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Prepare for the Party Whip!

When one comes to consider the attitude of that man John D. Worker, alleged progressive senator from California, it is well to have handy a wash basin, a towel and a supply of first-aid remedies for "that tired feeling."

He prefers La Follette as the leading true progressive and pronounces Taft to be an unadorned reactionary. However, he says—and if they ever tack a patronymic on Works it should be "However John"—it is our duty to support Taft and thus "reform the republican party from within."

The party! The party! The party! Isn't there a public man of any size at all who realizes that the people are not caring a continental for the party? What the people are considering, in these times, is not empty partisanship but empty market baskets. It is men and principles rather than party leashes that are leading the people now as not in many years past.

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It Touches the Whole Nation

If U. S. Judges can enjoin the people from EVEN ASKING FOR TRANSFERS on a street car, as that Judge Hanford of Seattle did, and if federal prosecutors can be found to cause arrest of people for criticizing such an infamous injunction, what is there left of the right of free speech?

Remember, it is not now the poor, starved I. W. W. who are trying to say things on a street corner, but it is lawyers, editors, representatives of city and county governments who are under arrest for protesting against a judicial act.

THE MATTER IS OF CONCERN TO THE WHOLE NATION. Shall the courts be king, with right to imprison the people as mere vassals? This is the question. We say NO! The judiciary, as Thomas Jefferson feared, is like a thief in the night, stealing the right of liberty, and IT MUST BE STOPPED!

Didn't Pray By Rule

Funny how city authorities lack sense of humor, isn't it? The other day they arrested a man in New York because he was praying for the "wicked rich" in front of the Fifth Avenue palaces.

Now, if he had changed one word and said "wicked poor" instead, they'd have handed him a Fifth Avenue church to pray in.

OF THE 246 towns and cities in Vermont, 63 celebrated their 150th birthdays this summer.

LARGEST typewriter made handles the Russian language and its 36 characters. Not much chance for Merchant Ching-a-Ling to have a pretty typewriter girl in his office. Would take machine big as a house to record the 60,000 Chinese word signs.

ENGLAND is having a plague of wasps. But that isn't what's stinging the rich American divorcees.

UP in British Columbia they train mallard ducks in six weeks to decoy wild birds within reach of guns. Do it quicker than with human geese down here.

A TIMES reader has sent in a clipping from one of the Special Interest newspapers quoting Senator Wesley L. Jones as saying that Taft will have an easy victory in 1912, that he is a true progressive and that his vetoes will help him. "Wouldn't this cook you?" asks the Times reader. It would, gentle reader; it would.

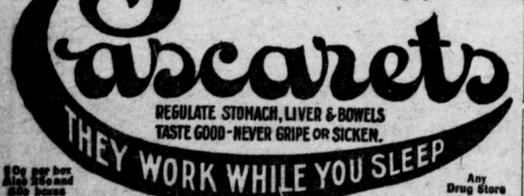
THE MARKETS

PRICES PAID PRODUCER.

Apples, local, 75c @ \$1 box; peaches, 5 @ 6c lb.; sweet corn, 15 @ 20c doz. Blackberries, \$1.40; logan berries, \$2 @ \$2.25; beans, 8c lb.; cabbage, 80c doz.; cauliflower, 85c @ 75c doz.; beets, 12 1/2c doz.; turnips, 7c; local, 12 1/2c doz.; potatoes, \$1 @ 1.35; onions, 12 1/2c doz.; radishes, 12 1/2c doz.; lettuce, 15 @ 25c doz.; tomatoes, 8 @ 10c lb.; green eggs, 32 @ 35c.

BILIOUSNESS, SALLOW SKIN, HEADACHE, SLUGGISH BOWELS—TAKE CASCARETS

You're bilious, you have a throbbing sensation in your head, a bad taste in your mouth, your eyes burn, your skin is yellow with dark rings under your eyes, your lips are parched. No wonder you feel ugly, mean and ill-tempered. Your system is full of bile not properly passed off, and what you need is a cleaning up inside. Don't continue being a bilious nuisance to yourself and those who love you, and don't resort to harsh physios that irritate and injure. Remember, that every disorder of the stomach and liver and intestines can be quickly cured by morning with gentle, thorough Cascarets.



Observations

Why Some of 'Em Get There "That member of congress says you have voted for him for the last fifteen years."

Gompers, that great friend of labor, is doing some fine work for Harriman, socialist candidate for mayor of Los Angeles.

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READ THIS TO DOCTOR "I was suffering so much, doctor, that I wanted to die."

Thirty fissures belching fire and lava on Mt. Etna—or thirty excursion agents belching advertising to make the winter season in Italy good.

Dr. Henry Smith Williams says that to be really happy you've got to wrestle once a day. Humpf!

Banks throughout the country show decreases in loans. Getting ready to be swallowed by Mr. Aldrich, or are investors lying low until Bill converts the west to high cost of living?

Amendments 6 and 47 to California's constitution are a step toward the state's control of bond issues by corporations.

French army aeronauts proved that they can locate all batteries above ground. Now for a subterranean fleet!

Rear Admiral Ching Pin Kwang, second in command of China's navy, is doing America, but we're not making half the fuss that we did over Togo.

What! "Divine Right" Baer arrested on charge of causing the sale of bad eggs? But maybe the Lord handed the divine right in rotten eggs over to George as George claims in the case of coal.

That brute who murdered 7-year-old Annie Lemberger, near Madison, Wis., begged to be rushed into court. He was probably opposed to recall of the judiciary and feared that a "mob" who favored the recall would get him.

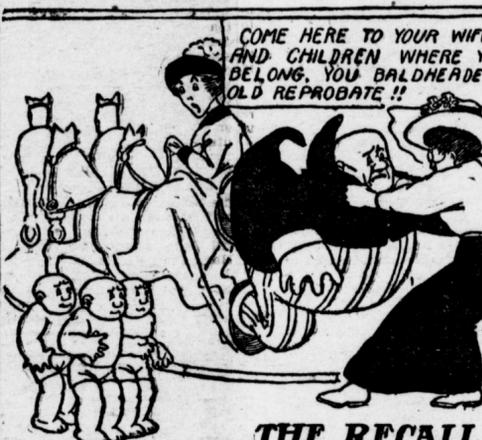
Cost of funerals is going up. Every avenue of escape is gradually being closed against us.

OUR DAILY BIRTH-DAY PARTY.

Jever hear that story about the Chinaman and the yaller dog?

It's one of Marshall P. Wilder's favorites. If you've heard the joke the chances are you've seen Marshall, and conversely, if you've seen Marshall, you've probably heard the joke. In his capacity of humorist he has jested with kinks and slich until he has absorbed the taint of royalty by osmosis and called himself a prince—"the Prince of Entertainers," say the billboards. But far be it from us to press-agent Marshall. Suffice it to say here that he is 62 years old today.

EV. TRUE CHANCES TO ILLUSTRATE A TRIO OF POPULAR PRINCIPLES

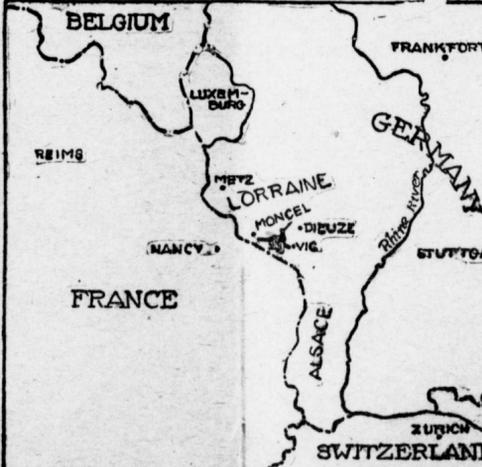


In the Editor's Mail

Everybody in Pierce county reads this column. Short letters from Times readers, of general interest and without personal malice, will be printed.

Editor Times: Full hard for to get hold of the Home telephone by the city. We will subscribe some cash. This is what I have been waiting for. We want a phone, but don't have to up.

DOVE OF PEACE ON THE WING! GERMAN GUNS READY TO ROAR!



Germany is making warlike moves against France. German troops are being concentrated near the French frontier.

Red Cross Ball Blue makes the laundress happy, makes clothes whiter than snow. If you wish beautiful, clear white clothes, use Red Cross Ball Blue. At all good grocers.

MOST ANYTHING

Granulated sugar has gone up in price. And if you don't like it, you can lump it.

Why is it that when fruit is cheap, sugar is high? Because the canny sugar man knows it is canning time. And somebody must get the money.

It is claimed that more wooden shoes are worn in Chicago, Grand Rapids or Holland, Mich., than in Amsterdam.

An umbrella provided with windows is the latest fad in Paris.

Those naughty Parisians! They don't want to miss any rainy-day sights.

Over 1,300 European girls want to marry Hetty Green's son—but he's not as green as he looks.

Fame is like a jag; you can sleep it off, but it leaves a big head.

No one has to marry a Robert W. Chambers heroine—so the world is not such a bad place after all.

There are nearly 6,000 common schools in Norway and 83,978 passengers were carried through the Suez canal in 1910.

The 528 public schools of New York city have 710,000 children enrolled.

Tips for Heiresses. In years that are gone, an heiress with a coachman did elope; while now a chauffeur bridegroom is the very latest dope.

Religiously would cater, Will not elope with such as these, But choose an aviator.

Speaking of heiresses the Geraghtys are living in a Newport cottage and Mrs. Geraghty is doing the cooking. How would you like to eat meals cooked by a Newport heiress?

It's Called "La Hoop." Crinoline is coming back. It is used on the bottom of the latest skirts. These skirts have the effect of cutting in and then curving outward.

There was a riot at a lecture in a New York negro church when an address on Johnson proved to be about Dr. Samuel Johnson instead of Jack.



What do you think of Magistrate Otto Kemper of Brooklyn? He ruled that cucumbers are not vegetables in the meaning of the law but fruit.

That grows on a vine is fruit, he says. Which lets tomatoes, pumpkins and egg plants out of the vegetable class.

Pu-Yi, the child emperor of China, went to school the other day for the first time in his life. And every other school kid in China got a holiday to celebrate the event.

Publication Printers Day and Night Service.

A New Hat for \$1 Your oldest hat cleaned and blocked and looks just like new for only \$1. This is really a \$1.50 job. Val McMennamin 118 So. 9th St. Just Off Pacific Ave.

THEY ALL FALL FOR IT.



Temper'ment

I. I've got an awful weight upon my heart that I can't move. And I have funny spells that folks distinctly disapprove.

II. Now, temper'mental folks should always go about in pairs. It sorter makes it easier to tend to their affairs.

III. If your complexion is marred with blotches, moth patches, pimples or freckles, it's useless to putter with powders and paints, lotions, creams and things, in an effort to get rid of the trouble.

IV. The new and rational way is to take off the complexion itself, with all its offensive marks. Just get an ounce of pure mercurized wax at the druggist's and use at night same as cold cream.

V. Today in History Sept. 19, 1862, Gen. Grant was very much hurt to hear that Gen. Rosecrans had been defeated near Iuka, Miss., by Gen. Price.

VI. Renewing Complexions by Absorption If your complexion is marred with blotches, moth patches, pimples or freckles, it's useless to putter with powders and paints, lotions, creams and things, in an effort to get rid of the trouble.

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