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When Adam in bliss
Asked Eve for a kiss,
She puckered her lips with a coo;
Gave a look quite extatic,
And answered emphatic,
"I don't care Adam if I do."

Some men love to kick.
Such fellows are good for nothing else.

Punish your enemy by doing him a kindness.

Speaking of mere scraps of paper,
"there's the lease on life."

Now everybody can see what goes on in the Treasury; it is under Glass.

Army life also fits a man admirably for civilian clothes although they may not be the same clothes he left behind him.

Can anyone explain to us why it is that although the prices of print paper have gone skyward, writing paper remains stationary?

Isn't it about time for Liebknecht or Ebert or somebody to issue a statement about this "terrible civil war which was forced upon us?"

It is a great pity that we must experiment with a score of follies, most of them hoary with age, before we can arrive at a point of wisdom.

Germany probably will regard the horseshoe peace table as a good luck sign. Germany's luck, she figures couldn't be much worse than it has been the last year.

"Stole \$8,000 for the girl he loved," says a headline. Such headlines are unfortunate for they nearly always arouse the jealousy of women who have never been loved like that.

Here we've been letting ourselves be governed from Washington for a hundred years or such a matter, and then Senator Myers discovers in a bill that Washington doesn't legally exist! However, our shock is nothing to what Mr. Brisbane's must be. Mr. Brisbane bought a newspaper there.

At a dance in a Rhine town the other night an American second lieutenant cut in and took the Prince of Wales's girl away from him. There is talk that the prince may marry an American girl. This little incident should warn him that he'd better hurry her off to England the minute the engagement is announced, or some second lieutenant may leave him sitting alone and dejected on the church steps.

Who is the happiest man on earth? It is the man who has just had his salary raised, the man who has just had his teeth filled and knows he won't have to go back for a year, or is it the man who has a furnace which only burns a ton of coal all winter? No, it isn't any of these. It's the editor who, after working like thunder all week has some one tell him his paper is the best on earth and he couldn't do without it.

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They are crying for food over there.

There is still some flu in this old town, but very few deaths.

The wise man takes a tumble. The fool has it taken to him.

Again the old adage seems to have been proved that all signs fall in a dry year.

W. J. Bryan seems to be in the limelight and from reports from Washington it would appear that Mrs. Bryan was liable to get in, also.

Don't worry about France and America getting into any trouble between themselves. They have always been associated with ties that bind.

While revolts are brewing in scattered parts of Europe, politics is brewing in the United States. Besides these, there is practically no brewing.

If ever this country produced a man who had the courage and conviction, that man was Roosevelt. He didn't wait for things to happen, he made them happen.

We have a suspicion that a good deal of the criticism of women's styles is made by men with a secret hope that they will be changed to something even more radical.

Let's make Plattsmouth a better place in which to live. Improve the homes, churches, schools and roads which the war stopped. New homes are contemplated in the spring.

If, as Secretary Lane says, somebody had to go over and heal the European nations, President Wilson was the man to do it. America is about the only well healed nation remaining today.

A Ford owner complains that in extremely cold weather he is unable to find a device for completely draining the radiator. One fellow prescribes holding it upside down and letting the water run out.

The kaiser, who was ill a week ago, has recovered, mainly from a lack of sympathy. Doubtless many other recoveries of this kind have taken place, which are not recorded in the medical journals.

The War Department has given General Wood a number of orders, which he has obeyed implicitly without comment. The War Department ought to become convinced that the general is a good soldier after a while.

It is hoped the guaranteed prices and the big wheat acreage won't produce wheat alone this year. The average man's inward feelings tell him he can guarantee a considerable individual consumption of corn bread this year, too.

One Yank who wrote home from France states plainly that the fighting did not cease when the armistice was signed. They were stationed in German barracks and the coolies continued to wage war on them regardless of the fact that the Boche had taken their departure.

We might be able to minister to Germany's needs with more justice and intelligence if more intelligent and consistent reports came out of Germany. In one column we read that Berlin waiters are on strike; in another we read that the Spartans have broken in and helping themselves to food; and in a third we read that Germany has no food.

WAGES AND LIVING COST.

Prof. Irving Fisher has made an investigation, of which the results are published by the bureau of labor statistics, showing that the number of establishments which vary wages with the fluctuations in the cost of living, scientifically computed, is growing. The Evening Post listed some time ago—the Bankers' Trust company, the Onelia Community, the Kelley-How-Thompson Hardware company of Duluth, the Worthington Hardware company of Cleveland, and others. Prof. Fisher adds a clothing company in Cleveland, a business appliance company in New Haven, and various Northwestern flouring mills which have raised wages according to an "index number" calculated by professors at the University of Washington. But he points out as the chief use of index figures that by the shipbuilding labor adjustment board and the national war labor board in settling wage disputes. The former has adopted the plan of making semi-annual wage adjustments in all shipbuilding centers on the basis of living-cost figures presented by the bureau of labor statistics, and the latter was recently considering the introduction of quarterly adjustments. The substitution of a scientific for a rule-of-thumb treatment of wage changes is certainly to be encouraged. It has an advantage for the employer: rule-of-thumb changes must be upwards, or the employe is keenly dissatisfied; while the use of index numbers may show why reductions have to be made.—New York Post.

IS BRYAN TURNING TO CLARK?

Behold there ariseth a little cloud out of the sagebrush like a man's hand. Vague Washington dispatches tell us that Bryan, Bryan of Nebraska, Bryan of the score of arbitration treaties, Bryan the champion of Wilson in 1912, is turning to Champ Clark as the best man to be a democratic candidate for the presidency in 1920; that old differences have been made up and that if Woodrow Wilson dreams of a third term he must reckon on a substantial opposition.

Champ Clark, so long speaker of the house, has plenty of friends and admirers in many states. At Baltimore, for eight ballots, he had a clear majority of the delegates for the presidential nomination. Does anyone seriously believe that it would have been better for the party or for the country if he had been the nominee and had been successful? Mr. Bryan beat him.

Mr. Bryan identified his support with Wall street and the bated influences of plutocracy. And Clark, very sore, believed that he would never forgive Bryan, whom he had supported in three hot fights, for this desertion. Perhaps he has reconsidered. Clearly, Bryan has reconsidered more than one point in the last six years. It is fair to say, however, that the Nebraskan had not antagonized Clark until the speaker declined to "come out against Wall street." He had not used his influence in any state to prevent the election of Clark delegates.

The distinguished Missourian is 68 years old now. He will be 70 when the campaign of 1920 comes on. Can he come back? We hardly think so. Can Bryan bring him back? Probably not. Most practical politicians are convinced already that either President Wilson will take a nomination again or will follow the example of Theodore Roosevelt and pick his own successor. He isn't likely to pick Bryan or Clark. And against him both together can make very little headway, for reasons obvious to any man who is not a confirmed idealist and blind to the substantial forces that control our politics.—Brooklyn Eagle (dem.)

SUPPRESSING THE REDS.

Congress has before it a number of bills calling for drastic limitation on immigration in the next few

years. The measures have two avowed purposes:

First, to prevent an influx of cheap workmen who may demoralize the labor market during the readjustment period.

Second, to keep bolshevik organizers out of the country.

The Republic is in sympathy with both purposes. Until our returned soldiers are taken care of industrially and until the demand for labor exceeds the supply we should bar the doors against newcomers. We are inclined to believe, however, that the European countries will take adequate steps to see that their man power, already cut down by the war, is not further depleted by emigration.

Bolshevik fanatics should by all means be kept out.

There is need in America for industrial and social reform, but there are enough broad-minded and earnest men in this country to see that it is brought about. We need no wild agitators from Russia and Germany to bring the light to us.

But there is a warning note we wish to sound. We can keep agitators out of the country by law, but we cannot keep agitation out by congressional enactment. Movements such as bolshevism spread through the air; they pass from country to country without human agency; they come with the breezes from overseas.

While congress is getting ready to keep the agitators out, they might give some thought to the matter of laying the bolshevist agitation we have with us now. There is much that can be done in Washington, not in the way of penal laws against socialistic utterances, but in the matter of removing the causes of unrest upon which bolshevism feeds.

Elimination of child labor, heavy inheritance and excess profit taxes, severe punishments for food combinations, drastic penalties for inflation and financial juggling and long penitentiary sentences instead of fines for rich malefactors would help.

We do not expect that legislation will completely lay the unrest and prevent the spread of bolshevism. It will take a moral awakening to do that, an era of greater humanity, but proper laws properly enforced will go a long way toward remedying the evils of our national life.—St. Louis Republic.

OBITUARY OF MRS. KATHARINE SCHWAB

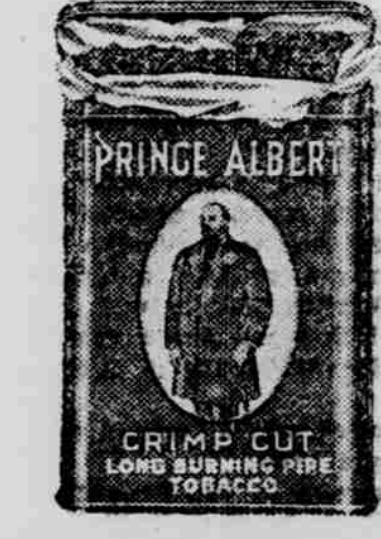
Mary Katharine Schweb, nee Urwiller, was born at Marshall, Michigan, September 27, 1873 and died in the M. E. hospital at Omaha, Neb., on the 15th day of January, 1919, at the age of 45 years, 3 months and 19 days. In the year 1878 she, with her parents, moved from Michigan to a homestead in Buffalo county, near Ravenna, Nebraska. On the 20th day of February, 1896, she was joined in holy wedlock with A. H. Schwab, of Clay Center, Nebraska. At this latter place the happy young people lived on a farm till the fall of 1900, when they moved to Naperville, Illinois, where Mr. Schwab entered North Western college in attempted preparation for the office of a minister of the gospel. In 1903 the family entered upon its first pastorate at Crofton, Nebraska, and continued four years at that place. Then the family resided four years at Mason, Nebraska, four years at Imperial, Nebraska and lastly four years at Murdock, the late home of the deceased lady.

Mrs. Schwab was in devotion and Christian experience well fitted to be the wife and companion of a minister of the gospel. This union was blessed with three children, Harvey, Ethel and Lola.

In an operation last April it was learned that there was a cancerous condition. This condition spread rapidly and brought about her early death.

Mrs. Schwab was most active in the various activities of the church, and had great delight in the service of God. She was very ready and willing to depart and be at rest.

She leaves, besides her family, an aged father, two sisters and three brothers, a very large relationship and a general friendship. Her mother died suddenly five years ago. The funeral services were conducted



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ed in the Evangelical church at Murdock on January 17th by Presiding Elder J. Scherbacher, of Lincoln and Rev. F. Becker, of Clay Center, Neb., assisted by visiting pastors. The services were very effective and the attendance was large. The floral offerings were in profusion. The body was laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at Clay Center, Neb. The family wishes to thank the dear friends for every expression of love and sympathy.

ENTERS HOSPITAL AT OMAHA.

From Wednesday's Daily.
Mrs. James Cramer of Dunlap, Iowa, a sister of Mrs. H. H. Kuhney of this city entered the St. Joseph Hospital, at Omaha today, where she will undergo an operation for the removal of a malignant cancer from her breast. This afternoon Mrs. Kuhney and mother Mrs. John Farrar, departed for Omaha to visit the sister and daughter and be with her at the time of the operation.

VISITING WITH FRIENDS HERE.

From Wednesday's Daily.
Last evening Leonard Heisel, of Cedar Rapids, who has been visiting in this neighborhood at the home of his sister Mrs. John Irish of south of Cedar Creek, departed after a visit with the folks here for his home in eastern Iowa. Mr. Heisel was a resident in this part of the country in 1874, and was employed on the farm of Jacob Tritsch, and tells of having picked corn and after that was done of killing prairie chickens, and of Jacob Tritsch having thrown ears of corn at the chickens and ducks as they flew over the wagon in the field, where they were working.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska, Plaintiff Charles C. Parmele, Plaintiff vs. Jacob P. Falter; Mary Falter; O. P. Olson, first real name unknown; wife of O. P. Olson; J. N. King, first real name unknown; wife of J. N. King; W. F. Winslow, first real name unknown; Clarence A. Atkinson; Ernest G. Shellenbarger; Texas Rio Grande Company, a Corporation, and Fred Wagner. Defendants.

Notice of Suit
To the defendants, O. P. Olson, first real name unknown; Mrs. O. P. Olson, first real name unknown, wife of O. P. Olson; J. N. King, first real name unknown; Mrs. J. N. King, first real name unknown, wife of J. N. King; Texas Rio Grande Company, a Corporation, and Fred Wagner.

You and each of you are hereby notified that the plaintiff has filed his amended petition in the above entitled action in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, to foreclose a mortgage given by Jacob P. Falter and wife, Mary Falter, to Charles F. Davis, assigned by said Charles F. Davis to Leonard W. Scheibel and assigned by said Leonard W. Scheibel to the plaintiff, which said mortgage is dated August 28, 1913, and was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cass county, Nebraska, on August 29, 1913, at 10:01 a. m., in book 23 of mortgages, at page 547 thereof, conveying lots 11 and 12 in block 27 in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, to secure one promissory note for the sum of \$15,000.00 dated August 26, 1913, and becoming due September 1, 1918, with interest at 6

per cent per annum from September 1, 1913, annually as evidenced by five interest notes therewith of even date and which principal note draws interest at 10 per cent per annum after due until paid and that the interest note of \$300.00 thereon, due September 1, 1918, with interest at 10 per cent after maturity has not been paid, and that said principal note and said interest note are long past due and by the terms of said mortgage, the whole amount is due and payable; that the taxes for the year 1917 in the sum of \$966.75 became delinquent on the 1st day of May, 1918, and remain unpaid and that the plaintiff asks judgment on said principal note and interest note and said mortgage and to foreclose the equity of redemption against all the parties therein.
Dated this 28th day of December, 1918.
CHARLES C. PARMELE, Plaintiff.
W. A. Robertson, His Attorney. (d30-4tw)

ROOSTERS FOR SALE

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You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 10th day of February, 1919, or default against you and each of you will be duly entered therein.
W. A. Robertson, His Attorney. (d30-4tw)

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