

THREE DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN MANAGERS



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THESE men have charge of the campaigns of three aspirants for the Democratic nomination for president. Robert D. Gordon, the former congressman from the Fourth district of Ohio is in charge of the national headquarters of Judson Harmon. Senator J. H. Bankhead of Alabama is in charge of the headquarters of the Oscar Underwood boomers. Frederick Dubois, former senator from Idaho, is in charge of the national headquarters of Speaker Champ Clark.

ASK FOR EQUALITY

Divorce Church From State Is Cry Heard in Wales.

End of Long Battle Seen—Disestablishment of Church of England Has Become a Political Issue in Great Britain.

London.—For twenty-seven years the Welsh people have been fighting for religious equality and now, with friends of that movement in power in England, it appears that the Church of England will be disestablished and disendowed in Wales, according to English exchanges. The liberal party, headed by David Lloyd-George, Winston Churchill and J. J. Asquith, has promised that the church and state in Wales will be divorced. Welsh disestablishment has assumed more than a religious significance. It is one of the most important political questions before English political parties. The English liberals and the Welsh parliamentarians take the non-conformist view. The Church of England adherents are aligned with the unionist or conservative party.

With the established Church of England the fight in Wales is rather in the nature of the final outpost contest before the nonconformists assault the connection between the church and the state of England. As long as Wales has an established and endowed church the opponents of the established church of England probably will not attempt to lessen its power in England. But with Wales free of religious interference in state affairs, that may come.

The viewpoint of the nonconformist is very succinctly stated by Lord Rendel in a recent address: "In setting the church free, Wales will prove its best friend," he said, "for Wales will thereby make the church more Christian and more Welsh."

A recent census shows that but one-fourth of the Welsh people hold to the established church. This is a potent argument of the friends of disestablishment. David Lloyd-George, chairman of the disestablishment committee, has said that the church is a "great burden" on the Welsh people.

The decision was made in the case of John Dorcas, arrested for non-support. Dorcas pleaded that he was forced to leave his wife because she insisted upon going through his pockets nightly and relieving him of every cent she could find. The magistrate announced that, according to law, that which belonged to Dorcas also belonged to Mrs. Dorcas, and it did not make any difference how she got it.

SAYS WE WORSHIP WOMEN

St. Louis Professor Says Veneration of Weaker Sex Is Distinctly American Trait.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Worship of women was given as the chief, if not the only, contribution America has made to the higher culture of the age, by Dr. Otto Heller of Washington university, St. Louis, in a lecture on Ibsen at the University of Minnesota chapel. Among other assertions Doctor Heller declared America to be the home of woman worship; that national sentiment still is unfriendly to woman in the professions, and that "if no real genius has yet arisen among women, it is the result of the long disparagement by the sex in power."

cellor of the exchequer, makes this his only argument for disestablishment. He wrote recently: "Surely a nation is entitled to a determining voice in a settlement of its own national religion. To insist on treating a faith which the Welsh people do not accept as if it were their national creed; to continue forcing it upon them as such, in spite of their repeated repudiation of its claim; to divert compulsorily the whole of their ancient national endowments to its maintenance is the most intolerable of all oppressions."

"Against this wrong we are now seeking redress from the most potent tribunal in this land—the high court of parliament—and we feel confident that the justice of our case will at last obtain statutory recognition."

Wales asked for the disestablishment first in 1855. It was refused. Since then eight successive parliaments have been petitioned to separate the Welsh state from the church. Should the disestablishment bill carry, the church will lose an annual income of about \$905,000 in Wales. It will retain about \$90,000 annually. All cathedrals and rectories will remain the property of the church. These are valued at \$5,000,000. The present rectors, vicars and church officials in Wales will receive all state aid they are now receiving for life.

The Welsh church endowments previous to 1675 were all in the nature of tithes, or state taxes. The annual interest on moneys collected this way now amounts to \$905,000.

PERFORM TRICKS FOR NATIVES

Missionary Tells Students How Circus "Stunt" Is Employed to Attract African Crowds.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Tom Jays, M. D., of the London Church Missionary society, in an address to University of Pennsylvania students told them of the great opportunity for service in the foreign mission field and many of his own interesting experiences. Dr. Jays is an Englishman who has

given his life to the medical mission work in Africa. In his talk he told how he and his friends often gathered a crowd of native Africans about them by doing tricks on bicycles in the squares of the villages and cities. At times, he said, as many as five thousand would crowd around to see the missionaries ride, and some of the preachers and physicians have become experts.

When the missionaries have gathered the people about them they tell them something about Jesus Christ. While the acts draw the crowds for big mass meetings, it is through medicine and education that the people of Africa are most easily reached by the missionaries.

FINDS \$15,000 IN OLD HOUSE

New Jersey Fire Is Glad He Fixed an Ancient Fireplace That Contained Treasure.

Asbury Park, N. J.—Borden Jeffrey of Deal Lake is \$15,000 richer today as the result of spending a few dollars in repairing an ancient fireplace in an old colonial homestead which he purchased recently. Workmen while fixing the fireplace turned up a cache which contained an oak chest full of gold and silver coins. Their value, it is said, is in the neighborhood of \$15,000.

There has long been a belief that much treasure is buried in this section of Asbury Park. In the early days Deal Lake was a shipbuilding center, vessels at that time being able to sail from the lake out to sea. A changing coast formation and diversion of industry to other more favorable harbors closed the shipbuilding industry. The homestead is one of the country's historic relics. The house has had so many tenants it is impossible to trace the ownership of the chest of silver.

Not Even One Little Tinker.

Colorado Springs.—The new Sunday closing ordinance passed on first reading at today's meeting of the city council. Commissioner Frost wanted a provision added to the ordinance permitting a person "to mow his lawn or tinker about the house and yard" on the Sabbath, but the commissioners declared they would not stand for any "tinkering."

Long Journey is Near

Schooner of Thirty-Four Tons Is Bought by Norwegian Captain for Use in the Sealing Trade in South Indian Ocean.

London.—The oldest craft to be found in Lloyd's Register is a schooner or ketch of 33 tons burden, called the Purveyor, having just 102 years of service to her credit. A few weeks ago she was purchased by a Norwegian, Captain Reinertsen, who is now preparing to sail her from Biddeford, in Devon, to Durban, in the South Indian ocean, a distance of 6,000 miles. The Norwegian has renamed the craft the Seal. His enterprise is purely commercial, for he purposes to use her in the sealing trade. He hopes to reach Durban in 80 days, but will be provisioned for six months.

The Purveyor was built at Southampton as a government barge in 1810; it was one of a number made ready to convey troops rapidly along the coast or to the warships in case of the expected invasion by Napoleon. On being sold out of service after the battle of Waterloo, in 1815, she was owned at Bude and Biddeford, and has since been engaged in a coasting trade along North Devon and Cornwall.

Her biggest trial was in the great blizzard over twenty years ago, well remembered in the west, when so many coasting vessels foundered. The Purveyor was blown from the Bristol channel out into the Atlantic, where she rode out the gale, and many days later, battered but triumphant, returned to her port. Ever since that

LARGER MAMMOTH IS FOUND

Skeleton Over Seventeen Feet High Is Unearthed Near Schiller's Birthplace at Steinheim.

New York.—The skeleton of the largest mammoth so far known to the scientific world has just been unearthed at Steinheim, Germany, near the birthplace of the poet Schiller. According to advices received here, it will go to the Wurtemberg Natural History museum at Stuttgart. The skeleton is over seventeen feet high and the tusks more than eight feet long. It is thought to be about 4,000 years old.

COLDS AND CHILLS BRING KIDNEY ILLS

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As It Sounded to Him.—Young Fred was on his way to his grandmother's home. The train reached a small station. "Bunker Hill!" shouted the brakeman, putting his head in at the door. "Bunker Hill!" "Mamma, mamma!" demanded Fred. "What has she done that they treat her that way?" "What way, my child?" inquired his mother. "Why," explained Fred, "didn't the conductor say 'Bump her heels?'"

Those Paroled Ones.—No. 67,840 (just paroled)—Wy, Turle, 'ow are you? 'ot's dot'n' in d' biz'?"

His Old Pal—Hullo, Chicken! Shake. 'ot's new in d' biz? 'Nottin' much. Dere's a feller invented a vault door dat's five year ahead of d' times!

No. 67,840—Gee, dat's bad! The Pal—An' Skinny Moss has invented a jimmy dat's five years ahead of d' new door!

Naturally.—Robert, at the age of twelve, was much puzzled over one question in his examination paper on civics. It ran, "If the president, vice-president, and all the members of the cabinet should die, who would officiate?" Racking his brain in vain to remember the order of succession, a happy thought came to him, and he wrote: "The undertaker."—Woman's Home Companion.

Summing It Up—"Was the charity ball a success?" "Oh, yes, indeed. They say the gowns must have cost a half million at least." "And how much was raised for charity?" "Why, nearly \$700. Wasn't that fine?"

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What is in a Name? A Chicago man who hardly knew one tune from another made the mistake of taking a knowing woman to a concert at Orchestra hall. The selections were apparently familiar to him, but when the "Wedding March" of Mendelssohn was being played he began to evince some interest. "That sounds familiar," he said. "I am not strong on these classical things, but that's a good one. What is it?" "That," gravely replied the woman, "is the 'Maiden's Prayer.'"

Guess What. Tom—Yes, Miss Roxley and I are strangers now. I've been asked not to call there again. Jack—I'll bet old Roxley had a hand in that. Tom—Well—er not a hand exactly.

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