

Today

Do Something New. Ford Tired of Waiting. No Interest, No Campaign. Uncertain, Coy, as Usual. By ARTHUR BRISBANE

Columbus day being over, young gentlemen, you will notice that Columbus tried what others believed to be impossible. That's his glory. All of his success followed that. When they praised Napoleon for crossing the Alps in winter, he said, "That's nothing. I deserve credit only for not believing the fools who said it couldn't be done." To be somebody, do something new.

Henry Ford tells "Collier's" that he withdraws his bid for Muscle Shoals. He has waited three years for the government to accept his proposition, and thinks that is long enough.

Ford, who has purchased vast coal lands in Kentucky and elsewhere, will turn the coal into electric power, taking out of it, as the German scientists do, its valuable by-products in the process of combustion.

Ford gives to a hesitating, foolish government the snub that it deserves. Had his offer been accepted, as it should have been, he would have made good his promise "to produce enough nitrates to give this country absolute predominance in explosive power, making war improbable, and in peace providing farmers with all the nitrates for fertilizers that the country could use at very low prices."

Or, had he not succeeded, he would have spent hundreds of millions in the attempt. He should have had the opportunity.

People are not interested in this campaign. New York's registration increases 120,257 over 1920. But that doesn't begin to represent the increase in population.

Tightly or wrongly, republicans and democrats believe that Coolidge is absolutely sure to carry New York state. Many of the best informed also believe that Al Smith, a democrat, will be elected governor.

In the meanwhile, nobody is making a campaign.

No intelligent advertising is done. The right kind of political advertising, such as G. W. Perkins made some years ago, against the Elihu Root New York state constitution, could change hundreds of thousands of votes. The politicians haven't money to pay for advertising, and wouldn't know how to write the advertisements if they had the money.

Woman, in her hours of ease, continues to be coy and uncertain. In Paris she is having her shoulders rouged. In London artists paint artificial freckles on women's faces, necks and arms.

There is meaning in all this petty, puzzling feminine nonsense. Olympia, mother of Alexander, doing wild dances with snakes wrapped around her, no other clothing, and your great-grandmother with her hoop skirt trailing on the ground, and smelling salts, both represent progress in some mysterious way.

Women are a being more complicated than man. Her evolution is longer, more intricate.

Dean Inge of St. Paul's thinks the world may be saved, morally, by some powerful writer of plays. Not preachers or writers, but "a great dramatist may help us to find our souls," says the great and reverend British student.

Among the Greeks of 2,000 years ago, the play was really the thing. Euripides and Aristophanes, probably influenced Greek thought more

than Socrates, Plato and Aristotle combined.

But where does Dean Inge see any great power in the modern stage? The morality plays in the middle ages had some of it, but what play since then could compare in influence with the writings of Bunyan, or Voltaire, the sermons of great preachers, like Beecher, the lectures and writings of Ingersoll and Thomas Paine, Billy Sunday, Moody and Sankey.

The stage, which talks to the mind through the ear and eye simultaneously, ought to have the greatest power, but it hasn't.

Anatole France dies, calling for his mother. The great French writer had lived 80 years, achieved fame, a great name. All that seemed small in the last minute of the 80 years. The memory of his mother stood out above all the rest.

At the beginning, and at the end, the mother comes first. In between, others have their turn.

The big Zeppelin ZR-3 started for America to the tune of "Deutschland Uber Alles." If that big, unwieldy gas bag can leave Germany on Monday morning and land in Lakehurst, 4,000 miles away, on the following Wednesday morning, how long do you think it will take high-powered-and-heavier-than-air machines to cross the Pacific or the Atlantic with TNT and poison gas a few years from now?

It is said the administration will ask congress to spend ten millions extra this year on flying machines

and that the appropriation will be opposed in the house of representatives.

The appropriation ought to be big enough to give this country the most powerful flying fleet in the world. Write that to your congressman. In the last war, when we were scared to death and tried to get flying machines in a hurry we spent \$600,000,000, but did not get machines that could fly. It would be a good idea to manufacture machines here at our leisure, meanwhile buying them abroad. We shall need them more than ever in the next war. Enough flying machines and submarines owned by the United States might postpone that war indefinitely.

In Madison Square Garden, two able lawyers, Hillquit and Untermyer, debated La Follette's suggestion that congress, under certain conditions, should have power to pass legislation over an adverse decision of the supreme court.

We are a cosmopolitan race. Ten thousand gathered to hear a discussion of the constitution, and the two discussing it were both of Jewish blood, one from Russia, the other of German descent; one a socialist, the other a capitalist.

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Children Battle on Cumings Will

Long-Lost Son of Former Councilman Reappears to Claim Share in Estate.

Two brothers and a sister, children of the late Merrick Cumings, city councilman of Omaha many years ago, are battling in county court over the will, which left the entire \$18,000 estate to the daughter, Mrs. Cora May Huntington, wife of Charles S. Huntington.

The brothers are Charles and William Cumings, hardware merchants, of Chicago.

The elder Cumings, after he left Omaha, became editor and publisher of the "Auctioneer's Gazette" in Chicago. He returned here following the death of his wife a few years ago and lived with his daughter.

"He always mourned my brother, Willie, as dead," testified Charles Cumings before County Judge Crawford Tuesday. "But he said he was going to divide his property equally among his children and asked me to take care of Willie if he ever turned up."

William "turned up" in county court and told how he learned of his father's death.

"I was born in Columbus, Neb., and we came to Omaha soon after," he said. "When my sister married in about 1883 I went out with a circus and traveled all over the United States

and in other countries."

William has remained a circus man, answering the call of the "big top" every year. He last saw his father in 1911. He admitted that they had not always been friendly.

The brothers say title to a piece of Omaha real estate worth \$18,000 was transferred from their father's name to their sister's just three weeks before his death.

NEWBRANCH GIRL TO TRY OUT STAGE

Miss Evelyn Newbranch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Newbranch, departed for Kansas City, where she will try out on Orpheum time vaudeville in a song act which is being sponsored by Gus Edwards.

Miss Newbranch sang for Mr. Edwards when he was at the Orpheum theater here a week ago. At that time Edwards declared her singing of character songs was superior to that of many well known artists. As a result he has assured her that if she enjoys the work and cares to

continue she can obtain a year's contract and an option on a second year. Miss Newbranch has taken the stage name "Jane Vyrne."

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New, smart styles, desirable wearables at prices that overshadow all competition.



Remember: We cheerfully refund your money on any unsatisfactory purchase.

WEDNESDAY

Beautiful New Fur Trimmed COATS

Our anniversary coming as it does with November just a couple of weeks ahead, and reminding us that Winter is at hand, makes possible the purchase of a beautiful new Coat at savings that are simply astounding. We have minced no words with makers, we told them this event was worthy of their greatest sacrifices—and they have shown their regard with offerings that are amazing:

- Fur Trimmings**
Natural Squirrel
Fox Golden Beaver
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Coats Positively to \$50

Every Size, 14 to 46

Look where you will, compare to the limit—here are without a single exception the most marvelous coat offerings to be attempted in Omaha in years.

Every new color. All Coats beautifully lined. Orkin Brothers are determined to establish firmly in your minds that when you seek real values there is but one place to come, and that is Orkin Brothers.

Wonder Values in Sport and Fur-Collared

COATS \$12.75

We defy you to find similar coats being offered at such a price. Choose from all the more popular colors and cloths. Every size from 14 to 44. Coats that are full lined, and to think you take your choice for but

Their equal cannot be matched for less than \$25.

Women's Minor Ills come from one cause

Chronic constipation is the plague of their lives, but thousands keep healthy with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

WOMEN are so accustomed to finding themselves constipated that they are apt to make matters worse by indifference. Unfortunately many seem to think that it is easier to give the appearance of health with cosmetics, or stifle a headache with an opiate, than to remove the real cause by taking a good laxative.

The pill habit, of course, is not to be recommended, but any woman can take such a mild laxative as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin with assurance that the dose can gradually be decreased and that there will be no shock or weakening of the system.

As is generally known, Syrup Pepsin is a simple vegetable compound of Egyptian senna with pepsin and pleasant-tasting aromatics. A spoonful will clean out the impacted matter and make you feel well by morning.

You should take a dose when you feel the slightest symptom of constipation, such as biliousness, flatulency, lassitude, loss of appetite, restless sleep, bad breath, dull eyes, salivary skin, and to stop fevers and these symptoms, but take Syrup Pepsin regularly once a week. Mrs. Mary J. White, 122 Cedar Ave., Camden, N. J., and Mrs. L. H. Edwards, Palisade, Colo., say that much of their excellent



health can be ascribed to Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. The other members of the family also use it, as being free from opiates and narcotics, it is perfectly safe, even for infants.

More than ten million bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are sold annually, the largest sale in the world. If you have been in the habit of using strong cathartic pills, salt waters or "candy cathartics," which contain a coal-tar drug called phenolphthalein, we especially urge you to try this milder method. You will have a better, freer passage and without strain or gripe. A bottle can be had at any drug store and the average cost is less than a cent a dose.

Free Sample Bottle Coupon

There are people who very rightly prefer to try a thing before they buy it. Let them clip this coupon, pin their name and address to it, and send it to the Pepsin Syrup Co., 518 Washington Street, Monticello, Illinois, and a free sample bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will be sent them postpaid by mail. Do not inclose postage. 116 free.

DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN The Family Laxative



Feel Lame, Achy--- All Worn Out?

DO autumn mornings find you lame, stiff and achy—just miserable with a bad back—tortured by knife-like pains at almost every step? Are you weak, nervous and dispirited; hardly able to keep going? Then look to your kidneys! The kidneys, you know, are constantly filtering poisons from the blood. But once your kidneys slow up in removing impurities, body poisons accumulate and upset the whole system. Then you suffer backache, sudden stabs of pain, headaches, dizziness and annoying bladder irregularities. You feel tired out, irritable and old beyond your years. Don't wait! Delay may prove serious. Use Doan's Pills. Doan's have helped thousands. They should help you. Ask your neighbor!

Read How These Omaha Folks Found Relief:

MRS. J. H. RICE, 3916 N. 23d St., says: "My back ached and there was a soreness through the small of it. The least task about the house was a big one for me for it seemed my back gave out easily. I was always tired and languid and was troubled a good deal with headaches. I felt run down and my feet and ankles swelled. After using one box of Doan's Pills from Sherman & McConnell's Drug Store, I was rid of the attack."

W. B. ROWE, 4018 N. 26th St., says: "My kidneys acted too freely, especially at night when I had to get up to pass the secretions, which were scanty. There was a constant, dull ache through the small of my back and sharp catches took me across my kidneys. When I stooped, these pains just seemed to dig in deeper and it was difficult for me to get up or down. Doan's Pills, however, relieved me of these symptoms."

MRS. S. ELWELL, 2022 Grace St., says: "I always had a dull, tired feeling when I had an attack of kidney trouble. My back was so lame and weak that it seemed to give out easily with the least exertion. When I stooped, sharp catches seized me across my kidneys and it was difficult to straighten, because the pains dug in deeper. Headaches and dizzy spells were also frequent. However, several boxes of Doan's Pills from the Levy Drug Co., rid me of the trouble."

Every Druggist has Doan's. 60c a box.

DOAN'S PILLS

Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys

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