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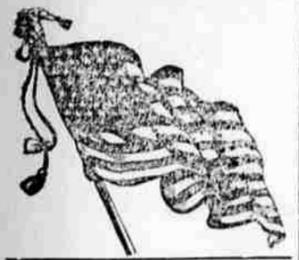
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**WHO FOR CITY RECORDER?**

Among one of the most important offices to be filled in this city at the election this fall, is that of city recorder. During the next two years there will be needed a man of good judgment, experienced in business affairs, and alive to the interests and needs of the city, and it is none too early for the citizens to begin to center on some one to fill this position. The name of T. A. Raffety has been mentioned as a splendid man for the place, and many of his friends are urging him to make the race, as they feel confident that he will be easily elected and will make a most excellent recorder. Mr. Raffety's qualifications for the position, and his usefulness as a citizen are too well known in the city to need any commendation, he is for Roseburg, first, last and all the time, and if he were to be elected recorder, he would be constantly on the lookout to guard the interests of his home town. As far as The News knows, Mr. Raffety is not aware of the efforts on the part of his friends, but they feel certain that he will give the matter consideration, and once in the race will give the campaign that attention which will ensure success.

**SOME FALLACIES OF FREE TRADE**

A report of the department of commerce approximates our exports of agricultural implements during the fiscal year, 1915, at \$10,000,000, compared with \$40,600,000 in the "high record year 1913" a republican year. The report says that this loss of trade fell most heavily upon sales to Europe, and that "the European war was doubtless the dominant factor in the great falling off in our exports of agricultural implements in the fiscal year just ended, since the decrease in sales to Europe was disproportionate to that in sales to other sections."

Whenever a fact of this sort is brought to your attention, kindly recall to mind the statement made by Secretary Redfield, our free trade tariff champion, to the United States chamber of commerce, February 15, 1915: "I beg of you, gentlemen, not to be persuaded by the daily news columns of the press into the belief that our foreign trade lies chiefly in what we may call, for lack of a better name, 'war orders'. That is not so." The fact of the matter is that the exportation of every article which could not be used by the belligerents in war has fallen off, and the billion dollar trade balance which Mr. Redfield attributes to democratic policies is a blood balance. Prior to the outbreak of the war we were rapidly running in debt to Europe.

The department of commerce has published statistics showing that the price paid by the consumer has advanced, while the department of agriculture shows that on July 1 the price received by the producer was one-tenth of one per cent less than the average for seven years on that date, in spite of the boosting effect of the demand from Europe for food stuffs. This seems to afford a most excellent opportunity for the federal trade commission to investigate something.

A good illustration of the methods used by the democratic spellbinders is found in the fact that in the city they preached that they would reduce the price of farm products, while in the country they said that the farmer would receive more than ever for his products. Some of the farmers and some of the city folk seem to have believed them. This reminds us of the statement by Abraham Lincoln that you can fool all of the people some of the time, some

of the people all of the time, but not all of the people all the time.

Mr. Hardwick, of Georgia, tells us about hard times, by "turn our faces toward the sunrise of a fairer and brighter day". He forgets that this "fairer and brighter day" will be greatly speeded by the people getting the facts.

Mr. Langley, of Kentucky, admits that the democrats have to a certain extent reduced the cost of living by reducing the price of soup in Chicago from 5 cents to 2 cents. We also had some free soup for which the administration should receive due credit.

**Off Agin, On Agin**  
STRICKLAND, W. GILLILAN

**The Penmanship Bird**  
They ask what's become of this old-time and that:  
They ask of the man with the butterbowl hat;  
They query of him who wore rubber-gloved shoes,  
Of him who took snuff when he'd clean out his flues,  
But the one I most miss—of whom least I have heard  
Is the guy who could dash off a penmanship bird!

Oh, fearfully, wonderfully fashioned was it!  
It hadn't a leg, so it couldn't well sit.  
The lines of its wings were all curled, and so  
The skill of the penman the "drawing" should show.  
The tail was a marvel—say, when have you heard  
Of the buy who committed that penmanship bird?

The Audubon sharps could have given no light  
On its species or family, try as they might.  
No wise ornithologist running a college  
Could assist us a bit from the depths of his knowledge.  
For Science, since first she existed, has heard  
Of naught that resembled that penmanship bird.

**In The Huckleberry Belt**  
Found. — Remedy for Black Tongue, that has not failed in a single instance.—Advertisement in Raleigh News and Courier.

**Our Old Friend Life**  
A poet cuss in the Richmond, Va., Leader, enunciates thus:  
Life is a smile,  
A sigh, a tear,  
The little while  
We linger here.

A little blue,  
A little rain,  
A cloud or two,  
Then sun again.

A little dark,  
A little gloom,  
A fogging lark—  
Starlight and home.

Just like that. To which we profanely respond:  
Life is a mess,  
A job, a fright;  
We must confess  
It ain't just right.

A little play,  
A lot of work,  
Which, some old way,  
We cannot shirk!

A little dough,  
A leap of debt,  
Then we must go—  
Or end regrets.

**More Defining**  
Paw! What, Elmer?  
What is an innocent bystander?  
It is a rubberneck that something happens to, my son.

**Don't Jump At Conclusions**  
She could talk in Greek and Latin;  
She could beat herself or fatten;  
She could do the latest dances better than that Castle pair,  
She (you think a "but" is due here,  
But I'm springing something new, dear!)  
She could cook like S. T. Rorer, and make biscuit light as air!

**The Terminal Preposition Lady**  
"Yes," said the lady who always used a preposition to end a sentence with. "Mrs. Van Tass is the fondest woman I'm of, but her husband is the digustedest man I'm at. I wish I knew some scheme for her to get away from him with. That's the easiest thing I'm after. I'm so afraid he'll do her some harm if I don't separate—that's the easiest thing I'm about. In fact the way he treats her is the most indignant thing I'm over. I tell her she ought to divorce him—it's the strongest thing I'm for."

**The Wit-Sharpening Influence of Travel**  
"What was the most interesting thing you saw in the Arkansas hills?" "A hollow-ground auto-stop safety-razorback honing himself against a sweet gum tree."

**Or Some Other Time**  
A man never feels old till some man about fifty assists him on a street-car.—Dayton, O. News.  
Or until, sometime when he is feeling particularly young and dapper, a big hulk accosts him with "Ma ust t' go t' school to you."

\$1,000 insurance on a barn. Old fire rate, \$40.00 for 3 years; Oregon Fire Relief \$15.00 for 3 years.  
H. Taylor, agent, Perkins

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**The Young Lady Across The Way**



The young lady across the way says she guesses the stock-market situation must be improving as she saw in the paper that there was very heavy European selling and she supposes we'll soon own all the securities.

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**Phyllis**  
O Phyllis is the girl for me!  
I love her camaraderie,  
But Phyllis uses lots of scent;  
With this I'll never grow content.

**This Phyllis is a comely jade;**  
On V. de Milo's plan she's made,  
Except that she has arms to pour  
Perfumery her sweet self o'er.

Her cheeks are rosy, and her face  
Is not devoid of light and grace,  
But all this smell-stuff stirs my  
wrath—

Would heaven Phyl might take a  
bath!

So though she is "the" girl, you  
see,

I pass up her perfumerie.

That scent's too much for me, be  
gosh!

I'd so much rather she would  
wash!

**Some Chilly Orthography**  
"The attractive home . . . was aglow with spring flowers, fragrant freezers and yellow jonquils."—Durham (S. C.) Sun.

**Egg Nogg M.kins**  
Oxford, N. C.—An old friend living along the National Highway in North Granville says that a large quantity of liquor is being brought into the county by automobiles and horse-drawn vehicles. Whiskey bottles packed in egg-crates and covered over with layers of eggs is the most favorable device in use to fool the people.

**Ah There, Gelett Burgess!**  
I never saw a purple cow  
(That first line's not a new one);  
But hotel milk must, anyhow,  
Have trickled from a blue one.

**Finnigin Filisofy**  
Ut'th' train that's in most av  
A hurry that makes th' wurst  
smash-up whin it laves th' rails.

**Why Do Hammond Girls Leave Home?**  
The Lake County Times, Hammond, Ind., sayeth thus, spelling and all: "With the approaching warm weather many complaints are being made at the Hammond central police station to the effect that people are permitting their chickens to run at large."

**It's A Long Way, Etc.**  
The various European warring nations are hardly able to wait till the last Thursday in November for their bits of Turkey.

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**SIXTY-ONE-YEAR-OLD FAN HIRES MAN TO TAKE HIM TO SCORE BOARD IN A WHEEL CHAIR.**



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COL. T. W. ANDERSON, OF CHICAGO IS IN THE CONTEST TO FIND THE CHAMPION BASEBALL FAN OF THE COUNTRY. HE HAS ROOTED SINCE THE DAYS OF POP ANSON, WALKS THREE AND A HALF MILES FROM HIS HOUSE TO THE BALL PARK AND BACK AGAIN AND DURING A RECENT ILLNESS HIRED A MAN TO TAKE HIM TO A SCORE BOARD IN A WHEEL CHAIR. ANDERSON IS 61 YEARS OF AGE.

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