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As the time for the two big political conventions draws nearer, interest in both contests for the rival presidential nominations grows, but the question of who will be the nominees is as insoluble as ever. Harvey's Weekly tells us the candidates are eliminating each other by the bitterness of their preconvention antagonisms.

DEFLATION of credits is said to be at hand. As the money is gradually drained out of the country, borrowing becomes more difficult, and we are told this will eventually cause prices to come down.

It seems that congress feels bound to solve the problem of who is to pay the soldiers' bonus before November.

A good deal of youthful energy is being expended wastefully in riotous pleasure instead of productive labor.

BEFORE yielding to the temptation to send away, see if you cannot do as well or better in the home store.

### Useless Precaution.

"I told the minister to leave the word 'obey' out of the marriage ceremony."

"You needn't to have taken the trouble. He is a man who doesn't believe in wasting words."

### Easy.

"It is easy to be one sort of philosopher."

"Huh?"

"Easy to deduce that a man's misfortunes are his own fault."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### The Proof.

"Inanimate things are pugnacious as well as depraved."

"How do you mean?"

"Haven't you ever seen a ship spar or a ballot box?"

## HERDS FREE FROM T. B.

No Reactors Among Chilco and Ramsey Dairy Stock.

Dr. E. T. Powell, deputy state veterinarian, has, during the last ten days, been administering the first tests for tuberculosis to the dairy herds in the vicinities of Chilco, Ramsey and Round Mountain, writes a correspondent. Dr. Powell reports having tested 123 head without one reactor. He says "This is truly a remarkable showing and a credit to the community." He is expected to return next summer and all herds "passed" by him the second time will be placed upon the accredited list of the state.

Dr. Powell is a specialist appointed by the state department of agriculture to cooperate with specialists from the United States department of agriculture in eliminating tuberculosis from the herds of the state.

Dairy men concerned are not only pleased with the results obtained by Dr. Powell, but are ready to follow his suggestion to insist that all cattle be tested before being brought into contact with their herds.

It is reported that the county agent has notified two parties in the community that they are violating the state law by allowing their bulls to run at large.

If tuberculosis can be kept out and the nuisance of scrub bulls running at large can be eliminated, says the correspondent, two important steps will have been taken toward the future success of dairying and the live stock business in general.

Dairy men in this part of the county are very active in improving their herds. There are a number of herds of high grade and pure bred Jerseys and Holsteins. D. P. Weir has a fine registered Jersey bull, and A. V. Nettesheim and J. J. Rippeau have each a registered Holstein bull of the best strain.

### A Sad World.

I am cursed with good manners. I cannot grab for food. I cannot take the choice morsel of a dish. I instinctively choose the most uncomfortable seat. I make way for others at the ticket office. I let everyone push ahead of me to secure the remaining seats of a subway coach. I suffer when forced to take a proffered seat. I do not interfere with the conversation of shopgirls behind the counter. I wait. I accept invitations from "persons" desirous of showing off their homes or their cash in restaurants. I listen patiently to platitudes of the young, or to the discoverers of Oscar Wilde and Bernard Shaw. I agree that men are valner than women. I smile upon annoying children. I admire the costuming of all the women I know. Unless hysterical, I never inquire of my love where he has been, whither going, or whom he has seen. I give everyone the preference of liberty. I lose opportunities.—G. Vere Taylor in Judge.

## BIRD IS WORTH PRESERVING

Writer Deplores the Threatened Extinction of the Beautiful and Useful Upland Plover.

The upland plover, one of the most beneficial birds of all the winged host that once abounded in North America, has been hunted and shot to the verge of extermination, says Dumb Animals. With the passing of the passenger pigeons, which even now so many friends of all birds find it hard to believe and of which a great many are not convinced, the plovers were marked for wholesale destruction. They were candidates for oblivion along with more than a score of other useful and beautiful species that could be ill spared from our vast and valuable native fauna.

There is a ray of hope that these birds may not be pursued to complete annihilation. The federal law for the protection of migratory birds makes it possible for the plover species to rehabilitate itself, provided the closed season be fixed to continue throughout the year. The upland plover is a migratory bird and an insectivorous bird. Its food consists of 97 per cent of animal forms which are chiefly the worst enemies to agriculture. The federal law fixes a closed season on migratory insectivorous birds to continue throughout the year with the exception of the bobolink or ricebird, but under the law the plover is classed as a migratory game bird and so its fate is precarious. These birds should not be shot.

## GRANT REFUSED TO ANSWER

When President, He Declined to Tell House Where He Had Been During Absence.

During President Grant's administration a movement was started to call Grant to account for having been absent from Washington. The house asked him by resolution to inform it what official acts he had performed while away, says an exchange. The hero of Appomattox replied:

"I freely inform the house that from the time of my entrance upon my office, I have been in the habit, as were all of my predecessors, of absenting myself at times from the seat of government, and that during such absences I did not neglect or forego the obligations or duties of my office, but continued to discharge all of the executive offices, acts and duties which were required of me as president of the United States. I am not aware that a failure occurred in any one instance of my exercising the functions and powers of my offices in every case requiring their discharge, or of my exercising all necessary executive acts in whatever part of the United States I may at the time have been."

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## USE OF PHONETIC SPELLING

Reasons Advanced Why It Would Be Well If Its Study Should Be Made More General.

Phonetics in its broadest sense is a study of the whole range of sounds, articulate, musical and otherwise. In its restricted sense it is confined to articulate sounds of human speech. Even in this restricted sense it is still broad enough to include the subject of the acoustic or mechanical side and the anthropological or philological side. It may discuss simply the speech vibrations that cause any particular sensations on the human ears, or it may include an investigation of the manner and causes of the changes the articulate sounds of a language undergo as it develops. The study of phonetics is widely advocated by philologists and by many of the most thoughtful teachers for three reasons: (1) That persons may speak their mother tongue correctly through thus learning to know the proper valuation of its sounds; (2) that they may learn successfully the pronunciation of other languages, to which a knowledge of their own is the best introduction; (3) that those who wish to study philology may have a key to that science. And the sounds of our language cannot be successfully studied or explained without some use of phonetic spelling. Hundreds of phonetic alphabets have been proposed, but the only one that has made progress and bids fair to become general (naturally with some modifications) is that of the Association Internationale Phonétique. This alphabet took form between 1883 and 1889 in proposals made by Paul Edouard Passy, a noted French phonetician.

## U. S. USES CHURCH SURVEYS

Surveys of rural America, made in every county by the Interchurch World Movement, have been sought by the United States Department of Agriculture, which has contracted to buy copies of the survey of each of the 2,968 counties. The survey covers not only religious but community conditions in a scientific way.

## AUTO HAD LOST ITS SOUL

Mysterious Happening With Which, of Course, the Owner Could Have Had Nothing to Do.

This road burner was betting on a sure thing. "If my car will make 32 miles an hour," said an indignant owner of a flivver, who was haled into court for fracturing the speed law, "I'll make this policeman a present of it." And the magistrate took the speeder at his word by ordering the cop to take a joy ride. "But bear in mind," were the parting words of the magistrate, "that if your automobile is capable of that speed you automatically admit that the officer is right about the speed you were making, and you will not only lose your car, but will pay a \$25 fine besides." "You're on, judge," said the automobilist, at which the court pounded the gavel. But the cop didn't win the auto. Half an hour later he was back with his prisoner. "Your honor," said the policeman, "that car, in its present condition, wouldn't go a mile in a month. We went over to the garage to get it and it puffed, sneezed, whistled and went one block under protest. Mechanically, about everything is missing but the windshield. Somebody must have kicked the soul out of it since I saw it. The car has been tampered with and there is no mistake about it." The owner of the flivver was fined \$25 and made a brief speech, in which he allowed that justice had fled from the earth.

## 1000 Cattle Tested.

Approximately 1000 head of cattle were tested for tuberculosis in the vicinity of St. Maries by Dr. E. T. Powell and Dr. W. R. Kidwell, state veterinarians. Only 25 head were found to be infected with tuberculosis, and 20 head of these were in two neighboring dairy herds, the infection apparently having come from a single source.

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