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# GRIDIRON CLUB

Troubles of Miss Democracy Are Held up to View Washington.

### NOVEL FEATURES

Wilson, Harmon, Clark and Others, Who Aspire to the Presidency, Are Made the Objects of Clever Ridicule.

[Associated Press Dispatch] President Taft, some of the candi- first time the wool growers have Herbert S. Hockin, secretary,treas dates in person, prominent members combined their clips to be disposed of er; J. T. Butler, first vice-preside of congress of all factions, and in one sale guests from a number of states. Postivities began as usual with the blazing up of the red and white lights of the immense gridiron over the head of the presiding officer and from that moment until the diners were dismissed to the strains of "The Song That Touched My Heart" [Associated Press Dispatch! candidates of the democratic faith ST. LOUIS, Feb. 17 .- The legal bal were continually in evidence. They the for control of the Waters-Pierce appeared as judges of election; mem- (3) company will be resumed Monday hers of a court of honor, as Robin with the taking of depositions in the Hood's Band of lusty outlaws, and mardamus suit brought by the Stanby a few republican progressives and record the votes of Stundard repreregulars breaking in upon the domi- sentatives in the annual election. It mant and insistent democratic candi- was decided tonight that former Judg

Louis Carthe of the Baitimore special commissioner at the taking of American was initiated as president the depositions. of the club and was subjected to a grilling cross examination by ten presidential candidates in order to ed to know of Mr. Garthe whether Law Relating to Expatriated Women he favored tearing down custon houses and annexing Canada; La Follette asked what he would think of [Associated Press Dispatch] tion into rhyme, thus;

"Can I cut ice as a nomince"

er Abroad Safer than at Home." Harmon's pathetic appeal, "Running for a real president which would you rather have: Cleveland's bless ing, Bryan's curse or an Ohio candi date against you?" brought forth th comfortless answer, "My candidate

is not running in Ohio." The Gridiron club permits its guests to share in the fun attending the initiation of a new member and there was no exception tonight when M. Harry Stevens was added to the limited membership. A spot light in the darkened hall disclosed an old time bard, who de livered "The Lay of the Last Mins trel." His songs though set in classic music, were redolent of present politics. Thus sang Bryan of The Nomination." Believe me, if all those Endearing

Which so fondly to conquer Were to vanish temorrow and fade

in my arms. "You would still be adored as this

"Let the delegates vote as they aire," who for 25 years, until a recent

Would entwine itself verdantly rloyer out of his property "by im-

Asked for one of Taft's favorite

"Oh the tariff talk in Congress Halls, whereby Decker was made chief ben- nunciator shown to Ryan, and then "Grows sadder day by day,

"Upon the band to play, "A veto fiercely lurks about, With musket and with sword, "To kill a bill put through without

"Leave from Taft's Tariff Board." The whiskers were pulled from the being to ask about the alleged reminstrel's face by a suspicious mem- vocation by Haslett of a power of tions between officials of the union on system shortly after the Chicago ber and the trembling neophyte stood attorney held by John D. Lord, Has- the subject of the investigation of dy- packers were indicted for violation revealed. He was warned that only lett's attorney the last 25 years, Ambassador Bryce and Uncle Joe then examined as follows:

eral chant."

Commins?" "Oh, he's that fellow who wrote 'Every Little Movement,' etc." "Can you give us a song about Chamb Clark?" "I am afraid he might not like those

old Folk songs of mine." "What is your politics?" (Continued on Page 8)

### CONGRESS PERFORMS

Only Seven Months Behind Attorney General in Making An Important Discovery.

Associated Press Dispatch;

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 17.—When told day that the Hardwick committee of the house had at last declared a ugar trust existed, and voted an investigation, Attorney General Wicksham kuighed long and lond. "So congress has waked up, has it by Merry Burlesquers at Congress is slow, as usual. I found Mid-Winter Dinner at out to my own satisfaction months ago that there was a sugar trust which controlled 62 per cent of the output and filed suit for the govern- INSTRUMENT HAS ment. I am glid to know congres seven months after the suit was filed, ARE INTRODUCED has really discovered there is a sugar

> WOOL GROWERS MEET. Arrangements Will Be Made For Sale of Monster Clip.

Associated Press Dispatch] mary steps were taken regarding the sale, and adjournment was then tak en until February 24, when the sale

BATTLE WILL GO ON. Commissioner Will Take Depositions in Standard Oil Proceeding.

contenders in a steeplechase. The dard oil Rockefeller faction to com-Jesse A. McDonald will be appointed

MAY VOTE ANYHOW.

"God's patient poor biting a piece | WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 - A bill b out of a fat corporation every day," restore citizenship to American womwhile Oscar Underwood put his question who morry foreigners has been introduced by Representative Kent. of find out where the sounding board is." "If I cut steel and steel cuts me, Califonia, Under the expatriation law cracted in 1908 all American women The answer was: "Not if Mr. Bry- who marry foreigners take the natecnality of their busbands. The Kent To the "Gentlemen's Court of Hon- bill would amend the law so that or" was left the reply to Woodrow in states where the ballot is granted Wilson's query: "Is the Schoolmast- to women they will not be debarred from voting.

## POLICE ARREST

Also, they Pick Up an Attorney, Who is Accused With Assisting the Former in Conducting a Conspiracy.

[Associated Press Dispatch]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.-George H. "As they faded in campaigns gone Decker, employed as a nurse in the Brooklyn home of Samuel E. Haslett, known as the "hermit millionillness, allowed no one to enter the "Around your dear image each wish house, was arrested tonight charged with conspiracy to defraud his emissued for Attorney Frank J. Gardner apparatus hanging by wire against the airs, the minstrels sang to the tune who, according to the alleged conficiary of the aged millionaire. The "And Underwood unceasingly calls, arrest of Decker followed a raid on Haslett's residence, known as the house of mystery," when Chief Magistrate Otto Kemptner and two policemen were obliged to batter down the

Holding court at the sick man's Cannon were privileged to wear bedside Magistrate Kemptner was heards at Gridiron dinners, and was told by Haslett he never had signed any power of attorney, and supposed "What is your opinion of Woodrow Lord was still acting for him. The magistrate then ordered the arrest of "If you want me to sing it, I can Decker, who afterwards confessed acgive you a lovely, melancholy fan- cording to the magistrate, not only to falsity of power, which gave the al-Have you ever heard of Senator leged lawyer accomplice full power over the millionaire's bank account, but to having drawn up a will under which he received a large share of the estate. Kemptner said the lawyer for whom the warrant issued was a former state senator of race track possibility of such an arrangement by investigation notoriety. Gardner was

arrested late tonight on a conspiracy

Every Word of Several Accused Union Labor Leaders.

BEEN DISCOVERED

Use at Ironworkers' Headquarters Since October.

[Associated Press Dispatch] and other officials conferred concer ing their defense. This is said to have enabled two government stenographs n a room below to take daily report: of the conversations.

The use of the instrument was dis losed today when the government debearing now whatever we say." That with statements by Ryan, copvinesassistant attorney Clarence Nichols the apporatus is no longer useful. ernment received Intimations that some

of the defendants are ready to tell "all they know." About district attorney Charles W. Miller's office it was said, something had been expected," but Miller declined to say what. Miller onstration had occurred in Torreon the military affairs committee to be said the device worked satisfactory for nonths and many volumes of stenographic notes were taken to be used at the trials. The instrument was here today, stories of insults and problematical. In the expenditures still working today when the following was recorded:

Woman's Voice: "I wonder if there wires go to the jall, or whether they are listening to us now." Voice: I suppose so. Wish I could Hockin: Say, Ryan, do you know what a dictagraph looks like?" Ryan: Its about as big as a bat,

am told; but I never saw one." will go and take a look at it." After that Nichols said he had no loubt Ryan knew of the instrument. As a further showing of the operation Nichols gave out a sample conversation known to have taken place last

Wednesday soon after the arrests here Hockin: "Go right on boys' I will e there in a minute. Voice: (Evidently a reporter). Will bese men be able to get bail?"

Hockin: "We hope so, but we have o money to furnish" ronworkers treasury" Hockin; "About \$20,000, I think."

icture in this group?" Hockin: "Yes, that's him, right in a foreign land, Voice: "Is it your idea the govern-

about that. It beats the devil now belief that he could restore peace. there are so many things to think about. It seems the government ought

back will of the desk, directly beneath fession of Decker, drew up the will the top. It was disconnected, the an-

carried away. "What do you think about that?"

asked Ryan. "How did they get in here." When told that records had been taken of conversations in the office since Ocdoor to obtain admission, the object tober, Ryan said the government must & Co. substituted "metaorandum cost" have a transcript of many consultanamiting conspiracy. Wires from the of the criminal section of the antidevice ar nunciator can from back trust law of 1910, was admitted toof Ryan's desk, through the floor to day in the trial of the packers by the room below. Here sat every day H. A. Russell, who had been saleswith a receiving apparatus at their has been on the stand three days ears. Stenographers worked in re- and his examination was not conlays, except such times when it was cluded at adjournment today. designed to make a double record for corroboration. Both Ryan and Hockin said they were amazed that a device had been in operation in the office, though they had speculated on the the government investigators.

"They are welcome to anything I (Continued on Page 3)

## DEFENSE'S CONTENTION

etter Written by Boyce Shows He Did Not Favor Elopement of

Associated Press Dispatch] FORT WORTH, Feb. 17.—Tend sertion that Captain A. G. Boves Telephonic Device Records of his son, A. G. Boyce, Jr., and Legislators Just Now Are fining company, said: Mrs. J. D. Snead, whose husband on trial charged with having mur tered the elder Boyce, the prosecu tion read into the record today letter in which Captain Boyce described Mrs. Snead as "mean as the devil and smart as a whin?" The letter was written to a friend of the Boyce family in Chicago after young Boyce and Mrs. Snead had seen detained in Winnipeg Canada It is Said it Has Been in and urged that every influence the friend might have be exerted to prevent extradition as his return to resus I fear would bring a bad

nding to both parties." The letter told of the distressina condition of the boy's mother, and pleaded that efforts be made to preent extradition. Mutual friends were centioned as possibly having "some olitical pull or "some wires they can pull that you might induce

o the United States.

War Ravaged Mexico is Trembling in Balance Between Allegiance to Ma-His Authority.

Associated Fress Dispatch The trip from Torreon was slow. Though Chairman Helm did not in- had formed an alliance with no one. to Europe." owing to the necessity of repairing damaged track and rebuilding wrecked bridges, many of the latter being debridges, many of the latter being destroyed when the refugees' train had passed. The refugees brought reports that Torreon was surrounded to be a matter of which the committee of the burden of the burden with the committee of the burden with the problem of the burden with the committee of the burden with the summoned as a without the passed. Hockin: "I hear there is one on tween L000 and 2,000. Emiliano En- lieve Amsworth can be of service in exhibition in this city. I believe I ricuez, a Maderista appointee, was the matter. instatled as mayor of Juarez at 6 o'clock tonight, succeeding Santi-go Mestas.

LAREDO, Feb. 17.—Refugees from the interior of Mexico, including men, women and children, reached the bormain here until quiet is restored, All OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 17.—Aviator ler today. Many families will resaid the fear of possibilities rather William Hoff fell eighty feet this than actual happenings induced them afternoon at the Oakland aviation to leave their homes in Mexico.

Voice: "How much money is in the Vasquez Gomez tonight issued a man-hospital unconscious. The machine ifesto accepting the provisional presi- was apparently in good condition dency of Mexico. He subscribes to when it left the ground, and it is Voice: "By the way is McNamara's the plan of Tacubaya, which he says not known what caused the accident. was written while he was an exile Aviator Glenn Martin, a few mo-

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—President unburt. His machine was damaged. ment will pay the expenses of these Madero today accepted the resignamen coming to Indianapolis in March tion of Abraham Gonzales as min-Hockin: "Well now, that puts an resumed the governorship of the state Strike at Lawrence is in Fair Way ister of the interior. Gonzales has idea into my head; I had not thought of Chihuahua, where he went in the

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.-Notwithcity before the end of the week, the an early adjustment of the Lawrence of the first district republican conphonographic instrument in his office, rebels are yet regarding Torreon from strike was issued officially tonight vention today, finally made his yells ing staked as forfeit money for the be consented to have his informant a distance. Communication with that by the general strike committee of for "order" heard, and the body prosearch the office. An examination of town by telegraph was restored this the central labor union. According to ceeded to work. This was not the Johnson and Flynn. The time and noral means." A warrant also was Ryan's desk exposed an annunciator afternoon. The latest disputches indicate no improvement in the revolutionary situation.

> COST WAS CHANGED. That Was Testimony of a Witness in the Packers' Trial Yesterday.

[Associated Press Dispatch]

CHICAGO, Feb. 17 .- That Armour two stenographers for the government manager for that company. The wit- stored. All the coal companies are under direction of Rowland Evans, ness did not know who was respon- working full time filling contracts. stenographer for the federal court, sible for the change. The witness most of which is being stored.

THEY'RE FOR CLARK.

[Associated Press Dispatch]

# AT WASHINGTON

Engaged Sharpening the Probe for the War Department.

AINSWORTH TO BE A WITNESS

Like Banquo's Ghost the Late Military Unpleasantness Has Refused to Down.

Associated Press Dispatch] to use their influence to have him eral Wood and former Adjutant-General Amsworth, which culminated Charges pending in Fort Worth in the latter's retirement after gainst the younger Boyce were des threatened courtmartial, is now pracared a ruse to have him returned tically assured. Ainsworth it is supposed, will appear Monday before the the war department. He is directed to produce papers of the departmen may bearing on the letter dero and Revolt Against Secretary Stimson to Ainsworth set Chairman Hay said his committee

would report the resolution favorably EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 17.—While and sind-subtedly it would be passed. These papers, when produced, unno organized anti-United States dem- doubtedly will be turned over to by rebels, variously estimated at be- tee wishes to probe, and they be-

AVIATOR HURT.

meet, when his machine turned turtle in the air. Hoff was probably SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 17.-Emiliano fatally hart. He was hurried to a ments before Hoff fell, experienced a tumble of fifty feet, but escaped

TROUBLE MAY END.

Associated Press Dispatch of the differences,

PREPARE FOR STRIKE. Stored in the East.

[Associated Press Dispatch] PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 17.-The railroads in the Pittsburg district are preparing for a coal miners' strike, and a large quantity of coal is being

MINER WAS KILLED. Life of Francisco Jiminez Crushed Taft for re-nomination. Out By Falling Rock.

[Associated Press Dispatch] RAY, Ariz., Feb. 17.-Francisco [Associated Press Dispatch]

## REPORT IS NOT FAIR

Beck Says Congressional Strictures On the American Sugar Refining Company Are Unjust.

Associated Press Dispatch] PHILADELPHIA; Feb. 17 .- Comenting on the report of the Hardvick committee, James M. Beck, counsel for the American Sugar Re "The findings of the committee are

not likely to give investors in the sugar company any concern, for, fortunately, these questions of law and fact are the subject matter of a judicial inquiry now pending in the United States courts, and, therefore, will be determined in due course after a full bearing by the courts appointed for that purpose by the con stitution. However fair may have ommittee, its inquiry is very incomplete and partial. It called only such refused to allow counsel for the sufindings. Can this be less true where and numerous prison terms for for-

JUDGE IS IN EARNEST. One Man Is Found Who Will Enforce

ire involved?

Prohibitory Law. Associated Press Dispatch First he removed from office County sixteen places where it was alleged the prohibition law was being vialated. The county commissioners endorsed the action of Judge Allen.

NOT TRUE, SAYS HANNIN. La Follette Man Says His Chief Is which, he alleged, he needed to en-Not in Debt for Funds.

Associated Press Dispatch] WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.--J. J. Hantor La Follette, issued a statement since her hurried departure. They previous to the departure of the 133 thoroughly examined. What the McKirks committee will do in the matter after McKinley, campaign manager for their son, Ben Milbraith, in Gary, examining the papers Hay said is President Taft, had lent financial aid Ind., saying his aunt, Mrs. Selina to the La Pollette campaign and that Dickmayer, had received a postcard hisses directed at individual Ameris committee the inquiry is to extend the latter is in arrears for rent of cans in the streets of that city were into the affeirs of the war department affecting insular possessions. La Foliette will not withdraw, and Well and happy. On honeymoon trip

FIGHT CALLED OFF.

[Associated Press Dispatch] fight between Fred Welsh, English, less some place in Canada. and Jack Brittain of Chicago, scheduled for Feb. 22, was called off today. An old injury to Welsh's back, it is said, may keep him out of the game Bullard Says One Thing and Judge for two years.

## William Hoff Fell Eighty Feet and Will Probably Die.

publican Congressional Free for All Fight by cate Members.

[Associated Press Dispatch] GREENVILLE, Tenn., Peb. 17 --With blood streaming down his face from wounds received in a fight in [Associated Press Dispatch] which six men were felled with LAWRENCE, Feb. 17.-A report chairs, and in which pistols were Jim Flynn and Jack Curley have standing their threats to attack the that there is an excellent chance of drawn, Adam S. Bowman, chairman posted \$20,000 in currency or certified tion has been given them that some- Dr. H. D. Massey, former congress- public, but Curiev said several cities thing definite might be expected soon man, attempted to speak, the table are bidding. Curley intimated he may from the mill officers in Boston in on which he was standing was jerked not decide the place until May first. regard to meeting the demands of from under him and smashed, Conthe strikers. It is hoped the com- gressman S. H. Sells was opposed for numication may lead to a settlement nomination by Dr. Massey, The trouble started when the congressional committee decided to admit only persons holding tickets to the convention hall. Sells adherents at the doors in Vast Quantities of Coal Are Being large numbers rushed by the doorkeepers. When the convention was called to order and Bowman was the murder of her husband, a newsinnounced as chairman, delegates shouted a protest. Bowman, however, guilty and sentenced to life imprisafter the convention gavel had been snatched from his hand, substituted a heavy walking cane and pounded for order. A delegate arose, struck fense, Bowman, and a general fight ensued. A semblance of order was finally restored and two conventions were held on the spot, one re-nominating Sells, the other naming Massey, The Sells convention endorsed President

ARENTHAL DEAD.

Sir Henry Woodward Cooper, Much Married Man, is Wanted in City of Oakland.

FUGITIVE PLAYED A CLEVER TRICK

Went on an Ostensible Honeymoon Trip That Now Seems to Lead to Canada.

[Associated Press Dispatch] OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 17 .- The capture of Sir Henry Woodword Cooper; the man of many aliases, many wives the interests of 19,000 stockholders gery, who married Miss Anna Milbrath here and left with her the same day for Vancouver, B. C., 68tensibly on a honeymoon trip, but in reality to avoid reincarceration in San Quentin for violation of a parole, is believed by the police to be matter of only a few hours. Cooper, or Chadwick, as he is known in the San Francisco courts, is reported to SAPULPA, Okla., Feb. 17.-Acting have lived in Seattle and traveled District Judge Allen's campaign for thence to Canada. Miss Milbrath's the enforcement of the prohibition father and mother each swore to a law took a sensational turn today complaint today for the arrest of the facile forger and fictitious physi-Attorney Decker and then Sheriff cian who, as Dr. Milton Abrahams, John Berry. In their places he named fled with their daughter on money two men, who immediately raided they had raised by mortgaging their home, leaving behind him his wife and children in this city.

Mrs. Milbralth charged Cooper with having obtained money under false pretenses, and exhibited promissory notes for \$2,000 which "Abrahams" gave her in return for \$1,000 cash, ble him to secure an immense estate left him by his father and mother, who were killed in a railroad accident in Egypt. The parents have renin, personal representative of Sena- ceived no word from their daughter

Mrs. Dickmayer is executrix of an estate in Germany from which her niece is to receive a legacy of \$2,395. The parents fear that Cooper, finding himself closely pursued, will abandon SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.-The their daughter and leave her penni-

> WELL, WHAT ABOUT IT? Little Says Another.

[Associated Press Dispatch] GLOBE, Ariz., Feb. 17.-The conention whether the terms of all notaries public expired when Arizona became a state has not been settled. Judge P. S. Little has declared that ccording to article 22, section 2, of Arizona constitution, the terms notaries do not expire at that ime. According to a ruling by Attorney-General Bullard, all notaries must take out new commissions. First Tennessee District Re- Judge Little sald he had a notary in his office appointed a few days before statehood was proclaimed, and Convention is Scene of it necessary he would fight in the courts for the old notarial certifi-

FORFEIT IS POSTED.

It Really Looks as Though Johnson - and Flynn Mean Business.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.-Jack Johnson, checks with A! Tearney, this sum be-

WHICH IS RIGHT? Trial Jury in Texas Reverses Verdict of Its Predecessor.

Associated Press Dispatch GATESVILLE, Texas, Feb. 17 .-Mrs. Minnie L. Streight, accused of paper publisher, who was found onment on her first trial, was acquitted today at the end of the second trial, on the ground of self-de-

SAN DIEGO WINS. Fight Over Route for State Highway Has Been Settled.

[Associated Press Dispatch! EL CENTRO, Feb. 17 .- At a meeting of delegates from all towns of the Imperial valley today a resolukell county today selected seven dele- Jiminez was killed in Mine No. 2 VIENNA, Feb. 17.—Count Alois tion was adopted favoring the route gates to the state democratic con- today, as he was eating lunch, by a Lexa von Arenthal, Austro-Hungarian by way of the Devil Canyon and San vention instructed for Clark for pres- falling slab. Two others escaped un- minister of foreign affairs, died to- Diego for the new state highway