

CAUGHT IN THE WIRE ENTANGLEMENTS

AS THE SUPREME COURT CANDIDATE CANNOT SAY WHAT HE WOULD HAVE DONE IF IN PRESIDENT WILSON'S PLACE, OR WHAT HE WILL DO IF HE SUCCEEDS HIM - AS HE IS CERTAIN ONLY OF THE WRONGFULNESS OF EVERYTHING THE ADMINISTRATION HAS DONE - HIS INDUCEMENT TO CHANGE OUR FOREIGN POLICIES WILL BE GREAT. WILL IT BE A CHANGE TO SUIT GERMANY, OR HAVE THE COUNTRY GET INTO SOME SORT OF FIGHT? - From an article by Richard Olney in The New York World.

ANY ONE WHO SURVEYS THE EXTRAORDINARY SERIES OF LEGISLATIVE AND EXECUTIVE ACTS ACCOMPLISHED BY THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN THREE YEARS AND A HALF WILL REALIZE TWO THINGS: FIRST, THAT PRESIDENT WILSON HAS PROVED HIMSELF A PARTY LEADER OF UNUSUAL POWER; AND SECONDLY, THAT THE PARTY THUS LED HAS DONE MUCH MORE FOR THE COUNTRY THAN THE REPUBLICAN PARTY ACCOMPLISHED IN FIVE TIMES AS MANY YEARS. - Dr. Charles W. Eliot, President Emeritus of Harvard University, in the Atlantic Monthly.



FULL DINNER PAUL MAN NOW FOR WILSON.

Paul, Who Invented Old Republican Sign, Convinced by President's Record

The man who invented the slogan "A Full Dinner Paul," who has been the lightning rod of the Republican party, wants a Wilson nomination, says a local paper.

Paul, who is now a Democrat because of progress made by the present administration and a warm admiration for President Wilson, says the Oregon "Journal" that he feels, is better fitted to be president by education and training than Mr. Hughes.

Mr. Wilson has a breadth of vision that Mr. Hughes does not possess, he said yesterday morning. "Mr. Hughes is a judge and is hard on the years spent on the bench. But as a judge, and looking forward to the Republican presidential leadership," he said at Canton, Ohio, for the first time, he was the first to tell McKinley of his nomination by the Republican convention and shortly afterward, when the campaign was put under way, he suggested the slogan, "A Full Dinner Paul."

Tommy was late to Sunday school one morning and upon arriving was asked by the minister why he was delayed. "I was going fishing, but my friend tried to make me come here instead," said Tommy. "Your father is a very good and righteous man, isn't he?" said the minister. "I suppose he explained to you his reason for so doing." "Yes, sir," replied Tommy, "he said there wasn't enough bait for two of us."

A Superfluous Candidate

That the Hughes candidacy is superfluous and that the former Supreme Court Justice has lowered his own standards by assailing President Wilson, are among the reasons given by William Albert Harrison, an attorney and Republican of Kansas, in a letter to the New York World. Harrison, a national committee member, which is authorized by Mr. Harrison, says: "Though a Republican of the Progressive stamp and long an admirer of Mr. Wilson, I am skeptical of the opinion that President Wilson has surpassed in his idealism and his given to the world the greatest demonstration in its history that a Nation as well as an individual can be better than in its ideals and relations towards others."

While an admirer also of Robert Hughes, Harrison says: "I have never seen a man who is so busy at the present moment and is actually lowering his own standards in the attempt to beat the administration as we have had during the past four years."

God grant success to your efforts in the wish of our Progressive Republicans. Celebrated wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leatham celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding, Friday, Oct. 16. That evening they entertained about forty couples at their home in the west part of the city. Dining was the entertainment of the evening and a very enjoyable one was reported.

John and Dave Gasky are going to offer at auction sale a pair of calves, four cows, three ewes and 3 pigs, also a pair of calves, 100 head of best class stock, consisting of 80 head of calves and mules, 50 head of sheep, 20 head of hogs and 2 pigs. I want some good live stock, don't miss this sale.

Miss Anna Howard spent Sunday with friends in Liberty.

Favors Law For Mothers' Pension

University of Missouri Preventive Medicine authority advocates measure to protect dependent children. Any civilized state or community should look after the welfare of the children born to that community.

Dr. M. P. Ravenel of the University of Missouri Preventive Medicine authority has two parents able to take care of them. Suppose, however, the bread winner who is usually the father dies, is killed, becomes insane or is put in the penitentiary. What is to become of the mother with a number of children dependent upon her? If she works to earn enough for herself and children, it is evident that she cannot give them the proper mother's care. As a rule, such a family sinks to the depths of poverty, and it needs no argument to prove that poverty is one of the great causes of degradation and crime.

During the last few years this subject has been widely considered with the result that many states are now providing for the care of dependent children. Such provision usually goes under the head of mothers' pension. Missouri was the first state in the Union, 1911, to pass a law granting an allowance to mothers whose husbands were dead or in prison, and who had children under 14 years of age. The same year authority was given to the city of St. Louis to establish a board of children's guardians with authority to board children out to their own parents.

In 1913, out of forty-two legislatures which were in session, twenty-seven had bills before them providing for the support of dependent children in their own homes at the public's expense, so that at the present time many cities have provisions which are more or less adequate for this class of children. Such allowances should not be regarded in the light of charity. The child of today is the citizen of tomorrow, and there is no more en-

lightened way in which the public can spend its money than in caring for the welfare and education of children who through no fault of theirs have become dependent.

More Watchful Waiting

A quiet but sorrowful motorist sat one afternoon by the side of a car that was drawn up near the pavement. A man in another car who had passed the disconsolate one that morning, slowed up on coming level with him, again, and inquired:

"How long have you been here?" "Several hours." "Can't you find out what is the matter? Inlet valve all right?" The other smiled. "That's all right," he said. "Trouble with the spark plug?" "I think not." "How are the batteries?" "All right." "Got plenty of spirit?" "Yes, plenty." "Your tires look all right. What is wrong?"

"Oh," replied the waiting motorist, "there's nothing wrong with the car. But ever since I took my wife's been in that house. She came to see her sister's first baby."

Mr. and Mrs. George Hampton and Miss Calista Tooley left Friday for a three week visit in Colorado. They expected to surprise his sister and niece, Misses Lucy Hampton and Carolyn Ely. The former has taken up a claim near Watsenburg. They went out three weeks before with Mr. and Mrs. Steve. Mr. and Mrs. George and family. They will be there several months.

Hugh Smith son of Richard Smith of Huntington was taken to St. Elizabeths hospital at Hannibal late yesterday afternoon and at 8 p. m. underwent an operation for appendicitis with complications. His condition is considered as very serious. He was accompanied to the hospital by his physician Dr. W. D. Pipkin and the trip was made in Clay Underhill's car.

C. G. Nelson is going to have a big sale at what is known as the Burland farm 2 1/2 miles south of Monroe on Thursday Oct. 25. He offers to the public 11 head of horses and mules, 4 head of cattle, 15 hogs besides a large assortment of farm implements and household goods. Get some of these.

Wanted—Calves from two days to a week old—Roy McFarland.

Mrs. Ivan Yates and children have been visiting her parents in Clarence.

Mr. Ellis, of Fulton County, Ill., was here Monday looking at Missouri lands with the expectation of buying.

Installation Sunday. The Knights of Columbus will have their installation Sunday Oct. 15.

A new ware room 15x15 is being build for E. J. Bourden back of the Grand Leader Variety Store.

I have secured the agency for the World's Star Mills hosiery and underwear and will be pleased to call and show you samples—Sullie Rouse.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Stokes Monday night at the home of Mrs. Stokes' parents Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Hubbard in Fulton. Mr. and Mrs. Stokes reside in St. Joseph, Mo. Kansas Missourian.

Mrs. D. J. Evey is visiting her daughter Mrs. R. G. Vasey near Jacksonville, Ill.

Suits are more luxurious this year than ever before and Kespohl-Mohrenstecher's offerings at \$17.50, \$22.50, \$27.50, \$33.50 and \$37.50 are especially worth while.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Maddox went to Hannibal Saturday to visit her brother, T. T. Graves and family. Sunday they all motored to Mexico where they were joined by their sister Mrs. Tom Kelso and family. They were loaded down with good things to eat and picniced in the park.

Last week Mrs. M. L. Aye stuck her finger with a piece of metal off a picture frame. The place was so tiny that she could hardly see it but it pained her continually. Saturday Dr. Malley was called. Her arm swelled to the elbow and her condition was such that Mr. Aye did not return to Brookfield Sunday night. She is better but the arm is still for from well.

Smooth Sauces

Gravy, soups and thickenings of any kind will not be lumpy if the salt is mixed with the flour before wetting. Stir with a fork instead of a spoon. Better yet, use a small eggbeater and the sauce will be perfectly smooth within two minutes.

Miss June Finley, of Columbia was the guest of Dr. John Bell's family the latter part of last week.

PUBLIC SALE

My mother having rented her farm, I will sell at this farm 2 miles North of Warren and 3 1/2 miles South of Philadelphia, the following described property, on

Thurs., Oct. 19

1 Bay 4-yr-old Driving and All Purpose Mare, an Extra Good One in Every Way

51 Cattle:- 4 good cows, all giving milk, one with calf by side; 1 2-yr-old Red Poll heifer will calve in December; 1 yrling heifer, bred; 17 good calves; 10 steers and 17 heifers.

25 head of extra good native ewes and one fine yearling buck.

3 sows with pigs, 1 sow with 6 pigs, 5 of which are boars, pigs will be sold separate, the other 2 sows the pigs will be sold by side. These are Big Type, originating from my former herd.

Farming Implements:- 1 low-wheel farm wagon, a good one; 1 14-foot hay rack; 1 buggy; 1 buggy pole; 2 new 12-inch breaking plows; 1 new Deere corn planter; 1 Deere fertilizer attachment; 1 walking cultivator; 1 McCormick six roll corn shredder, a good one; 1 McCormick corn binder; 1 sleigh; 2 sets good farm harness; 1 set single harness; some household and kitchen furniture.

Ladies of the Mt. Vernon Church will serve Dinner.

Terms- A credit of 12 month will be given on all sums over \$10, purchaser to give bankable note bearing 7 per cent interest, \$10 and under cash. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

Guy VanLandingham

Col. W. T. Youell, Auct.

C. E. Cramer, Clerk