in Philadelphia last week. The other Old Guard leaders also refused to attend the dinner. In Scranton, Philadelphia, the central counties, Pittsburgh and in fact throughout the States, the Democratic Old Guard is lining its forces up against Palmer and for Penrose.

Palmer Can't Rally Party. With a shattered party behind him, Palmer is leading only a forlorn hope. The liquor interests, the special privilege crowd and a few misguided manufacturers are trying to rally the voters to Penrose.

On the other hand, the good government forces of the State, comprised of men of all parties, the decent Republicans who refuse to elect Penrose and want an honest protective man at Washington, the patriotic Democrats, who are anxious first of all for the elimination of Penrose, are rallying to Pinchot.

The last two weeks has seen a splendid crystallization of sentiment in his favor. With Pinchot in the lead and his strength increasing daily, the decent voters of Pennsylvania may rest assured that this State will be redeemed from the stigma of Penroseism and that we will be fittingly represented at Washington by a man of splendid constructive record, whose ability is known and appreciated by every patriotic citizen in the country.

Penrose Imperils Interests of State and Nation Said Republican Newspaper

The day after the defeat of J. Lee Plummer for State Treasurer, the New Era, a Republican newspaper of Lancaster, in an editorial, denounced the leadership of Penrose and declared that:

"The interests of the State and Nation are too great to have them imperiled by continuing in control men who have so completely lost public confidence."

The editorial from the New Era is as follows:

"While the New Era loyally supported the Republican candidate for State Treasurer, and has the satisfaction of seeing the ticket given local endorsement by the largest majority given by any county in the State, with one exception, it has not been blind to the evidence of discontent apparent on every hand or the weakness of its candidate."

"He was placed upon the ticket not because of any inherent merits or party services, but merely at the personal dictation of Senator Penrose, who announces himself as the Republican State leader, as the successor of the late Senator Quay. The contrast between the ability and methods of the late leader and his presumptuous successor has been commented upon by thousands in the late campaign."

"Senator Quay was too farsighted to adopt the high-handed methods of the Philadelphia freebooters which have just led to their downfall."

"He recognized the power of the people and appreciated the fact that political power and the best thought rested with the people of the rural sections."

"Senator Penrose and his Philadelphia associates seemed unable to see beyond the confines of Philadelphia, and imagined that they were the proprietors in fee simple of the party and its perquisites. Now that

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