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DEMOCRATS SOUND THE HEWGAG.

The democrats at Indianapolis are going off half-cocked over the question of the recent naturalizations in Lake county, and it would seem as if it were a good plan for them to find out what they are shooting at before they sound the hewgag so loudly. If there was any illegal naturalization done in Lake county it wasn't done by the republicans. The democrats brought numbers of foreigners to be naturalized but of course nothing was said about that. If the democrats had carried Lake county, nothing would have been said about it but they are such poor losers that the Indianapolis democratic politicians are kicking up a lot of dust which blinds nobody. The democrats in the capital have been going to do great things about contesting ever since the election and have done nothing but talk and talk. We predict that is all it will end in—talk and democratic talk.

A NEW WRINKLE IN EAST CHICAGO.

An East Chicago lady who became weary of getting ten dollars a month doled out to her by her sterner half who earned good wages as a puddler, and who revolted because she had to loot her husband's trouser pockets of yen and tael for pin money, inaugurated something new in the streets of "Honest Abe" Ottenheimer's town last Saturday night. She met her husband aforesaid on the thoroughfare and decorated his classic features with a number of Doric and Corinthian capitals, all to the intense joy of the populace. When the E. C. lady had completed her task, hubby's blue eyes were transformed into black ones. He was dubbed a villain and his weekly stipend was demanded peremptorily. It is to be hoped that the precedent set by the estimable and outraged East Chicago lady will not become general, as it would be most embarrassing to be met by an angry spouse on a crowded street on a Saturday evening and held up for the pay envelope or suffer a pair of daintily blackened optics.

HE WON'T INTERFERE AGAIN.

A Hammond man was taught a lesson in Chicago the other day of which it might be well for a great many people to consider the moral. A respectable appearing old gentleman was approaching a certain depot with considerable difficulty. He was plainly much the worse from indulging in the cup that cheers and likewise quies. The Hammond man, noting the old gentleman's condition, took him gently by the arm and lead him into the station. Another man in the crowd mistook the Hammond man for a confidence sharp and told him so. The Hammond man resented the interference and a mix-up of a nasty nature was threatened. In the meantime the bibulous old gentleman found his way to his train without any trouble and then the Hammond man left his accuser, vowing he would never help an intoxicated stranger again as long as he lived. It certainly doesn't pay in this world to try to handle anyone's business but your own. You often get into trouble if you do and you seldom get any thanks anyway.

TIME TO HEED THE LESSON.

The Fort Wayne News says truthfully and editorially:
"It is to be trusted that the next time the republicans have to nominate a candidate for governor that the several aspirants for the honor will not rush at each other's throats like a lot of hydrophobic wolves. It is a certainty that the stories used against Watson during the recent campaign were disseminated by republicans prior to his election. Indiana is not so solidly republican that this sort of business can be indulged in, and, perhaps, it is just as well. A party that is too big to discipline soon becomes a nuisance." By all means let us not become a nuisance.

A CERTAIN HAMMOND paper which does a great deal of prating about what it is pleased to call sensationalism in other papers and is always busily occupied in trying to convince people that it gives nothing but the news when it is news, printed a yarn about a romantic automobile elopement at Crown Point last night. The facts are as stated in the Times story of the simple wedding last Saturday. It was not an "elopement." The friends of the couple were not all "surprised," as the Times has had the pictures of the couple two weeks and the wedding was planned long ago. There were no "wretched relatives," there was no "chartered auto," as it was Dr. Good's limousine and it was not the "culmination of a love affair of many years standing."

So much for freak journalism.

UPON VACATING THE White House March fourth, Colonel Roosevelt will on March fifth put his feet upon his editorial desk and assign himself to a four month's vacation. It is told us in good authority that he has already fixed his salary at 35,000 bones a year. Now if he has made himself solid with the cashier, he probably can get lunch money in advance on a pinch. Gee, but it's great to be an editor!

UP TO THE HOUR of making up the last page, only four distinguished gentlemen from Massachusetts have been mentioned in connection with a seat in Mr. Taft's cabinet. If Massachusetts doesn't object, might it not be timely to suggest that the whole blooming cabinet be taken from Mass.—chewstz.

THE NOVEL SCHEME inaugurated by those enterprising merchants—Kaufan and Wolf—to run a free renting bureau in connection with their large and varied interests, will no doubt fill a long felt want in the Calumet region and the enterprising business men are to be congratulated on the idea.

THANK GOODNESS, there is a fine lot of turkeys in sight unless some one gets out an injunction preventing one enjoying them.

THE FUNERAL PROCESSION, you know, seems awfully slow to everybody, except the one inside the hearse.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

November 17.

1685—La Verandrye, the discoverer of the northwest, was born at Three Rivers, Quebec.

1734—Zenger, editor of a New York weekly journal, was imprisoned for defending government by the people.

1788—Seth Boyden, distinguished American inventor, was born in

Foxboro, Mass. Died near Newark, N. J., March 31, 1870.

1829—President Guerrero of Mexico, relinquished the extraordinary powers granted him by congress on account of the Spanish invasion.

1835—Governor Andrew L. Harris of Ohio was born in Butler county, Ohio.

1863—Battle of Knoxville, Tenn.

1874—Forty persons were drowned by

Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

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A DUAL LIFE.

As long as men read books the story of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde will live—because it is true to life.

Dr. Rustin of Omaha, Neb., tried to lead the dual life.

He was a brilliant surgeon, of good family, highly educated, urbane, skillful, popular. E. H. Harriman said he would one day be the chief surgeon of the Union Pacific railway.

But, though the Dr. Jekyll of him was in the majority, the Mr. Hyde of him was busy and insistent. The minority part suggested liquor and drugs as "stimulants." Under their influence Rustin's quick brain slowed up and his deft hand lost its cunning. Practice dropped off. Financial troubles came.

Slowly, surely, the fiend Hyde absorbed the Dr. Jekyll.

Becoming master, he whispered in Rustin's ears that morphine was too weak. Cocaine!

Rustin obeyed the suggestion. Then Hyde became a tyrant. He told Rustin to steal from his fellow physicians and the hospitals. He ordered him to find his agreeable company with low women and other drug fiends.

By and by the insidious monster told Rustin he must kill himself. The doctor readily assented. But his once fine mind remembered his duty to his wife and children. Yes, he would die, but it must not appear to be suicide, else he would forfeit his life insurance.

"That's easy," whispered Hyde.

Dr. Rustin inoculated himself with typhoid fever germs so that he might seem to die like honest men die. But he overdid the matter by afterward mixing a potion of tetanus germs. One neutralized the other.

Still the monster was not appeased.

So one night they found Rustin dying on his porch.

Just how it was done is not quite clear. There is the story that a fallen woman made a pact with him by which they were to kill each other, but her nerve failed her; that he later found a fellow drug degenerate who performed the last grim service.

Anyhow the Hyde syndicate of evil got a majority of the Rustin stock. The Hyde partner got the mortgage on Rustin's soul—and foreclosed it.

And so ends every attempt of a man to live the double life.

Dr. Jekyll may smile with his lips before the world and dissemble the Mr. Hyde that is in him, but no man can serve two masters.

One of the other names of Mr. Hyde is Duplicity, one of the devil's favorite friends.

the sinking of the packet Empire at New Orleans.

1906—President Roosevelt sailed from Colon for Porto Rico after having inspected the laborers' quarters at San Cristobal.

1907—Secretary Root opened the Central American Peace Conference.

THIS IS MY 73RD BIRTHDAY.

Andrew L. Harris, the present governor of the state of Ohio, was born in Butler county, Ohio, November 17, 1835. He graduated from Miami university in 1860 and in the following year enlisted as a private soldier in the Union army. He made a brilliant career and was brevet brigadier general when he was mustered out in 1865. He returned to Ohio and was admitted to the bar. During 1866 and 1867 he was state senator and from 1875 to 1887 probate judge. In 1892 he was elected lieutenant governor of Ohio, when McKinley was elected governor. In 1895 he was elected lieutenant governor for the third time and when Governor J. M. Pattison died in June, 1906, Mr. Harris became governor for the term ending in January, 1909.

RANDOM THINGS AND FLINGS

Two men won brides in the east as the result of freak election bets. The dispatches don't say whether the brides were freaks or not.

WHEN A MAN SAYS HIS SICKNESS IS DUE TO OVERWORK EVERYBODY SCOFFS SAVE THOSE WHO LOVE HIM. ISN'T THAT SO IN YOUR CASE?

Forbidden Topic.

Ibsen's "Doll's House" was presented at an Atchison theater recently, and the women went in great numbers, and took their children, thinking that it would be a treat for the little dars. Here is a valuable pointer: When you go to Atchison, don't mention Ibsen.—Emporia Gazette.

First impressions are generally best—a man's instinct is subtler than his reasoning.

We note that Tsze Hai An, the dowager empress of the Chinks, is dead and that she was once a noted beauty. A pipe at the pictures show the beauty to have been lost somewhere between the photograph gallery and the stereotyper.

It's a mighty poor quality of love that won't make a few sacrifices to jealousy.

Auto Suggestion.
One of our young ladies has a new

UP AND DOWN IN INDIANA

FINDS BABY ON STEP.

Driving to the home of David Foutz, of Wabash, an unknown man ran to the door and knocked vigorously. When Mr. Foutz arose and went to the door he stumbled over a basket containing a 6-weeks-old boy. As soon as Mr. Foutz was aroused the man ran to the buggy and drove away rapidly before Mr. Foutz could reach the door.

SAYS SLANDER CAUSED DEATH.

Mrs. Grant Ratchiff of New London, whose husband recently committed suicide, has arranged to bring suits against those who circulated false reports concerning her husband. She says her husband was "hounded" to his death by false reports.

300 AT Y. M. C. A. GATHERING.

The program for the thirty-ninth annual convention of the Y. M. C. A. of Indiana at South Bend was announced today. According to present indications not fewer than 300 delegates will be here when the first session opens on Nov. 19.

DOCTOR'S TESTIMONY TAKEN.

The defense in the Ray Lamphere case, at Laporte, is preparing to make a vigorous attack on the contention of the state that Mrs. Guinness died by fire and suffocation by introducing the statement of Dr. Harry H. Long, who assisted at the post-mortem examination of the charred body, supposed to be that of the murderess.

CHARGED WITH ABDUCTION.

The arrest of Mrs. Clara Gordon of Terre Haute has so far failed to solve the mystery surrounding the disappearance of little Ada Glasco of Anderson, the only witness of the alleged killing of her stepmother by her father, John Glasco. Mrs. Gordon is a niece of the man held for his wife's murder.

WANTS EVANSVILLE PLANT.

It was learned today that the city of Birmingham, Ala., is desiring to purchase of the plant of the Smokeless Fuel and Garbage company in Evansville, that recently sold at receiver's sale. The company was headed by Walter L. Thiele of St. Louis, and cost \$40,000.

GIDEONS CLOSE CONVENTION.

The annual state convention of the

hood of Painters, Decorators and Paper-hangers.
Bakers and Confectioners International union has adopted a plan to fully organize all the large cities of the United States, with the idea of having a membership of 100,000 within a stated time. The present membership is 14,582.

When we hear some girls play the piano we always feel sorry that they have accomplished so little with such hard work.

And did you notice we didn't hear a word from either of the brothers Charlie?

Sometimes
People cast glances
That are intended to
Be arch, when they are simply
Idiotic.

Punk Jones and Minervy Flicker rode over to Bean Creek last Sunday on horseback. Minervy rode straddle and looked quite comical as she is quite short-waisted.—West Newton News in Indianapolis Independent.

You would be surprised at the things said about you behind your back.

Last Saturday THE TIMES announced authoritatively to the world that the manufacture of steel would begin January first at Gary. Yesterday steel was up over a point.

The trouble is that after a loving woman gets married she is apt to confuse the role of guardian angel with that of detective.

Also, see that the Grand Duke Alexis of Russia is no more in the spirit. Remember in 1872 when the Dook was here.

LABOR NEWS

LABOR NOTES
Teamsters at Emporia, Kan., have formed a union.

Dye workers at Minneapolis, Minn., recently organized.

Operative Plasterers' International union has joined the A. F. of L.

Retail clerks at McAlester, Okla., have obtained a reduction in working hours.

Albany (N. Y.) labor unions have erected and opened a tuberculosis pavilion.

The various central bodies of Orange county, New York, have joined a county labor union.

The annual convention of the Seamen's union will be held on Nov. 20 at New Orleans, La.

A reorganization of the building trades unions has been brought about in Buffalo, N. Y., after many years of warfare.

The labor unions of Sacramento, Cal., are working energetically for the erection of a building trades temple in that city.

It has been decided by the leather workers to make a universal demand for the eight hour day within the next two years.

United Brewery workers of America have a cash surplus on hand of \$97,622.41 and an investment in municipal bonds of \$200,000.

Additional death benefits of \$250 for a membership of seven or more years and \$300 for one of ten or more years and \$200 for one of ten or more years have been established by the Brother-

Gideons came to a close this evening with a mass meeting in the Plymouth Congregational church, at Ft. Wayne. The installation of officers and the formation of the Gideon Circle were the main features of the meeting.

POURS POWDER ON STOVE.

Mrs. William Brill, living over a dry goods store in Fulton avenue, Evansville, today ran across a pop bottle half filled with powder and, not knowing the bottle contained powder, she started to pour the contents into a stove. The fire reached the bottle and there was a terrific explosion. Mrs. Brill's son, who was standing near the stove, was blown downstairs and severely injured. An artery in Mrs. Brill's arm was cut by flying glass and she came near bleeding to death before aid reached her. Her face was terribly burned.

YEGGMEN STEAL \$18,000.

By drilling a hole fourteen by fourteen inches through the walls of the South Bend postoffice and vault, yeggmens entered the safe and took stamps amounting to \$18,653.50.

HAIR HOLDING RAZOR PARALYZED.

William Hoffer, an Evansville barber, was stricken with total paralysis at his barber chair last evening while shaving a customer. The razor fell from his nerveless hand across the throat of the man in the chair, but the blade luckily turned and inflicted only a slight gash over the jugular vein. Hoffer will die.

CUTS BRAND ON COWS.

Reading wild west stories and wanting to imitate cow boys on the western plains in branding cattle, William Talbert, 15, of Evansville, is under arrest. He is charged by Mrs. Mary James with cutting crosses on her cows with a jackknife.

TO BUILD \$600,000 CITY HALL.

Pursuant to Mayor Bookwalter's request, Frederick E. Matson, corporation counsel of Indianapolis, said last night that he would today prepare an ordinance, to be presented at the meeting of the council tonight, calling for an issue of municipal bonds to the amount of \$600,000 to be used in the erection of the proposed new city hall, Ohio and Alabama streets.

New Secretary of Navy Is from Michigan.



Truman H. Newberry.

Truman H. Newberry of Detroit, who succeeds Metcalf as secretary of the navy, has been assistant secretary of that department since 1905. He was one of the organizers of the Michigan state naval brigade in 1895 and served in the navy himself.

Maxims Of The Defeated Candidate

BY HOWELL V. PARRY

Steer clear of the political pie unless thou carest not about eating crow.

Bank more on thy friend the enemy, for thou knowest where he is "at"; not so always with thine enemy, who is thy friend, politically speaking.

Trust thy political friend until he gets around the corner, me che-eld; if the street be curved, trust him a little farther—but never any farther than thou canst see him.

For around the corner he meets thine opponent—they arrange a barbecue and thou art the lamb led to the slaughter.

They take everything but thy hide, me che-eld, and that they save until the end. But never fear—they get it.

Trust no one to "deliver the goods," but the express man, and have a search warrant ready even for him.

For even the trains are held up, and the speech thou hast ready to deliver availeth not.

And the crowds, me che-eld, the crowds. The soap bubbles, me che-eld, the soap bubbles. Remember the crowds that jostled to see thy brother hanged?

A vote in the ballot box is worth two times two, for thy opponent is exceedingly wise, hath money and influence, and they wallets might as well be emptied on his office counter, to be put in his jeans.

A glass of beer, and a campaign cigar are the emblems of a candidate that failed to connect; the foam is his chance, and the job goeth up in smoke.

Buy not all thy friends cigars—rather invest thy money in muzzles, for some promising buds have been withered by the hot winds that would succor them.

Yea, a ticket to Alaska, handed to some of thy friends is a good investment for thee.

It is far easier to deliver the laboring man's vote in a sieve than in a satchel, for in a sieve thy knowest thou hast them not, while in a satchel thou thinkest thou hast but hast not, and thy load necessarily lightens as election day approaches.

The laboring man's vote is like Brennan's billy goat: It roams where it damn pleases, is a mighty pliable animal, but for—well, but for its butt.

And in the end, me che-eld, is the siren's song of
Frazzle
And dazle
And razzle
And wassail.

And thou needst no Webster's to tell thee the meaning of these words, for thou knowest them bally well, me che-eld; beyond peradventure of a doubt thou knowest them.

The chuck-a-luck man with his little pen is an angel beside the average politician, for thou hast a chance of seeing the peas once in a while, but the only chance a politician gives thee

is a good chance to figure up thy losses the morning after election.

Again, me che-eld, it is a bally bad game. The crow is not so bad, but it is the company thou hast to eat with that turns thy stomach, and to know that some of thine own money bought the powder that killed the black cusses—ah, there's the rub, me che-eld, there's the rub.

IN POLITICS

The election of William H. Taft gives Yale her first representative in the executive office of the nation.

Former Senator Spooner of Wisconsin has been chosen Yale Law School commencement orator for next spring.

Lucius N. Littauer, former representative in congress from the twenty-fifth New York district, is to become a candidate for the office of United States senator.

It cost James S. Sherman \$23,000 to be elected vice president of the United States, according to his report filed with the secretary of state of New York.

Despite the fact that the politicians were all against him, June Ben B. Lindsey of Denver, popularly known as the "kids' judge," was re-elected by an unusually large vote.

Formal announcement has been made that Congressman Ebenezer J. Hill of the fourth Connecticut district, will be a candidate for the seat in the United States senate now filed by Senator Frank B. Grandegere.

William Howard Taft will be the only president with a middle name since Chester A. Arthur. All but seven of the nation's twenty-six presidents have been blessed with but a single baptismal name.

As regards the United States senatorship from New York, it seems to be a case of the "three R's"—Root, Reid and Roosevelt.

HOBART.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mellon of Hammond spent Sunday in Hobart visiting relatives.

Lilly Mereness went to the city yesterday for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pederson left yesterday for the south, where they will spend the winter.

Born on Friday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rose a girl.

Miss Elsie Risch of St. Louis is visiting friends here for a few days.

Mrs. Joseph Black is reported to be very sick.

Mr. Hoff visited his brother, Rev. William Hoff, Sunday.

John Vincent and Carl Peterson were in town yesterday.

The young folks have been skating on Lake George the last few days.

A Vanderpool of Chicago visited with Mr. Van Leon and family over Sunday.

Quite a number from Gary attended the "social hop" at Stratton's Saturday evening.

Don't overlook the big, cut and slash sale of the Paxton & Baker Co's stock, 235-237 State street, by the Chicago Brokerage Co. Sale opens Wednesday morning—2t.