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EM-TEES

Nothing so enhances the value of a thing as difficulty in obtaining it.

His Part "You admit you overheard the quarrel between the defendant and his wife?"

"Yes, so, I do," stoutly maintained the witness.

"Tell the court, if you can, what he seemed to be doing?"

"He seemed to be doing the listening!"

A married couple were touring in Slilly. At a distance from one of the large towns the wife said:

"Think, Albert, if the brigands should come and take me from you?"

"Impossible, my dear!"

"But supposing they did come and carry me away, what would you say?"

"I should say," replied the husband, "that the brigands were new at the business—that's all."

A henpecked man in a silent partner of his wife's wren.

Gasoline Cheaper Than Crimoline. Ellery Sandborn, who was going to marry a girl over to Parkersburg, has decided not to, and bought him an automobile—Wynchville (Va.) Argus.

A congressman went to the parish priest and told him that he had seen a ghost at the wall near the church gate. The clergyman only laughed at him and asked:

"What shape was it in?"

"It was for all the world like a Jackson, sir."

"Go home, my man," said the clergyman. "You must have been afraid of your own shadow when you saw it on the wall."

A man says "I may," and a woman "I will."

John T. Willard is a business visitor in the city from Roseburg.

NEW YORK SUFFERS FAMINE IN MILK

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Less than 60 per cent of the usual 2,500,000 quarts of milk required by the residents of New York and vicinity for daily consumption were reported available today, as a result of a deadlock between dairymen and distributors over the price for the product.

From the heads of the principal distributing concerns it was learned that the supply for consumers was about 50 per cent of normal, but with a promise of better conditions tomorrow. Hospitals and families with children are receiving first attention, the distributors said, and what is left is given to the regular trade, but in decreased quantities in proportion to the amount on hand.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The managers of the Grand Market and Rumorize Sale desire to express their keen appreciation and thanks to all those who so quickly and generously responded to every appeal by their liberal donations, to the merchants who so freely contributed their goods, to those who cheerfully gave of their time, and also to those who, with liberality unexcelled, patronized the sale, thus making the success far beyond their expectations.

The committee in charge of the district wish to announce that the amount of bonds which was offered as a prize to the fully receiving the most votes, was won by Miss Dorothy Hill, Mrs. A. Carter being second place and Miss Lutz third.

OLNEY ON HUGHES

AN interesting contribution to the campaign is the article, printed in part elsewhere in this issue, written by Richard Olney for the New York World. Mr. Olney was attorney general under President Cleveland during the railroad strike of 1894 and secretary of state when the ultimatum was sent Great Britain over the Venezuela incident.

Mr. Olney is not in politics and long ago retired from active life. As a lawyer he ranked the highest. As a statesman, he has no superior. His interest in public affairs is that of a patriot concerned only with the nation's welfare. Mr. Olney says:

As the supreme court candidate cannot say what he would have done in President Wilson's place or what he will do if he succeeds him—as the only thing he is certain about is the wrongfulness of everything the present administration has done—his inducement to change the existing foreign policies of the country will be very great.

Whether the change will be to support the contentions of his German backers or participation in the European war to please Roosevelt and his pro-ally adherents, or the conquest of Mexico to please Wall street, Mr. Hughes does not say. Any of them would indicate a lack of common sense and result in calamity.

No one is more fit or admirably equipped than Mr. Olney to disinterestedly advise the people, and the following indicates how Mr. Hughes' personal campaign has impressed thoughtful patriots:

No sooner was the nomination assured than the robes and ermine of the judge fell from the candidate as if by magic, and there appeared in their place the motley wear of the ordinary office seeker—a transformation as sudden as that made by the wand of Harlequin in the pantomime, and a transformation showing how thin is the judicial veneer, and forever discrediting the United States supreme court as a training camp for high office.

The revelation of the real Hughes as made by himself makes the public grateful for his removal from the supreme court.

TEDDY'S HAT IN THE RING

COLONEL ROOSEVELT'S speech at Battle Creek Saturday was the opening battle cry of his campaign for the presidency in 1920. It indicates clearly that his hat is in the ring—on a jingo platform with war as an objective.

No one can read this tirade of the betrayer of the progressive party without realizing that had this disciple of Bernhardt, this believer in war for war's sake, been chief executive of the United States during the past four years, that this nation would now be numbered among the belligerents, probably conducting two wars, one against Germany and one for the conquest of Mexico—lest we continue to enjoy "ignoble ease and peaceful sloth."

The paramount campaign issue, in Mr. Roosevelt's opinion, is peace or war—though Mr. Hughes only has a policy of carping criticism to offer. The republican platform is entirely ignored by both the Colonel and the Candidate. The progressive cause, for which Mr. Roosevelt sang gospel hymns and fought at Armageddon, swearing he would never desert, is in the scrap heap.

It is evident that the Colonel does not figure on Hughes' elevation. His speech is calculated to embarrass as much as aid Mr. Hughes. He has lined up with Taft and the bosses he so vigorously denounced to make himself "regular" and be in line for the republican nomination four years hence. Were Hughes successful, it would prevent his realizing his ambition. With Hughes defeated, he leads the field and his speeches are preparing the way.

What Would Hughes Do?

(From the New York World.) In the course of his tour of the middle west, Mr. Hughes has been pursued by the question, "What would you have done in Wilson's place?" Mr. Hughes has not answered it and is not likely to answer it.

Various supporters of Mr. Hughes write to the newspapers from time to time explaining what Mr. Hughes would have done, but Mr. Hughes says nothing. Nor can any definite line of conduct be inferred from Mr. Hughes' speeches.

What is still more important, nobody can know from anything that Mr. Hughes has said what he would do if elected president. The only issue of the campaign on which he has offered an unequivocal statement of his position is the equal suffrage amendment to the constitution of the United States. On that issue his party is officially against him.

Mr. Hughes is glib in declaring that everything that President Wilson has done is wrong and that all the legislation enacted by the democratic party is wrong. But he has no program, no policies of his own for publication.

His family views squint toward Dinglestick. His Mexican utterances justify the assumption that he would wage war against Mexico. His attacks on the president's foreign policy can be interpreted as meaning that he would have plunged the United States into the European entanglement. But this is all inference. After reading Mr. Hughes' speeches we are as much in the dark as to his policies of government as we were when he was sitting on the bench of the United States supreme court waiting for the German vote to nominate him at Chicago. Even in his denunciation of the eight-hour law, he never advocates the repeal of it.

All in all, to summarize the character of Mr. Hughes' supporters, we

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President of United States Called "Woody" and "Sissy"

(From the Ashland Record) The National Hughes Alliance was organized at Medford last Wednesday evening and at Ashland, in Chautauque Tabernacle, Friday night. T. H. Simpson called the meeting to order and introduced Mrs. Ed Hanley of Medford, first vice-president for the state of Oregon, who took charge for the evening and made the opening speech.

This being the first meeting of the Hughes campaign and the first presidential fight in which the women take part, Mrs. Hanley's effort was notable. She roasted the president of the United States in a harangue that hasn't been duplicated since the days of Mary Ellen Lease. Calling him Woodrow and "Woody," she pictured him as a weakling and sissy man and jeered and sneered and hurled insults till he looked like 10 cents in the Roosevelt-Morgan panic and bankers' holiday of 1907. She heaped up ridicule and pushed it to a peak with the statement that "he has only been a success as a match-maker—an occupation in which women envy him."

Walter Tooze, state organizer for the Alliance, described the Chicago conventions as the place where the two wings of the party came together and were now marching in solid phalanx. He read figures showing the registration of voters in Jackson county and in Oregon—which disclosed overwhelming majorities for the republican party.

With studied deliberation Mr. Tooze recited that these people when they registered took an oath concerning their party allegiance and that those who registered as republicans and then vote for the reelection of President Wilson this fall are nothing but perjurers. He was so anxious to press this crown of thorns down upon the heads of his hearers that he went over it a second time.

This feature of the meeting was interesting, since it was the first announcement of this doctrine from a public platform by an official organizer in this campaign—though it has been used for some weeks by County Chairman Bert Anderson and his machine workers in their street disputes with the numerous body of republicans in Jackson county who declare that they are registered republicans, but will support Wilson. The further statement usually accompanies these street discussions, "You ought to be prosecuted for perjury."

Hot Water for Sick Headaches

Tells why everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it before breakfast.

Headache of any kind, is caused by auto-intoxication—which means self-poisoning. Liver and bowel poisons called toxins, sucked into the blood, through the lymph ducts, excite the heart which pumps the blood so fast that it congests in the smaller arteries and veins of the head producing violent, throbbing pain and distress, called headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish and miserable, your meals sour and almost nauseate you. Then you resort to acetanilide, aspirin or the bromides which temporarily relieve but do not rid the blood of these irritating toxins.

A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, drunk before breakfast for awhile, will not only wash these poisons from your system and cure you of headache but will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary canal. Ask your pharmacist for a quarter pound of limestone phosphate. It is inexpensive, harmless as sugar, and almost tasteless, except for a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant. If you aren't feeling your best, if tongue is coated or you wake up with bad taste, foul breath or heavy cold, indigestion, biliousness, constipation or sour, acid stomach, begin the phosphate hot water cure to rid your system of toxins and poisons. Results are quick and it is claimed that those who continue to flush out the stomach, liver and bowels every morning never have any headache or know a miserable moment.

SENSATIONAL ADVANCE IN COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—One of the most sensational advances in the history of the cotton market attended the publication of the two government reports here today. The demand was stimulated by the condition figures of 56.3, or the lowest on record, indicating a crop of only 11,637,000 bales. Within a few minutes after these figures were issued January contracts sold at \$17.95, or \$1.60 a bale above the closing price of last week.

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THE TWO MULES

"The grass in the other pasture always tastes better." This may apply to mules, but it is sheer folly for intelligent thinking men and women to be governed by such a fallacy. James J. Hill hits the keynote of community development when he says: "Buying at long range creates commercially the same conditions that are so universally felt where absentee landlordism prevails. If farmers, local business men and local merchants should unite to build up and maintain home trade, it would be a great benefit to the community of them all. Such co-operation is a part of the solution of the problem of making country life more attractive and more profitable." We have attractive stores and complete stocks here at home. Let's patronize them and add our bit to the prosperity of our home town.

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