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Kansas Editor in Bad

According to the Wichita Eagle, Well, if Willard had to take the an editor in a nearby town has beating he got to camouflage a moved his press against the door a frame-up he is probably thanking and is having his meals sent in at his lucky stars that it wasn't a rea the window since he let this get by fight. in a society item: "Mrs. Catt's popularity is evidenced by her mangy friends in this vicinity."

Pity Jeff Then If It Had Been Real

(Salem Journal.) A Philadelphia sport writer has but this fellow's relatives.

made the suggestion that the Willard-Dempsey fight was a fake.

This Bull Story Is Meaty.

(Detroit News.) A guest of the New York Dairy Association was a bull worth \$60,000.

FROM ACT THREE OF "VIRTUOUS WIVES."

LOCATION: Andrew Forrester's New York apartment. TIME: A few days after Forrester's return after a six months absence.

OCCASION: An "afternoon at home" with his wife, Amy, as hostess. ANDREW FORRESTER: "I married Amy because I loved her and believed implicity in her. And she said our accustomed social luxury only to find bills, bills, bills, men by the score running after her, dances, theatres, cos-

her-a virtuous wife." of us. You said you were too busy for amusement, Now you return and criticize me.'

tumers' accounts, and Amy the opposite of what I left

MRS. DELABARRE: "Amy is perfectly right. Andrew is unjust. She is a virtuous wife. I, too, am a virtuous wife, although Maurice says I am not. That we are in society does not mean that we cannot be virtuous.'

MAURICE DELABARRE: "True virtue, Andrew, is hardly possible for any woman under present-day conditions, particularly in New York. The privacy of their are being constantly interrupted."

MONTE BRACKEN: "What does Forrester expect? Amy has wealth, beauty, brains and, at first, ideals. Are rating. these feminine assets to fade and disappear, unappreciated by any one, because a husband permits business to WHEN THE THRILL COMES AT THE RIGHT TIME crowd out his affection? Her success among us has been easy. She has been the only one to whom pleasure was intoxication that prompted us.

social function. It was not. It was society's way of rais- ity to embrace his thrill arrived. ing the destruction of virtue to an art. You have made Amy an example of cultured indecencies that would not be tolerated in a small community. And now I am going to tear the masks off all of you, strip you of your fine clothes and high silk hats, and show you up for what you are."

BEFORE MANY OF US WERE HERE

(William Goff Nesmith to Fred Lockley.)

"In 1873, when Joseph G. Wilson, the congressman from Oregon, died, they held a special election and my father was elected to fill the vacancy in congress. Our home in Polk county used to be the meeting place of all of the distinguished visitors who came to Oregon in the early days. William H. Seward, with his son Fredrick and wife, stayed at our house in Polk county when he was on his trip around the world. That was shortly after he had bought Alaska. They were still joshing Seward at the time about paying good money for a land of icebergs and polar bears. * * * After the Civil war General Phil ington, while motoring thru Dela-After the Civil war General Phil ington, while motoring thru Dela- the senator from Washington did polar bears. Sheridan with his wife stopped at our place on his way to the Grand Ronde agency, where he had been stationed when he was but a young lieutenant. He was very much interested in the town of Sheridan, which had been named when he was but a young lieutenant. He was very much interested in the town of Sheridan, which had been named was forced by an accident to not smoke in the hay, or permit it his engine to seek shelter by the so to be done by himself or those roadside with the result that he and his family were assigned sanctuary in the hayloft of Senator Du Pont's "Senator Jones of Washington—Then if I correctly understand the for him. General Joe Hooker was another visitor at our barn. This is the way the Con-senator from Delaware, it is his place. He was straight as an Indian and one of the finest looking men on horseback I have ever seen. Many officers who have since become distinguished, who used to be sta-Our meat dealer handles nothing tioned at Fort Hoskins in Kings valley, or who visited there, used to stop to visit at our place.'

Desirable Unemployed

(Springfield, Mass., Republican.) That 278 persons of royal strain have lost their positions by the war has been figured out by a German professor. It is one of the brightest aspects of the unemployed situation.

Himmel! Scherman Vos Right!

(St Louis Globe-Democrat.) The Germans are just beginning to realize that Sherman was right

DANCE

INDEPENDENCE FRIDAY

JULY 18

Music by the Famous Tillotson's Jazz Dance Orchestra Singing and Playing

A GOVERNOR WHO IS MAKING GOOD

As governor, Hon. Ben Olcott is exceeding the expectations of friends and is pleasing a large portion of those who have opposed him politically in the past. His administration has been marked by good judgment, conservative yet forcible action, and a desire and ambition she loved me. I return home from Colorado, where I tried to enhance the interests of the people of Oregon at all to make the fortune that would let us continue to live in times. As long as Mr. Olcott is governor there will be no misgovernment if in his power to prevent; he insists upon all subordinates giving efficient service and he will quickly demand the retirement of any office holder who abuses the perogatives of office or shows any inclination AMY FORRESTER: "You told me to play for both to serve or cater to any other interest other than the public interest. Then again, Mr. Olcott is not officiating behind closed doors and at the end of a labyrinth that only the shrewd or a favored few can penetrate. The most humble citizen in the state can go to Salem and see the governor. He listens with careful attention to the suggestions and complaints of the public; the many insignificent he smooths over in a pleasing manner and those of value or of a serious nature he adopts or rectifies if it be possible so to do. Oregon has had its governors-good, bedrooms is invaded at all moments of the day and night bad or indifferent, and no one, other than the usual quota by swarms of acquaintances. Sleep, meals, conversation of political soreheads, considers for a moment of putting him in any other class than "good" and the number is growing daily who believe he is entitled to a still higher

Married life is not always the painful state that its young. To her it was a natural impulse, not the mental enemies allege it to be. Oasis appear now and then to ANDREW FORRESTER: "Has modern woman de- Just at the period of the year when evenings are fair, generated to a degree that makes constant watching by blissful and romantic and three or four hundred maidens her husband necessary to safeguard her virtue? And I of various degrees of beauty and charm gather for the mean virtue in thought more than in action. Is she los- normal summer school, the wife of our esteemed co-working all pride and self-respect in the glare of a society in- er. R. B. Swenson of Monmouth, departs for the East on fested with leeches, idlers, thrill-seeking wasters, to whom a visit. The thrill of a life time comes but once and if Mr. clean thinking and wholesome amusement are unendur- Swenson has never had his it is fortunate that conditions able? I come upon you at a passion fest-you called it a and environments were so favorable when the opportun-

More Interested In Pints Than Points

While it is generally conceded President Wilson's 14 points contain much that is good, it is not straining the truth to say there are people in this neck of the woods who would be more interested in a man with 14 pints.— El Paso Times.

The "Up" and "Lift" of Prices

The uplift movement seems to have concentrated on prices.—Columbia (S. C.) Record.

AS THE GOVERNMENT WOULD PRINT IT

(Portland Journal.)

corded the incident: "Senator Jones of Washington-Delaware yield to a question?

"Mr. President-Does the senator from Delaware yield to a question correct statement of my opinion.' by the senator from Washington?'

"Senator Du Pont-'I yield." "Senator Jones of Washington-

Nations for myself and family to An industrious Washington cor. sleep in the hayloft of the senator from Delaware?

consider it, provided, of course, that

in the hayloft of Senator Du Pont's 'Then if I correctly understand the gressional Record would have re- opinion that it would not be in contravention were myself and family so to sleep, considering, of course, Mr. President, will the senator from the inhibitions imposed by the limitations as stated by him?'

"Senator Du Pont-That is the

"Senator Jones of Washington-I thank the senator from Delaware on behalf of my constituents and I would like to ask the senator myself for the frank statement of from Delaware if he would consider his opinion in this important matit in contravention of the League of ter.'

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