

CHECK BIRTH OF ALL DEFECTIVES

Dr. Woods Hutchinson Would Segregate Unfit.

SAYS 97 PER CENT ARE NORMAL

Laws Made to Govern the 3 Per Cent of Defectives Oppress the Vast Majority, Who Are Honest and Law Abiding.

Dealing with the science of eugenics and race welfare from a wholly original point of view, Dr. Woods Hutchinson, clinical professor of medicine at the New York Polytechnic, delivered recently before the concluding session of the American Public Health association at Washington an address which not only aroused the interest of the convention, but also promises to produce widespread discussion.

Is Alcoholism Inherited? Dr. Hutchinson insisted that alcoholism, feeble mindedness and like ills were the result of congenital conditions.

Dr. Hutchinson was emphatic in saying that the general average of the race was good and that the defectives were the exception rather than the rule.

The first thing to be done in negative eugenics," asserted Dr. Hutchinson, "is to determine who the unfit children are, and that can only be achieved by a thorough school census.

Genius Seldom Reproduced. "Eugenics has two divisions, prevention of the reproduction of defectives and encouragement of the production of the specially fit.

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PLAN MEMORIAL TO HENRY WARD BEECHER.

Sisters of John Arbuckle to Build Institute—Will Be Social Center.

A memorable institute and arcade in honor of Henry Ward Beecher are to be built beside Plymouth church, Brooklyn, by the sisters of the late John Arbuckle—Mrs. Jamison and Miss Christine Arbuckle.

The idea of the building is to provide a place which the 2,500 young men and women who board in the Brooklyn heights section may make the center of their social life.

The institute is to be part of the general Beecher memorial plan. Mr. Arbuckle gave the first \$5,000 toward the fund for executing the larger plan and helped raise the next \$30,000.

The structure will stand in Hicks street, fronting a park which is now being prepared for by the removal of buildings purchased by the committee in charge of carrying out the general memorial plans.

FROZEN SOLID, THEN REVIVED.

Russian Professor Makes Interesting Experiments on Animals.

The Russekow of Slovo of Moscow has published an article by Professor Kalin describing experiments made by Professor Bachmetieff of Moscow university.

Professor Bachmetieff, his colleague says has proved that animals may be frozen alive and then resuscitated none the worse.

Despite this Professor Bachmetieff discovered that by slow and careful warming they could be restored to life at any time before the body temperature had fallen below minus 10 degrees C.

TO MAKE EGGS FROM AIR.

Russian Scientist Thinks Chemistry Will Soon Do It.

Dr. Paul Walden of Riga, Russia, recently predicted at the international congress of applied chemistry at Chicago that the next great feat of chemistry would be the making of eggs from air.

"I consider it practically certain that at no distant day we will be drawing food supplies from the air," said Dr. Walden.

Football in Statu Quo. Now to fill the autumn void With the circular spheroid! Now to show our brawn and muscle In a muddy, squashy tussle!

TAFT DISCUSSES CAMPAIGN ISSUES

IN A NOTABLE INTERVIEW THE PRESIDENT TREATS OF THE TARIFF, TRUSTS, HIGH COST OF LIVING, WOMAN SUFFRAGE, RECALL OF JUDGES, IMMIGRATION AND GOVERNOR WILSON.

PROTECTION RAISES WAGES.

Thinks the Payne Law Has Enabled the American Worker to Meet the Cost of Living and Maintain His Family in Comfort—Every Able-bodied Man Willing to Work Has Work—City Hotels Thronged With Buyers and Farmers Never Better Off—Nothing Can Kill Prosperity but the Benumbing Glacier of Free Trade or a Wave of Anarchy.

President Taft, when in New York, Sept. 24, gave a long interview to the newspapers in which he discussed fully the campaign issues.

This is the interview in part: "Mr. President, have you visited the 'Chamber of Horrors' in Union square, where the burdens upon living under the high tariff are illustrated?"

"No, but a New York friend told me a little incident in regard to it worth remembering. According to the story told me, the exhibition includes a number of articles of clothing tagged with the prices and an alleged statement of what the articles would cost with the tariff duties deducted.

"The policy of the Republican party is not to shut out foreign manufactures, but to foster domestic manufactures and to keep the American workman employed.

"The tariff should be revised so far as may be necessary to keep prices from being exorbitant, so that, as I have explained in my speech of acceptance, the manufacturer shall secure only enough protection to pay the scale of high wages which obtains and ought to obtain in this country, and secure a reasonable profit."

"What do you think, Mr. President, of the proposal of the third term party to control the trusts through federal incorporation and regulation?"

"It would create the most monstrous monopoly of power in the history of the world—a power as much greater, as much more autocratic, than that of a Caesar or a Napoleon, as the business interests of the twentieth century are greater, more dominant and far-reaching than were those of 2,000 or 100 years ago.

"The Payne law has had no more to do with advancing the cost of living than the latest Atlantic cable tariff. On the contrary, it has enabled the American worker to meet the cost of living and maintain his family in comfort.

"Under the operation of that law prosperity has been gradually restored since the panic of 1907. Practically every able-bodied man who is willing to work has work, and in some of the large industrial centers, as well as in other parts of the country, the demand for labor far exceeds the supply.

"I have not changed in the slightest my view as to the necessity of monetary reform, or of the great value and importance of the work done by the monetary commission, of which former Senator Aldrich was chairman.

"It is a reform necessary in the interest of all the people and must be carried through according to some practical and efficient plan that will remedy the gross inadequacy and marked imperfections of our banking and currency system.

"There has been no intervention in Nicaragua. Under conditions of anarchy, accompanied by acts of ruthless barbarity, American marines were landed at the request and with the consent of the lawful government of Nicaragua to assist in protecting the lives and property of Americans and other foreigners.

"What is your attitude, Mr. President, on the woman suffrage question?"

"Suffrage for women is an issue to be decided by the states, and there can be no doubt whatever that whenever and wherever a majority of women impress upon their fathers, their husbands, sons, brothers and beaus that

they want to vote they will get the right to vote."

"Do you regard the recall of judges, Mr. President, as an issue in this campaign?"

"I regard the maintenance of an independent judiciary as a supreme issue, and I thoroughly agree with the American Bar association that the recall applied to judges would tend to deprive the public of judges of ability, character, high sense of duty and a due regard to enlightened public sentiment and that such a judiciary is absolutely necessary to the existence of a constitutional democracy."

"What are your views, Mr. President, in regard to immigration?"

"There are both room and opportunity in the United States for immigrants of wholesome physique, industrious habits and good moral character. I hope that when the Panama canal is opened the tide of immigration from Europe will flow through to the Pacific states, which are very sparsely settled in view of their vast extent and magnificent natural resources."

"It is reported, Mr. President, that Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has sent out circulars to labor unions attacking your administration as hostile to organized labor."

"I have not seen the circulars you mention, but if the statement is correct Mr. Gompers is as much in error as he was four years ago, when he proposed to deliver the whole labor vote to Mr. Bryan.

"I appreciate," added Mr. Taft, "Governor Wilson's courteous and respectful personal attitude toward my office and toward me. As to his statement about my being misled by 'bad advisers,' I wish him and every one to understand that I have been and will continue to the end of my term president of the United States in all that the title implies, that I am responsible for every act of my administration and have no burden to shift on to others."

TAFT CONFIDENT OF RE-ELECTION

Convincing Indications That the Republican Party Is Still Dominant.

When President Taft was visiting his brother in New York a few days ago the newspaper reporters called upon him. After a pleasant chat the president made a formal statement of his views on the political situation:

"When I declared a few weeks ago that I felt reasonably sure of my own re-election in November and the success of the Republican party I was regarded by some as entirely over sanguine and unaware of the situation. Today, however, after a number of indications that the Republican party is still the dominant party and that the expected growth of Democratic strength has failed to materialize, my early declaration is shown to be entitled to respect.

"Five or six weeks ago it was asserted generally that the Republican party would secure the vote of the solid east, including all of the New England states, with the exception of Maine and Vermont; that the Democratic party would maintain its hold on the solid south and that the third term party would secure the solid west, leaving only the middle west as debatable ground.

"I am not familiar with the developments in other western states, although many good reports have come to me at Beverly concerning them, but even with the states already mentioned it can be seen that there is no longer a solid west back of the new party, but more nearly a solid west reunited in support of the Republican ticket.

"It is scarcely necessary for me to point to the necessity of re-establishing a Republican majority in the house of representatives. If this is done I feel confident that I will be able to have placed on the statute books the workmen's compensation law which I urged upon the last session, but which was sent to oblivion by the Democratic house. If the country will give the Republican party a complete victory in its congressional as well as its presidential ticket a proper tariff revision will be speedily effected, with knowledge of the facts ascertained by a tariff commission, which will harm no one and remove its present defects."

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF WAYNE COUNTY.

Homer Lovetass v. Daisy M. Lovelass. To DAISY M. LOVELASS: You are hereby required to appear in the said Court on the fourth Monday in October next, to answer the complaint exhibited to the judge of said court by H. Lovelass your husband in the cause above stated, or in default thereof a decree of divorce as prayed for in said complaint may be made against you in your absence.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS. The Board of School Directors of the School District of South Canaan Township, Wayne county, Pa., will sell for cash to the highest and best bidder a certain lot of land containing two acres and eleven perches, situate in said township of South Canaan, fronting the public road leading from South Canaan to Honesdale and adjoining the Methodist Episcopal church property.

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STOCKHOLDERS' NOTICE.

At a meeting of the directors of the Honesdale Dime Bank, held on July 25, 1912, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That we recommend the stockholders of the Honesdale Dime Bank to increase the capital stock of the said bank from \$75,000 to \$100,000."

In accordance with the above resolution a meeting of the stockholders is called to convene at the bank on Thursday, the 10th day of October, 1912, between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the said day, to take action on the approval or disapproval of the proposed increase.

Note: In the event of the stockholders approving the increase as recommended, the Board of Directors will fix the price for which the said stock shall be sold at \$200 per share.

BENJ. F. HAINES, Secretary. Honesdale, Pa., Aug. 5, 1912. 63w9.

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