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The easiest way to reduce the cost of living is not to spend so much. Another way is to earn a smaller salary or none at all.

If a farmer, after the "tariff reduction bill" passes, saves \$25 a year in the cost of farm implements and loses \$250 in the sale of his crops how much will he owe the Democratic party?

Out of regard for Democratic campaign promises Gov. Majors refused to take advantage of a bill giving him a \$4000 auto. He vetoed the bill. Yet he has an allowance of \$2500 more than Gov. Hadley for household expenses.

One of the first definite results of business uncertainty is a dull bond and stock market. This has been dragging on for weeks at a very low level, "awaiting tariff developments" and unless the tariff is left in good shape it will stay so till protectionists get hold of things.

If a mechanic saves \$25 in the price of two suits of clothes in a year, \$50 in table expenses and \$25 on other things he must buy and must work for \$300 a year less than he gets now (if he holds his job), how much will he owe the Democratic party?

It is claimed that men have as much sense as chickens. There is room for doubt, when night comes, the chickens go to roost while "smart" mankind goes to burning oil so they can sleep till eight the next morning.

Gov. Majors also vetoed an appropriation for a new building at the colony and several other important items, yet it is said the state will fall short over a million dollars in its ability to pay all the obligations incurred by the general assembly in its extravagant and unbusinesslike session.

Maplewood recently installed a "Great White Way," but has found it a stumbling block to the young people and now is asking for a six o'clock curfew law, in order that their youth may be kept from the "temptations of the world, the flesh and the devil," according to a large petition.

Rev. Koehler, a returned Methodist missionary from the Philippines, says there's going to be trouble on the islands as the result of Democratic campaign promises. He says, "I am afraid there will be trouble if the Democrats don't grant them independence, and I am sure there will be trouble if they do."

While at Malta Bend recently a number of Republicans tried to convince us that "reciprocity is just the thing." Whenever we are ready to admit that the late reciprocity bill was a good one for our country, then we'll also admit that free-trade is correct. We're watching the free-traders and their schemes carefully, but so far it looks as if the other fellow will be convinced of his poor judgment.

In an unbiased union organ we find the following interesting comparison of wages at home and abroad.

The average daily compensation of railway employees of all classes for the year 1910 was, in the United States, \$2.23; in the United Kingdom, \$1.05; excluding supplementary allowances negligibly affecting the average, it was in Prussia-Hesse \$1 cents, and in Austria 59 cents. The lowest paid railway employe in the United States, the ordinary trackman, receives a greater compensation than many of the railway employes of France with quite responsible duties.

Of course you may contend that the railways are not affected by the tariff. But they are. People will not work on the railroad for \$90 a day in a prosperous country. Like water seeking its level, one man's prosperity helps the next man.

GIVE THE GOVERNOR CREDIT Notwithstanding the narrow partisan spirit that has characterized the official record of Elliot W. Major as Attorney General and as Governor he

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is entitled to credit for a broad minded policy is selecting the five members of the public utilities commission. He has made that commission non-partisan and has shown good judgment in the selection of commissioners. Such a board clothed with extraordinary powers, would be dangerous if partisan. The commission should have more authority over the property and service of public utility companies and corporations than the Governor and have a larger salary. They must be conservative, careful and wise else they may do injustice to railroads, telephone, telegraph, light and other public utilities, impairing capital and hindering development; while on the other hand they could do great injustice to the people by failing to regulate public utilities.

THE CAMPAIGN OF 1914.

At the November election next year the people will choose a United States Senator to succeed Senator Stone for a term of six years beginning March 4, 1915; a member of the Supreme Court to succeed Justice Henry Lamm, (Republican) for a term of ten years beginning January 1, 1915, and a State Superintendent of Schools to succeed Wm. P. Evans (Republican) for a term of four years from January 1, 1915. They will elect congressman in each of sixteen districts, a State Senator in each of the seventeen evenly numbered districts, and 142 members of the lower House of the General Assembly. The Senatorial districts will not be changed, nor will the congressional districts. Should the present General Assembly to convene in extra session the congressional districts might be gerrymandered but it is generally agreed that the Senatorial districts cannot be changed.

by the Legislature until the next decennial census (in 1920) shall have been taken. The people may meanwhile change them by amending the constitution, however, but not in time to affect the next General Assembly, as a vote under the initiative law cannot be taken until the November election at which Senators and members of the legislature will be chosen.

Press Clippings

The young lawyer didn't like the minister and as he thought to corner him, "Now, Doctor," he asked, "suppose the parsons and the devil should have a lawsuit, which party do you think would win?"

"The devil unquestionably," replied the minister.

"Ah?" chuckled the young lawyer. "And you will tell us why?"

"Because he would have all the lawyers on his side."

"Now," said the nervous old lady to the druggist, "are you sure you have that medicine mixed right?"

"No, Ma'am," said the conscientious apothecary, "I wouldn't go as far as to say that; but I've got it mixed the way the doctor ordered it."

"Want a job, eh?" said the prospective employer to the shrewd-looking applicant for the position as errand boy. "Well, do you know how far the moon is from the earth?"

"Naw, sir," said the youth. "I don't know. But it ain't close enough to prevent me from runnin' yer errands. He got the job."

The information editor received this letter from a fresh youth:

Kindly tell me why a girl always closes her eyes when a fellow kisses

her. The editor replied: If you will send us your photograph we may be able to tell you the reason.

Two hard citizens were standing in a secluded spot talking confidentially. One of them suddenly sneaked away while the other stood on guard. Soon the first one was seen to emerge from a window and join his pal.

"Did youse git anyting?" whispered the one in waiting.

"Naw, de guy what lives in dere is a lawyer," growled the other.

"Dat's hard luck," said his pal. "Did youse lose anyting?"

"If you kiss me again," declared Miss Lovely firmly, "I shall tell Father."

"That's an old tale," replied the bold, bad young man. "Anyway it's worth it," and he kissed her.

Miss Lovely sprang to her feet. "I shall tell Father," she said and left the room.

"Father," she said softly to her parent when she got outside. "Mr. Bolder wants to see your new gun."

"All right I'll take it in to him," said her father, and two minutes later he appeared in the doorway with his gun in his hand.

There was a crash of breaking glass as Mr. Bolder dived through the window and departed in all haste for the railway station.

Louisville Journal: "I hear you actually encourage your boy to send poetry to the magazines. Do you want your son to become a poet?" "No, I merely want him to get the conceit knocked out of him."

Detroit Free Press: "We're terribly henpecked, pa ain't he?" "Why what do you mean, my boy?" "Well, ma makes me wash my hands before I come to the supper table, and she makes you wash yours before you hook her up the back."

Judge Library: "My journey in this world is almost ended, brethren, declared an old man at a recent experience meeting. "I have not long to live." "Thank God!" shouted an earnest but somewhat thoughtless brother on the front bench.

A southern Iowa exchange in writing a marriage account of a popular couple of their town whose names were Ebenezer Sweet and Miss Jane Lemon says among other things: "How happily extremes do meet, in Jane and Ebenezer; for she's no longer sour but Sweet, and he's a Lemon squeezer."

Albany Capital: The editor of a county paper over in an adjoining county recently went through the pockets of his last summer's clothes, thinking there might have been a nickel or dime overlooked, and was surprised to dig up a roll of bills, amounting to over fifty dollars. They were unpaid bills however.

Stanberry Herald: When we read of the woman at Omaha who was taking a bath when the storm struck the town and was found in another part of the city clad in a lace curtain that she grabbed as she was blown through the windows, we are reminded that when taking a bath it's a good plan to await a clear day or take it in full dress.

Buffalo Commercial: Dr. Baillie was a famous Scotch physician of the old school, patient and gentle, as a rule, but with a great practice that sometimes made him a little testy with persons who consumed too much of his times with trifling complaints. At one time, after listening to a long story of her ailments from a lady who was so little ill than she intended to go to the opera that night, the doctor left the room with a sigh of relief. He had just got down the stairs when he was called back. "Doctor," feebly asked the lady, "may I, on my return tonight, eat a few oysters?" "Yes madam," roared the doctor, "shells and all."

Lippincotts: A Richmond dandy called upon an old friend, who received him in a rocking chair. The visitor at once observed not only that his host did not rise, but that he continued to rock himself to and fro in a most curious way, similar to that of a person suffering from colic. "You aint sick, is yo', Harrison?" asked the caller, anxiously. "No, I aint sick, Mose," said Harrison. A moment's silence, during which the caller gazed wild-eyed at the rocking figure. "Den," continued Mose, "why goodness does yo' rock yo'self dat way all de time?" Harrison paused not in his oscillations as he explained "I know dat good for nothin' Bill Boats? Well, he done sold me a silver watch for five dollars, an' er I steps outside like dis, dat watch wasn't go!"

Studebaker advertisement featuring an illustration of a man and a woman with a Studebaker wagon. Text includes: "Yes, our new wagon's a Studebaker - the only kind we KNOW", "The Studebaker idea has been in our family for sixty years. We have never thought of buying any other kind of a wagon.", "Long service for a fair price means more every time than short service for a few dollars less.", "That's why we stick to Studebaker—and 'Stick to Studebaker' is a pretty good motto for a man who uses wagons.", "Studebaker wagons are built of good stuff. They're made right by people who've had years and years of experience in making them right—people who are trusted the world over.", "Studebaker wagons last, because they're made to last.", "Look out for the dealer who tells you his wagon is just as good as a Studebaker. That's my advice after a good deal of experience—and the experience of all of my people. You get a Studebaker and you've got a safe investment.", "See our Dealer or write us.", "STUDEBAKER South Bend, Ind. NEW YORK CHICAGO DALLAS KANSAS CITY DENVER MINNEAPOLIS SALT LAKE CITY SAN FRANCISCO PORTLAND, ORE."

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