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### The Charge of "Crookedness" and the Newberry Case.

The New York World, lamenting the Supreme Court decision which dashes Henry Ford's hopes of a seat in the Senate, says the Constitution does not prohibit a millionaire from buying a seat in the Senate if his money operates through a primary election. Senator Newberry was not convicted of "buying" a nomination or corruptly using his money in a primary,-only of having had used in his behalf, in organization and advertising more than a certain stipulated amount. In the opinion of the World a man may own a newspaper and use a million dollar's worth of its space against a candidate without committing an offense but if the candidate thus assaulted should buy more than ten thousand dollar's worth of advertising space to reply to the attacks he thereby becomes a criminal. He may use a federal machine, as President Wilson did in behalf of Ford, and let the people foot the bills, or he may use a sales organization, as Ford did, in behalf of the Ford candidacy, and that is virtue, but if the friends of the opposing candidate spend a small fraction of the amount necessary to perfect such an organization at their own expense, that is vice. The contention is hypocritical to the nth degree of contemptibility. It may be added that every state in the Union has common law and statute law enough to punish any man who buys a vote or conspires to corrupt a primary, and many of the states have statutes which regulate every phase of a primary. Any state may have additional laws on the subject whenever it chooses to enact them.

Nothing in the Michigan case was shown to be crooked except the effort to make Henry Ford the candidate of a party to every policy and principal of which he was opposed. He was asked to enter a Republican primary by a Democratic President, in order that by the crooked participation of non-Republicans a non-Republican candidate might be foisted on the Republican party. The effort was made to defeat the Republican cause by the supervision of Republican ma chinery, under a fool law which per mits the voters of opposition parties to control the primaries of the organization they wish to defeat .- National Republican.

Among the five bills up for a vote at the June 7th election the most vital is one to permit women to serve as jurors.

Jury Service for Women.

Two outstanding features of jury trials by all-men juries is that almost no women are ever convicted of anything, and men do not convict each other for sex crimes.

The law provides that any woman drawn for jury service may be excused on her own request and that in criminal actions where the complain ing witness or the defendant is a minor under 18, half the jury shall be women.

From the standpoint of human rights and moral responsibilities the woman juror bill is the most important one on the ballot and should receive earnest consideration.

### Slats' Diary. By Ross Farquhar.

Friday-I was a tawking to Jane about wen I get big enuff to go to call up on her & take her to the moveing pitcher show. She jus kinda laffed & sed to me What wood you say if you was to come to are dore & nock at it & my mother ood go to the dore. eplyed & sed I wood up my hat & say ood evening. Then he sed Suppose my faher wood cum to the ore what wood you say sed I wood grab my hat & say Good nite.

Saturday-1 herd a person say that sum thing made there mouths water I ast pa wat did they mean by saying there mouths watered & he sed Thats all they is for mouths to do since the Steenth amendment.

Sunday-I found out that ma kep a diry wen she begun liveing with 1 & pa. I was a reading it today agenst her nollidge & found where she had rote-I have just finished batheing the pittiest littel baby in the hole big wide happie wirld. So now I no that when she balls me out she dussent mean it. I guess its her

Monday-Wen I was a comeing in

the house after skool I herd ma going to a stag party but changed [1] tawking to a woman whitch was a his mind at the last minuit. I of the calling on her I diddent want to in- men called him up by telephone & mupt them so I sit outside & lissened. I herd pa say No he wassent come-Ma was saving that wen a cupie liv-ing & then he sed he was staying at ed to gather a long wile they grue home from choice. Whitch was trew the rest at the Posterior at Repo of them all ways gives in. She new Thursday-Had to stay in at skool

derstand 1 anomatem all ways gives in. She new at she was tawking about to for an her & pa mixes up 1 of them all ays gives up whitch aint ma.

Taresday — We was going to the pitcher show but ma was so long finding ther hare that it was to late Enny how her hare that it was to late Enny how I am mist and etc & I will be up on a big cloud & have a harp & play — I hope yure satisfide. ADVERTISING BATES 6 IVEN ON wen her & pa mixes up 1 of them all skool is ending & wants to make us

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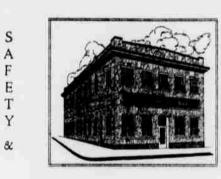


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