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## THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Blessed are they who have the gift of making friends, for it is one of God's best gifts. It involves many things, but above all, the power of giving but of one's self, and appreciating whatever is noble and loving in another.—Thomas Hughes.

A little over three weeks yet.

Many an egotist pleases himself that doesn't please others.

It pays to be honest. If it doesn't pay you, it will the other fellow.

The Sutton campaign has reached the desperate "open letter" stage.

Don't expect your friends to do your work—get out and do it yourself.

Some people are so conventional that they eat frog legs only in leap-year.

There is nothing in the shape of a hat that some women haven't the nerve to wear.

You can't tell by the size of the automobile whether there is a mortgage on the farm.

The matrimonial market is liable to get very brisk in a short time, and continue so for several weeks.

Big men as well as little men are turning from Hughes to Wilson every day, and the tidal wave is beginning to get intense all down the line.

Among other humorous phases of a great campaign is the spectacle of republican orators trying to explain away the present era of prosperity.

Hon. John A. Maguire, candidate for congress, made a number of new friends here Tuesday, and if he does not go back to congress, we miss our guess.

Somehow Germany always seems to be doing the unexpected thing. In war, as well as in anything else, it is the unexpected that gets the center of the stage.

It is rumored that Leslie M. Shaw, former governor of Iowa, has got back into politics. He was Roosevelt's secretary of the treasury, and maybe Teddy had something to do with his taking the stump for Hughes.

Some candidates seem to think that a nomination is an assurance that every member of the party is in duty bound to get out and elect them. The man who does not help himself cannot expect others to help him. Get out and hustle if you would be successful.

Judge Sutton denies that he ever campaigned in the Third ward of Omaha with Tom Dennison. Perhaps he will deny next he presided over a lodge with a bar attachment. No use, however, he knows he is guilty of both. So does Tom Dennison and his intimate friends.

It was Senator Hitchcock who secured an amendment to the federal reserve law that makes it possible for reserve banks to discount the paper of stock raisers and farmers. Perhaps you have noticed that in this good year of 1916, for the first time in many years, you haven't heard any complaints about money to "move crops." It was the Hitchcock amendment to the federal reserve law that brought about this happy condition of affairs.

## ADVANCING THANKSGIVING.

A concerted effort is being made by the retailers of at least twenty large cities to get Thanksgiving day, which, according to custom, would fall this year on November 30, advanced just a week and appointed for November 23.

The object is to lengthen the period of Christmas shopping and so prevent congestion at the stores with the consequent overworking of clerks and all employees. People do not begin thinking about Christmas until after Thanksgiving, and the change would divert thoughts to Christmas one week earlier than otherwise. Most people, as we all know, do not begin their Christmas buying soon enough in spite of the mercantile and humanitarian injunction, "Do your Christmas shopping now." With but three weeks between Thanksgiving and Christmas this year, the crush would be greater than usual, and the motive of the retailers in seeking to mitigate it is easily understood.

Reasons for the earlier date can also be given from the popular standpoint. People would enjoy more leisure in getting ready for Christmas. They can't, unless they are remarkably methodical and provident, begin before Thanksgiving. One holiday at a time is all that the most of us can manage, and everybody knows that preparing for Christmas is "a man's job."

But we wonder if there are not those who would object as much to the revision of Thanksgiving as they would to the revision of the prayer book or the Ten Commandments. It is a religious institution primarily and dominantly. By long prescription the day is the last Thursday in November, and to this Thursday is therefore attached a strong sentiment of pious reverence.

However, Thanksgiving day, unlike Christmas or the Fourth of July, must be recreated, reordained and re-proclaimed annually. It is the creature of the president of the United States, formally seconded by the governors of the several states. To get the usual designation changed application need be made only to the president of the United States. He can set any date he chooses. The retailers have addressed their petitions, therefore, to him. If there are protests, they should be sent to him. It is all in his hands.—World-Herald.

Hustle from now, is the watchword.

Sutton's record is so bad that he dare not attempt a denial of a single accusation made against him.

Hon. John A. Maguire, democratic candidate for congress, is being greeted with large crowds in sections of the district. The people of the First district are for John Maguire, and no mistake. They know he served them faithfully, and will do it again.

It was a democratic legislature and a democratic governor that gave the state the board of control. And under that system Nebraska's state institutions are conducted better than ever before in history, and at less expense per capita. Nebraska democracy has delivered the goods.

John Mattes should be re-elected to the senate because he possesses the sterling qualities to make a record that would be not only creditable to himself but prove beneficial to the taxpayers of Otoe and Cass counties. He is every inch a man, and one that commands an influence among the biggest men in the state who represent the people. That's the reason why we support Senator Mattes and wish with all our heart to see him re-elected to a position he is so eminently well fitted to fill.

Keith Neville coming soon.

But keep the drag moving as long as you can.

You can't expect much sunshine to creep into a narrow soul.

Many a man not only holds his own, but wants to hold everybody else's.

Beauty is only skin deep, but unfortunately ugliness extends much deeper.

Perhaps two can live as cheaply as one, but it depends largely on which one is one.

There is nothing that takes the edge off our appetite like being forced to eat our own words.

Ten dollars a barrel for flour and \$2 a bushel for wheat is predicted, all on account of the drought in Argentina.

If you can't be happy when you are making good you are not entitled to any of the pleasures in this old world.

Just because a man always seems to get his own way about everything, don't jump to the conclusion that he is effeminate.

It is a poor rule that won't work both ways. If it wasn't for a little rain there would be no hay to make while the sun shines.

The way the squirrels are storing up provisions for the winter one would think that they were the originators of this preparedness proposition.

When one speaks of the "hyphen" it should be remembered that it applies as much to the English, French or Russians as it does to the Germans.

John Wunderlich, candidate for sheriff, is making many friends in his rounds over the county, and if all signs point in the proper direction, John will be elected this time, or ought to be.

Politics make strange bedfellows, it is said. This was fully illustrated the other night out in the country, when two opposite candidates for the same office were compelled to occupy the same bed or one of them sleep on the floor.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore, chairman of the county democratic central committee, is hustling, and if the candidates do as much hustling as he is doing, there will be genuine rejoicing after the election over the result. Work, and keep everlastingly at it, is what will do the business.

This paper is very anxious to see Hon. Willis Reed re-elected attorney general, because he has proved a faithful servant of the taxpayers of Nebraska. No attorney general ever done as well in saving money and looking after their welfare. Don't you think he deserves a re-election? Of course you do.

Frank Libershall's record as county clerk is sufficient to commend him for re-election. No one has ever conducted the affairs of the office in a more business-like and systematic manner. In fact Frank has done so remarkably well that there is not a particle of an excuse for a change in the stewardship of the county clerk's office.

Keith Neville has pledged his word, which any banker in the state will endorse, that if elected and the amendment should pass, he will not only enforce it, but that he will favor any legislation needed to make it effective. That is to say, if the people desire a dry state, and say so, he will, so far as lies within the power of the governor, make Nebraska a dry state, in pursuance of the intention of the majority of the voters. Nobody can say, from anything in his history, that Keith Neville's word is not as good as that of any man.

Then comes the tug at the ballots.

Everybody will be happy but the defeated candidate when the conflict is over.

The poet may write when the spirit moves him, if the landlord doesn't move him first.

A Christian is a man who believes in eternal punishment for those who don't believe as he does.

By the time a man is ready to wear the laurel wreath, his head is generally so big that it no longer fits.

The average voter is now near the very climax of his popularity, but he won't count for much after November 7th.

All over the land Socialists favor Wilson in preference to Hughes. And they are generally able to give good reasons for it.

One of the things that the man who prefers a quiet life does not want is a seismograph that records trouble 3,000 miles away.

Eat an onion and go to bed, says a health sharp. That would be far better than to eat an onion and then go to the theatre.

"Chicago," quoting from a newspaper of August 3, 1851, "now has the enormous population of 38,800 and increased 10,000 in the last year." Now it has nearly three millions of people.

"Your daughter is getting to be quite a big girl," remarked one mother to another on the street the other day. "Oh, yes," replied the mother spoken to, "she's getting big enough to wear short dresses."

Candidate Hughes has said: "I want visible government." Mr. Hughes, if you want visible government, why do you keep the chief servants of "invisible government"—Penrose, Smoot, Crane and others of that stripe—around you?

Hon. Robert Herrick of Wisconsin, a former republican, will speak in Plattsmouth Thursday night, October 26. Mr. Herrick is now for Wilson, and will tell the people why he is for the president and against Hughes, and why Wilson should be re-elected.

Our good republican friends dearly love to charge democracy with being subservient to the "whisky trust." But they are not honest enough to admit the truth—that the only progressive liquor legislation put upon the statute books of Nebraska in a quarter of a century was put there by a democratic legislature and a democratic governor.

Hughes says he doesn't want war. Neither does Wilson, and as long as Wilson is president we are not going to have war either. We already have assurances of this fact. But we don't know so much about it if Hughes is elected president and war-spirited Roosevelt becomes his secretary of state. That's why it is dangerous "to swap horses while crossing the stream."

Keith Neville has given the voters of Nebraska a concise, sensible statement of his position upon every question of importance now before the people of Nebraska. He is not seeking election by appeals to prejudice, nor by attempting to make political capital out of a purely non-partisan issue. Nebraska needs a governor with business ability, not a governor with one idea.

Mr. Kennedy says that Hughes will be elected, regardless of what Nebraska does. Does this mean that Mr. Kennedy is already anticipating defeat for the New York aristocrat in Nebraska and that he fears he will himself land in the same boat? There is scarcely a reason to doubt that Wilson will carry Nebraska by a fairly good majority, and how utterly foolish and inconsistent it would be for the people to give their electoral vote to Wilson and not re-elect Hitchcock. Of course, Mr. Kennedy will remain at home.

# Tanlac Week, Celebrating Victory of Great New Remedy in Nation, Proves Success as Many Praise

## Former Sufferers from Stomach, Kidney and Liver Ills Enthusiastically Join in Tribute to Medicine Which Relieved Them

Sick, weak, nervous, run-down men and women throughout all the United States are taking a new interest in life today, because this is Tanlac Week, celebrating the presentation of The Master Medicine to the American people two years ago.

Tanlac today is in two million homes because it has won an honored place as a household remedy for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. The tens of thousands of people who have been benefited by Tanlac, the reconstructive tonic, appetizer, invigorant and revitalizer, are glad to join in praise of Tanlac because of their gratitude to Tanlac for relieving them of ills which discomfort, distress and endanger so many of their kinsmen, relatives and friends and neighbors.

### TANLAC IS NATURE'S REMEDY

Tanlac's aid to the people has been unusual. It has been simple and natural, for Tanlac is Nature's remedy for the common, everyday ills and diseases which beset mankind, debilitate both men and women, deprive them of the happiness and fullness of existence that ought by right to belong to everybody; impair the digestion, destroy the appetite; retard the functions of the vital organs, and thus by injury to the stomach, blood and nerves destroy vigor, ambition and the general health.

The fact that Tanlac is sold and recommended by more than 8,000 druggists is in itself proof of its merit. The druggist is the friend and advisor of his customer. He says what he thinks is the truth about medicines.

"It gives universal satisfaction" is the usual commendation of Tanlac by druggists. "We are glad to handle it because our customers realize its worth."

### DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND TANLAC

The druggists who recommend Tanlac are the druggists who serve the people in the largest cities and in the smallest villages. But everywhere they are the big, upstanding, representative merchants of their communities, enjoying the confidence of all who know them. When they recommend a medicine they know that it is good.

"It is a pleasure to sell Tanlac because every purchaser is exactly satisfied," is a remark many of them make. "Tanlac gives satisfaction and people recommend it."

These 8,000 druggists in all parts of the United States who have so enthusiastically recommended Tanlac have a good reason for so doing.

They know that Tanlac deserves to be recommended. Back of Tanlac's triumphs in the drugstore stand Tanlac's triumphs in the home.

### RECOGNIZED AS SUPREME

Tanlac has so much merit, it is so splendid a remedy for stomach, digestion, kidneys and liver, that it has become a household remedy. Tanlac, known as The Master Medicine is coming to be known as The National Tonic because it is recognized supreme as a reconstructive, upbuilder, appetizer, invigorant and revitalizer to relieve the weakness, illness and general depletion of body force resultant from the breaking-down of the digestive processes.

Mere eating is not enough to supply the body. The food taken, into the stomach must be rendered into blood, bone and tissue. If the digestive organs are not ready to perform their functions the food becomes waste, sours, ferments and creates poisons which are carried throughout the system.

Tanlac is designed to aid assimilation so that food which is taken into the system will serve as fuel for the body to keep the human engine moving as it should. It has been said that Tanlac is like oil to machinery—it keeps the human engine moving smoothly and efficiently.

### FITS PEOPLE FOR LIVING

"Tanlac has made me one hundred per cent more efficient" is a tribute often paid to Tanlac. Men and women have been made better fitted for the job of living, stronger, more vigorous, more ambitious, because they had a greater power and strength to use in meeting duties and enjoying pleasures.

Indigestion, dyspepsia, belching and bloating from gas, sourness and soreness of the stomach, inactive liver, biliousness, dizziness, kidney troubles, sharp, shooting pains in all parts of the body, rheumatism, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, nervousness, irritability, falling off of weight, foul breath, catarrhal conditions of the mucous membranes—these ailments Tanlac was designed to relieve, and tens of thousands have testified that Tanlac relieved them, made them feel well and strong again, fit once more for the day's work and the night's sleep.

### YOU CAN BUY TANLAC AT THESE EXCLUSIVE AGENCIES:

**MAUZY DRUG CO., Plattsmouth,**

**H. FIEGENBAUM'S, Springfield, Neb.**

**MEIER DRUG CO., Weeping Water, Neb.**

Three more weeks, only.

It took a huge war to make the lion and the bear lie down together and forget to growl.

An army mule is better than an automobile if the chauffeur knows how to crank him up.

A man gets almost as much pleasure out of keeping a secret as a woman gets from telling one.

The United States is now making nearly all of its dye stuffs. This is what the magazine editors call local color.

As a result of the scarcity of dyes we may escape this year the double-dyed villain and the dyed-in-the-wool partisan.

## TO FARMERS WHO UNDERSTAND THE GREAT VALUE OF GOVERNMENT IRRIGATED LANDS

Watch for the expected announcement this Autumn of the opening by the Government of its 12,000 acre Fannie tract in the Big Horn Basin. 200 richly irrigated farms. No agents. No commissions. Direct to you from Uncle Sam, free homestead land and actual cost of perpetual water-right, 20 years' time, no interest and no payment between the first and fifth year.

If you want to know the future value of these farms, visit the adjacent locality of Powell, Wyoming, in the heart of 40,000 acres of irrigated land under this same Government Canal. The Government has now on file more applications than it has farms to allot, but we believe it our duty to let you know of this chance.

Write me and I will keep your name on file, to inform you as to the date of this opening.

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