LABOR GIVES ITS APPROVAL

#### Powerful American Federation Cordially Joine in Fight Against Spread of Tuberculosis.

Direct approval of the campaign for the sale of Red Cross seals has been given by the American Federation of Labor, acording to an announcement by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculoils. At the last annual convention of the American Federation of Labor a resolution was adopted calling for all the members of the Federation to further the sale as much as possible. The resolution reads as follows:

"Whereas, The American Federa; tion of Labor has in every possible way aided the movement for the study and prevention of tuberculosis throughout the United States and Canada; and,

"Whereas, The American National Red Cross has been in the past and is now making an especial effort, transcontinental limited trains was through the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals to secure funds to carry on the war against tuberculosis, and by means of the funds raised in this manner has been able to do much ef. fective work in this direction, therefore be it

"Resolved, That the American Federation of Labor give its endorsement to the movement of the American National Red Cross and encour; age its members to further in every in their respective communities."

### MRS. SELBY AND PRIZE BABY

"I have always used Cuticura Soap and no other for my baby and he has never had a sore of any kind. He Newsboy Banker Who Came to Grief does not even chafe as most bables do. I feel sure that it is all owing to Cuticura Soap, for he is fine and healthy, and when five months old, won a prize in a baby contest. It makes my heart sche to go into so many homes and see a sweet-faced baby with the whole top of its head a solid mass of scurf, caused by poor soap. I always recommend Cuticura, and nine times out of ten the next time I see the mother she says: 'Oh! I am so glad you told me of Cuticura." (Signed) Mrs. G. A. Selby, Redondo Beach, California, Jan. 15, 1911.

Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuti-cura," Dept. 20 L. Boston.

#### Death Bed Jest.

Among what may be called deathbed jests, that of the Rev. James Guthrie of Stirling, one of the Covenanter martyrs, deserves a high place. Lord Guthries recalls the story in "From a Northern Winzow." Mr. **Guthries** was executed at the Cross in the High street, Edinburgh. The night before he asked for cheese for supper. His friends wondered, for the physicians had forbidden him to eat cheese. But he said, with a smile, earthly diseases."--Uncle Remus' Magazine

Special Talent. "Can your boy read 'The Illiad' in



## Hobo Makes a Record Trip on Trucks



WALLACE, Ida.-Bernard F. O'Neill,

ning to start life over again.

with the Wallace bank failure.

who started life as a newsboy

dust. But as soon as the train started 1 got aboard again in a dust storm. Next time it was in the mountains. I must have been kicked several miles ahead, for when I came to my senses we had made 50 miles, and the train was well on toward the Aztec country. The speed was fearful down those mountain grades, but I never NEW YORK.-The fastest tramp trip lost my clutch until I was thrown off ever made on the trucks of the by a brakeman.

"I thought I was all in when we finished in New York citty recently reached Kansas City. But there I left when Clarence Fields, of San Franthe Santa Fe and got between the cisco, Cal., alighted from the trucks engine and baggage car on what is called the new Wilmington line. That of a Lackawanna flyer. He said he had to get to New York in a hurry for took me to Chicago.

medical treatment. He was covered "Once during the trip I went withwith soot, cinders and coal dust and out food for two long days. That was looked as if he had been in 40 politi- a test of endurance. I won out. When we reached Newburg, on the Hudson, cal cyclones. His eyes gleamed triumphantly through his mask of dirt I had to leave the express. The brakeas he told how, in spite of the vigiman's boots were 40 pounds heavier lance of trainmen, he had made the than my physique called for, so I reasonable way the sale of these seals coast-to-coast trip in one week and stopped over night for the first time three minutes flat. on the trip. I went to the police sta-

tion and had a fine rest. Getting "I was kicked off the Santa Fe limited at least 30 times," he said. "The aboard a fast coal train next day, I first time was in the Mojave desert. pulled out. When I reached New when I landed in two feet of alkali 'York I beat my way across the ferry.'

#### Silent Innuendo. "That woman always speaks kindly

of others.' "Yes," replied Miss Cayenne; "but she always does it in such a way as to imply that she is making some terrible mental reservations."

The public has an inconsiderate way of remembering the prophet when the

prophecy fails, and of forgetting him

when it comes true. Some men have a well-seated preju-

voman in a crowded car.

Since Teacher Did Not Know, It was in the primary class of

graded school in a western city and the day was the 22d of February. "Now, who can tell me whose birthday this is?" asked the teacher.

A little girl arose timidly, "Well, Margaret, you may tell us, said the teacher.

"Mine," was the unexpected reply. -Everybody's Magazine.

It is much easier for us to forgive some one for being an enemy to our dice against giving up their place to a friend, than for being a friend to our enemy.

**Could Hardly Hear** 

Senses of Taste and Smell Were Alse Greatly Impaired.

"I was afflicted with catarrh," writes Eugene Forbes, Lebanon, Kansas. "I took several different medicines, giving each a fair trial, but grew worse until I could hardly hear, taste or amell. I was about to give up in despair, but con-cluded to try Hood's Saranparills. After taking three bottles of this medicine I was cured, and have not had any return of the discans." Hood's Saranparills effects radical and

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects radical and permanent cures of catarrh.

Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolated tablets called Sarsatabe.

Caring for Consumptives.

by which consumptive workingmen in

the United States are being cared for.

In such cities as Albany, Elmira and

Binghamton, N. Y., the unions support

a separate pavilion or hospital. In

cities like Hartford, New Britain and

South Manchester, Conn., the work-

men contribute toward the mainte-

There are now four special methods

TNAM FADELESS DYE re goods brighter and faster colors than any other dye. One like package colors all fibers. They dye in cold water better than any other dye. You can garment without ripping apart. Write for free booklet-How to Dye, Bleach and Mix Colors. MONROE DRUG COMPANY, Quincy, III.

DANGEROUS VARIETY.

#### JUST BEFORE THE TROUBLE

How Could the Listener Know What His Friend Was Trying to Say?

if any man ever admired his wife, that man was Howler. And when the Fitznoodles asked Mrs. Howler to get up and sing, "There is a Garden in My Face," the husband glowed with pride

No matter that she had a face like hippopotamus and a voice like an elephant, he sat beaming as she sang. and could not refrain from bending over to his neighbor and whispering: Don't you think my wife's got a fine volce?

"What?" said his neighbor, who was a little deaf.

"Don't you think my wife has got a fine voice?" repeated Howler. "What?"

"Don't you think my wife's got a fine voice?" roared Howler, "Sorry!" returned the neighbor, shaking his head. "Can't catch a word you say. That awful woman over there is making such a frightful row singing."

#### Rubbed Hard.

The Venus of Milo explained her missing arms. "I tried to get the tan off." she said. Herewith she rejoiced she hadn't used the same method on her neck."-

After all, young women judge a man more by his accomplishments than by what he has accomplished.



Caroline-She may be a gossip, but believe she tells the truth. Pauline-My dear, the truth is frequently the worst form of gossip imag-

inable.

A Question of Art. "Was that play you speak of highly artistic and poetical?" asked the girl who poses.

"I don't believe it could have been," replied the girl who is frank. "I understood and enjoyed every word of It."

Comparison. "What is so rare as a day in June?" "Well, the way we have steak for dinner is a good deal rarer."

nance of a fund for the care of consumptives. The employers also contribute to these funds. There are also two national sanitoria for the treatment of tuberculosis owned and operater by labor unions; one by the international Typographical union, and the other by the Printing Pressmen and Assistants' union. In Massachusetts, Illinois and elsewhere large corporations and manufacturers have agreed voluntarily to care for all their consumptive employes for a limited length of time.

#### Wasted Blessings.

Aunty (just arrived)-Bless your sweet heart!

Marie-You needn't waste any of your blessings on him, aunty. Aunty-Him? Who?

Marie-My former sweetheart. We're mad at each other now .--Judge.

#### Squelched.

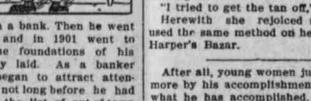
Gerald-What do you think of this recall idea? Geraldine-One call will be enough,

thank you.

Pessimism is the undigested fruit of experience



Now comes a plaintive bleat from the "exas-



ALL OF US in New York and came to be a di-LUCKY rector of the Carnegie Trust company there, as well as president of the State Bank of Commerce at Wallace, with a fortune well beyond the \$1,000,-000 mark, was arrested in Voncouver. B. C., recently on a warrant charging

was working in a bank. Then he went him with liability in the wreck of the to California, and in 1901 went to Wallace bank. O'Neill was penniless Idaho with the foundations of his when ho was arrested and was planfortune already laid. As a banker O'Neill soon began to attract atten-O'Neill is a hearty Irishman of 50, tion, and it was not long before he had and a year ago was candidate for the been added to the list of out-of-town nomination for governor of Washingdirectors of the Carnegie Trust comton. He was defeated in the convenpany. At about the same time he tion. In the meantime O'Neill's trouwas made a member of the executive bles were piling up at Wallace. The council of the American Bankers' asbank there was compelled to suspend. sociation.

In the crash O'Neill lost the rest of Just a year ago O'Neill went back his fortune, and a short time ago he to New York to attend a directors' went to Vancouver, "looking for a meeting and spent a night at the job," as he told the officers who routnewsboys lodging house in Fourth ed him from bed and put him under street. He made a speech to the boys arrest. Indictments were found in which he gave them a lot of homeagainst several other wealthy men of iy advice on how to succeed in the eastern Washington when action was world and made a generous donation taken against O'Neill in connection to the funds of the home. The check by which this subscription was made O'Neill went west as a charge of the was drawn on the Carnegie Trust Children's Aid society when he was a company. The failure of that instilad in knickerbockers selling papers | tution seemed to mark the beginning along Park Row. He worked for a of his troubles. His luck changed imtime for a farmer in lowa, next mov- mediately, he wrote back to his ed on a ranch in Nebraska, and at 19 friends.

"Not very well. But he can make St. Louis Shop Porter Is a Croesus ten yards around the left end almost every time."

The Happier Age. The Bronze Age man chuckled. "If I was steel, I suppose you would dissolve me," he cried. Horewith he rejoiced he didn't live too late.

Pain and Swelling seldom indicate in-praal organic trouble. They are usually as result of local cold or inflammation hich can be quickly removed by Hamlins Viscard Oil

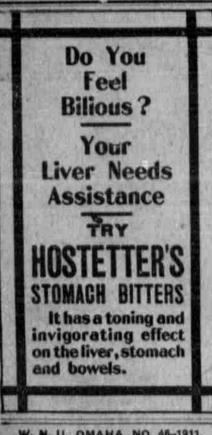
The Humor of it. Stella-Were you shopping today? Bella-Yes, 1 got some things to exchange.

stipation causes and seriously aggra-many diseases. It is thoroughly by Dr. Pierce's Pellets. Tiny sugar-

Many a man who claims to be as honest as the day is long wouldn't want the searchlight turned on his night record.

Lewis' Single Binder, the famous straight i cigar-annual sale 11,500,000.

A practical joke is never what it's eracked up to be





ST. LOUIS, Mo.-Porter by day and Croesus by night tells the story of the daily life of C. W. Massee, a remarkable resident of this city. He is head porter in a millinery establishment. Each morning at 6:45 he low-workers. mounts his large touring car and hurries to work, where he has the privilege of bossing twelve negroes. Late in the afternoon he hurries home in the same car, tired as any other laboring man, and spends his evening in quarters as lavish as those of the wealthiest millionaire in St. Louis and associates with the wealthiest people to St. Louis, in the city. He declares he could live Massee is

without work, but the life of the average millionaire would be a bore to him, so he prefers to work for \$12.37 labor.

has other property, much other property, in fact, located in St. Louis. He is able to maintain a nine-room house. four servants and a big touring car while working at a salary that is in the immediate neighborhood of \$50 a month. His fellow workers gasped with amazement when they learned of it. When he began coming down

to his portering in a costly touring car, that runs 60 miles an hour, they began to view him with nwe. He is the "Man of Mystery" among his fel-

Massee has been in St. Louis about four years. He married a widow with not a little property, and to this he has added steadily. It is said that he is anxious to get back to the prairies of Minnesota and be a farmer, in the bigger sense of the word. Special considerations have thus far tied him

Massee is a college man. He worked his way through one of the colleges in St. Paul, Minn., and fared forth to see the world. In his wana week, hire a chauffeur, live in lux- derings he journeyed to St. Louis, met ury and scarcely earn his board at his a charming widow and married her. With the exception of trips abroad,

Massee owns nearly 3,000 acres of and here and there in the United

# the rich, deep lands of Minnesota. He states, he has been in St. Louis since. **Road Settles Famous Sandwich Case**

T OPEKA, Kan.-A western railroad would not permit the hunk of hardtack and piece of hog bock, known as the railroad eating-house sandwich, to get into the Kansas courts, though it had to pay well to keep it out.

Last spring L. M. Couchman, a Topeka traveling salesman, was riding on a train toward home. The train stopped at McFarland, 30 miles west

of Topeka, for dinaer, but as it was to arrive in Topeka only an hour later Couchman bethought himself to eat a sandwich and then have a good, home-

cooked meal with his wife in Topeka. He walked into the lunchroom and called for the ham sandwich.

The pretty girl behind the counter passed him out a tissue wrapped and ribbon tied square of bread, butter and ham-supposedly, and the traveling man opened and bit. . The girl grinned at Couchman as he vainly tried to force his teeth through the adamantine crust and when he quit she asked sweetly, "Oh, isn't it instead," said Couchmand.

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it and walked out. Then a special officer of the railroad company collared him on the platform and roughly forced him to disgorge 10 cents for the hunk of hardtack and pork.

Couchman brought suit for \$2,000. damages to his peace of mind for the rough treatment he received and 10 cents additional for the sandwich he paid for and couldn't eat. The suit has been pending in the district court here for three months and much evidence from traveling men throughout the state regarding the frailties and shortcomiags of the railroad eatinghouse sandwich has been taken. The railroad attorneys looked over this good ?" "Naw. Gimme a piece of pie evidence and settled the case by paying a sum to Couchman for his suffer-

The ple was a wonderful improve ing and returning the 10 cents. What ment over the sandwich. He paid for the amount was is not known.

perated ones.

The Journal of Commerce lately said : "A stirring circular has just been issued to the coffee trade." The article further says:

"The coffee world is discussing what is to be the future of coffee as a result of the campaign of miseducation carried on by the cereal coffee people. We have before us a letter from one of the largest roasters in the South asking what can be done to counteract the work of the enemies of coffee.

"The matter should have been taken up by the Brazilian Gov't when they were completing their beautiful valorization scheme."

Let us continue to quote from his | Then the article proceeds to de-| nounce Postum and works into a article. fine frenzy, because we have pub-"Notwithstanding the enormous lished facts regarding the effect of

coffee on some people. The harrowing tale goes on.

"Where a few years ago everybody drank coffee, several cups a

day, now we find in every walk in life people who imagine they cannot drink it. (The underscoring is ours.) Eurly blacksmiths, carpenters, laborers and athletes have discontinued or cut down the use of

coffee; as there is not a person sneers at Americans who prefer to who reads this and will not be able use a healthful, home-made breakto find the same conditions existing among his own circle of acquaintmoney in America, rather than ances, is it not well for the Brazilsend the millions to Brazil and pay ians to sit up and take notice?" for an article that chemists class

Isn't it curious these "burly" strong men should pick out coffee to "imagine" about? Why not "imagine" that regular doses of

whiskey are harmful, or daily slugs of morphine? If "imagination" makes the caffeine in coffee clog the liver, depress the heart, and steadily tear on one or more of the dozens of types of diseases which follow broken-down nervous systems,

many people don't know it. But it remained for the man who has coffee, morphine or whiskey to sell, to have the supreme nerve to say: "You only imagine your disorders. Keep on buying from me."

Brazilian Coffee Grow

> This is one of the highest compliments ever paid to the level-headed, common sense of Americans

increase in population during the who cut off about two hundred milpast three years, coffee shows an lion pounds of coffee when they found by actual experiment (in the majority of cases) that the subtle Then follows a tiresome lot of drug caffeine, in coffee, worked disstatistics which wind up by show- comfort and varying forms of dising a decrease of consumption in ease.

two years of, in round figures, two Some people haven't the character to stop a habit when they know

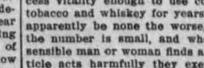
it is killing them, but it is easy tacks on us and the Brazilian to shift from coffee to Postum, for. when made according to directions, it comes to table a cup of beverage, fast drink and incidentally keep the seal brown color, which turns to rich golden brown when cream is added, and the taste is very like the milder grades of Old Gov't Java.

Postum is a veritable food-drink and highly nourishing, containing all the parts of wheat carefully prepared to which is added about ten per cent of New Orleans molasses, and that is absolutely all that Postum is mage of.

Thousands of visitors to the pure food factories see the ingredients sensible man or woman finds an ar- and corner is open for every visitticle acts harmfully they exercise or to carefully inspect. Crowds come daily and seem to enjoy it.

"There's a Reason"

Postum Cereal Company, Limited Battle Creek, Michigan



some degree of intelligence by dropping it. We quote again from the article; "These figures are paralyzing but correct, being taken from

Leech's statistics, recognized as the most reliable." . . . .

the foods, Will the reader please remember, we never announce that coffee "hurts all people." Some persons seem to have ex-

cess vitality enough to use coffee, tobacco and whiskey for years and apparently be none the worse, but down the nervous system, bringing the number is small, and when a and how prepared. Every nook

appalling decrease in consumption."

hundred million pounds.

. . . .

Here we see the cause for the at-

among the drugs and not among