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WHEN THE RIGHTFUL ARE IN AUTHORITY, THE
PEOPLE REJOICE, BUT WHEN THE WICKED HEARTH
RULE, THE PEOPLE MOURN.—Proverbs 29:2.

Better News From Germany

Better news has been coming out of Germany. It is reported that the old nationalist junkers have decided to cease obstructing the institution of the Dawes plan because they perceive that a continuance of their tactics can end only in disaster to themselves as well as to Germany. The Reichstag will have to pass three measures to make the plan effective. These would authorize the transfer of the German railroads to international administration, establish a new gold bank of issue and place a blanket mortgage on a portion of German industries as a guarantee for the payment of reparations.

A plain majority for these measures might be marshaled by the government, but not a two-thirds, as the nationalists have been contending is required by the constitution. The nationalists see that continued opposition would bring about a new general election, in which they would likely lose a number of seats owing to the growth

of public support for the Dawes plan, and this is the secret of their new and unexpected tractability.

A second source of encouragement is afforded by the reported compliance of Chancellor Marx with the allied demand for resumption of control over Germany's military establishment to the extent of insuring that the Versailles treaty is not being violated. It might be well to recall the provisions of that article of the treaty. They allowed Germany to have an army of 100,000, but prescribed the dissolution of the old general staff. Compulsory military service was to be abolished and military training was to be discontinued. The supply of arms and munitions was definitely limited and the manufacture of poison gas, tanks and armored motor cars was forbidden. No war material was to be imported. Germany was to have no air force, but might have a navy of six battle-ships, six light cruisers, twelve destroyers and twelve torpedo boats. Submarines were absolutely prohibited. No fortifications were to be maintained by Germany between the North Sea and the Baltic. Three allied commissions were to be permitted to make regular inspections to see that Germany was keeping her word.

The allies say their work has been greatly obstructed and one of the commissioners, Gen. Nollet, new French minister of war, charges that Germany has been giving large numbers of young men military training, and has been manufacturing war supplies, including poison gas. The allied commissions will soon find out about it if they are given the opportunity originally agreed to by Germany. At a time when the other nations are seeking genuinely to help her back to financial stability, Germany cannot afford to engage in double dealing.

New York police, it is announced, will endeavor to prevent the sale of the Brooklyn bridge to any of the convention visitors. Evidently they expect those from the hinterland to be gullible.

Placing more power under the car's hood wouldn't be so dangerous if there was some way to place more under the driver's hat.

The chance of being a June bride may be gone but other months may be the next best thing.

The soul of the grouch is simply a morgue where his dead hopes are.

Anyway, this is open season in New York for favorite sons.

When in doubt, take your foot off the accelerator.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



OFFICE CAT



BY JUNIUS

Blow your own horn if you have only something to blow about. Glibness will be justified in blowing his.

Girls keeping their eyelashes thin find it takes a lot of pluck.

In spite of the determination of the women folks to emulate the men, not many of them have yet succeeded in growing whiskers.

Most of the political advertisements read that the candidate was reared on the farm. A lot of them

should be back there between the plow-handles.

Tell a man there are 247,513,261 stars and he will believe you. But if a sign says "fresh paint" he will make a personal investigation.

A man with a pant has as much fascination for a woman as a case of illegitimate alcohol has for a man.

THE SUGAR PILL.
I met the maiden I adore
Upon the avenue;
She wore a stunning tailor-gown
A dream of gold and blue.
A chap I hate was at her side,
And both of them, alas!
Were so absorbed in merry chat
That neither saw me pass.

I watched them enter a cafe,
Where oft we used to dine;
My fancy saw them vis-a-vis
Across the fruit and wine.
But one reflection gave a coat
Of sugar to the pill:
This time it was the other man
Who had to pay the bill!

Kid—"Say, Ma, this milk's better than it was yesterday."
Ma—"Sonny, don't say this milk's better—say there's more milk in the water today than there was yesterday."

"Bosher Shop" is the Correct Term.
"I can't get shaved; I'm in do-

pair. There's a girl in every bar-ber's chair." Don Marquis in New York Herald Tribune.

A man is handicapped. Even if he feels that way, he is ashamed to describe a thing as "perfectly droning."

The federal government is taking steps to promote outdoor recreation. Every man has the right to be chased by picnic ants.

THE WOMAN OF IT.

She was in a telephone booth and had just put in a toll call. She went bitterly as she pulled down the hook to attract central's attention.

"Hello," came central's clear voice.
"H-hello," she sobbed. "I want my money back. Harold wouldn't speak to me."

All men have their peculiarities. The single ones are allowed to fore-got about them now and then.

Favorite Scores Colleague.
For Playing Golf With Duke

LONDON, (AP)—The recent golf match on a miners' course between the Duke of York and Frank Hodges, civil lord of the admiralty, was severely criticized by D. H. Jones, of Merthyr Tydvil, who presided at a conference of the National Federation of colliery men, boilermakers and mechanics.

"I must yield to temptation of criticizing a one-time fiery representative of the proletariat, who has been falling over himself to play golf with a real live duke," said Mr. Jones.

"Not that I object to the man playing golf with the duke. What I do object to is the hypocrisy of the whole thing."

"One of the most damnable features in public life is the hypocrisy of public representatives, and we are paying a heavy price in permitting this to go on without protest."

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