Chance for Celebrations

Americans spend twice as much for candy every year as for books, according to the American Booksellers' association, and now that the secret is out, we shall probably have a Sweet-of-the-Month club and a Confectionery guild .- Edward Hope in the New York Herald-Tribune.

Early Form of Shoes

The sandal, the earliest and simplest shoe, was known by the most primitive races and was certainly worn by the ancient Egyptians. The Hittites wore shoes, often with gaiters above to protect the ankle and calf of the

Removing Iron Rust

The bureau of standards says that fron rust may be removed without injury to the base metal by abrasion by soaking the material in kerosene or by immersing in a hot solution of 15 per cent ammonium citrate.

High Enough Now

Physicians having caused a tremendous increase in the price of liver by recommending it to anemics, we hope they will not discover anything remedial in ham and cabbage.-Oma-

Youth and Age

Another difference between youth and age is that the latter thinks forty miles an hour is about seventy-five and the former thinks seventy-five is about forty.-Ohio State Journal.

A Dog's Life

A dog's life is not so bad if all his sleeping hours are spent in a red wicker basket, which has a most comfortable cushion and little curtains at the openings.

Poetic Appellation Certain prose works by Milton were designated "Milton's left hand." They were written in the middle period of his life when the political stiuation was grave.

Lots of Men

Lots of men who feel they need a big city to give full opportunity to thei talents haven't been big enough to make good in a small town .- Atchison Globe.

Animals With Souls?

I am not sure that some dogs and cats have not attained a personality of such permanence as to call it soul. -Canon Peter Green of Manchester, England.

Champion Egg Layer

During its lifetime the oyster produces about 50,000,000 eggs. It's a good thing for quiet seaside resorts that oysters don't cackle.-Arkansas

Appropriately Named In Mexico there grows a tree called

the "Tree of Little Hands." Its five peculiarly curved pollen-bearing organs look like the fingers of a child.

Strength Not Stubborn

Stubbornness and strength are two different things. The strong man is never afraid to give in when the occasion demands.-Atchison Globe.

Cause for Moorish Divorce Among the Moors, if a wife does

not become the mother of a boy, she may be divorced with the consent of the tribe, and can marry again.

Bank of England Notes

For the privilege of issuing notes the Bank of England pays the British government \$900,000 a year, plus a percentage of certain profits.

Brains in the Discord "A man wif a big bass voice," said

Uncle Eben, "can keep you interested whether he tells you anything or not." -Washington Star.

Succumbing Rapidly

Wonder how long it will be in the process of evolution before nature quits producing pedestrians?-Arkansas Gazette.

Not So Easy

Many a man who seems to be on easy street is only on easy payment street.-Virginian-Pilot.

Effect of Sleeplessness

It has been proved that the loss of

sleep increases the pulse rate. Nugget of Wisdom

Slight not what's near through aiming at what's far.



WELL OR MONEY BACK

ECTAL & COLON CLINIC

ERRORS OF G. O. P. REVEALED BY SMITH

Gov. Seen as Statesman of High Quality.

Seeking an excuse for doubting Governor Smith's equipment for the high honor of President of the United States, some of his political enemies have said that though admittedly ,a of the Presidential nominee. splendid governor of the nation's foremost state, the Democratic nominee had had no experience in international affairs and would be lost in such matters. But how beautifully those critics have been silenced by that part of deals with our foreign relations. Were we to select, among all the points so ably elucidated during the memorable address, the one that showed the most acute grasp of our rights and our duties, we would choose that section of the Smith acceptance that discussed just those very problems. With the same deftness of political understanding that has won fame for the candidate in domestic government, the Democratic nominee touched the sore spot of the faulty foreign policy of the Republicans and indicated the road of true democracy and of proper international conduct. He was quick to see and understand how the Washington authorities had allowed our relations with Nicaragua to drift into a state of war, and to have done this without the constitutionally necessary consent of congress,

Smith Gains Numbers of Republican Votes

Governor Smith's acceptance dress started a flood tide for the Democratic nominees.

As an illustration of the enthusiasm, one Georgia instance will serve. A radio lawn party was given by former Representative Bonnell H. Stone at his home in Blairsville, the small county seat of Union county, which always goes Republican in Presidential elections. There were a number of outstanding Republican citizens at Mr. Stone's radio party. When Governor Smith finished speaking the suggestion was made that a Smith-Robinson club be formed at once. It had not been contemplated. The organization was created with 101 members signing the roll, among which were many Republicans.

That is one of perhaps thousands of instances of the kind all over the country. The speech was so masterful, so frank, so profound as to national and international affairs, that the election of Smith and Robinson in November is decidedly more probable than doubtful.-Atlanta Constitution.

Coolidge Legacy to Country Is Deficit

After going over with the President estimates of federal income and outgo for the next fiscal year, Herbert M. Lord, director of the budget, reports probable deficit of \$100,000,000. Tax reduction this year along with increased appropriations will be respon-

The Coolidge administration after a record for economical expenditure that is likely to be remembered as its greatest single achievement thus threatens to leave to its successor an fact that the impending deficit is now characterized as a "paper deficit" does not alter the situation in the least. Unless income proves to be larger than current expectations, and outgo falls below, both of which are held impossible, the former will not cover will be the result .- Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Hoover Less Able Man

Hoover, although he has great ability and has had wide experience, has not been a student of government. Professing Republican dogma at the present time, he has no deep roots in it. When he returned from Europe in 1919 he was aflame with Wilsonian doctrines, but when his name was mentioned for the Presidency, he did not know whether he was a Republican or a Democrat. It is only in the last eight years that he has made up his mind. If sound and coherent statesmanship depends upon firm adherence to a definite political philosophy, Smith here has an advantage over his opponent.

Smith's Tariff Views Sound

The traditional gulf between the two parties on the tariff question is narrowed by Smith. He advocates neither free trade nor "a tariff for revenue only." "The Democratic party," says Smith, "does not and under my leadership will not advocate any sudden or drastic revolution in our economic system which would cause business upheaval and popular distress." Smith believes, and his opinion is shared by the greatest economists of this country, that the tariff should be taken out of politics and treated on a purely scientific basis.

Nation's Debt to Democrats

Not the least impressive thing about the address of Governor Smith is his recurrence to the great leaders of the party, to Thomas Jefferson and Andrew Jackson, to Grover Cleveland and Woodrow Wilson, Cleveland's name used to emphasize the sacredness of public office as "a public trust," and to call attention to the little-known fact that the American conservation policy originated during the tenure of this rugged Democratic

FARMERS NOW SEE HOOVER AS FRIEND

Herbert Hoover's extended conference with farm journal editors and farm leaders at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, has resulted in a better understanding

There had been much pre-convention propaganda misrepresenting Hoover as the enemy of the farmer, and as interested exclusively in the problems of the industrial East. As his real record becomes known the Mr. Smith's acceptance address that prejudice thus created is bound to subside. The situation has been materially helped by his acceptance speech and his Iowa visit.

The farm question resolves itself to the comparative attitude of the party leaders. The two platforms are not far apart, except that the Democratic declaration recognizes the principle of the equalization fee. Governor Smith, however, has repudiated the fee itself, and with that bugaboo out of the way there is not much difference in the platforms.

The question remains: Which leadership is more likely to help solve the farm problems—the leadership of Hoover, the western man, with his farm background and economic training, or that of Smith, the New Yorker, whose interests hitherto have been exclusively eastern and political?-Kansas City Times.

Smith's Strength in New York Overrated

Admittedly the administration of New York affairs by Governor Smith brought to him a considerable Republican vote in the upstate regions. This year the probabilities are that as a candidate for President he cannot hold the Republican votes which were given him as a candidate for governor. The "national" shortcomings of Alfred E. Smith are recognized. He has recognized them himself.

New York city, probably—certainly, if you wish-will give the governor a majority as great as it gave him in any one of his governship campaigns, The country counties of the state, probably-yes, and virtually certainwill give him nothing like the support which he received in other elections. The Democrats are altogether too cock-sure of the result in New York state.

Smith's Speech Weak

Governor Smith as a whole was framed primarily to put the Republicans and their nominee on the defensive. However, the contest apparently is found to center on the prohibition issue.

Foreign affairs are dealt with in a singularly crude fashion. There is no mention of the League of Nations or of the International Court of Justice. The Coolidge policies toward Latin America are assailed in harsh and sweeping terms, though they are a continuation of the Wilson policies. The remarkable improvement in the relations between the United States and Mexico receives no mention.

Voters "Seeing" Hoover

Thinking people who have a high reunbalanced budget as a legacy. The gard for the history and the background and the future welfare of this nation are saying, "Vote for Hoover!" It has been swelled by thousands and tens of thousands. There is nothing bitter or antagonistic about this cry, but there is a certain amount of determination. The sting and the rebuke the latter and a deficit, a real deficit. to Tammany hall will be the vote that will be rolled up on November 6 for Herbert Hoover, the humanitarian, the lover of peace, the engineer, the statesman, the diplomat, the friend of the starving and war-weary people of Europe.

Farmer-Labor to G. O. P.

Western Republican headquarters announced recently Bert Martin, national secretary-treasurer of the Farmer-Labor party, had resigned his position and espoused the cause of Her-

bert Hoover for President. J. Edwin Spurr of El Reno, Okla., member of the national executive committee of the Farmer-Labor party, also had quit, Republican headquarters said, as had Weil MacArthur, sec retary-treasurer of the Colorado Farmer-Labor party, both of whom expect to support the Republican nominee.

Women for Hoover

Indorsement from the National Woman's party of Mr. Hoover's position on equality of opportunity was given by Mrs. Clarence M. Smith, chairman of the party's national coun-"We are absolutely in accord with the statement made by Mr. Hoover," she said.

Quoting several of Mr. Hoover's references to equal opportunity, Mrs.

Smith added: "This is exactly and simply what we of the Woman's party are demanding for women."

Smith's Plan Unsound

Governor Smith's proposition for amendment to the Eighteenth amendment is pure local option. He asserts that such a method would re-establish respect for law. It would do anything but that. A more potent instrument for multiplying lawbreakers could not be devised. Smuggling would be extended to the borders of every wet state. It would be an injustice to Governor Smith to assume that he is not fully aware that his plans are hopeless.

Improved Uniform International

Know He Can Be Trusted to Solve Problems.

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.) (©. 1928. Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for September 23 THE CHRISTIAN BASIS OF TOTAL ABSTINENCE

Temperance Lesson.

LESSON TEXT-1 Cor. 8:1-13.
GOLDEN TEXT-Let no man seek
is own but every man another's

PRIMARY TOPIC-Helping Others to

Keep God's Law.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Helping Others to
Keep God's Law.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Abstinence for the Sake of Others.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Christian Standard of Social

In this section of Scripture Paul is bringing to view the great doctrine of Christian liberty and forbearance. The occasion of this teaching was the uncertainty as to the right attitude for Christians to take toward things sacrificed unto idols.

i. The Idol is Nothing (vv. 1-6). Intelligent people know that an idol is nothing but a piece of timber or stone. They know that there is only one God, the creator and sustainer of all things. Since an idol has no real existence, the eating of such meat is a matter of indifference. It should be borne in mind that the principle stated in this section has reference to things which are in themselves wrong. Strictly speaking, therefore, this teaching cannot be applied to indulgence in intoxicating liquors. To do so would be a perversion of Paul's meaning. The indulgence in intoxicating liquors, the use of tobacco, etc., are things wrong in themselves because they injure the human body. The holding of stock in certain corporations and having partnership in illegal business are things that are wrong in themselves. In applying this principle to the use of intoxicating liquors, this should be borne in mind. The principle can be applied only to things which are in themselves harm-

II. Not All Christians Have Maturity of Discernment (vv. 7, 8).

Uninstructed Christians were still possessed of the conviction that an idol was really a living and powerful being. For those persons to sit down to a social meal where such meat was eaten would be to expose themselves to the liability of being brought again under bondage to their sins.

III. The Christian's Behavior in Such Cases (vv. 9-13).

1. He should take heed test his liberty become a stumbling block (v. 9). 2. Liberty must be curtailed for the sake of the weak brother (vv. 10, 11) To disregard this is to sin

against our brethren (v. 13). To disregard our brother's interest is to sin against Christ, for it is sinning against the one for whom Christ died. To place a stumbling block in the way of the believer is a terrible crime. In enforcing this, three important considerations are brought out: (1) The fate of the weak brother

(v. 11). He perishes. Human sympathy, let alone Christian love, man to give consideration to his conduct lest he cause such a loss,

(2) The relation of the man to his slayer. He is his brother. (3) What Christ did for the "weak brother."

Christ died for him; therefore to sin against a brother is to sin against Christ, because the brother is a member of Christ's body.

IV. The Teaching Illustrated in Paul's Life (ch. 9).

At Corinth Paul worked with his own hands lest his mission to them should be misjudged. While he vigorously contended for his right to ask for support of them, he refrained from asking. By means of his own labors and the donations which he received from the Macedonian churches he was able to boast that he had not been chargeable to them,

V. The Teaching Applied (10:23-

1. Christians may indulge in lawful things only as they are expedient and

unto edification (v. 23). 2. Let no man seek his own, but each his neighbor's good (v. 24). The principle of love is unselfish-

ness. Whether therefore ye eat or drink, do all to the glory of God (v.

The Christian is not at liberty to do that upon which he could not ask God's blessing.

4. Give no occasion for anyone to examination, but the car ahead." stumble (v. 32). We should so live that no one can ever say that we have been the occa-

sion of his downfall. 5. Follow the example of Jesus Christ (11:1). Christ gave up all for the sake of others.

The Road of Good Works The road of good works is blocked by our past sins, and it is sure to be

further blocked by our future sins;

we ought, therefore, to rejoice that

God has commended to us the open road of faith .- Spurgeon. Thank God Thank God for a gospel that sings itself into our daily lives, and that bids us sing away sorrow and care!

Sin has no such hymns,-Clarence

Eberman.



PASSED REQUIREMENTS

Editor (engaging reporter)-If you had to write an article on a subject you knew nothing of, how would you begin?

Applicant-We learn from a very Editor—Excellent, and how would reliable source

you end it? Applicant-We could fill columns on this subject, but lack of space . . Editor-Splendid . . . you are engaged.-Passing Show.

EXPECTED THE WORST



Jones-"I'm doggone tired of eating at home." Brown-"How come?" Jones-"Well, when it comes to cooking there I can always expect the

No Extra Boarder Wanted "Stay single, son," Dad did exhort,

"One wife is all I can support." Not That At All "My dear sir," said the specialist,

case like yours there is nothing better than the motor. It will-" "But, doctor," interrupted the patient, with a hopeless gesture, "I can't

after a careful examination, "what

you need is plenty of exercise. In a

afford one!" "Didn't tell you to!" snapped the specialist. "I mean to dodge 'em ;"

Shuah 'Nuff Colored Circus Hand-Here am a telegram from de master in Africa stating he am sending us some ilons'

Owner's Wife-Lions' tails! What are you talking about?" Rastus-Well, read it yo'self, ma'am.

It says plain: "Jes' captured two lions; sending details by mail,"-Honolulu Times. Advice

A young woman traveling from Irefand, and, nervous of the crossing asked the stewardess which was the best berth to take.

"Well," said the stewardess, "If you're alone you'd better take the under berth, but if there's anyone above you it had better be yourself.'

GETTING MEN'S WAGES



Wifie—Girls are getting men's wages everywhere now. positions as wives for that.

Gone Fishing

Everybody's gone a-fishin.'
That is how it seems.
Even stay-at-homes keep wishin'—
Fishin' in our dreams!

The Sport Age

"How old is your son?" asked the visitor. "Well," replied the dad, "he's reached that age when he thinks the

most important thing to pass isn't his

There Never Is

Prospective Buyer-Why, this is highway robbery! Realtor-I give you my word, sir, there's not a highway for miles around.-West Point Pointer.

Nothing Cheap About Her

The Sultor-My precious lamb! The Daughter of the Packing King -Don't call me that. Lambs are getting frightfully cheap again. Just call me dear. Venison is still at a prohibitive price.

In Training

Molly-Daddy, what is the midnight

Daddy-Better ask your brother, my dear. He's qualifying for the title,-Stray Stories.



SAME PRESCRIPTION HE WROTE IN 1892

When Dr. Caldwell started to practice edicine, back in 1875, the needs for a

medicine, back in 1875, the needs for a laxative were not as great as today. People lived normal lives, ate plain, wholesome food, and got plenty of fresh air. But even that early there were drastic physics and purges for the relief of constipation which Dr. Caldwell did not believe were good for human beings.

The prescription for constipation that he used early in his practice, and which he put in drug stores in 1892 under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a liquid vegetable remedy, intended for women, children and elderly people, and they need just such a mild, safe bowel stimulant. bowel stimulant.

bowel stimulant.

This prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative. It has won the confidence of people who needed it to get relief from headaches, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath, dyspepsia, colds, fevers. At your druggist, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.

Many-Legged Frog

Arnold Miles, son of W. E. Miles of Biddeford, Maine, is thinking of taking orders for frogs' legs. He almost decided to go into the business when he was catching frogs for pickerel bait and caught one with seven legs. Pe placed it in a large glass ja- and now has to catch files and bugs each day for meals for the captive.

Ode to Bossie

"What rhymes with zephyr?" "Heifer."

"Do you think I am writing a poem to a cow?"-Louisville Courier-Jour-

Coyotes often hunt in packs.



When your Children Cry for It

Baby has little upsets at times. All your care cannot prevent them. But you can be prepared. Then you can do what any experienced nurse would do-what most physicians would tell you to dogive a few drops of plain Castoria. No sooner done than Baby is soothed; relief is just a matter of moments. Yet you have eased your child without use of a single doubtful drug; Castoria is vegetable. So it's safe to use as often Hubby-Yes; they only have to take as an infant has any little pain you cannot pat away. And it's always ready for the crueler pangs of colic, or constipation or diarrhea; effective, too, for older children. Twenty-five million



Some girls are kept so busy becoming engaged that they have no time

MADE HANFORD'S 81 Year Balsam of Myrrh IT MUST BE GOOD Try it for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, etc. All dealers are authorized to refund your money for the first bottle if not suited.

CONSTIPATION RELIEVED



CARTER'S INTERPILLS