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Bigest of Cannibal Banquets.
Probably the biggest cannibal orgy
on record is one of which Miss Bea-
trice Grimshaw tells in her book "The
New New Guinea." "In 1858 a ship-
load of Chinamen was being taken
down to Australia. The vessel was
wrecked upon a reef close to Rossel
Island (New Guinea). The officers es-
caped in boats, but were never after-
ward heard of. As for the Chinamen,
numbering 326, the natives captured
them and put them on a small barren
island, where they had no food and no
means of getting away. They kept
their prisoners supplied with food
from the mainland and every now and
then carried away a few of them to
eat until all but one old man had been
devoured. This one succeeded even-
tually in getting away and told some-
thing of the story, which seems to
have met with general disbelief. True
it is, however, on the evidence of the
sons of those who did the deed."

A Memory Revived.

Political torchlight parades, political barbecues and political notifica-
tion meetings are as antiquated as the flintlock musket.

The growth of independent voting has sounded their doom. They
served their purpose well in the days when partisan spirit ran high, when
men placed party above government, and principles, but when the party
was regulated to its proper position the frenzied American campaign
clamor was silenced, the torch lights flickered and went out and the sing-
ing of the glee clubs became a memory.

Of all parties the Republican is the only one which still clings ten-
aciously to the old campaign methods—clings as tightly to them as it does
to rotten principles, threadbare issues and corrupt political bosses. The
Republican lives in yesterday. He fondles old traditions as a mother does
her new born babe, and the price that once invincible party is paying is
its own life.

Richmond people last night witnessed a Republican revival of an old
campaign standby—the torchlight parade, with brass bands, glee clubs and
drum corps. It was complete in every particular save one—the mile-
long line of cheering partisans.

Back of the gold-branded bandmen and the industrious members of the
drum corps marched probably one hundred unenthusiastic men still loyal to
their once grand party, and the majority of these marchers came from a
neighboring city.

"That is something like the way we used to do it," remarked an old
man on the curbing to a youth at his side, who gazed curiously at the
spectacle.

The Perfume of the Farm.

Judging from the sarcastic note of an "Amused Farmer's Wife," ap-
pearing in the Indianapolis Star, Dr. Hurty, official pulse feeler of Indiana,
in a rabid moment must have accused the farmers of not being, we will
say, fragrant.

"Yes, Johnny, 'the farmers stink' now, but when you used to come to
our house to stretch the wrinkles out of your belly, oh, how sweet they
smelled then," writes Amused Farmer's Wife.

Right you are, Mrs. Farmer's Wife. They smelled then and they smell
now of luscious pumpkin pies, of new mown hay and green pastures wet
with dew, and fried chicken, and "fodder in the shock."

What sensitive and peculiar noses some people do have.

Meat Inspection.

It is quite evident the federal government cannot be prevailed upon
to again detail a man to act as meat inspector for this city. At the present
time the city is employing a competent man, a veterinarian, as inspector,
but the 1913 budget does not contain an appropriation for his salary.

It is understood that some members of council favor the employment
of a layman as inspector and the present inspector is only being retained
from month to month until some decision on the important question has
been reached.

There are a great many Richmond people who are opposed to the pro-
posed plan of employing a layman as inspector on the ground that a lay-
man is not competent to pass reliable judgment on carcasses examined.
They maintain that only a veterinarian can accurately detect dangerous
diseases common to live stock, and it seems their position is well taken
because the government meat inspection rules and regulations require
that a man be a veterinarian before he can receive appointment to the ser-
vice, and the city ordinance expressly stipulates that local inspection of
meats shall be done according to the rules and regulations of the federal
government.

If a layman is employed by the city as inspector obviously it will be
necessary for council to repeal or amend the meat inspection ordinance.
We dispute the wisdom of either course.

If the citizens of Richmond are to have the benefit of inspected
meats, let us have inspection which equals the standard of the United
States government, or have none at all.

This Date in History

OCTOBER 2.

1758—First legislative assembly ever
held in Canada met at Halifax.

1773—Philadelphia called a public
meeting, and condemned the duty on
tea and taxation by Parliament.

1780—Major Andre, British army of-
ficer, hanged as a spy at Tappan, N. Y.

1804—English prepared to resist in-
vasion by Napoleon's army.

1829—First Sunday school in Texas
established at San Felipe.

1833—Anti-slavery society organized
in New York City.

1842—William Ellery Channing, fa-
mous Unitarian minister, died in Ben-
nington, Vt. Born in Newport, R. I.,
April 7, 1780.

1862—Confederates under Gen. Van
Dorn began their attack on the Union
forces under Gen. Rosecrans at Corinth, Mass.

1865—Gen. Robert E. Lee became
president of Washington College.

1911—Italian warships began a bom-
bardment of Tripoli.

(Advertisement)

The Masonic Calendar

Thursday Oct. 3. Wayne Council No.

10, R. & S. M. Stated assembly.

Friday Oct. 4. King Solomon's Chap-
ter No. 4, R. A. M. Called convocation.
Work in Royal Arch degree. Refresh-
ments.

Saturday, Oct. 5. Loyal Chapter No.

49, O. E. S. Stated meeting. Work in
Floral degree.

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This is My 35th Birthday

CARL HAYDEN.

Carl Hayden, who has the distinction
of being the first congressman sent by
the new State of Arizona to the
national house of representatives,
was born in Tempe, Arizona, October
2, 1877. After graduating from the
Normal School of Arizona, in 1896 he
attended Leland Stanford, Jr., University,
where he distinguished himself as a
member of the football team. Upon
his return to Arizona after completing
his university career, young Hayden
succeeded his father in the presi-
dency of the milling company that
years before had built the first
flour mill in Arizona. His public career
began ten years ago with his election
as treasurer of his home county.
Following this, he was twice elected
sheriff, and upon the admission of Ar-
izona to Statehood last year he was the
Democratic choice for delegate-at-large
to Congress and ran neck and neck
with Senator Ashurst for first honors
as a vote getter.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Sir James Whitney, premier of Ontario,
69 years old today.

William O'Brien, Irish leader and
member of parliament 60 years old to-
day.

Sir Philip Burne-Jones, noted Eng-
lish artist, 51 years old today.

Cordell Hull, representative in Con-
gress of the Fourth Tennessee district,
41 years old today.

Osion Callaway, representative in
Congress of the Twelfth Texas dis-
trict, 40 years old today.

Gen. Robert E. Brown, Republican
nominee for governor of Ohio and former
commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., 68 years old today.

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e are now in Louisiana, fresh from their
international convention at Wash-
ington, and will spend tomorrow at the
sulphur mines near this city. These
mines produce the sulphur of the
United States, and so extensive are
the deposits that it is said the entire
world could be supplied. The exist-
ence of the sulphur bed was discov-
ered some twenty years ago during
exploration for oil, but no successful
method of mining it was discovered
until ten years ago. The sulphur lies
400 feet underground and is covered
by 200 feet of quicksand. The mining
is now conducted by a patented pro-
cess which consists of melting the sul-
phur underground by forcing super-
heated steam and hot water into the
bed and raising the melted sulphur to
the surface by means of compressed
air. After the sulphur cools off at
the surface it hardens and is broken
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