Iowa State Bystander

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DES MOINES, . . . IOWA

Time to think about a refrigerator soon.

Men will not have to wear chanteeler hats anyway.

Leaping from midwinter to midsummer is pleasant, but perilous.

As revolutions go, they are still revolutioning down in Nicaragua.

The announcement comes that Newport society is to fly. We knew that!

Resort-keepers are looking for an extra spring crop of summer boarders.

The "third degree" seems to be getting something of a sweating process itself.

Try to do a little work. The report that the fish are biting is probably a false alarm.

When sailing in such dizzy heights the mercury should continually expect to take a tumble.

The woman with a chantecler hat is far from down to date unless she has the new cocorico veil.

Just to be on the safe side how would it do to make fun of the comet only after it has passed by?

As a spring harbinger the mosquito is welcome. But wait till he toots his little trumpet in the dog days!

The man who died of heart disease after drawing a royal flush must have had a string of hard luck before that.

It will be hard to conceal a touring car from the lynx-eyed assessors by poking it up the ventilator of the average flat.

A Boston court has decided that a prima donna's name cannot be given to a soup without her permission and, presumably, her price.

To cure indigestion, marital infelicity, divorce, and other things, teach our daughters how to cook, wash and mind the baby.

Kegs of various descriptions have been responsible for many accidents, but one certain keg of nails in Chicago saved an elevated train.

It is true that the sun has been firing off skyrockets, but no man can tell from here whether or not it burned its fingers in the process.

According to an eminent entomologist, this is an age of bugs. The line of talk handed out by some college professors makes people think he is right.

It is rumored that an automobile trust is in process of organization. Can this be a fiendish conspiracy to sky the price of the poor man's automobile?

The new comet discovered recently near the path of Halley's comet has been lost. Perhaps it has been driven out of business by the professional jealousy of its bigger rival.

A Missouri man is advertising for a wife with "a good, wholesome smile." Ladies who answer the advertisement should be warned that it will be absolutely necessary for them to show him the smile.

A steamship in Florida waters had a hard time getting past a school of monster 1,000-pound turtles that showed fight. It is early in the season, but the sea serpent is not going to be missed.

The gymnasium instructor in England who has made a world's record by swinging a pair of three-pound clubs continuously for 68 hours could have shown as much endurance and done more good by sawing wood.

The movement for a sane and safe Fourth of July celebration is under way. It will meet with no favor from the small boy, who wants his constitutional privilege to blow himself up as a burnt offering to the Goddess of Liberty

A Chicago man has been fined $25 and costs because he sat for 11 hours on the front steps of the house in which his adored one resided and would not stay away when her mother drove him off with a broom. The age of chivalry may be past, but romance continues occasionally to make a two-base hit.

It having been demonstrated that dealers in millinery are able to circumvent the existing law as to plumage for hats, the Audubon societies of New York are supporting a measure before the legislature of that state to prohibit entirely the sale of aigrettes. This would put a stop to the commercial warfare on birds, but inasmuch as it would also prevent the utilization of poultry feathers in imitation aigrettes, the better way would be the circumventing by women of all milliners who violate the law.

In the eyes of the census bureau even the tents of the wicked will be considered as dwellings.

A route is to be established for the summer from Munich to Oberammergau, where the famous "Passion Play" is to be held this year. A dirigible balloon with a passenger car capable of holding 12 persons will make regular trips. This practical application of aviation opens up an interesting line of query as to what the next decade will bring forth in the way of travel in the air.

But how can the average man afford to buy his wife a chanticler bonnet at the present price of poultry?

New York is in a state of wrath at being accused by a prominent writer of being the most insolent city in the world, with rude city officials, and advised to learn manners from the south Considering that the policemen of the city have just been forbidden to club citizens and visitors at their pleasure the accusation of bad manners and lack of courtesy really seems unfounded.

SHAWNEE, OKLAHOMA,

A City Beautiful.

Is in the heart of the richest, best profit making farm land in the great Southwest. From a brush pile to a city of 25,000 population in 14 years. Wonder of the age in city building. Now building Meat packing house—1500 employes; Cotton Fabric Mill—600 employes; Baptist and Catholic State Universities—Will enroll 1000 students. Unprecedented profit making investments waiting for men of small and large means. The last opportunity to get property in Shawnee at a low price. Get in on the ground floor. Prices will advance rapidly. Nothing can stop Shawnee now. For descriptive literature and further information write SHAWNEE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, Shawnee, Oklahoma, which is not a real estate company.

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John L. Perry, Columbus, Texas, says: "I was taken sick about a year ago. My limbs and feet began to swell and my doctor said I had Bright's disease. I then consulted another doctor who told me I had dropsy and could not live. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me promptly, and I owe my life to them."

Remember the name—Doan's.

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Finding of Fresh-Water Eel.

The straits of Messina are channels of immense depth, through which a wild form of whirling eddies have the effect of bringing up from the depths below many marine creatures which are rarely seen except in the deep sea trawls. It was here that the fresh-water eel was first discovered, an incident which threw a blaze of light on the life history of a very mysterious fish.—London Daily Telegraph.

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Speaker Cannon at a dinner in Washington, said, soothingly, to a young suffragette:

"After all, you know, there is room for both men and women in this world. Men have their work to do and women have theirs.

"It is the woman's work to provide for the inner man, and it is the man's to provide for the outer woman."

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Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Drain on Country's Resources.

In 1908, the foreign-born population of 13.6 per cent. furnished 15.6 per cent. of the criminals, 20.8 per cent. of the paupers, and 29.5 per cent. of the insane. Between 1904 and 1908, the aliens in these institutions increased 34 per cent.

Had Rheumatism—Couldn't Sleep.

A lady from Oklahoma City writes: "I was sick in bed with Rheumatism, ankles swollen, couldn't sleep. Electropodes cured me. They are great." At Drug Stores—$1.00. No cure, no pay. Write for free trial offer. Western Electropode Co., Dept. A., Los Angeles, Cal.

The Limit.

Knicker—The price of everything has gone up.

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Splutter—I'm just dying to get out and dig in the ground.

Butter—Golf or fishworms?

SORE EYES, weak, inflamed, red, watery and swollen eyes, use PETTIT'S EYE SALVE, 25c. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

Go to any old person for sympathy, and you will learn that you don't know what real trouble is.

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Summer complaint, bowel trouble, cramps have no terrors in the household where this dependable medicine is kept on hand. 25c, 35c and 50c bottles

One can't always disguise the breath of suspicion by spicy talk.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

How one woman doesn't enjoy hearing another praised.

LINEMEN ASK RAISE

Those Employed by Street Car Company Walk Out.

A STRIKE IS NOT UNLIKELY

Telephone Linemen Insist on Increase, and Walk Out Would Hamper Electric Light Extensions and Telephone Merger.

Des Moines, May 13.—Union electric light, telephone and street car linemen employed by the Iowa Telephone company, the Des Moines Electric company and the Des Moines City Railway company have asked a raise in wages ranging from 10 to 15 per cent. An increase of 30 cents a day is asked for linemen and 80 cents a day for foremen. Linemen and foremen now receive $3 a day.

After several unsuccessful conferences the linemen employed by the street car company quit work Wednesday pending a settlement of the troubles. The company refused to grant the increase. Negotiations for a settlement are now pending between the telephone and the electric light companies.

There are about ninety-five union linemen in Des Moines. The street car company employs only nine. The majority of them are employed by the Iowa Telephone company.

A walk-out by all the linemen at this time would seriously hamper extension work now being started by the electric light company and would delay the unification of the two telephone systems.

P. E. O. MEMORIAL SERVICES

Mrs. Carroll Conducts Exercises at Albia Convention Where Tributes Are Paid to Twenty Members.

Albia, Ia., May 13.—Mrs. B. F. Carroll of Des Moines conducted the memorial hour at the P. E. O. convention. Tributes were paid to twenty members of the order who have died during the past year. Miss Dugan, Iowa president, made her report of the supreme convention held in Mount Pleasant. Miss Mary Osmand interested the delegates with a view of the mailing list of the P. E. O. Bulletin, 795 yards long, which must be checked up once every month.

The eighteenth annual convention of the Iowa grand chapter, P. E. O., closed with the election of officers as follows: President, Mrs. Dell Phillips Glazier, Fort Madison; first vice president, Mrs. Katherine Yeager, Greenfield; second vice president, Mrs. Olive S. Barnes, Albia; recording secretary, Mrs. Alice Scoville Miller, Cedar Rapids; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Walter McHenry, Des Moines; treasurer, Mrs. Hulda Reed, What Cheer; organizer, Mrs. Lillian Griffith, Harlan. The next convention will be held in Sioux City.

MAHASKA DAY AT OSKALOOSA

Governor Carroll Was Orator of the Day—Big Parade, Ball and Indian Games, Features.

Oskaloosa, Ia., May 13.—Thursday was "Mahaska day." The weather was perfect and there was thousands of members of the Redmen's lodge and their friends here from all parts of the United States. Governor Carroll was the principal orator and officers of the order also delivered speeches. There was a fine parade and two ball games, with other athletic stunts, a chorus of five hundred school children and special Indian games with real Indians participating. There was excursions into the city from many cities, and Oskaloosa had the biggest crowd she has entertained in years.

Knights of Columbus Elect Officers.

Carroll, Ia., May 13.—Emmett Powers of Des Moines was elected state secretary of the Knights of Columbus at the second day's session of the convention here. T. F. Griffin of Sioux City was elected state deputy; John Carmody of Perry, treasurer; J. H. McConlogue of Mason City, advocate; George L. McAllister of Carroll, state warden; Rev. J. F. Bowen of Delmar, state chaplain.

The following delegates were selected to attend the national convention: Rev. J. Noonan of Creston, E. G. Dunne of Mason City, and J. J. Myers of Carroll.

Big Crowd Hears Hull at Norwalk.

New Virginia, Ia., May 13.—Congressman Hull was accorded a large crowd and careful attention when he spoke here on the issues of the present congressional campaign.

Fall Kills John Linquist.

Des Moines, May 13—John Linquist a fireman for the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad, living at Fort Dodge, was killed when he fell from his engine between Fort Dodge and Tara Junction. Linquist was unmarried.

Burlington Host of Modern Woodmen.

Burlington, Ia., May 13—One of the greatest gatherings ever held by the M. W. A. in Iowa was witnessed here. The occasion was the silver anniversary celebration of the founding of Iowa camp No. 93.

Reynolds Talks to Bankers.

Des Moines, May 13—George M. Reynolds of Chicago, president of the Continental National bank, outlined his system for a central bank in an address before 180 members of group six of the Iowa Bankers' association at their annual banquet last night.

Falls From Cab; Breaks Neck.

Fort Dodge, Ia., May 13.—John Lindquist, aged 24, fireman on the M. & St. L., fell from the cab of a southbound train, breaking his neck. He was to have been married in June.

CHURCHMAN'S STOMACH WEAK

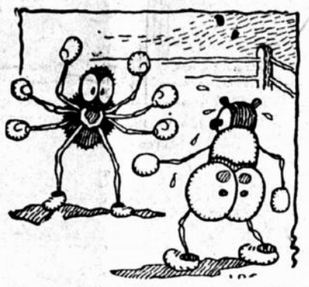
Rev. Lapley Suffered Twelve Years From It—How He Conquered It; You Also Can, Free.

Through an announcement that he saw in his local paper the Rev. J. D. Lapley of Avondale Station, Birmingham, Ala., learned that he could obtain a free trial bottle of a remedy for the cure of indigestion, and as he was interested, because he suffered that way, he wrote for it. The remedy was Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Mr. Lapley, who is a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and a member of the Central Alabama Conference, took the free bottle with the result that he was very speedily cured.

Mrs. Alice Northrup

You or any other sufferer from constipation, indigestion and dyspepsia, sick headache and such digestive troubles can have a free trial bottle sent to your home prepaid by forwarding your name and address. It is the gentlest, mildest, best tasting, most effective laxative tonic you ever tried. Druggists will sell you the regular bottles at 50 cents or $1, and results are guaranteed. A picture of Mrs. Northrup, of Quincy, Ill., a cured patient, is presented herewith. If there is anything about your case that you don't understand write the doctor and he will advise you. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.

UP AGAINST IT.



Bug Pugilist—Heavens! I wish I had never gotten on a match with the spider!

AN INTOLERABLE ITCHING

"Just about two years ago, some form of humor appeared on my scalp. The beginning was a slight itching but it grew steadily worse until, when I combed my hair, the scalp became raw and the ends of the comb-teeth would be wet with blood. Most of the time there was an intolerable itching, in a painful, burning way, very much as a bad, raw burn, if deep, will itch and smart when first beginning to heal. Combing my hair was positive torture. My hair was long and tangled terribly because of the blood and scabs. This continued growing worse and over half my hair fell out. I was in despair, really afraid of becoming totally bald.

"Sometimes the pain was so great that, when partially awake, I would scratch the worst places so that my finger-tips would be bloody. I could not sleep well and, after being asleep a short time, that awful stinging pain—would commence and then I would wake up nearly wild with the torture. A neighbor said it must be salt rheum. Having used Cuticura Soap merely as a toilet soap before, I now decided to order a set of the Cuticura Remedies—Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills. I used them according to directions for perhaps six weeks, then left off, as the disease seemed to be eradicated, but toward spring, eighteen months ago, there was a slight return of the scalp humor. I commenced the Cuticura treatment at once, so had very little trouble. On my scalp I used about one half a cake of Cuticura Soap and half a box of Cuticura Ointment in all. The first time I took six or seven bottles of Cuticura Pills and the last time three bottles—neither an expensive or tedious treatment. Since then I have had no scalp trouble of any kind. Standing up, with my hair unbound, it comes to my knees and had it not been for Cuticura I should doubtless be wholly bald.

"This is a voluntary, unsolicited testimonial and I take pleasure in writing it, hoping my experience may help someone else. Miss Lillian Brown, R. F. D. 1, Liberty, Me., Oct. 29, 1909."

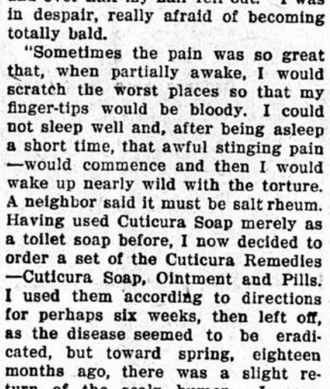
The Thoughtful Host.

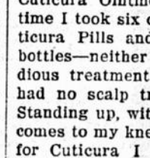
Guest—Gracious! What long legs the new waiter has!

Host—Yes. I engaged him specially for the diners who are in a hurry.—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels and cure constipation.

A girl isn't necessarily a jewel because she is set in her ways.





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The Pyramid Fly Catcher has twice the surface of a sheet of fly paper and has no objectionable odor. It will last a month and won't run on the hottest day. Sold by grocers and druggists. 5 cents each.

Louis Delonge & Co.
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Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c, and $1.00 at Druggists

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it will pay you to invest your money in Farm lands in Eastern Washington, or Spokane City property. For information apply to WALLACE & WALLACE, 110 Wall St., Spokane, Wash.

A HALF SECTION FARM

With good all around farm buildings, in first class order. Twenty acres grove. Soil the best. Rolling land. Twenty acres pasture, balance nearly all under cultivation. If sold at once, $36 per acre. Write ZIEBARTH & LINDEM Herman, Minn.

WHEAT—WHEAT—WHEAT

Panhandle lands for sale, in large or small tracts, from $17.00 to $40.00 per acre. We have elegant prospects of our wheat making from 20 to 40 bu. per acre. Address L.C. Klein Land Co., Happy, Swisher Co., Tex.

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Improved Farms. Finest land in CANADA. Price $20.00 to $25.00 per acre on easy terms. State requirements.
GEO. KELLETT Caryle, Sask., Canada

GRANT COUNTY LANDS, OREGON

Stock Ranches, Grain, Alfalfa, and Fruit Farms. Fine range for stock. Free fuel close at hand. Free water for irrigation. River bottom lands $20 to $50 per acre, stock and grain ranches further out $8 to $15. Send for descriptive booklet. H. Craig, Canyon City, Ore.

A REAL BARGAIN

640 acres in Ransom County, excellent soil, all cultivated; fine buildings; three miles from market. For 15 days, only $26.50. RANSOM COUNTY IMMIGRATION ASSOCIATION, Sheldon, N.D.

FOR SALE-BY OWNER-320 ACRES

extra choice unimproved land; located 11 miles from town in Hyde County, South Dakota. Price $26.50 per acre.
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in western South Dakota. I have few good bargains in Deeded land and Relinquishments, Rich soil that produces the finest of Alfalfa, corn and all kinds of small grains. Arthur Larson, Rapid City, S. D.

A SNAP — A SNAP — A SNAP

Good little farm at only $800 on easy terms. Clay loam soil, level, house and clearing, in splendid dairying region only 50 miles from the Twin Cities. Write TODAY for full information. Owner H. W. Lock Box A., St. Croix Falls, Wis.

DIDN'T GET THE SITUATION

Flight of Eloquence Wasted by Friend of Dobkins—Pretty Enough, But Not Appropriate.

"What makes you act so grouchy this morning, Dobkins?"

"Had an addition to my family."

"What? Why, you ought to be ashamed to be gloomy over that! To think that a normal human being should be angry because of the advent of such a cherub! Do you actually grudge a place in your happy home to an innocent creature fresh from heaven, bringing with it the very fragrance of those celestial realms? Do you greet with an unwelcoming chill a small epitome of all purity and sweetness given into your keeping as a priceless, though undeserved treasure by a too benevolent Providence? A lovely copy of what fancy feigns the angels to be like—a tiny shred of grace and glory, snatched from the—"

"Say, that's very pretty, but do you know you're talking about my mother-in-law?"

Tit for Tat.

Stranger (to prominent clergyman)—I came in here, sir, to criticise your church management and tell you how it ought to be run.

Prominent Clergyman (amazed)—What do you mean, sir? How dare you? Who are you, anyway?

"I am the humble editor of the paper you have been writing to."—Life.

Children Especially Like

The sweet, "toastie" flavour of

Post Toasties

Crisp, fluffy bits of perfectly ripe white corn—cooked, rolled and then toasted to an appetizing brown.

Served with cream and sometimes fruit, this dainty food pleases the whole family.

Give the home-folks a treat.

"The Memory Lingers"

Packages 10c and 15c.

POSTUM CEREAL COMPANY, Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

CARTAGO DEAD NUMBER 1,500

CITY DESTROYED BY QUAKE LASTING FOUR SECONDS.

Survivors Suffer Greatly From Lack of Food—Thousands Are Homeless —Help Needed.

San Jose, Costa Rica.—The dead at Cartago number 1,500. The city was destroyed by an earthquke which lasted four seconds. It was a tremulous movement, which followed a few minor shocks.

It occurred at seven o'clock Wednesday evening. No one had time to run out of the houses.

The railroad and telegraph lines were broken and the electric light wires fell, leaving the city in darkness. Thousands ran panic-stricken in all directions in an effort to save themselves, leaving behind those under the ruins.

Every house and building was destroyed, including four churches and the palace of the American peace court, the gift of Andrew Carnegie. Some Americans are reported to have been killed, but identification is impossible. Many of the wounded died, suffering terribly. Entire families have been wiped out.

Rafael Angel Troyo, the Costa Rican poet, is among the dead.

The college of the Silesian priests fell while the priests and children were at prayer. Two priests and ten children were killed.

No more formidable disaster has occurred in the history of Costa Rica, and perhaps in all Central America.

President Gonzales Viquez and President-elect Ricardo Jiminez are personally in charge of the work of rescue, but there is little hope that those under the ruins can escape.

Days must elapse before the real situation can be determined. The monetary losses reach far into the millions. Foreign help is needed badly, and must be prompt if good is to come of it. Thousands are homeless and without food. Fires that followed the destruction of the town added to the horror of the situation, and heavy rains that have fallen since have made the conditions almost unbearable.

DRIVING WITH ROCKEFELLER

Pleasant Recreation Provided for People of Tarrytown by Their Famous Fellow Townsman.

Tarrytown, N. Y., May . —To take a drive with John D. Rockefeller has become a regular recreation this spring for a great many of the friends and neighbors of that famous resident of Tarrytown, and he has increased thereby his popularity among the people of the little city. Not a pleasant day goes by without the oil king inviting some of them, men, women and children, to ride with him in automobile or carriage, and it is safe to say that the invitations are seldom declined, for his vehicles are the best to be had, and the drives around Tarrytown are beautiful.

Mr. Rockefeller, before starting for a ride, always dons a paper vest, declaring it to be a great protection against colds, and he insists that his guests do the same. After the ride he refuses to take back the garment, and consequently in nearly every home in Tarrytown may be found a paper vest preserved as a souvenir of a delightful ride with the multi-millionaire.

DONAU WINS KENTUCKY DERBY

Son of Woolsthorpe-Al Lone Noses Out Joe Morris Before a Record-Breaking Crowd.

Louisville, Ky.—A record-breaking erowd of more than 35,000 persons saw Donau win the thirty-sixth Kentucky derby Tuesday.

The game son of Woolsthorpe-Al Lone was faltering at the finish and just managed to reach the wire ahead of Joe Morris, second choice for the event. Fighting Bob was third. Time, 2:06 2-5.

Donau rushed to the lead and led all the way. Joe Morris and Fighting Bob were after him all through the route. It was an exciting race from end to end.

RUSSIA DENIES MASSACRE

State Department Receives Assurances Reports Sent From London Are Without Foundation.

Washington.—The Russian government officially informed the state department that recent dispatches purporting to come from Russia and telling of a big massacre of Jews are absolutely without any foundation in fact.

The dispatches telling of the massacre and expulsion order were sent out from London, but dated at Kief.

Jenkins Gets Porto Rico Post.

Washington.—J. J. Jenkins of Wisconsin, former representative in congress, has been appointed United States attorney for Porto Rico. President Taft sent the nomination to the senate.

"Yarb Man" Is Acquitted.

Kansas City, Mo.—Dr. Chessing Hatred Chase Jordan, the "yarb man," whose name figured in the Swope investigation here, was acquitted Wednesday of a charge of perjury growing out of a suit for divorce filed against him by Mrs. Jordan.

Rear Admiral Kiersted Dead.

Philadelphia.—Rear Admiral Andrew J. Kiersted, U. S. N. (retired), is dead at his home here Wednesday following a stroke of apoplexy. He was seventy-seven years old.

Slayers Elude the Police.

New York.—There is no trace of the burglars who Monday murdered Dr. Mott D. Cannon's housekeeper, Miss Margaret Meehan, and his Hindu butler, Charles Beman. The detectives have no clues. The house was robbed of money and jewelry.

Five Hurt in a Fire.

New York.—Five persons, one of them a week old baby, were injured by an explosion and fire Tuesday in the Hamilton building on Main street, Hackensack, N. J.

MADE WELL AND STRONG

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Jefferson, Iowa.—"When my baby was just two months old I was completely run down and my internal organs were in terrible shape. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and mother wrote and told you just how I was. I began to gain at once and now I am real well."—Mrs. W. H. BURGER, 700 Cherry St., Jefferson, Iowa.

Another Woman Cured.

Glenwood, Iowa.—"About three years ago I had falling and other female troubles, and I was nothing but skin and bones. I was so sick I could not do my own work. Within six months I was made sound and well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I will always tell my friends that your remedies cured me, and you can publish my letter."—Mrs. C. W. DUNN, Glenwood, Iowa.

If you belong to that countless army of women who suffer from some form of female ills, just try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

For thirty years this famous remedy has been the standard for all forms of female ills, and has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, fibroid tumors, ulceration, inflammation, irregularities, backache, etc.

If you want special advice write for it to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. It is free and always helpful.

Make the Liver Do its Duty

Nine times in ten when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right.

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SENATORS' OVATION

Dolliver and Cummins Talk to 10,000 at Coliseum

CRITICISE THE ALDRICH RULE

Insist on Republican Party Redeeming Its Pledges, and Stand Steadfastly for Republican Principles and Candidates.

Des Moines.—Ten thousand people cheered themselves hoarse at the Coliseum in enthusiastic welcome and approval of the Iowa senators, A. B. Cummins and J. P. Dolliver, who appeared there to justify their insurgency and their determination to stand for redemption of party pledges and against an Aldrich-Cannon leadership in congress under which undue advantage in the market places of America has been enjoyed by the interests.

As the two Iowa senators gave their reasons for the action they have taken in Washington the cheering interrupted them from time to time, and when Senator Cummins, the last speaker, concluded his address such a throng pressed around the national law makers that it was with difficulty that they made their way outside the building to a waiting automobile in time to be whirled away to the train which carried them on their way to Washington to continue their fight against the Aldrich machine in the senate.

Enthusiasm unmeasured greeted the Iowa senators on their appearance. From the moment when Robert J. Fleming arose to call the meeting to order until the last word of Senator Cummin's speech had fallen from his lips the great audience—larger than any that ever before assembled in Iowa to hear a political speech—sought opportunities to show their appreciation and voice their indorsement of the speakers.' sentiments.

The meeting set a record in the political annals of Iowa, not only in point of attendance but, progressives believe in the wide significance of the event and its influence upon politics in Iowa. The two men who represent Iowa in the nation's highest law making body dropped their work at Washington for five days in order to make a flying trip to their home state and appear before their constituents to give an account of their work in the senate. Further, they came to ask that, if the state appreciates that work, an indorsement be accorded the senators by the nomination of progressives for offices and the selection of delegates who will, in the coming convention, express the state's desire to see the policies of the progressives prevail in congress.

On the Same Platform.

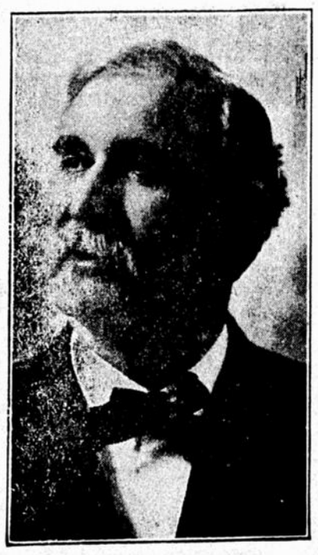
Both of the senators commented upon the fact that this is the first time they have been found together upon the same platform espousing the progressive cause. Mr. Dolliver first called attention to this fact, and the reference brought forth a storm of enthusiastic applause.

"It is a pleasure for me to appear at the same meeting and on the same platform with my colleague in the United States senate," said the senior senator. I am especially glad to be with him on the same platform because it has never happened before. It has, in the past, been my duty to fight for persons, but this time I am fighting for the principles and doctrines which lie at the basis of the republican party. And I am not embarrassed, as one moss covered Iowa editor has said I would be, to find myself on the platform together with my colleague."

Applause interrupted Mr. Dolliver here, and when it had ceased he continued: "I said I was not fighting for persons, but this is a matter concerning, also, the people who have come forward to bear the standards of the progressive cause in Iowa. I fight for them, because they stand for the principles which I espouse."

Cheered for Garst.

Amid cheering he said: "I don.'t mind telling you why I support Warren Garst for governor of the commonwealth of Iowa.'.' The mention of the progressive candidate's name brought the people to their feet and they cheered long and loudly for the gubernatorial candidate.



WARREN GARST.
Candidate for Governor.

"I have been drawn to Garst's support," Mr. Dolliver declared, "because from the beginning I have had his help, his sympathy, his indorsement and his cooperation in the fight I have been trying to make for good government of these United States.'.

Senator Cummins paid eloquent tribute to the Iowa progressive candidates, and as he mentioned the name of each the audience broke forth with rounds of applause. "My long time, tried and true friend, Governor Garst," he said, "and all his associates on the progressive ticket have earned long ago my undying and everlasting gratitude, but if it were alone a matter of personal friendship I would not be here and they would not permit me to interfere in this campaign.

"For ten years or more Judge Prouty and Web Byers and John Darrah and Smith Brookhart have been fighting my battles on every plain and every hustings in the state of Iowa. But it is not merely personal friendship and gratitude that brings me here tonight. I will tell you why I want to see Warren Garst elected governor of Iowa and these other men elected to congress. It is useless for us to oppose Nelson W. Aldrich in Washington and hear him retort that the people of our own state have nominated and elected as governor a man who, if he dares to speak at all, is hostile to the things you stand for."

This reference to Governor Carroll was greeted with laughter, while every mention of the names of progressive candidates necessitated a cessation in the speaking while the audience cheered for the men whose nomination the senators desire.

Comment on Hull.

Insisting that he intended no personal criticism, Senator Cummins devoted a part of his remarks to Congressman Hull's action in leaving Washington to look after his campaign interests. "If my distinguished friend, Captain Hull, had remained a little longer in Washington,'.' he asserted, "he would have had an opportunity to vote on the amendments proposed to the railway bill. That's the reason I want to see Prouty there, and you might as well know it now as another time. Captain Hull left Washington, I think, about April 15 or 18. He was paired with a man who, if he had been allowed to vote, would have voted for all of those amendments which we wanted made to the bill. By his absence from Washington Captain Hull has neutralized one vote that would have been right, and withheld his own vote on the amendments.

"That's the reason I'm for Web Byers against Walter I. Smith," he continued amid cheering. "If Smith and Charles A. Kennedy had had their way no amendments to the rules would have been allowed, no amendment that would have decreased the powers of that now pathetic old man, Joe Cannon. Notwithstanding my personal liking for him, it does my heart good to see him presiding over the house without the power to coerce every member into voting as he desires on every question.

Four More to Go.

"When you send Byers and Darrah and Brookhart down there—Prouty's nomination, I am told, is assured—they will take another step forward and remove from the speaker's hands the power to appoint the committees."

Renewed cheering greeted this assertion, and it continued as Mr. Cummins declared: "I intend to stand by my guns down there at Washington. I was only able to leave this time because Aldrich, in the plentitude of his power, concluded that he would go away for a few days, and I took advantage of his absence. I am not afraid that the roll will be called for a vote on the railway bill, either, until Senator Dolliver and myself are in our seats in the senate chamber next Thursday."

The senators were introduced by Harvey Ingham, who characterized Dolliver as "the admiral of the progressive navy," and Cummins as "the general of the progressive movement."

He Spoke of Tariff.

Much of Senator Dolliver's address was devoted to a discussion of the course followed by the Iowans with respect to the Aldrich-Payne tariff bill. He started with the assertion that he had not come to speak unkindly of President Taft.

"I do not come to put into your minds an unkind thought, or into your mouths an inconsiderate word with regard to the president of the United States," he said. "He has great duties and responsibilities, but he is not alone in that particular. And it is no reflection upon him that, under solemn obligation to preserve the public welfare, I find it necessary to disagree with him and the leadership to which he is committed."

Applause greeted this declaration of the right to independent thought. "He says he is the titular leader of the republican party," he continued. "Now, what is a titular head? He is a good man, entirely surrounded by people who have the advantage of knowing exactly what they want. And if I have any complaint it is that those men have crowded to the front in the president's counsels, who have no interest in our party." His description of the president's situation provoked a round of applause.

Senator Dolliver paid his respects to Attorney General Wickersham in no uncertain terms and later on his criticism was echoed by Senator Cummins. Wickersham was characterized by Senator Dolliver as a man who had never until recently been identified with the republican party but who now assumes the task of reading out of that party men who were in it before his allegiance to it was contemplated. Senator Cummins declared that Wickersham has for years been active as a corporation attorney in New York and has helped to establish practically all the big trusts, and who now has taken up the work of expurgating the republican party. "He will find that the people of this country prefer the unexpurgated edition," he added, amid applause.

After Senator Dolliver had told the history of the tariff legislation of the extraordinary session of congress, Senator Cummins said, "You have heard tonight, from the man who knows more about the tariff law than any other man in the United States, more truth than ever before fell upon your ears."

Dolliver.'s declaration was that the tariff law as enacted did not represent the wisdom of a majority of the members of congress. He referred to President Taft's Winona speech in which reductions in the tariff were claimed, with the assertion that, even if the tables had been true, they did not prove the case. "The pledge of the party,'.' he said, "was to revise the tariff with regard to the conditions surrounding the trade situation in the United States and the cost of production at home and abroad.."

Mr. Dolliver's contention throughout his tariff reference was that the tariff bill was written by those most closely interested in the schedules and not by congress. As an instance he declared that the veteran lobbyist for the silk manufacturers, when he left Washington at the end of the extraordinary session, shook hands with his acquaintances and asserted: "Gentlemen, that is the best silk schedule I ever wrote.."

This and similar references to the "inside facts." in connection with the tariff law drew forth prolonged applauce to indicate the audience's sympathy with the stand of the senator, which he expressed at one time as follows:

"This condition may be all right. May be I shouldn't raise my voice against it, in order not to disturb the harmony of the gathering. But I intend, as long as I remain in the senate, to have something to say, myself, about what those schedules shall be. When I can't I'll return to the arena of insurrection.

Not Test of Party Fealty.

"The present congress has made no laws which the republican party is under obligation to assimilate as the creed and doctrine of the party. Congress not only failed to make reductions that have commercial significance in the business of the people of the United States, but it ignored the doctrines of the republican party.

"If there had been merely differences of opinion as to how much reduction should be made in certain schedules, and if there had been a free and open discussion of the details of the tariff bill, I have no doubt that my colleague and I would have had no trouble in voting for the bill when it came up for passage. But the leaders of the republican party allowed the revision of the tariff to proceed without any reference to the doctrine stated in our platform and the pledge we had made to the people of the United States," Senator Dolliver declared amid applause.

Both senators asked that the vote in the coming primary be cast with an eye to the voters' opinions of the course followed by the progressives representing Iowa in the houses of congress. Rounds of cheering greeted their declarations in this regard.

"When it comes to voting," said Senator Dolliver, "I want your permission, expressed in this primary in June, to let me do some thinking for you on my own account. If you want some one to sit in the smoking room until the bell rings for the roll call and then to brush the cigar ashes off his vest and walk out to Aldrich and ask him 'What's our vote? you have my permission to send him down to Washington. But I ask for myself and my colleague and for every congressional representative from this state the right to vote without reference to those men who assume the leadership of the party, and in accordance with their own reason and consciences..'

"Deliver your judgment and I will accept it," said Senator Cummins, "but I advise these conspirators to husband their resources, because, by the Eternal, they will need all their strength, and then some."

Abraham Lincoln Republicans.

During the course of his introduction of the two speakers, Chairman Harvey Ingham read two telegrams received by Robert J. Fleming, chairman of the Dolliver-Cummins-Garst progressive republican committee.

One was from former Governor William Larrabee and was as follows:

"CLERMONT, Ia., May 9.—Robert J. Fleming, chairman: I regret that it will be inconvenient for me to come to attend your meeting. I hope that our people will turn out and show their appreciation of the work done by our Abraham Lincoln republicans in congress to restore our government to the control of the people. William Larrabee."

The other was from the progressives of Crawford county, the home of former Governor Shaw.

It follows:

"Crawford county progressives send greetings and predict success for the entire state and congressional ticket—J. B. Lyon, Alfred Wright, J. E. Ball."

SENATOR DOLLIVER'S SPEECH.

Senior Solon, in Address, Touches Upon Tariff Question.

Senator Dolliver said in part: "Ladies and gentlemen: It is a great pleasure to me to have the opportunity of participating with you in this extraordinary Iowa massmeeting. I don't mind confiding to you that I have made some sacrifices to get to this platform tonight. I not only had to break from the sergeant-at-arms but I also had to become a fugitive from the doctor who has had my case in hand. And after a long time I persuaded him to let me come, on the grounds that the Iowa air and the new Iowa politics would do for me what he had been so far unable to do.

"I have been confused a little in reading the Iowa newspapers as to the real character of this meeting. I understood from the columns of the papers that there were some citizens here who thought this was to be a good roads convention, and I do not intend to altogether ignore the fact that there is a sense in which it is a good roads convention. It is a joy for me tonight to show him and everybody else the rod to destruction.

Especial Pleasure in Meeting.

"I find especial pleasure in speaking in the home city and from the same platform with my colleague in the senate of the United States. With him I share the responsibility of representing this great commonwealth and his labors are exerted with mine in the great work which we are trying to do for the people of Iowa. I am especially glad that we are on the same platform, because it has never happened before.

"Though it has been my fortune, ill or good, for a good many years in Iowa politics to fight for persons. I stand here tonight to fight for the fundamental principles of the government of the United States; and I am not in the least embarrassed as some standpatters of Iowa would believe. I would say to these good brethren of fifty years ago that if they would try and forget the eulogies from time to time pronounced on me, I will try to get out of my head, the bitterness and personal enmity which exists in Iowa.

"Now, I do not desire that my position here should be in the least misunderstood. I said I am in the fight here for principles, but persons enter into it to some extent. I fight for these men because they are in sympathy with the work I am trying to do at the capital of the United States."

Indorsement of Garst.

The speaker then came out in indosement of Warren Garst for governor and as reason therefor said:

"I have been drawn to his support from the fact that from the beginning I have had his help and sympathy and his

JONATHAN P. DOLLIVER.
United States Senator from Iowa.

good will in the fight I have been trying to make and the sacrifices I have made for progressive good government in the United States.

"And so I stand for all these Iowa republicans who have been preparing the way for a larger outlook and better government.

"I didnt come here to say anything against the president. He has great duties and responsibilities, defined by law, but he is not alone in the government of the United States, with definite duties to perform. And I mean no reflection on him when I, as the representative of the people, who has solmen obligations and responsibilities, find it sometimes necessary to disagree with him and the leadership which surrounds him. Yet I speak no unkind word.

Speaks of President.

"I was present when the late President McKinley induced Judge Taft to accept the great responsibility and burden of governing the Philippine Islands. From that time until he became president of the United States I was attached to him as I was attached to few other men. Since that long, rainy night when I stood in the public street before the old brick house in Washington where James Blaine lay in the shadow of death, I have no experience more bitter than the experience of finding political associates, friends and neighbors waging an unrepublican contest.

"The president of the United States has described himself as the titular leader of the republican party. What is a titular leader? A titular leader is a man entirely surrounded by people who have the sense to know exactly what they want.

"And if I have any complaint to make it is that into his council have crowded men who do not have the interest or welfare of the party or country at heart.

Declined Both Invitations.

"In speaking here tonight it will be hard to keep within the breastworks of old republicanism. But I have had a good deal of experience and I believe I know the doctrines of the republican party well. I have defended them before the American people for the last twenty-five years and I do not intend to retire from that goodly fellowship, although I have been invited to do so from one direction and somewhat violently urged from another direction. I have declined both invitations.

"I do not respect the authority of the attorney general to read me out of the party. I decline the invitation to depart at this time.

"I was born in the republican party. I know something about its history, and I know its future lies in the success of the movement, now nation wide, to depose and set aside a leadership which has betrayed the people. And I have been accused at the bar of republicanism in the United States because I have refused to become a party to it.

Promise of Republican Party.

"I have already said that the promise of the republican party to the American people was not of a character to be performed by a few alterations in the old schedules, even if these could have been adroitly advertised as downward revisions. If no other question was involved, republican members of congress outvoted in their efforts to secure reductions in the rates, would have probably expressed their disappointment without recording their votes against the measure on its final passage. But the promise of the party was a larger and more substantial thing.

"Having in mind the history of tariff making in congress, the party agreed that the revision should be made with reference to a standard of justice, a standard which measured the protection to be accorded to American industries by the difference in the cost of production here and abroad, and the fundamental protest which was filed against the measure was based upon the fact that no attempt was made in any schedule to apply that standard, as the platform of the party required.

"Not only so, but the effort which was made to abolish obsolete methods of tariff tinkering by the creation of a permanent board of experts, so that the accumulated scandals of a generation might be eliminated from the work of congress in the future were ridiculed and rejected, and the platform of the party itself denounced as a vain and worthless expression. The circumstance was ignored that for over twenty years we have had self-constituted tariff commissions at work, without public responsibility or authority dictating to congress, not only the amount of protection demanded, but the very language, often devious and unintelligible, in which the purpose of the law should be expressed.

Abuse Is Old One.

"This abuse is a very old one. Forty-two years ago a stupid and fraudulent schedule of wool and woolens was prepared by the parties interested outside of congress, and enacted into law, without changing even the punctuation. It was at a time of general indifference of the public mind toward such matters and what seemed perfectly natural then is morally incredible today.

"If Senator Sherman could stand up today, on this floor, and defend a tariff scehule on the grund that the parties interested had written it themselves, and exhort his colleagues not to dot an "i" or cross a "t" in their manuscript, so that in the future they would be estopped from complaining about it, I presume a good many voices would be heard in objection, and somebody would be liable to say that a proposition involving the price of the people's clothing should be considered for a few minutes at least from a public standpoint, so that that portion of the community which wears woolen clothes should have their complaint heard.

"Yet in 1867 Schedule K was handed to us, after that exact argument by Senator Sherman, and by that exact argument it has been continued from generation to generation, bringing into reproach every general revision of the tariff from that day to this. Even at the beginning, there were some voices against such a method of transacting the public business. The names of Charles Sumner and Henry Wilson were recorded against the measure on its final passage. But there is no evidence that the general opinion of the country took any offense on account of the application of this primitive method of tariff making by a commission selected by its beneficiaries, so that for nearly half a century that schedule, unchanged and immutable, has defied every effort of the law-making power to mitigate its excesses, or even to modernize its phraseology.

Affects Other Schedules.

"But Schedule K is not the only one of our tariff schedules which congress has habitually left to a commission of experts, without connection with the government, and responsible only to the business offices of which they were the owners or the employes. In the last session I read, in the senate, in the handwriting of Governor Dingley, a letter to Col. George C. Tichenor, in which this fact is clearly disclosed, and from which a somewhat discouraging inference may be drawn that not even a change of political parties was able to shake the grip of great manufacturing interests upon the congress of the United States. I will read the letter now, from this little book, which has since been printed by Henry D. Tichenor, the son and private secretary of the late chairman of the board of general appraisers.

"'Jan. 30, 1897.—My Dear Sir: Yours enclosing suggestions as to tobacco schedule just received. I send you by this mail the hearings on metal schedule. You will notice by these hearings that the manufacturers ask only a cent and a half on tin plate and generally few changes. The eastern manufacturers want iron kept at 40 cents and the western ore men want it advanced to 60 cents. We expect to cut nearly all our duties considerably below those of the act of 1890. The metal and cotton schedules of the present law (Wilson bill) were really made by the manufacturers, except as to a few items. Yours very truly, 'Nelson Dingley, Jr.'

True of Other Industries.

"What is true of the cotton schedule and the wool schedule is true of the other textile industries. Our tariffs on linen goods, and on silks, are more completely products of the factories concerned than the cloths which they weave, and so thoroughly is that understood that few people in congress were able to see the joke, when at the end of the extraordinary session the lifelong lobbyist of the silk mills left the capitol saying: 'Gentlemen, that is the best silk schedule I ever wrote.'

"For thirty years our hearings before the ways and means committee have been little more than an itemized statement by interested parties of what they desired to have done, and a careful study of these hearings, during the period of my own public service, enables me to say that a very large proportion of the rates, even in the minor schedules, can be traced, almost in a straight line, to these hearings. In the old days, when many of our industries were struggling for a foothold in the market places; when they were all in active competition among themselves, when no great combinations had grown up to control prices; when there was anxiety on every hand to stimulate enterprises and induce the investment of capital, the old method of tariff making, even if it had been understood by the public, was less offensive morally than it is now.

"Yet, more than twenty years ago the senate, in the Allison bill of 1888, added a provision, elaborate in its machinery, for putting our customs laws upon a tariff commission; and in 1897 Senator Spooner, a man of marvelously clear vision, introduced into the senate on July 5 an amendment to the Dingley bill, prepared by Colonel Tichenor, creating a tariff commission, and in support of his amendment spoke these words of wisdom, far more significant now than they were then:

"'If the old method of tariff making had produced no other scandals except that involved in transferring to interested outside parties, the exercise of he power of the congress over taxation, it would have been bad enough; but, unhappily, the method lends itself too easily to the system of party organization through which the bossism, which has corrupted nearly all our municipal governments and taken the administration of the affairs of great commonwealths out of the hands of the people who inhabit them, has been brought into the legislative power of the government.'"

SENATOR CUMMINS' ADDRESS.

Junior Senator Gives Views On Progressive Principles.

"Mr. Chairman, Fellow Republicans, Fellow Citizens, Ladies and Gentlemen: This day I have long sought for, because for nearly ten years I tried to make the people of Iowa know something of the soundness of the doctrine of protection.

"You have heard tonight from the man who knows more about the tariff law than any other man within the limit of the United States, more truths in regard to it than ever before fell upon your ears.

"Do not for a moment be deceived with respect to the attitude of that element of republicans, of which I am a part, toward the doctrine of protection. We hold it as sacred as do these other men who can find no flaw whatsoever in any tariff laws they have been connected with in the congress of the United States.

"But in the campaign upon which we are just entering, I for one, do not, will not and dare not, attempt to make the people of the United States believe a lie. We have gotten too far in this country towards better and higher things to warrant any man to deceive, or attempt to deceive, the American people with respect to the tariff that was passed in the extraordinary session of congress which closed the 17th of last August.

Pledges Not Fulfilled.

"It was not a fair and honest fulfillment of our pledge, and no man with self-respect will so avow before the American people.

"I do not intend this evening to enter further upon the subject, save to say that for the last eight years I have went up and down before the people of Iowa appealing to them in the name of justice and fair dealing for a revision of the dules imposed upon imports. And for the coming eight years, or twenty if God spares my life so long, will I go up and down before the citizens of the United States appealing to all to redeem the pledges of the party to the country, the faith upon which Taft was elected president of the United States.

"I came to realize in the last session the difficulties of applying the doctrines of protection to the affairs of the nation. I came to know the real despot of the senate. I learned that men followed his leadership who would not have done so if we had been able to show to the people the truth of the difference between the cost of production here and abroad."

Tells of Tariff Fight.

The senator then told of his fight for the establishment of a real tariff commission, concluding his remarks with the statement:

"You will never get it until progressive republicans are in control."

"When I reach Washington next Thursday morning I will have traveled nearly three thousand miles in order to enjoy the privilege of speaking to the republicans of Iowa for one hour upon the issues of the primary campaign now in progress. This proves more conclusively than any words I could utter my deep interest in the outcome of the political struggle now going on among the republicans of the state. It was never more important than now that the republican party should hold the reins of government, but it is not less important that the right kind of republicans shall handle the reins and direct the course of the governmental chariot. Presently it will be our chief concern to elect republican candidates; but it ought to be our chief concern now to nominate for office progressive republicans, for in their nomination, as I firmly believe, lies the only hope of republican supremacy, and in their election will be found the best assurance of good government; and by good government I mean a government which, doing justice to all its people and all its interests, whether high or low, big or little, rich or poor, corporate or individual, gives its first and best care to the weak and the lowly, to the men who make up the rank and file of humanity, and who are unable to protect themselves against the power of vast wealth, inordinate avarice and corporate combination.

Two Kinds of Republicans.

"I do not shirk from the admission that there are at least two kinds of republicans. We may all hold the same general faith but there are two results sught and it is for the republicans of Iowa to determine which of these shall rule in this state.

"While the principal purpose of my visit to Iowa at this time is to say a word for others, I do not pretend to be altogether unselfish, and before we approach the main subject of my address, your indulgence is asked for a word in my own behalf. Although not a candidate for office in the coming primary, I value more than any other thing on earth, that pertains to public affairs, the good will, the confidence and the support which the republicans of Iowa have so generously and lavishly bestowed upon my hope that the next republican state convention will approve my attitude upon national questions and the course I have pursued in congress.

"If I did not hold dear the affection you so often indicated for me, public life would lose all its value in the twinkling of an eye.

That Standpat Confab.

"A few weeks ago there was held in the city of Des Moines a conference of certain republicans, and these men organized a campaign with the avowed object of securing a state convention that would indorse the republican national administration. The men who composed the conference are well known in Iowa. I have especial reason to know them, because in every fight that we have had in ten years they have been my most persistent and determined enemies. I have not a word to say against them personally, but I know, and every man of intelligence and information in the state knows ,that they have but one political motive. Every man who has given even the most casual attention to the doings in congress during the last year and a half knows that when such political chiefs as Frank Jackson, Sid Foster, Jim Berryhill, Bernard Murphy, Dave Bant, and other of like turn of mind, come together and determine to control a state convention by

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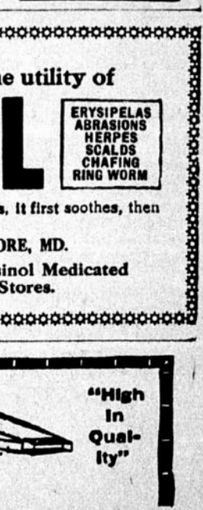

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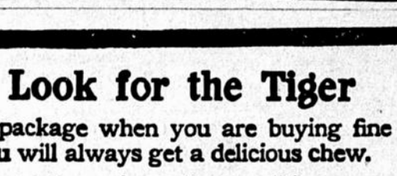

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lowa under such circumstances as now surround us, the intent is in some form or another, expressly or implicitly, to condemn me, and in this instance, I suppose, incidentally to disparage also my distinguished colleague, Senator Dolliver. These men have a perfect right to test the sentiment of the republicans of the state upon that subject, and I welcome the challenge. It is not only the right, but it is the duty of the republicans of Iowa to declare in clear and unequivocal terms what they think with regard to their senators. The only thing to which I object is the mask which these men are wearing; and all that I intend to do tonight with regard to the campaign so begun is to politely ask them to remove the mask and to make their fight in the open. I have the highest regard for a fair, brave fighter, but I do not like the midnight prowler with his dark lantern and his jimmy who hopes to get off with his plunder unheard and unseen. If these men decline my mild invitation to remove the false face which obscures their real purpose, I am here to take it off for them, and to say to the republicans of Iowa that the fight which they are making is to get a convention that will make such declarations as will enable Mr. Aldrich and his crowd to say that Senator Dolliver and myself, together with the progressive members of the house delegation, have been repudiated in our own state, and that therefore we should have no influence in Washington.

"If a majority of the republicans here believe that we have been unfaithful to their interests and to the welfare of the country, they ought to say so; but if, on the other hand, they believe that we are keeping the trust reposed in us, and that we are doing the best we can to protect the rights and preserve the privileges which all citizens ought to enjoy in a free government, they ought to say so. I am most willing to submit this issue to the convention which will shortly assemble without a single word more in my own behalf, for I know that the intelligence of the voters of the state will strip the campaign against us of its thin disguise and compel those who are carrying it on to come out into the open and avow the true object of the work in which they are engaged.

Iowa Situation.

"Under ordinary circumstances it would not be appropriate for senators to enter actively into a campaign that is to determine the republican choice for state officers and members of the national house of representatives; but we are not living under ordinary conditions, and at this time it is not only seemly for us to shoulder our muskets in the fight, but we would be cowards and traitors to our plain duty if we failed to lend what influence we have toward the nomination of men who in other fields of political labor will lift up and carry forward the standard which, as best we can, we are trying to maintain in the senate of the United States. Governor Garst and his progressive associates upon the state ticket are among my warmest personal friends, and public life can bring them no honor that would not gratify me as much as it could them; but if nothing but friendship were involved, my appearance here would be an unpardonable offense. Prouty and Byers and Darrah and Brookhart, in many a nerve wearing, heart-breaking contest, have won my everlasting esteem and gratitude; but if this were all, they would be the first to repudiate my presence in their campaign, for I would do them more harm than good.

"What, then, is it which distinguishes this time and this occasion from the old fashioned caucus or primary? What is it that dwarfs all personal relations and emphasizes considerations as broad as the continent and as pervading as humanity itself? This is the question I am here to answer, if I can, for it is the most vital inquiry of the hour, touching alike the welfare of the country and the permanency of the republican party.

"The American people successfully achieved their political independence; they successfully established a representative gavernment; they successfully resisted a foreign invader; they successfully passed through the perils of a civil war; they have successfully developed the richest resources that ever fell under the hand of man; they have triumphantly accumulated more wealth than belongs to

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United States Senator From Iowa.

any other nation on the face of the earth; they have with unexampled rapidity organized forces of money, prperty and genius unknown to any other land or age. Through all these experiences and all these agencies we have passed into a period when that mighty form of modern association, the corporation, has the power to take what it wills. The question is, can we restrict it, regulate it, control it so that it will take no more than is fair, just and reasonable, and thus give to every man his even chance in working out his best ambitions and insure to him all the fruits of his own honest toil?

"The solution of this problem falls largely upon the congress of the United States, but the awakening and the maintenance of the spirit among the people, which alone will make the solution possible must be confident in great measure to leaders in state affairs. Both senators and representatives are powerless unless they feel the steadying and inspiring support of the people at home.

Reason for Action.

"With these preliminary suggestions I answer the next question which I know is uppermost in your minds. A great many good men are asking why this turmoil and agitation within the ranks of the republican party? Why does it make any difference in the fortunes of the country who is nominated for an office in a republican primary? The answer to the question must disclose the differences which exist among republicans.

"Slowly, but surely, the leaders of the republican party in congress have drifted into dangerous alliances with these tremendous associations of wealth and power which, as I have said, must be regulated, controlled and restricted, unless we are willing that they shall work their way and their will upon the defenseless multitude. I do not accuse them of a corrupt or even a conscious purpose to fasten the chains of commercial, industrial and financial slavery upon the American people, but I do accuse them of breathing so constantly the friendly air of corporate greatness, and of sharing so continually the gracious hospitalities that wealth alone can command, that they have come to look upon these corporations and these instrumentalities as the best philanthropies that can be established. They have come to believe that the people will be better off if they take what these associated powers are willing to give them than they will be if they fight for their own rights. They listen first, last and longest to the appeals, the arguments and the demands of wealth. They have fallen insensibly into the belief that the possession of vast sums of money is the best evidence of high intelligence and exalted patriotism. Most of them have been brought up with these influences all around them, and therefore when a law is proposed that restricts or reduces corporate power, their first inquiry is not, will this measure bring help to the people, but, is it recommended by the captains of industry, the masters of high finance, the directors of mighty business affairs, the managers of our unparalleled railway system. As I have just suggested, these leaders of ours always find themselves so busy hearing what these princes of the earth have to say about proposed legislation that they have scant time to consider the wants, desires and needs of the great mass of humanity, made up of millions whose voices are usually faint and distant, but who now and then are heard in tones that shake the whole structure of organized society.

Corporations in Congress.

"I have no hesitancy in naming the present leaders of the republican party in the congress of the United States. In the senate one man stands solitary and alone, and hitherto his word has been law to that august tribunal. Senator Aldrich is one of the men of whom I have been speaking. In the house, Mr. Cannon, the speaker, has exercised a dominating control, and after him come Payne, Dalzell, and a few others of the same type. They look at these vital problems from the corporate standpoint, and they are always fearful that any step in the further and the better regulation of these overmastering forces in our commercial life will destroy business—will take away some of the profits with which the multi-millionaires have been enriching themselves. Possibly we need such brakes upon the wheels of progress, but a brake never ought to be mistaken for the engine which drives the car of humanity triumphantly on toward higher and better things.

"I illustrate again the difference between the two elements of the republican party: Aldrich on the one side, and Dolliver, LaFollette, Bristow, Clapp, Borah and their associates on the other. When any proposition arises, it is as sure as fate itself that Aldrich will view it from the standpoint of maintaining power and privilege in the hands of the great, and these other men will view it from the standpoint of controlling the power of those who have already accumulated fabulous fortunes, and of making it a little easier for the common run of mankind to get what they fairly earn. These are essential differences; they inhere in the training and education of the membership of congress; and I take the liberty of giving but two concrete instances which will exemplify the whole subject.

Provision Repealed Anti-Trust Law.

"When the railway regulation bill which is now before the senate came in, fresh from the pen of an attorney general who had spent most of his life in effecting and defending consolidations of wealth and business which were dangerously near the limit of the law, it contained a provision which repealed the anti-trust law with respect to traffic agreements made by railroads, and made such agreements lawful if filed with the interstate commerce commission, without any approval whatsoever by the commission. This was the most startling and shocking legislative proposition that had been made in more than twenty years, for during the whole period of our effort to regulate railroads it has been assumed that such agreements would have an inevitable tendency to unjustly increase rates, and therefore no one had ever before dared to propose such an evolution in our railway policy. True to his instinct, the present leader of the senate fought hard for this immunity and privilege for the railway companies, and had it not been for the determined, persistent opposition of the progressive senators, Aldrich with his overpowering influence, would have passed it through the senate. When driven from the initial proposition, he then took refuge behind the suggestion that these combination traffic agreements might be made without specifying the rates, and that the commission might approve the agreement, but that the rate should go into effect without approval. When driven from this position in a long and weary fight, then, rather than submit to the fair and reasonable regulation of having the increased rates that were made by the railway companies in pursuance of any such agreement, take effect only upon their approval by the commission, and finding himself beaten in one of the bitterest contests ever carried on in the senate, he was instrumental in striking out the entire section.

In Harmony for Better Laws.

"I am sure you can understand, with this illustration, how vital it is that Iowa in her state organization shall lend her support to the progressives in such a controversy. Every session of congress will develop just such differences; and can you wonder that we who are marked for the disfavor of the powerful influences at Washington should want a governor who is in sympathy with what we are trying to do—should want the whole state government to be in harmony with the progressive movement for better laws? You will understand, I am sure, that I have given you the reason why I want to see Warren Garst nominated for governor. In addition to the work that he would do so splendidly at home, it would be comforting at Washington to know that the governor of the state was lifting up his voice to aid us in the struggle in which we are constantly engaged.

"The present members of the house of representatives from this district and from the Ninth congressional district are devoted followers of Aldrich and of Cannon, of Payne and of Dalzell, and they have voted and they will vote in the future, if they are returned to congress, just as the Aldrich-Cannon organization determines they ought to vote. Is it strange that Senator Dolliver and myself, who are in the midst of one of the fiercest conflicts ever seen in the national congress for principles that we believe to be vital to the welfare of the party as well as of the country, should want Prouty and Byers and Darrah and Brookhart in the house of representatives instead of Hull, Smith, Toner or Kennedy?

"There is nothing personal in the situation. I covet the support and confidence of every man in Iowa, but it is in the highest degree illogical for any man to help me to a seat in the senate of the United States, or to believe that I ought to remain there, to stand for the nomination of Hull, of Smith, of Towner or of Kennedy. The sooner we realize that this division in the ranks of the republican party is not ephemeral, the sooner we appreciate that it is a movement of the people and not merely to gratify personal ambitions, the sooner we will become conscious of a great and everlasting truth."

PLEASANT DAY FOR PRISONER!

Circumstances Seemed to Combine to Make Unhappy Time for Victim in Stocks.

A record on file in the library of the United States congress contains an account of the adventures of a certain Hubbard, who was sentenced in Boston to the stocks for having indulged in an unwarrantable fit of ill temper. When he had taken his seat for the day there came along a drove of swine, which seemed to cast upon him those leering looks that only a fat pig can bestow. A dog followed, sniffing at the prisoner's feet and making feints—unpleasantly approaching reality—of biting him. Then a cock, mounting to the very top of the stocks, crowed his derision upon the victim below, and presently a rough fellow, after indulging in ugly taunts, threw at him fetid toadstools and a dead snake.

Then an Indian appeared, who, in a drunken rage, stimulated by some fancied injury, rushed at Hubbard with a tomahawk, probably intending nothing worse, however, than to give him a severe fright, which he certainly succeeded in doing.

Help came from an unexpected quarter, for at that moment an old bull came tearing down the road. His attention was attracted by the stocks and with a roar he prepared for a charge.

Alarmed in his turn, the savage darted off. The bull made a dash at the stocks and carried away the corner post, but without even grazing the object of his apparent wrath. Whether he was disgusted by the little he had accomplished or his animosity was thus satisfied, he started off, bellowing and shaking his head, much to the relief of the said Hubbard.

And then the unfortunate man was left in comparative peace to his own meditations and the cutting sleet of a November day.

Queer Himalayan Beliefs.

The people of Kulu are extremely superstitious, and go in extensively for demonolatry. Many trees are held to be sacred, and have tiny temples dedicated to them. The demons are popularly supposed to live at the tops of trees, and if a tree falls in such a way that it is possible to pass under it, as is often the case on the mountain sides, every man, before going beneath the trunk will place on it a stick or stone to propitiate its guardian spirit. Certain streams are also sacred, and no one is allowed to wash dirty clothes in them. During 1908 some strangers came into the valley and happened to pollute the water of a river in this manner. It chanced to be a year of extraordinary rainfall, and the people implicitly believe that the excessive rain was sent by the outraged "deota" of the stream as a punishment.

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Mrs. Lydia Clay is still on the sick list.

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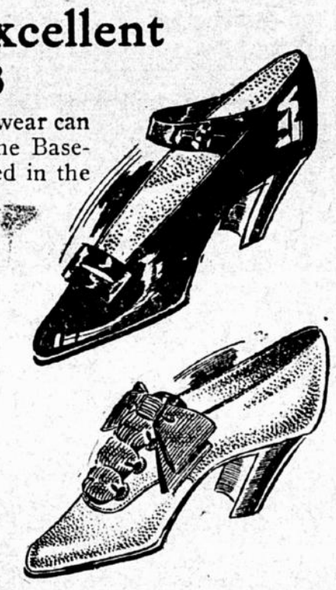

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