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THERE IS NO FEAR IN LOVE, but perfect love casteth
out fear; because fear hath torment. He that feareth is not
made perfect in love.—1 John 4:18.

Are You Patriotic? Then Vote!

On November 4th a National Presidential
Election will be held in the United States. The
only right way to select a President (and other
executives) is for everyone to signify his or
her choice. Consider it a sacred duty to your
country to go to the polls and cast your vote.

Bryan's Ability to Flop

Through respect for William Jennings Bryan when he
visited La Grande a few days ago and delivered a speech
eulogizing John W. Davis, Democratic candidate for the
presidency, we refrained from printing what Mr. Bryan
said about the name Mr. Davis at the New York national
convention. We reprint it now, not because we share Mr.
Bryan's belief held then regarding Davis, for we think he is
a great man—a big man, a patriotic man—but just to
show the reader that after all, the William Jennings Bryan
who spoke here is the same Bryan who talked about Mr.
Davis in a different manner. It also shows that Mr.
Bryan, regardless of his standing in good society, can blow hot
and cold, can switch his utterances as easily as an acro-
bat can turn a handspring, and strange to say, can make
many believe he has a perfect right to twist in a political
campaign. Here is what Bryan once said about Mr. Davis:
"The man most frequently mentioned is former Am-
bassador to England, John W. Davis of West Virginia. He
is a man of charming personality and admitted intel-
lectual capacity, but there are two arguments against him,
either one of which would prove fatal in this campaign.
"One of these arguments is his professional relation-
ship with the firm of J. Pierpont Morgan. There has not
been a time before in 25 years, when intimate business as-
sociations with this 'high priest of the money magnates'
would have been such a handicap. . . . No Democrat, how-
ever popular in Wall Street, could expect to draw any votes
from the Republican ticket, but such a candidate would be
under suspicion in all the states west of Pennsylvania.
"Nothing but an invulnerable reform record could save
such a candidate from defeat and Mr. Davis' record is not
such as to protect him from the suspicion aroused by his
business connections.
"He is old enough to have reached maturity more than
25 years ago; all the great reforms that characterize the
last quarter of a century have been secured during the
time when he might have contributed to them, but he has
not rendered conspicuous service as a champion of remedial
legislation.
"A man with the ability necessary for the presidency is
expected to use that ability in the people's behalf before
he seeks from the people the highest political reward that
is within their power to give."

"If Wall Street carries its influence far enough to try
to nominate one of its hand-picked candidates to head the
Democratic ticket—and succeeds—the reactionary vote in the
country will divide and La Follette will have a chance
to become the second, if not the leading, candidate in November.
"Is this convention to reduce the Democratic party to
a third rate power? That is what it will do if it allows
Wall Street's 'invisible government' to dictate the nominee
of this convention.
"With Davis as the candidate you need not make any
campaign west of Ohio; you would not get any electoral
votes, and you would not get any in the east."
"I tell you that La Follette will take more votes from Davis
than he will from the Republicans."

"I have been in battles of the party for more than a
quarter of a century and never have had much help from
John W. Davis."

"When one makes a choice he is supposed to choose
the things that go with it. One of the accessories of inti-
mate association with big corporations is retirement from
politics. If J. Pierpont Morgan were suing an average
man, no court would permit Mr. Davis to serve on the jury
even though he had withdrawn from his legal connection
with the Morgan firm just before the trial began.
"Why should conventions subject the masses to a risk
no lawyer would permit his client to take? Mr. Davis is
a fine man, but in the employment of J. Pierpont Morgan.
La Follette will take more votes from Davis than he will
from the Republicans. You are throwing Democratic
chances to the winds in voting for Davis."

The foregoing quotations are from written or oral
statements made by William Jennings Bryan previous to or
just after the nomination of Mr. Davis. Since making
them he has gotten into the harness and begun pulling
for the party candidate. He is a good party man and what
he says today must be taken in the light of that fact and
of his pre-nomination opinion. The real low-down on the
business is that Bryan was right when he said that Davis
had no chance. La Follette leads him everywhere. Do not
think of wasting your vote on either. Get ready to mark
your ballot for Coolidge.

PARALYSIS HITS DOCTOR
PARALYSIS, one of the most dreaded diseases, has hit
a leading physician of this city. Dr. H. H. Wagoner,
a member of the medical profession of this city, is now
in the hospital, suffering from paralysis. He has been
suffering from this disease for some time, and his condition
is now so bad that he is unable to move. He is now in the
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OFFICE CAT



BY JUNIUS

TRY YOUR LUCK
"Take out a policy, I've cottoned
to get her arm broke the other
day and we paid her \$500. You
may be the lucky one tomorrow."
—An Exchange.

The Janitor: "How did you come
to lose your job?"
Tax-office boy: "Mine and the
boss' grandmother died on the
same day."

One of the mysteries of life is
that wherever the vacationer goes
the fish are biting better some-
where else.

A man was sitting alone in a
smoker as a traveling man entered,
and the traveling man, seeing the
stranger by appearance, said:
"Are you a minister?"
"No," replied the man, "I am
only sick."

"CAUTION AND CARE"
You can't pick locks with a pick
you can't enter the bank with a
key.
Duck like with a pigment,
twice plus with a pigment.
Nor make your watch tick with a
battery.

You can't make a mate of your
pilot.
You can't get a wife from a crat-
er, catch a fish with a molar.
Hike with a roller.
But you can get a wife from a
water.

THE REASON
Lawyer: "And may I ask you
why you want a divorce?"
Fair Client: "Certainly! Because
I'm married!"

"The rest of your days depend
upon the rest of your nights."

HER IDEA
"Yanno these wild dances
where the guys hug the life into
the mighty moon?" said Clarence
in the rapid fire restaurant. "Well,
what do you think of 'em?"
"Ain't you in favor of freedom of
the press, to a reasonable extent?"
replied Clarence, the head waitress.

NOT MISSING MUCH
The radio, we hear, isn't popular
in Russia; but who could under-
stand Russian over the radio, any-
how?

High noon in a hardware store:
"God helps them who help them-
selves, but God helps those who are
caught, helps themselves around
these premises."

"The man who enters his police-
with his religion is pretty sure to
have mighty little real religion."

A man stopped on a highway and
noticed a very funny-looking
man, and as it turned out, but
having his dignity somewhat sur-
prised. When he recovered a man-
ner, he saw a friend who had been
lost and a number of people had
formed a circle.

"What do these folks want?" he
asked.

"They are not taking," explained
his friend, smilingly. "Here's a
doctor who wants to look you over,
a lawyer ready to bring suit for
you, and a producer of comic films
who would like to sign you up."

"Oh, then the Bible tells me to
be a doctor, a lawyer and a comic
film producer, but I am certainly not
all of them."

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YANKEE CONSULS RELIEVED SOME OF "RUSH WORK"

HAMBURG, (AP) — America's
new restrictive immigration law is
relieving with a vengeance, and
applicants for admission to the
United States are beginning to
realize that a visa to enter the
United States is a rare privilege and
not a right, as many had previously
believed.

The burden of proof is now on
the applicant for admission to the
United States, and consular offi-
cials sit as judges upon the fitness
of the applicants and the reliability
of their credentials.

As only slightly more than 100,000
German emigrants can be passed
monthly, and this number is di-
vided among ten consular offices,
the old days of rush and snare
about in consular offices are largely
over.

One of the striking results of the
new law probably will be that hun-
dreds of foreign men who have
not become citizens in America
will be compelled to return to their
native lands. This because the wives
and children of non-Americans in
the United States are not given
special treatment, and many of
them will not be able to get per-
mission to go to America for years
because of the small quotas.

It is not clear whether the law
was framed intentionally to pro-
duce this effect, but several of the
tracted women are now begging
the consulates seeking advice about
what action to take. They can un-
derstand, if they desire, a speedy
return of their families, but their
husbands had better return
to Europe.

BUDGET BODY IS NAMED

HAMBURG, (AP) — The budget
committee to aid the county court
in preparing the budget of ex-
penditures for the coming year has
been selected by the county court
and will meet soon to organize and
start the work. Joseph Lyons of
Reedport, L. H. Smith of Gen-
dale, and George Seamer of Reas-
burg, make up the committee.

Mr. Lyons is an ex-county judge
and a business man of Reedport.
Mr. Smith is owner of the Gen-
dale telephone exchange and ex-
ecutor of the paper there. He is
also mayor of the city. Mr. Seamer
is ex-district attorney of Douglas
county.

HAITI RAPIDLY OVERCOMING HER INDEBTEDNESS

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) —
During the nine years in which
Americans have supervised the fi-
nances of Haiti, the debt of the
republic has been reduced by more
than \$5,000,000, a record which is
considered with pride by both the
Haitian government and the Amer-
icans who are assisting it. On Au-
gust 31, 1915, the Haitian debt
was \$22,165,815, and on July 31, 1924
they were \$22,912,815.

During these nine years, hundreds
of miles of road have been
constructed, harbors have been
improved, the coast line en-
circled with a chain of lighthouses,
schools and bridges built, and wa-
terworks and many other im-
provements started and completed.

Last but not least a modern
post system is in force and is work-
ing so that all expenditures are
provided for including the reduc-
tion of the national debt \$25,000,000
a year at present which will
be about 25 years clear of debt.
The improvement will continue
and as reports indicate a
bumper coffee crop, the republic's
main source of revenue, everything
in Haiti is smiling except the po-
litical politicians and agitators
whose only source of revenue
is graft and exploiting the poor peo-
ple to their own selfish ends, is a
thing of the past.

Dr. W. W. Schaffner, a finan-
cial adviser to the republic.

Obituary

DAVID T. HILBERT
David T. Hilbert, 67, died at his home, 1114
S. 10th, at 10:30 a. m. on Tuesday, Oct. 7.
He was born in Germany and came to
this country in 1880. He was a member
of the Lutheran church and was a
devout Christian. He was a well-
known citizen and was highly re-
spected. He is survived by his wife,
Mrs. Hilbert, and several children.
Funeral services will be held at the
Lutheran church on Thursday, Oct. 9,
at 2 p. m.

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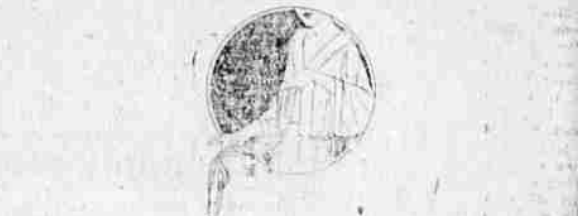
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