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TO REPUBLICANS:

We are anxious to have every Republican in close touch, and working in harmony with the Republican National Congressional Committee in favor of the election of a Republican Congress.

The Congressional campaign must be based on the administrative and legislative record of the party, and that being so, Theodore Roosevelt's personality must be a central figure and his achievements a central thought in the campaign.

We desire to maintain the work of this campaign with popular subscriptions of One Dollar each from Republicans. To each subscriber we will send the Republican National Campaign Text Book and all documents issued by the Committee.

Help us achieve a great victory.
JAMES S. SHERMAN, Chairman.
P. O. Box 2063, New York.

WORTHY CHARITY.

In another column of this issue the Palladium prints the story of a sorrow stricken family at Westville, just four miles east of Richmond. The family is doubly stricken not only with death but with poverty. The circumstances of the sad condition of affairs, truthfully told by the reporter who visited the home call forth a touch of sympathy from every true Christian that reads the lines. The Palladium calls on the people of this city to help the Vincent family. They need it sorely. It is not a time when through laziness, drunkenness or any such revolting circumstance a family has been thrown upon the charity of the community. It is a time when through a chain of misfortunes a family finds that it cannot give its dead decent burial. It is a time when parents see a loved one taken from them and though the land teems with plenty and others all about them are happy they cannot lay their child to its last rest, as the most humble even could afford. Richmond people have many times responded with far greater amounts than needed in this case. They will no doubt stop just a moment in their rounds of pleasures surrounded by all that is good and think of a suffering brother. There may be a field for foreign mission work, the slums of New York and Chicago may contain many families deserving of sympathy and support but here is an opportunity to show that charity truly begins at home. The Palladium enters on this work of collecting funds for the Vincent household, knowing that they are deserving of all that can be done for them. It is hoped that the needed financial aid will come spontaneously. The representatives of the paper will do all the work connected with the collecting the money. All that is necessary is to notify the office by phone or letter, that you desire to contribute.

SUPERSTITION AS TO NUMBERS.

That superstitious fears of the absurd sort are often combined with physical courage apparently without other limit has and has had, proofs without number, but it has been left for The Journal of the American Medical Association to call attention to one of the most curious of them. Says the New York Times.

The men who take part in automobile races like those for the Vanderbilt Cup seem to be entirely destitute of the ordinary regard for personal safety. For hours at a time they hurl themselves along common roads at a speed which often exceeds

a mile a minute, and from the beginning of the race to its end they put their limbs and lives in at least as great peril as the soldier does in battle. And they do this, not under any compulsion, but, in great part, at least, because they like the sensations experienced as they fly along with death close at hand and likely to overtake them at any instance. Of course the money reward is considerable, especially in case of victory, and there is the added reward of fame of a certain rather poor and very limited sort, but the chief incentive must be a thrill of the nerves that can be obtained—by these men—in no other way. Yet these reckless fellows shrink with horror at the idea of adding to their real dangers the imaginary one of having the number 13 painted on their cars!

If this phenomenon were, not so familiar it would be vastly surprising, but the automobile races are far from alone in their terror of a number exactly like other numbers—a number for which "luck" has never shown either preference or prejudice. It has been connected with as many mishaps as mishaps, and the dislike for it is quite without foundation in history or logic. None the less it is generally banned. Few, indeed, are the doors of hotel bedrooms or of steamship staterooms that bear it, and few of the office buildings in which the owners do not find it expedient to pretend that the floor above the twelfth is the fourteenth.

Reflection upon these half-amusing, half-disgusting facts prompts. The Journal to ask: "Is it any wonder that with this senseless superstition still rampant people should continue to think that various peculiar methods of treatment, and even nonsensical remedies, will relieve them of their pains and ills?" And it adds: "What is needed, evidently, is not education in general, but specific training in a state of mind and a development of character that will prevent the domination of such foolish remains of the ignorance of former generations."

THE STAY-AT-HOME VOTER.

According to some of the Republican leaders and the Democratic leaders, too, there are evidences that there will be a big stay-at-home class at the forthcoming election. Wayne county has displayed the same signs that other parts of Indiana have. There is really no excuse for the stay-at-home. Business may be pressing on the farm, in the shop, in the store and in the counting room, but one of the most sacred business duties of every man is to exercise his right to the ballot. No man or set of men has any right to criticize how a man exercises this privilege but everybody has the right to be provoked with the man who does not vote. "I'm disgusted with politics" one man says, "because of the rottenness of it all." Yet he stays at home. If he believes that there are evils to correct, he should vote the way his conscience dictates, but don't stay at home. Wayne county farmers have seldom had a busier fall season than now, but every one of them can well afford with this emblem of prosperity at their very doors, to "leave off" the corn harvest for an hour or so while they vote. It has been said that Wayne county will suffer more from the stay-at-home class than any county in the district, but it is hard to believe that such could well be the case. There is every reason why the farmers of Wayne county should go to the polls on November 6.

Wayne county's crop of turkeys will be the biggest in the history of the poultry industry in this section, yet there is every indication that the prices will be no lower. However, the average citizens cannot justly make complaint on the price of the Thanksgiving bird. The farmer reaps the benefit from the high scale of prices and the more everybody else shares in the general conditions that rural prosperity brings. So the turkey adds its mite to the prosperity and whenever we think the price is too high, there are many substitutes, though none that can just fill the bill on Thanksgiving day. Just so long as the New Yorkers and other Eastern citizens take a stand for the Hoosier turkey, just so long will the price remain high and there will be more Wayne county birds shipped to the East this season than will be served on the Thanksgiving dinner tables at home.

If every man who is now wearing a Y. M. C. A. "boom button," will contribute to the fund, the battle will have been won. Its time to begin thinking how much you can give toward the worthy project.

If all the colder weather signs now being heralded by "old timers" come true, the approaching season will be one of great joy for those who have been clamoring for an "old fashioned winter."

REMOVAL.

Dr. Bramkamp has moved to 17 South 8th street, formerly Emmons' property. 21-24-27.

THE PALLADIUM'S CONTEST

HOW THE VOTE STANDS.

Richmond Grove of Druids148,306
Triumph Lodge, K. of P.133,075
Eden Lodge, D. of R (I. O. O. F.) 50,625
Hokendauqua Tribe Red Men 18,892
Modern Woodmen 15,039

CONDITIONS OF CONTEST.

FIRST PRIZE—To the secret or fraternal organization in Richmond or in any town in Wayne County, which shall receive the largest number of votes during the period of this contest, a STARR PIANO with MECHANICAL PLAYER ATTACHMENT, built within the piano, will be given absolutely free. The cost of this instrument is \$850.

SECOND PRIZE—To the secret or fraternal organization in Richmond or in any town in Wayne County which shall receive the second largest number of votes, a beautiful lodge altar with elegantly leather bound Bible, valued at \$75, will be given absolutely free.

THIRD PRIZE—To the member of any men's secret or fraternal organization in Richmond or Wayne County who shall procure the greatest number of votes for his lodge, a solitary diamond ring, costing \$75 will be given absolutely free.

FOURTH PRIZE—To the lady who is a member of any woman's secret or fraternal organization in Richmond or Wayne County who shall procure the largest number of votes for her lodge, a solitary diamond ring will be given absolutely free.

HOW VOTING WILL BE CONDUCTED.

The contest is free for all. Everybody can vote without the expenditure of a single penny. Each day a coupon will appear in the Palladium on page 4. Fill in the coupon today as a starter, with the name of the secret or fraternal organization and its location.

Mail or bring the coupon to the Palladium office, North Ninth and A streets and the vote will be counted as directed. The expiration date of each coupon will appear on the face each day. For instance the coupon appearing today will not be good after October 31. Bear this in mind.

Paid in advance subscriptions to the Palladium will entitle such subscribers to special voting privileges in order to assist the lodge of his choice and this will be the method employed: Certificates will be issued with receipts for subscriptions paid in advance.

THE PAYMENT OF \$1 WILL BRING THE PALLADIUM TO YOUR DOOR BY CARRIER SEVEN DAYS IN THE WEEK FOR FIFTEEN WEEKS AND WILL ENTITLE YOU TO 600 VOTES FOR THE LODGE OF YOUR CHOICE.

THE PAYMENT OF \$1.80 WILL BRING YOU THE PALLADIUM EVERY DAY IN THE WEEK FOR ONE HALF YEAR, SIX MONTHS, AND WILL ENTITLE YOU TO 1,200 VOTES FOR THE LODGE OF YOUR CHOICE.

THE PAYMENT OF \$3.50 WILL BRING YOU THE PALLADIUM EVERY DAY IN THE WEEK FOR A SOLID YEAR AND WILL ENTITLE YOU TO 2,500 VOTES FOR THE LODGE OF YOUR CHOICE.

ALL ORGANIZATIONS ELIGIBLE.

Every lodge organization of any description, in Richmond or Wayne County is eligible. Masons, Odd Fellows, Elks, Knights of Pythias, Knights of Columbus, Red Men, Knights and Ladies of Honor, the Druids, the Eagles, Ladies of the Macabees, Rathbone Sisters, Daughters of Rebekah, Daughters of Pochahontas, Modern Woodmen, Sons of Veterans, Grand Army, the W. R. C., the Ladies of the G. A. R., Ancient Order of Hibernians, Ladies' Auxiliary of Hibernians, Catholic Knights of America, St. Joseph's Benevolent Society, Travelers' Protective Association, Women's Catholic Order of Foresters, and in fact any and all other societies.

Clip the Ballots.

Clip the ballot below, fill it in properly and send or bring it to the Palladium not later than October 31. The contest will run until Nov. 15th.

This Ballot NOT GOOD AFTER OCT. 31st

PALLADIUM VOTING CONTEST

ONE VOTE COUPON

For the Most Popular Lodge in Richmond or Wayne County, this Ballot is cast for

(On this line write plainly name of lodge you vote for)

OF

(On this line write location of lodge)

Carrier boys are not permitted to receive ballots from their patrons. Fill in the ballot, mail, or bring it to the Palladium office before the expiration of above date, otherwise it cannot be considered. A new ballot will appear in the Palladium daily.

The President's Thanksgiving Proclamation.

[Publishers' Press]

Washington, Oct. 23.—The president issued a proclamation naming Thursday, November 29, as a day of thanksgiving.

The President says:

"Never before in our history or in the history of any other nation, has a people enjoyed more abounding material prosperity than is ours. A prosperity so great that it should arouse in us no spirit of reckless pride and boast of all, a spirit of heedless disregard of our responsibilities, but rather sober sense of our many blessings and a resolute purpose under providence not to forfeit them by any action of our own."

"On our material well-being must be

built a superstructure of individual and national life, lived in accordance with the laws of the highest morality, or else our prosperity itself will in the long run turn out a curse instead of a blessing. We should be both reverently thankful for what we have received and earnestly bent on turning it into a means of grace and not of destruction."

"Accordingly, I set apart Thursday, the twenty-ninth day of November, next, as a day of thanksgiving and supplication, on which the people shall meet in their homes or their churches, devoutly acknowledge all that has been given them and to pray that they may in addition receive the power to use these gifts aright."

WILL VISIT PORTO RICO

ON HIS WAY TO PANAMA

President Will Stop at the Island in the Hope of Creating Greater Loyalty in the People for the U. S. Government.

Washington, Oct. 23.—President Roosevelt has decided to visit Porto Rico next month when he makes his trip to the canal zone. According to the present plans he will go to San Juan immediately after he completes his three days' inspection of the great work on the isthmus. It is understood that the president goes to Porto Rico upon the urgent solicitation of Governor Beekman Winthrop, whose administration has not been running any too smoothly of late, and who believes that the presence of the chief executive will inspire in the hearts of the natives increased confidence and loyalty.

Miss Rose Lawler will leave the first of the week for Piqua where she has accepted a position with the Singer Sewing Machine company.

Artificial gas, the 20th Century fuel. 10-11

CONSTITUTION AMENDED

UNIFORMED RANK CHANGE

Proposed Hereafter K. of P. Members of Order Will Have Vote in Choosing Major General—Age Requirement Still 21.

New Orleans, Oct. 23.—The amended constitution of the supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias, was adopted. Most important among the new provisions is one giving the uniformed rank a voice in the election of its major general. Heretofore this officer has been named and elected by members of the supreme lodge. Hereafter he will be nominated by the general assembly of the uniformed rank. This nomination will then be laid before the supreme chancellor and if he approves it, the supreme lodge will vote thereon. The amended constitution retains the age limit for entry into the order at 21.

Miss Florence Davenport of De Pauw University is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Davenport, south of the city.

Mrs. Austin's Famous Pancakes. Really delicious. 23-24

10,000 MAY GO ON STRIKE

10 MEN WERE DISCHARGED

Machinists on the Southern Pacific May be Called Out on Account of a Few of Their Number Being Released in District No. 11.

New Orleans, Oct. 23.—It is said that as a result of the discharge of 10 machinists at the Algiers shops of the Southern Pacific railroad and because of alleged discrimination of long standing against their organization, 10,000 members of the International Association of Machinists may be called out on strike on that system within a day or two. The men affected are all in what is known as District No. 11, extending from New Orleans to Portland, Ore. Thomas L. Wilson, a vice president of the international union, says the national officers will first endeavor to secure the co-operation of Mr. Harriman himself to have the discharged men reinstated and also try to negotiate an agreement whereby arbitrary powers of master mechanics in discharging employees without cause will be abrogated.

HOME FOR BRIEF REST

Congressman Watson at Rushville Taking a Respite From Duties of the Campaign.

Rushville, Oct. 23, (Spl.)—Congressman Watson returned home yesterday, apparently as fresh as he left here before he undertook the strenuous campaign, covering some fifteen states. In New York City a few days ago, together with Speaker Cannon he was given a grand ovation, and as has been the case all year the news papers gave him the lion's share of space, many of the Eastern papers predicting "big things for the big man from the West."

Mr. Watson is today "enjoying" another one of those vacations at his office, literally buried in mail—for he gives each letter his individual attention. He is obliged to turn down many flattering offers to speak and preside at large meetings throughout the country, and is, without a doubt, the best campaigner and most sought out man in public life today.

He will speak on October 31st and November 1st in Speaker Cannon's district, and will return home after that, to finish up in his own district.

OCEAN AVALANCHES

Some of the Great Engulfing Waves of the Glutton Sea.

There is one consolation about the two great earthquakes which destroyed respectively the two great cities of San Francisco and Valparaiso, and that is that they raised no seismic waves to speak of.

This was because the earth tremors were wholly on land and did not extend beneath the bed of the ocean. It is when this latter eventually happens that these terrible waves are created, causing widespread havoc.

For instance, it was this kind of ocean avalanche that engulfed Lisbon, with 50,000 of its inhabitants, in 1755, and in 1883 a submarine earthquake started in the straits of Sunda a so-called "tidal" (seismic) wave that traveled twice around the globe and drowned 35,000 people.

In 1891 again a submarine earthquake threw up a wall of water seventy feet high and more than 300 miles in length, which overwhelmed the greater portion of the Nippon islands. On this occasion 54,000 houses were swept away and 10,000 people lost their lives.

Worse still was a huge wave which in 1688 wiped out of existence in a few minutes the cities of Arequipa, Iquique, Tacna and Chencba, drowning 25,000 persons and destroying property worth \$60,000,000. The waters of the Pacific first retreated nearly half a mile, then rushed forward with irresistible force, so that great ships were carried far inland and there left high and dry for future generations to wonder at.

At Port Royal, Jamaica, again, many houses were engulfed forty fathoms deep, with above 3,000 of their inhabitants, while about the same time an earthquake made waves so completely demolished Catania, in Sicily, that of the town and its 18,000 inhabitants not a trace remained. — Pearson's Weekly.

How Would You Like This Laundry?

Prices are high in South Africa, and bills for laundry are frequently exorbitant. Persian, Kaffir and Cape women do the work after a fashion. "One usually pays \$5 per month a head," says a woman correspondent, "and the woman who washes for you takes everything for that, but is apt to vanish for a month on end with your clothes. You seek and find her after infinite difficulty and discover her in the bosom of her family, her husband and sons arrayed in the clothes of your mankind, if you have any, and her daughter and herself in yours. I walked in on my landlady one morning after seeking her ten days and found her in my best white silk tea gown, squatting on the earth cooking herself a meal, while her daughter sat near in my valencienne lace petticoat and tea jacket peeling potatoes."

POPULAR LECTURE COURSE.

Plat opens at Genent next Thursday morning, October 25 at 7 A. M. No advantage will be gained for anybody to be present earlier than 7 A. M. But be sure to be there on that time to get numbers. Get tickets now at Nicholson's Book Store; Ross Drug Store; Knollenberg; Jones Hardware Co.; Starr Piano Co. and Jenkins Jeweler. Six great attractions. No one can afford to miss them. 23-24

A TRAINED NURSE

After Years of Experience, Advises Women in Regard to Their Health.

Mrs. Martha Pohlman of 55 Chester Avenue, Newark, N. J., who is a graduate Nurse from the Blockley Training School, at Philadelphia, and for six years Chief Clinic Nurse at the Philadelphia Hospital, writes the letter printed below. She has the advantage of personal experience, besides her professional education, and what she has to say may be absolutely relied upon.

Many other women are afflicted as she was. They can regain health in the same way. It is prudent to heed such advice from such a source.

Mrs. Pohlman writes: "I am firmly persuaded, after eight years of experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that it is the safest and best medicine for any suffering woman to use."

"Immediately after my marriage I found that my health began to fail me. I became weak and pale, with severe bearing-down pains, fearful backaches and frequent dizzy spells. The doctors prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I would bloat after eating, and frequently become nauseated. I had pains down through my limbs so I could hardly walk. It was as bad a case of female trouble as I have ever known. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, however, cured me within four months. Since that time I have had occasion to recommend it to a number of patients suffering from all forms of female difficulties, and I find that while it is considered unprofessional to recommend a patent medicine, I can honestly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for I have found that it cures female ills, where all other medicine fails. It is a grand medicine for sick women."

Money cannot buy such testimony as this—merit alone can produce such results, and the ablest specialists now agree that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most universally successful remedy for all female diseases known to medicine.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful periods, weakness, displacement or ulceration of the female organs, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation, backache, bloating (or flatulency), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excita-

bility, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles.

No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. The needless suffering of women from diseases peculiar to their sex is terrible to see. The money which they pay to doctors who do not help them is an enormous waste. The pain is cured and the money is saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

It is well for women who are ill to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. The present Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, her assistant for many years before her decease, and for twenty-five years since her advice has been freely given to sick women. In her great experience, which covers many years, she has probably had to deal with dozens of cases just like yours. Her advice is strictly confidential.

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TO THE POINT

"Sunset Limited" on the Southern Pacific was derailed near New Orleans, injuring about 40 negroes, one of whom died.

John D. Rockefeller left Cleveland for his home at Pocantico, N. Y. He said he will not return to Cleveland until next summer.

Ouster suit against the Hoster-Columbus Associated Breweries company of Columbus was instituted in the circuit court of Gallia, O.

A warrant was issued at Kokomo, Ind., for the arrest of B. F. Wilkins, a wealthy farmer, charged with burning a barn and six horses of his neighbor, William Devore.

Rev. Christopher J. Danigan, assistant pastor of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, who fell with the bleachers stand at a football game in Syracuse, N. Y., is dead of his injuries.

Former officials of the defunct Merchants and Farmers Bank and Trust company of Shreveport, La., were indicted, charged with having received deposits and created debts, knowing the bank to be insolvent.

Forged Wife's Name.

Elyria, O., Oct. 23.—C. E. Ingraham, a prominent Oberlin merchant, who forged his wife's name to notes to play the stock markets, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years and nine months.

Kicked By Mule.

Canton, O., Oct. 23.—Harold Vincent, aged 35, was killed at Navarro by the kick of a mule.

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