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MAKES GOOD IMPRESSION.

Carl P. Kuehne, of Denison, Iowa, lawyer, banker and general business man, who visited here yesterday and spoke at the Commercial club, made a good impression, and because of his gift of public speaking and his intimate acquaintance with the educational development of the state...

Mr. Kuehne is a candidate for governor of Iowa. He is seeking the nomination at the June primary—he admits it himself. He is a man of broad education who for years has taken an active part in politics...

His appeal is to the people of Iowa as a business man's representative, one who has had broad experience in doing things. It is interesting, here at least, to note that he comes from German parentage and that he has from the beginning had held up to him the ideal of education as an end to be attained not only for its own sake, but also because it gives the possessor the ability to serve others.

REPUBLICAN PARTY UNITED.

Washington, Dec. 22.—(Special cor. respondents)—If any hungry democratic congressman slipped by the doorkeeper at Representative Wm. B. McKinley's "Get Acquainted" party a few days ago, he probably slunk out the rear door with his free trade ears drooping and then wrote back home to store the plea in the barn out of the weather and be kind to the old mule because things were sort of slipping in Washington and he would be back home in 1916 to return to breaking the globe for a considerable spell.

Nothing like that love feast has been witnessed in the New Willard hotel since Landlord's Hight's grandpa wore copper toed boots. It wasn't one of those sit-down-to-table affairs with your next seat neighbor to talk to and nimble footed waiter bothering your elbow, but a buffet luncheon. Tables were ranged along two walls of the big red room, where you could get anything from oysters creamed in a chafin dish to "hot" food, good food and no frills. Just step right up and help yourself. Beat it standing and gossip between bites.

The only formality was being introduced to the new members of congress, "the freshman class," as Congressman Mann calls them. As you stepped into the room you saw before you a long U-shaped line of capable looking men, each wearing a badge showing the state from which he hailed. You walked along the line and were introduced to each member, and then the glad hand. When you arrived at the end of the line the names were shaken up in your memory like the pills in a Kelly pool bottle, but that didn't matter because "by their fruits ye shall know them." After everybody had shaken hands with everybody else the line broke up and there was a general levee of "hold overs," "come backers" and "newcomers" to accept Host McKinley's terminology.

The hum of voices and gusts of laughter continued for half an hour, when Representative Martin Madden of Illinois, was chosen toastmaster and some of the guests were called upon for impromptu remarks. Senators Weeks, Harding and Sherman laddered on some political hot-shot, and then George O'Connor, Washington's silver throated tenor, sang some coon songs. When he had finished, Floor Leader Mann addressed the new members, giving some sage advice, but remaining strangely non-committal as to what committee assignments he intended for them. The imitator J. Adam Beale, former representative from Minnesota, followed. Mr. Beale admitted following the Chautauqua circuit, or "Bryan Boulevard," as he calls it, and he punctuated some good republican logic with a number of side splitting anecdotes. Senator William Alden Smith was requested to speak, but he had been called out. Finally they passed the buck to "Uncle" Joe Cannon, who, possessed of the vigor of youth and the experience of forty years of political forensics, proceeded to lambaste the democratic party until nothing was left but the rim, and that was broken. The addresses closed with a few words of welcome from "our genial host," Hon. Wm. B. Mc-

kinley, who is a "come backer," and let it be known, a "stay hither." Underlying all the laughter, loquacity and eloquence of the evening was the stern resolve to dislodge the democracy in 1916 and the firm conviction that it will be done. That feeling pervaded the gathering. It permeated the atmosphere. You could sense it as you entered the room. And why not? The republican party presents a united front today. The family quarrel is dropped that the enemy, which sneaked into the house while the family was having it out in the back yard, may be kicked into the street. When Mr. McKinley first proposed the party somebody suggested it be called a "get together" party. "Get together, nothing," replied McKinley. "We are already together. We'll call it a 'get acquainted' party, and the invitations so announced it, and an enjoyable time was had by all.

WILSON AND NEBRASKA

And now it is the democrats of Nebraska who are employing the peculiar election laws of that state. A petition has been filed to put Woodrow Wilson's name on the primary ticket as a candidate for the presidency. Despite the one-term plank in the Baltimore platform, we do not think that Mr. Wilson will follow the example of Justice Hughes and order his name taken off the ballot. There was a time when the democratic platform was declared to be no "molasses to catch flies," and when its pledges were said to have been made "to be kept in office." It is now plain that any or all of these pledges will be broken if thereby it will help to keep Wilson in office.

NON-PARTISANSHIP.

President Wilson has decided that preparedness should be made a non-partisan issue. Senator Owen and his cohorts have decided that a cloture rule in the senate should be made a non-partisan question. These momentous decisions were reached after it had been discovered that neither preparedness nor cloture could be put through by democratic votes only. The non-partisanship which Mr. Wilson, Mr. Owen and others in the democratic party adhere to is the kind of

non-partisanship which consists solely in getting republicans to pull democratic chestnuts out of the fire. When there is a reliable democratic majority to be had, there is no talk of non-partisanship. A secret party caucus is held, which votes to hogtie all the opponents and whatever the caucus majority may at the minute have in mind; and then the caucus mandate is executed by party votes in the senate or house, as the case may be. But when the democratic majority is slender, or not to be depended upon, then comes the cry of non-partisanship.

It is a familiar democratic trick, and it is by no means confined to Washington. We have seen it right here in our own community many a time. We can all recall democratic candidates for minor offices who got about soliciting republican votes on the ground that no real party question is at stake. Sometimes—too often, we are bound to say—republicans fall for this sort of thing. We doubt, however, if they do so this time. They will co-operate with President Wilson in a program for preparedness. But they will lay much emphasis on the "Co." and if Mr. Wilson wants to be non-partisan in the matter he will have to be more considerate of republican opinion and suggestion than he ever yet has been.

COSTLY EDUCATION.

Two years ago American business men voluntarily went to Washington to give the president and congress the benefit of their knowledge and experience upon matters which were the subject of proposed legislation. President Wilson denounced them as an "insidious lobby" and drove them from the capital. In his message to congress a few days ago the president indicated his intention to call business men into conference upon important government problems. Two years ago he wanted to hang some of them "higher than Haman." After putting the American business man through an experience little better than hanging, Mr. Wilson realizes that after all, practical business knowledge is of great value and that even a college professor can learn from business men. But what a pity it is that Mr. Wilson took two years to find out his error! What a pity that American industry paid so dearly for Mr. Wilson's education!

"An Old Time Democrat" writes to the Omaha Bee to express the "hope that Mr. Wilson will be shown where he is at by the next congress," and adds that "without any doubt the voters of the union will show him where he belongs next fall."

Confronted by a deficit which he admits to be more than a hundred million Mr. McAdoo comes blithely to congress and asks money to employ 485 additional collectors of income tax at \$1600 a year each. The boys must have jobs, whether the treasury is full or empty.

The balance in the national treasury on December 4th was \$17,185,000. On December 11th it had dropped to \$11,147,000. These are the balances as given after Secretary McAdoo has twice revised the form of statement with the result of making a much larger apparent balance than if the form in use by republican administrations had been followed. It is now impossible to compare the balance with the figures of the republican administration.

On the plea that, in these troublous times, public men and public buildings should be closely protected against bombs, dynamite and other forms of assault, the democrats in congress are to appoint a lot of additional special police for the capitol building. These jobs will be parcelled out by the democratic representatives and the bulk of these will go to the south, which already has all the desirable chairmanships and other good places.

Secretary McAdoo thought to use publicity in getting back the money advanced by the government more than a year ago to bring back stranded Americans from Europe. But his scheme has come to naught. He has published the names, but the owners thereof have not paid up. It was a silly plan anyway—hardly less, silly than the president's notion to "haze" men who do not agree with him politically. If McAdoo really wanted to get that money back, why didn't he sue for it? There are plenty of federal attorneys who have none too much to do, and they could have brought suit easily and effectively. As it is, McAdoo is getting the laugh, and from none more lustily than from those who will not pay.

Thirty-eight of the fifty-six chairmanships in the house of representatives are held by southern democrats, and only one important chairman hails from a northern state. The south is in the saddle when the democrats rule in Washington.

Christmas savings clubs are mighty good things, provided the money for them was not obtained by buying goods on credit.

Christmas brings the shortest days of the year, partly because the sun is south of the equator, and partly because of the gift habit.

The present generation expects Santa to bring an automobile, in spite of the fact that it is a pretty big article to get down the modern chimney.

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While next year is leap year, lovely women long ago learned to accomplish the same results any old year by induction.

ORIGINAL NOTICE.

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Crawford County, January Term, 1916. Hon. E. G. Albert, Judge.

Walter Vandusen, Plaintiff, vs. Elvira Vandusen Sharrar, Stewart Sharrar, Mary Vandusen Jacobs, Norman Crouch, Stella Crouch Wooster, Howard L. Wooster, Ray F. Allison, Rose Allison, Edna Compton Coats, Arthur Coats, Arthur Vandusen and Sadie Vandusen, Defendants.

You and each of you are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff, Walter Vandusen, is now on file in the office of the clerk of the district court, in and for Crawford County, state of Iowa, alleging that he, the said plaintiff, and the defendants, Elvira Vandusen Sharrar, Mary Vandusen Jacobs, Norman Crouch, Stella Crouch Wooster, Ray F. Allison, Edna Compton Coats and Arthur Coats, are each the owners of an undivided one-seventh interest in the above described real estate, and that the defendants, Elvira Vandusen Sharrar, Mary Vandusen Jacobs, Norman Crouch and Stella Crouch Wooster, are each the owners of an undivided one-fourteenth interest in the above described real estate; that said owners are unable to agree upon a division or partition of said real estate; and asking the court to enter a decree confirming the shares of the parties as above alleged, and to the above described real estate, and ordering that a sale of said real estate be made, and that a division of the proceeds, over and above all costs and attorney's fees, be made between the above named owners according to their respective shares. For further particulars see petition which is now on file.

And that unless you appear thereto and do so before noon of the second day of the next term of said court, commencing at Denison, Crawford county, Iowa, on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1916, default will be entered against you and judgment rendered thereon as prayed for.

Dated this 18th day of December, A. D. 1915. WALTER VANDUSEN, Plaintiff. P. J. Klinker, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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