

BALD HEADS VS. WHISKERS

Debate by Noted Speakers Results in No Decision.

DOMES SHINE UNDER THE LIGHTS

Champ Clark Would Refer Whole Question to Committee Which Has Wool and Hair Schedule Under Consideration.

WASHINGTON, May 3. Whether whiskers are a greater detriment to a man than a bald head is still a mooted question.

Speaker Champ Clark of the house of representatives, called on in the emergency, declared he could not see any use in either whiskers or a bald head and referred the whole matter to the ways and means committee of the house, which now has the wool and hair schedule under consideration.

The baldheaded side of the question was in the hands of Senator Robert L. Taylor of Tennessee and Representative Nicholas Longworth of Ohio.

Dr. "Pure Food" Wiley of the Department of Agriculture was chosen as the timekeeper and each contestant was allowed ten minutes.

The audience was gathered from every part of the country and included most of the leading men in Washington.

Representative Longworth was the first speaker. He said he did not believe a hair on the head was worth two on the chin.

"The condition of the disputants on the other side is utterly inexcusable," asserted Mr. Longworth.

"There is no excuse for such whiskers as those that adorn the chin—or chest—of the former senator from Montana.

Former Senator Carter was introduced as "ashblond" for the whiskers.

"No man," said he, "ever voluntarily wore a bald head. A bald head is an affliction, a standing joke, a physical infirmity.

Senator Carter insisted that the "beard" was the real thing.

"No fair maiden," he said, "ever feared a promise from a bearded man. The beard is a badge of manhood.

"There is another thing about the bald-headed man. He naturally goes to prison without previous preparation.

"Our opponents tonight, having neither hair nor whiskers, were compelled to make the side assigned to them.

Senator Taylor, introduced as an "ivory pated Moses of the Tennessee democracy," said that when Mr. Cannon was speaker of the house he shook spectators when war from his forehead.

"When I was born, a few short summers ago, I had a bald head. My father before me had a bald head when I opened my eyes and looked upon his bushy dome.

"Once I had raven tresses," said Senator Taylor wistfully, "but like autumn leaves they left me. Ever since I lost them I have had a horror of hair and supreme contempt for whiskers.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon said he never had been funny in his life—at least not consciously so.

When Speaker Clark was called upon to settle the dispute he said that "Uncle Joe" had protested at his presence at the party on the ground that he neither had whiskers nor a bald head.

"She said there wasn't any sense in the whole performance," he declared.

Mr. Clark insisted that the reason that a majority of men no longer wear whiskers was because they were all trying to look like William Jennings Bryan.

"Observe, gentlemen," he concluded, "that I have a smooth face."

MANY AUTOS IN SOUTH DAKOTA

Five Hundred and Twenty-seven Machines Registered During April.

PIERRE, S. D., May 3.—(Special.)—The auto bill of the people of this state does not show any indication of a reduction on account of the talk of quiet business which one hears from all over the state.

Legislators in Ohio Fail to Get Immunity

Prosecuting Attorney Refuses to Accept Testimony of Members Who Want to Escape Prosecution.

COLUMBUS, O., May 3.—Ohio legislators who hoped by testifying before the grand jury now investigating bribery in the assembly, to escape conviction by means of an immunity bill, were disappointed today when prosecuting attorney Turner and Attorney General Hogan refused to accept their testimony.

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A Priceless Recipe. Our chefs spent two years in perfecting the recipe used for Van Camp's Spaghetti. As made today, there are 17 ingredients, each the finest of its kind. The wonder lies in the harmony of taste—in the perfect blend and flavor. Perhaps you have eaten spaghetti in Rome. Perhaps you have eaten delicious spaghetti elsewhere. But you'll be quick to say that you never have tasted a recipe like this. We use to make it: Durum wheat spaghetti. Herkimer County full cream cheese. Best creamery butter. The same expensive tomato sauce we use in Van Camp's Pork and Beans. It comes to you ready-cooked. All you have to do is to heat it—or bake it, if you prefer. If you had the recipe, and could make it yourself, it would cost you more than to buy it. This is our newest dish—the most popular dish ever produced by our chefs. We have never before met such a furore of favor. Find out why. Tell your grocer to send a few cans and see what you think of this new dinner delight.

Telephone Your Grocer. To send you around a package of Knox Gelatine, and just try the delicious recipe given below. All good grocers keep Knox Gelatine, because it gives their customers such complete satisfaction.

KNOX PURE, PLAIN, SPARKLING GELATINE. Each package of Gelatine is divided into two envelopes, and makes two full quarts. Also contains an envelope of Pink Color for making fancy desserts. RECIPES FOR MAPLE SPONGE and Send for the KNOX Recipe Book.

Very Low Fares to CALIFORNIA. Very low round trip fares will be in effect April 18, 19, 20-May 12, 13, 14, affording an unusual opportunity for a tour of the Golden West. De Luxe Trains via Rock Island Lines. Superb Dining Car Service. Two choice routes—via El Paso and New Mexico, via Colorado and Salt Lake.

The Omaha Bee's Great Booklovers' Contest. What Does This Picture Represent? After you have written in the title of the book save the coupon and picture. Do not send any coupons until the end of the contest is announced. Remember the picture represents the title of a book—not a scene or character from it. Catalogues containing the names of all the books on which the puzzle pictures are based are for sale at the business office of The Bee—25 cents. By mail, 30 cents.

Rules of the Contest. All persons are eligible to enter this contest, except employees of the Omaha Bee and members of their families. Each day, for seven days, there will be published in The Bee a picture which will represent the name of a book.

First Prize. A \$2,000 Apperson "Jack Rabbit" Touring car, Model Four-Thirty, with five-passenger capacity. It is a great car in a great contest. It has many speed and road records, and today ranks among the leading motor cars. For both service and speed this auto will make an excellent possession.

Second Prize. Value \$750. Not everybody can play a piano but everybody would like to. The 38-note Kimball player-piano, worth \$750, which is the second grand prize, will furnish music for you whether you play or not.

Third Prize. Value \$500. This prize is a beautiful lot in A. P. Tukey & Son's 11th addition, adjacent to Hancock park and Central boulevard. It is lot 4 of block eight, on Thirty-third street, and is 50x130 feet.

Fourth Prize. Value \$250. A \$200 Columbia "Regent" Grafonia and \$50 worth of records form the fourth grand prize. This excellent instrument is one of the best made, and is a built of finest mahogany throughout.

Thirty-Five Cash Prizes. Value \$140. Five Prizes of \$10. Ten Prizes of \$5. Twenty Prizes of \$2. Watch for the Daily Picture in The Bee.

Be Proud Then why rest contented with thin, scraggly, rough hair? Ayer's Hair Vigor gives softness and richness to the hair, makes it thicker, heavier. Cannot change the color. Safe to use? Ask your own doctor.

Ladies' Luncheons. Women shoppers need sustaining, but light luncheon. Dainty, but inexpensive food is provided at this luncheon. Superior good Coffee, Tea and Chocolate. Kuenne's 504 S. 16th St., Howard St.