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THE RHODE ISLANDERS

Since Collier's Weekly settled the question as to what to call Beveridge and the other Middle Westerners, who have refused to bow to the calf of Mammon and call it the Republican party, we have had few suggestions as to what to dub Aldrich, Cannon, et al.

Insurgents is surely a better name than Progressives. It might be well to call the Insurgents, Real Republicans and let it go at that. But what shall we call the others?

The Kansas City Star comes to the rescue with a sardonic smile.

It says:

"There was something of the daring humorist in Speaker Cannon when, in his Elgin speech, he declared that if the insurgents were republicans he was something else.

Now, the question is, What is Cannon? According to his own alternative he is not a republican, since the insurgents unmistakably are republicans. He certainly is not a democrat, even if he did enter into a plot to control the house with the aid of democratic votes. He is not a populist, and no one would accuse him of being a socialist. Heaven knows he is not a prohibitionist. Then what is he?

Since all of them, including Cannon, have been following the lead of Aldrich and the interests he represents, there seems to be no better term to define them, for the present, than the name already given—Rhode Islanders. This name is especially fitting, not alone for the reason that Aldrich is a Rhode Island senator but also because the fact that the smallest state has the greatest power in congress is typical of the domination of a small class of special interests over the great mass of the people."

IN ULTIMA THULE

Now that our scientists are beginning to cloud Peary's title to the pole, those who love the law of balance as applied to the see-saw of the world will rejoice. As one editorial writer remarks it has been particularly hard to prove that any one has ever been to the celestial regions, and the North Pole is like unto it.

Our own suggestion would be that the present situation would be appropriately termed in table d'hote language: "Cook Pudding with Peary Sauce."

Cela.

Items Gathered in From Far and Near**Up-to-Date Lobbying.**

From the Philadelphia Press.

It takes money to get legislation through Congress. That assertion may have an ugly sound. It may arouse visions of the buying and selling of congressmen's votes. It is the truth, however. The money is spent legitimately. It is clean money, and under present conditions is necessary money. The day when the lobbyists haunted the halls of Congress, and in dark crypts and recesses secretly placed in the nervous and grasping fingers of corrupt statesmen great rolls of greenbacks, has long passed.

If it ever existed. It is doubtful if it ever did exist, except in the imagination of the sensationalist. While \$100 or \$1,000 bills do not pass from the hand of the lobbyist to that of the congressman, it is nevertheless true that hundreds of thousands of dollars have been spent in securing laws that are now on the statute books. This money was used for educational purposes, and it was not used in Washington. It was spread out over the whole broad land. It was used in educating the voters in congressional districts as to the necessity of such laws.

Public Smoke.

From the Chicago Tribune.

The householder who lives under

STOMACH TROUBLE**Had It For Years Until He Heard of Mi-o-na. L. H. Fife Sells It.**

If you suffer from indigestion, belching of gas, lump of lead on stomach, biliousness, dizziness, foul breath, nervousness, constipation, or head ache, give L. H. Fife 50 cents today for a box of Mi-o-na, the celebrated stomach prescription, and if it doesn't cure he will give you your money back. It relieves painful stomach distress in five minutes. Read the following:

"I had stomach trouble for years. After eating I would be troubled for an hour or so with indigestion. I bought one box of Mi-o-na tablets from Gaffney Drug Co., which completely cured me. That was 12 months ago and to this day I have not been troubled again." J. B. Haskey, Gaffney, S. C., April 20, 1909.

Mi-o-na is the best prescription to stomach trouble ever written; not only does it give quick relief, but it cures permanently because it thoroughly cleanses, renovates, builds up and plasticizes into the stomach and bowels. Mi-o-na is put up in tablet form and is small and easy to swallow. Sold by leading druggists everywhere and in Richmond by L. H. Fife, who rigidly guarantees them. Test sample free. Address Boot's Mi-o-na, Buffalo, N. Y.

HYOMEI
(BRANCHED HIGH-O-ME)
Cures catarrh or money back. Just
breathe it in. Complete outfit, including
inhaler \$1. Extra bottles 50c. Druggists.

the cloud of a smoking chimney is as much annoyed and injured when the chimney is part of a public school building or a municipal lighting plant as when it is part of a factory. He has more reason to complain of the municipal than of the private nuisance for it is the duty of the city to set citizens a good example by obeying its own ordinances. When city employees violate the smoke ordinances with impunity, while private offenders are prosecuted, the latter are inclined to say it is a case of the pot calling the kettle black. If too much smoke comes from the chimney of a municipal lighting plant the man who is responsible should be taken before the civil service commission and discharged. His successor would be more careful. If the chimney of a public school smokes, the school board should order the dismissal of the offending employee. A little vigorous disciplining would end the smoke nuisance as far as public buildings are concerned.

Restricting Appeals.
From the Columbus, O., State Journal. Illinois is doing something to abolish that widespread abuse of the "law's delay." It has a new practice act which greatly limits appeals, and it is expected to result in a more prompt settlement of litigation. The idea that has prevailed to a great extent that continuous appeals and running from one court to another on some little question of law are promotive of justice is fast losing ground. It is usually the case that the grounds of appeal do not touch the heart of the matter, but relate to some technical or speculative incidents, to which there is no end.

Make It Go.

From the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Progressive Englishmen say that the house of lords is at a standstill, as it has been for a century, but they have hopes of winding it up and making it go.

Raising Money.

From the Baltimore Sun.

If Washington can raise ten thousand dollars in ten minutes for the airship meet, it ought to be able to finance an airship trust in a week.

Up to the Boys.

From the Council Bluffs Nonpareil.

A conference of governors is to be held in the interest of the safe and sane Fourth movement. A conference of small boys might avail more.

The Reason.

From the Augusta Herald.

It is not strange that Minnesota is classed as the best governor state. More editors are elected to office in that state than in any other.

The Way With Tammany.

From the Louisville Post.

The charges of terrible crimes against Tammany will only serve to make the regular Tammany men more enthusiastic over their bosses than ever.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package. A. G. Luken & Co.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Proposals for supplies for the use of

the Eastern Indiana Hospital for the Insane for the month of December.

will be received by the board of trustees at the hospital before 3 p. m.

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TWINKLES

(BY PHILANDER JOHNSON.)

Not a Business Obligation.

"Your country owes you a debt of gratitude," said the admiring constituent.

"Thanks," replied Senator Sorgum; "the only objection to a debt of gratitude is that it is never secured by tangible assets on which a man can realize in an emergency."

Misanthropy.

How history repeats itself. Though figures new arise to fame, it is the same old tale of pelf, sought by the same old gold-brick game!

A Surmise.

"What is Mrs. Gabson's favorite book?"

"I don't know," answered Miss Cayenne; "from the interest she takes in knowing the names, occupation and home surroundings of everybody she sees I should think it ought to be the city directory."

A Non-Combatant.

"Why don't you play bridge whilst? Because I want to be popular. If you play badly you lose and people wish you were out of the game. And if you play well you win and people wish you were out of the game just the same."

I admire courage," said Uncle Eben, "but I don't blame a man for foh'gut' out'n de way when he ain' got no show. Dar wouldn' be no sense at all in a mouse tryin' to fight a cat."**Special Request.**

By special request Euphemia Blings Repeated the single song she sings. That is the story the program told. But the orchestra chairs were all unsold; And there wasn't a person who confessed

To the authorship of that strange request.

By special request of some unknown friend

The agent for books his card will send;

By special request the candidate Will give his aid to affairs of state—It's wondrous how special requests expand

For things that seem slightly in demand!

YOUNG GIRLS ARE VICTIMS.

of headache, as well as older women, but all get quick relief and prompt cure from Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best remedy for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood, and strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 25c at A. G. Luken & Co's.

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MOTT WAS SPEAKER**Tells Students About the New High School, Now Being Built.****TALKS ABOUT BUSINESS**

In an address before the students at

high school, Superintendent T. A. Mott of the public schools, spoke interestingly on the new high school building that is being erected at the corner of North Ninth and B streets. Mr. Mott stated that the new building, which would cost \$125,000, would be one of the finest structures in the state, thoroughly equipped and modern in every particular. Mr. Mott declared that the taxpayers of Richmond endorsed the action of the city in erecting the new building, all asserting that it was badly needed, and was none too large for the needs of this city.

The standing and rating of a business man and the advantage of securing an education was discussed by Mr. Mott, who stated that a business man's credit was often more essential to him

than his personal worth.

Any mother who will take the trouble of sending her name and address can obtain a free sample bottle of a remedy which has been used by mothers and now paying for. This remedy is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepian, and the offer of a free trial bottle opens the offer of which has not yet used it. Having used it and convinced yourself that it is what you want you can obtain it in the future for 25c a bottle, just as so many others are doing, the free sample being simply to convince you of its merits. It is the best thing to begin on it. Mrs. A. C. and Mrs. Mary Belford, 1710 Coke street, Louisville, Ky., both started with a free sample and now they write to say they have never been without a bottle in the house since.

It is undoubtedly a great family remedy and is especially good for children, being mild and pleasant to take and yet thoroughly effective. It is especially the ideal remedy for children and women and is a great help in cases of indigestion and flatulence. It is a good laxative and natural. It has the advantage of being a thorough laxative and yet contains tonic properties. Use it for the most stubborn constipation, indigestion, flatulence, sick headache, sour stomach and such complaints with a guarantee that it will cure.

Dr. Caldwell personally will be pleased to give you any medical advice you may desire for yourself or family pertaining to the stomach, liver, bowels, kidneys, etc. Please write and explain your case in a letter and he will reply to you in detail.

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The work is pleasant, hours short and a position for life. Thousands of appointments will be made. Any man or woman over 18, in City or Country can get free information and Instructions by addressing the Bureau of Instruction, 1182 Hamilton Building, Rochester, N. Y.

GOVERNMENT POSITIONS FOR MEN AND WOMEN

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For things that seem slightly in demand!

A Debtor's Stratagem.

"Yes," said the business man, "I have given up trying to collect that little bill from Bilkins. You see, he is a pretty big fellow, and he used to throw my collectors out every time they called."

"Then why didn't you employ a woman collector? He couldn't do that to a woman."

"That's what I thought, so I got one and sent her round, but she never came back."

"Why not?"

"He married her."—London Tit-Blitz.

The Shamrock.

The original shamrock of Ireland has long been extinct. The plant called shamrock is the white clover.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to all Richmond and Greensboro friends who were so kind in our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Jennie Hatfield and Family

Greensboro, Ind.

Free Child's Remedy

What mother is not looking for something that will help her children in the little ills of life, something for the stomach trouble and the bowel trouble? Long ago she probably has become convinced that a child cannot readily swallow a pill or a tablet, and that to "break them in half and crush them" is an annoyance; that usually they work too drastically and are irritating to the body too powerful for the little ones' stomach.

Any mother who will take the trouble of sending her name and address can obtain a free sample bottle of a remedy which has been used by mothers and now paying for. This remedy is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepian, and the offer of a free trial bottle opens the offer of which has not yet used it. Having used it and convinced yourself that it is what you want you can obtain it in the future