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THE GUM CHEWERS.

I sit beneath my greenwood tree and watch the girls go by, a-chewing gum with ecstasy and ardor in each eye; they chew their gum as though they knew that every bit of gum they chew will take them nearer to the blue and angel-haunted sky.

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NOW, EVERYBODY BOOST.

This is fair week in Boise and that means that every citizen of the city should devote at least one day to a good, hearty boost.

In view of the weather forecast which threatens rain for the middle and last of the week, we especially urge Boise residents to get out tomorrow and make sure of one pleasant and profitable trip to the exposition.

People appreciate the advantages of a fair such as this being held in Boise, but many times they are slow and negligent in making manifest their appreciation by their attendance and in no other way can proper and effective appreciation be shown.

HOW PITIFULLY WEAK IS TAFT.

Reports of the organization of Taft clubs in various sections of the state read more like reports from the formation of a Socialist local or a Prohibition club than of the old-time Republican organizations.

It shows what we have contended for so long that the old Republican party is dead. Out of its ashes may arise a new Republican party, but we are inclined to the belief that even the old name, as a party designation, will depart and be buried with the corrupt organization which boldly stole away the remnants of what was once a glory to the nation and a pride to its membership.

If a new organization shall arise, accepting and adopting the old name, it will be only in the event that the present receivers of stolen goods voluntarily make return of the property they have stolen, retire to private life and surrender all claim or right to the name or connection with the organization.

Borah's allegiance is not to the old Republican party, but to the new Republican party which he hopes to see arise from the ashes of the old one. That is the case with Cummins of Iowa, Hadley of Missouri, Osborn of Michigan and hundreds of other leaders in the old organization, who repudiate and disown the theft of the old party as well as the thieves who committed the theft.

Should such a reformation take place, it will be with those in full charge and authority who now are attempting to purge the old organization of its rottenness and uncleanness and not by those who excuse, condone and pardon the very rottenness and crimes which have degraded the once grand old party.

Should it be so unfortunate that the old organization as now controlled should be successful, there never could come about a reformation or reorganization, for those now unjustly and corruptly at the head, filled with pride and made haughty by their victory, would still further extend their wicked domination over the party and its followers.

In either event, those who oppose the organization as now controlled and who are laboring to bring about the defeat of those unjustly in control of the organization, have everything to gain by their course and absolutely nothing to lose.

HOW THEY DESERT TAFT.

Secretary Davis was the one selected to deny a story issued in the Capital News last week to the effect that Chairman Day had directed a practical abandonment of the fight for Taft in Idaho in order, if possible, to save a portion of the state ticket.

Moreover, inasmuch as the Capital News charged that it was State Chairman Day who made these arrangements, why should it have been Secretary Davis selected to make the denial?

The truth of the matter is the Republican state central committee has abandoned hope of carrying Idaho for Taft and are trying to save their state ticket.

The great masquerade carnival parade this week is to be led by "King Ohadi, the Mysterious," and it promises to be some sight, too, but if the Rainmakers had just arranged to have it led by "The Mysterious John Brown," what a crowd it would bring out!

A Boise lecturer says there is no hell fire. That shows that he is not connected with the special interests with an election approaching for Nov. 5!

The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron.

WE call her the baby doll lady because that is her pose. She is at least 25—we are inclined to make it nearer 30—but apparently she is not conscious of the fact.

Nor is her manner by any means out of harmony with her clothes. To hear her gleeful, childish laughter, to see her clap her hands in delight and jump up and down when anything pleases her, to watch her prouthing about in her bathing suit and shrieking with babyish terror when she is urged to enter the water, to see her pout when she is teased, you would surely say that she was not more than 16 at the very most.

At which she would certainly be vastly pleased, for that is just exactly what she wants you to say. Now if there is anything I love, it is a man or woman who is still young despite the passing of the years, who can still enjoy the sports and games of childhood, who can still feel the enthusiasm of youth long after childhood and youth have fled—in short the men and women who always keep the child heart somewhere within them, even though "daily farther from the east they still must travel."

And yet, if there is any woman in our town that I come pretty near to disliking, it's the baby doll lady. You think that's inconsistent? Not at all.

In the same proportion that anything is beautiful, its cheap imitation is likely to be hideous, and so it always seems to me that that girl's pose is an insult to real youth.

I have known grown women who really laughed with almost childlike glee when they were especially delighted but they didn't know that it sounded that way. This girl does. You can fancy that she is saying to herself, "Now I am laughing with childlike glee." "Now I look like a little bit of a girl who is scared of the water," etc., etc.

Let me tell you something. When you do anything and think to yourself as you do it, "I must look or sound like this or that," beware—you are posing, and at least three-quarters of your audience knows that you are posing, and instead of admiring you, is either amused or disgusted.

The baby doll lady is the joke of the town. The neighborhood mimic is always applauded when she approaches her childlike laughter or her pouting and her absurdities are pointed out as a bad example to all young girls.

And all the time she is clever enough and pretty enough to be a popular girl if she only wouldn't pose. Don't pose. It doesn't pay. Nobody loves a poseur—at least not for very long. And if you don't know when you

are doing it, just use my test—you are posing whenever you have a subconscious eye on the effect you are creating.

SURPRISED THAT CHECK CAME BACK

State Chairman Gipson Replies to Letter Written by Captain Davis.

State Chairman J. H. Gipson of the Progressive state central committee, has replied to the letter of Secretary Davis of the Republican state central committee, who issued to the morning organ of the state committee, an alleged humorous letter to Mr. Gipson returning a check in the sum of \$1.50 which had been issued to Mr. Gipson, as chairman, by Paul Davis, as secretary of the Progressive committee, and which had evidently been lost and taken to Captain Davis. Mr. Gipson's reply is as follows:

Boise, Idaho, Oct. 7, 1912. Captain E. G. Davis, Secretary Republican State Central Committee, Boise, Idaho.

My Dear Captain Davis: I have received your letter of Oct. 5, returning check for \$1.50 which your state was found and delivered at your headquarters.

The surprising part of this whole transaction is not that such a check was issued and lost; not that it was found by some wag, who had no difficulty in imposing upon your childlike nonsense with a story that I wished to contribute to the Republican campaign fund; not that you finally realized that this cruel wag had made an ass out of you; but that the check should have finally reached its rightful owner after having been in your hands.

Broader issues than small checks are to be discussed in this campaign. I suggest that you direct your attention to something that the people are interested in.

Yours truly, J. H. GIPSON, State Chairman.

SMOCK RECEIVED BY BIG CROWDS IN NORTH

Progressive headquarters this morning received a message from Shoshone county giving an account of the great meetings held there Saturday and Sunday night by P. Monroe Smock, candidate for congress. The telegram de-

Birthday Calendar



If This is Your Birthday

Annoyances will come but will only exercise your character and make it stronger. Worrying and impatience will bring on ill health and weakness. Pleasant times will come in your family and you will form close friendships.

Those born today will be fond of dress and inclined to be vain. They will be too generous for their own prosperity and, although clever, will keep themselves short of money by their careless habits.

declares that Roosevelt will carry Shoshone county by not less than 800 plurality. The message is as follows: "P. Monroe Smock, candidate for congress, had a nice meeting at Wallace last night and he spoke at the Y. M. C. A. at Kellogg this Sunday, afternoon. He will address the high school at Kellogg Monday afternoon and will deliver a political speech at Kellogg Monday night.

"Taft men here concede this county to Roosevelt by 800. It looks very good for Borah in this county."

FRIDAY TAG DAY FOR THE CHILDREN'S HOME

Friday is Tag day and every one who knows of the little children in the Home Finding society and of their needs will be ready to spend a little money to help. They need so many things, new clothes especially, for children always tear their clothes, and these little tots in the home are exactly like other children. Save your spare change for Tag day and help to make the Home Finding children happy.

KIDNAPING CAUSE OF ANOTHER SUIT

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 7.—That Marjorie Riemann herself will bring suit against the same defendants against whom her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Magnusson, was recently awarded a verdict of \$23,000, for the young girl's alleged kidnaping, for an even greater amount than that asked for by her mother, was intimated today by Attorney Frank Kelly. Mrs. Magnusson sued Bishop Edward J. O'Dea, Father C. S. Van-Gothen, Sisters of the Visitation and Attorney Louis Febvre for \$40,000 damages in a suit just closed, in which she alleged Marjorie was lured away from her home and kept secreted by these defendants.

MARTIN ATTACKS THE STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Gives Figures Showing the Low Valuation Placed on Railroads—Favors Carey Act Commission.

(Capital News Special Service)

Buhl, Oct. 7.—G. H. Martin, Progressive nominee for governor, held a fine meeting here Saturday night. In spite of the heavy rain that was falling he spoke to an audience of some 400. He dealt extensively with the question of Carey act land matters, declaring that the first consideration of the state should be for the welfare of the settlers and a full protection of their rights, and this, he believed, would largely secure the investors the best protection they could secure. He declared for fair treatment of the construction companies consistent with these views. He favored a Carey act commission and declared that in the future the development of Carey act lands should be done by the state, thus eliminating the great profits of the construction companies and assuring settlers their water at actual cost.

There is much Progressive sentiment in this section and it is growing rapidly. In his speech Mr. Martin attacked the state board of equalization, declaring its work had favored the great special interests of the state at the expense of the farmers and small property owners. He said that the main track of the great railroads of this state were assessed last year in the state of Washington, just across the line from Idaho, at from \$80,000 to \$100,000 per mile, while in Idaho they were assessed at only \$62,000 per mile. He also told of the great difference in value given on railroads in Bonner county, this state, and on the same roads in Washington state, and cited the case of the Aberdeen branch of the Oregon Short Line, which was assessed at a valuation actually less for the acreage in its right-of-way than similar adjoining farm lands were assessed, the railroad company actually paying less taxes for its railway line than farmers paid per acre for the same amount of land. He told of the sale of an electric railway at Boise for \$800,000 cash, one check being made for \$650,000 at one time, while the state board of equalization the same year had assessed the same property for but \$136,000, or only one-sixth the value for which it sold actual cash.

Card of Thanks. We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and floral offerings during the illness and death of our husband and father. Signed, MRS. DRUMMOND & FAMILY. Adv. O-7

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DON'T SCOLD AN IRRITABLE CHILD

If Tongue Is Coated, Stomach Sour, Breath Feverish Give "Syrup of Figs" to Clean the Bowels.

Your child isn't naturally cross, irritable and peevish, Mother! Examine the tongue; if coated, it means the little one's stomach is disordered, liver inactive and its thirty feet of bowels clogged with foul, decaying waste.

Every mother realizes after giving delicious "Syrup of Figs" that this is the ideal laxative and physic for children. Nothing else regulates the little one's tender stomach, liver and bowels so effectively, besides their dearest love's delightful fig taste.

For constipated bowels, sluggish liver, biliousness, or sour, disordered stomach, feverishness, diarrhoea, sore throat, bad breath or to break a cold, give one-half to a teaspoonful of "Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the clogged up waste, sour bile, undigested food and constipated matter will gently move on and out of the system without griping or nausea, and you will surely have a well, happy and smiling child again shortly.

With Syrup of Figs you are not dragging your children, being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics it cannot be harmful.

Full directions for children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the package. Ask your druggist for the full name, "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," prepared by the California Fig Syrup Co. This is the delicious tasting, genuine old reliable. Refuse anything else offered. Adv.

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS

That I, . . . . . being of sound mind and hard heart, do hereby make, publish and declare this my

Last Will and Testament,

I leave to my wife One Washboard, One Tub, One Well Worn Clothes Wringer and One Old Clothes Line, believing that she will find them useful after I am gone.

To my friends I leave the memory of my indifference and unusual selfishness. To the serious minded man who tried to insure me in the IDAHO STATE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY I leave recollections of my continued refusal.

To my children I leave Some Threadbare Garments, Wornout Shoes and An Empty Cupboard.

The remainder of my property, to-wit: Some Dilapidated Furniture, Doctor's Bills and Sundry Debts, I leave to my relations, share and share alike.

My fear of the wrath of a just God I cannot leave and this I take with me.

I leave to posterity this epitaph: "He provided not for his own; not even for those of his own household."

Witness My Hand, This . . . . . day of . . . . . 1912.