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Teacher, come back again.

What became of the lowa idea in the shuffle?

Governor Johnson may now unclench his fist.

Some women want a vote-nearly all want a voter.

The Turks have not caught a man stealing second yet.

The man who forgot to vote will have no right to kick.

Is there any difference between "social justice" and just justice? 'Hater of Americans Killed," says

a headline. Only our lovers live. It begins to look as if Tama Jim

might resign as secretary of agriculture.

That is not absent treatment they are giving the sick man of Europe, either.

be giving Turkey the Armageddon Turkey's new resolve is that the

From all accounts, they seem to

"No honest man need fear my ad ministration," says Mr. Wilson, That quiets our nerves.

It becomes possible to have a the next four years.

The weather man has been on the consumer's side, even though the coal man is against him.

An election without an election contest or two growing out of it would completely fill the bill.

Everyone agrees that Omaha is good show town. Still, it depends somewhat on the kind of show.

old-fashioned fellow who

years.

Becker's new counsel calls him Dreyfus. Yes, well, the time for buncombe in that case seems to have

or you are out.

ber and December.

One can usually find an excuse to to the thing he most wishes to do, might smoke and chew, chat and to the money collected from negro pught to do or not.

Recause J. P. Morgan is now the owner of a volume John Bunyan nce owned, "Fox's Book of Martyrs," does that make him a martyr?

We congratulate Mr. Bryan's Comoner on its transformation into a rooster as a subject.

interest to the proceedings.

Argument Non Disputandum,

Every person counts among his acquaintances the man or the woman who is always ready to disagree just to start an argument. In fact, it seems to be a trait of human nature ... \$2.50 to be eager to enter into a controversy, and match mental skill in proving assertions and disproving human nature, however, obtrudes itself in a similar disposition to clinch an argument by applying an opprobrious name to an opponent, or by impugning his motives and inspira-

Toward the close of the late camwhereupon a certain candidate for 000. president bearing a military title yers defending perversion of the neglect the land and expect condilaw."

Another distinguished statesman. three times a candidate for presi- sality of this problem of high prices. dent, has been equally felicitous in we have here tangible evidence of silencing critics. Every contradic- concurrent causes so far as our part tion or adverse comment on his at- of it is concerned. titude is promptly warded off by tracing its source to "Wall street" or cake and have it at the same time.

Omaha addressed by the foremost of this showing, the readjustment living champion of the single tax, must begin. Not only is population questions were invited and informa- grossly outrunning the development tion asked which the speaker did not of sources of production, but it has seem to have ready at hand, the ques- become extremely difficult to get tioner was unceremoniously squeiched labor enough to harvest the crops we by the retort, "You're a land owner," plant and grow. Only this year in as if equivalent to an indictment and the middle west fruit farmers in parverdict of guilty of some heinous of- ticular have suffered losses because fense

the negative all those were asked be obviated. to rise "who believe in the perpetual enslavement of women, the debasement of the wives and the daughters the human race."

is that the people who resort to this markets where farmers may sell and sort of argument non disputandum consumers buy directly is old, but are, as a rule, just the ones who, its practical abandonment for so when paid back in their own coin, many years makes it seem new now, are quickest to show resentment, and If Oklahoma City's experiences are to insist they are being unfairly typical, it does not matter about the treated.

Religious Warfare.

"The cross will chase the crescent from Belgrade to Bagdad," said an velopment of the surrounding counorator during the week and his words though, finds the situation even more produced. Then one day the city serious; to it the war means, not awoke to the fact that its produce journal:

If Europe wishes to tear up treaties it may do so; but we will not allow the Koran and the history of Osman to be torn up. All the Turkish ministers, with the grand vizier, aged 84 years, at their head, as well as our high dignitaries, our soldiers and the whole nation, have White House wedding or two within sworn to shed their blood in that cause. Those who entertain the idea of abandoning the fatherland will incur the malediction of the almighty prophet

To Turkey this is a religious war and of all wars religious wars have been the most frenzied. The mere homa City with those of a year ago, mention here of the Koran is enough to reflect the feeling of the Turks. To them this book is, in a sense, even more sacred than is the Bible wise in close proximity to the farm? to the Christians, for while the Bible is being printed in all languages as fast as possible, Molems believe the sanctity of the Koran destroyed when translated out of its original tongue. wore "government sox" did not pro- It would not be hard to believe that test much on the tariff on men's every drop of Turkish blood might be offered in defense of Islamism under the inspiration of religious "It only takes one day to elect a seal. History holds impressive exampresident," says an exchange. It ples of the grimness of Moslem tetook our democratic friends twenty nacity when it comes to a defense of the faith.

The Railroad Club.

without dues, certificate of member- cord trial by jury at all. ship or other requirements or restric- The inadequate school facilities where the men could get everything subjects of remonstrance, especially but intoxicating liquor with just the where, as is shown, negro schools regard it as a defeat. same freedom as in the saloon. They receive support disproportionate even read, play pool, billiards and cards, taxpayers. But in addition to these privileges The outrageous treatment of nethe club furnished baths, rooms for groes compelled to travel in filthy, rest and sleep, which the saloon did rattletrap. Jim Crow cars, together not. The result is, according to the with inability to get necessary food company's reports, increased sobriety and drink enroute, is also naturally

ment among the employes. That is what the railroad sought, in with whites on trains and in railfetorial paper, but we trust it will It promulgated a rule against drink- way stations, but he demands adenot confine its future efforts to the ing, not on moral grounds, but sim- quate facilities, somewhere near the Each house of the Nebraska legis- unable to enforce the rule effect. On the demarcation of social lines in Nebraska all around. sature will be so divided politically ively without offering the men an no special fault is to be found by that two or three votes will hold the adequate substitute for the social- Dr. Washington, who declines to en-

ment. both of the safety mechanical ap- tries. pliances and the club house system.

Penalty of Careless Living

accurate and distorted explanations, actually fell off more than 20,000,- the one he prefers to live in.

It appears that our high cost of promptly ended all debate by char- living is, in part, the penalty of our acterizing them as "corporation law- careless system of living. We cannot into the wider domain of the univer-

Our people have tried to eat their some odious beneficiary of special They demand a better adjustment of the scale of prices, but refuse to go When, at a recent meeting here in back to the land where, on the basis they could not get help when needed Along the same line might be cited to gather and market their crops. If a division had on the question of the consumers were close to the place granting the suffrage to women. For of food supply, much complaint would

The Market Idea.

new vindication in Oklahoma City. as an integral property. What is most noticeable, however, The idea, of course, of maintaining age of the idea if it can be made to beget desired results.

Oklahoma City, so the story runs, merely an attempt to beat back Is- prices were sky-high, while on the market in the city was established where farmers might bring their truck and sell it directly to the city consumer. Soon larger space was given to the market, which now comprises several city squares, where all classes of consumers buy, those who walk or ride in street cars, buggies and limousines.

According to reports, "actual figures, comparing the retail costs of all kinds of food supplies in Oklashow decreases from 25 to 50 per cent." If such results are possible in one city, why not in others like-

Negro Rights and Wrongs.

A most sensible discussion of the condition of the negro in America is contributed by Booker T. Washing-

Not much in the papers of late ex- men's clubs established over its sys- less discouraging. Chief of all, in steadily raised. plaining why the last seven verses tem. The clubs are in the hands of Dr. Washington's catalogue is the

appliances and could not afford to There are countries in which these leave undone anything else that lines are less sharp, or disappear almight tend to increase the efficiency together, as in Hayti, San Domingo, of this equipment. It seems to have parts of South America and parts of hit upon the proper method. Its of- Africa, but attention is called to the ficial reports show 150,000,000 pas- fact that the possibility of escaping sengers carried in four years without from social discrimination is not a fatality from a collision or derail- strong enough to offset the advan-This may be accepted as tages enjoyed here or to attract ne- Thirty Years Agocounter assertions. Another trait of fairly suggestive of the feasibility, gross from America to those coun-

It goes back, then, to the original proposition, that the American negro is not only the most intelligent and mas arrived and can be heard three or According to our census reports, industrious of his race, the most ad- four blocks away. the population of this country in- vanced in civilization, the best fed creased more than 15,000,000, or 21 and clothed and housed of all of the office in the office of the Missouri Papaign four eminent and distinguished per cent, between 1900 and 1910, negroes, but also holds the best op- H. Foote in charge, and George S. Eastlawyers made a public statement as Our area of farm land, that under portunities for future progress and man as city passenger agent for the to the law and points at issue in cer- cultivation, increased only a little development. Negro wrongs in two roads. tain court decisions, which they said more than 4 per cent, and the num- America are grievous, but negro were misunderstood by reason of in- ber of meat-producing animals rights in America make this country

The Vanishing Astor Estate.

Late inventories show that the teenth and Dodge. Astor fortune, once the most formidable, has dwindled to a mere and reports his election to congress by tions to be different. Without going \$78,000,000, of which, under the will of the late John Jacob Astor, \$68,- tleman's, at 15 cents per pound. 000,000 falls into the inexperienced hands of the youthful William Vincent Astor, his son. Thus, as the Saturday Evening Post observes, very likely the junior branch of the Twenty Years Ago-Astor estate has been transmitted in

last time. The day for bequeathing such showed the Board of Health that threeconception of the office and funcherent right of the transmission of trouble. property, is a sign of a progressive! age. democratic principle that clearly

process of transmission is one argu-The market idea as applied to the ment against the system of perand the denial of justice to one-half problem of high living costs claims petuating its unconditional control

Some Runner.

returns, it is plain that Harry Couns. company and the Union Pacific. They man, running for county assessor, tops the bunch on the republican local ticket in Douglas county, which was to be levied against them. means that Counsman is some runner even in fast company. This is Ten Years Agowas growing so rapidly within that one of the most gratifying incidents The Broatch-Savage police board let out tribute to an Omaha boy, grown up were many old-timers. try in the matter of providing im- in our own community, making as the title inspired a poem. Turkey, mediate outlets to what the farms friends constantly by attending Spratien and Carl C. Wright secured from crat are "lost to sight, to memory dear," lamism beyond the Bosphorous, but other hand farmers were suffering thously. As county assessor, es. aries for the months of August and September the period the action was pendent to exterminate it. Here is a transfor markets. Promptly, as the
lated excerpt from a leading Turkish World's Work relates it, an open

one of the period the action was pendunder previous officials, Harry
Hudson & Judah closed the desi for the not let this big vote swell his head. in renovation.

cited by well meaning reformers as the honor upon John C. Drexel. Connolly, the interval between baking and consumpsafe authority, says he does not be- O'Keefe and Hofeldt, democratic commislieve in the system of arresting unfortunate women as a means of beaking up their illicit traffic. Now, dent of Florence, died at the county hosif the dean is to be recognized as an pital from fracture of the skull, which authority because of his interest and he got from a fall while walking along passes through various hands gathers experience in dealing with moral questions, why not recognize him in this? How to cure this social ill has perplexed good men of all ages and no one need claim a patent right on office is so strong that out of a lofty a remedy, or condemn those who respect for our feelings we feel sure that may honestly disagree with their President Wilson will not press us to way of thinking.

The announcement of changed ton to the current Century maga- ownership of the New York Indepen- aid Turkey in the holy war seem to have zine. In this article Dr. Washing- dent will be noted with interest by had a straw vote origin. ton takes particular pains to indicate everyone familiar with that historic St. Louis Republic: One delightful the food product which stands high and emphasize his opinion that, de- journal, which has counted among autumnal thought is that the Balkan above all others as an indispensable feaspite much injustice, suffering and its editors Henry C. Bowen, Henry allies appear to be vigorous enough to undeniable race prejudice, the negro Ward Beecher, Edward Eggleston, in America fares much better, and Justin McCarthy, Washington Gladstands on a higher level, than the den, and other men distinguished in a figure of speech, but real food, now, negro in any other part of the world. the world of letters. From now on, in Germany. The very best way in the The wrongs endured by the Amer- Hamilton Holt, for ten years its man- world to make socialists is to keep up The Southern Pacific railroad is ican negro, both north and south, aging editor, will own and publish a tariff on meat. The logic of hunger finding very practical benefit to it- call loudly for correction, and the the magazine, which is assurance that is inexorable. self and employes in the railroad barriers to his progress are doubt- its standards will be maintained and

in the sixtieth and 108th Paalms are an expert, who first studied the hab- denial of the equal protection of the A St. Louis girl confesses to setits and tastes of the men, then at- law, the mere accusation of a negro ting fire to one big hotel, which known as fighting fire with fire. tempted to gratify them. He found, in many places being the equivalent burned with fatal results, and to at-"Don't cut the corners," says the for instance, that many of the men of conviction for crime because of tempting to destroy another, just for and groom out in Pasadena who agreed new street ordinance. No, put them frequented saloofis, where all were biased and hostile white judges and excitement. How that quiet old in their marriage contract to share every enlistment, and offering seamen over the plate and touch every base admitted on a footing of equality juries, and often rejuctance to ac- town must pall on a person's nerves. equally in the household expenses are

"The progressive party has won The poets who listed November tions. They simply paid their way provided for negro children and the the greatest victory in the history of among the bleak months could never and got their wishes. The expert poor instruction furnished where rolltical organizations," said Govhave visited Nebraska between Octo- had his clue. He produced clubs schools are open to them are proper ernor Johnson of California. Won-

On the theory that "it's an ill

King George commands world-

The convention of Nebraska teach-

out large sums of money for safety intercourse outside of the race, robbing is perceptibly picking up.

Jooking Backward COMPILED PROM BEE FILES

NOV. 10.

"Little Corrine" opened in a new dcal comedy called "Bijou." Rev. Joseph Cook is coming to lecture next week,

and Frank Mayo is billed for later. The new gong for engine house No. 2 The Milwaukee road has opened a ticket the fact that Boston harbors a man who

cific at the Paxton hotel, with George The Initial party of the Home Circle

club was given last evening at Feeney & Connolly's hall.

The finder of a black plush laprobe with green and red striped lining, lost near Cuming street, will be rewarded by returning to L. B. Williams & Son, Fif-Hon. James Laird arrived in Omaha,

2.000 majority. Honey may be bought at William Gen-

The last game of the season is again announced. This time to be between the Pacific Express nine of the Union Pacific freight auditors' nine.

Tom J. Huteson and brother, J. C. bulk to a single beneficiary for the Huteson, returned from California and were at the Paxton.

great fortunes intact is passing. So- fourth of the contagious diseases for ciety no longer wishes to lend its the last three months had been in the consent to the perpetuation of the section immediately southeast of Prosprinciple involved. And this new pect Hill cemetery, and he desired the passage of an ordinance enabling him arbitrarily to close up wells, convinced tion of wealth, which denies any in- that they were the chief sources of

Local democrats were preparing to It accords with a broadly jubilate over the election of a president The Samoset club appointed these men recognizes individual effort and en- c. Morrison, Frank J. Lange, Dan Honin, courages great rewards of industry, P. E. Elsasser, J. R. Downing, and the yet stops at undeserved advantage. Jacksonians appointed these: W. D. The very fact of the shrinkage in McHugh, John J. Mahoney, George J. the Astor millions through the Sternsdorff, R. V. Montague and John Power.

President S. H. H. Clark of the Missouri Pacific was planning a three weeks' tour of the southern lines of the ompany.

Prospects for the early completion of the new union depot at Tenth and Marcy streets were bedimmed by two suits Even in advance of the official filed against the city, the Union Depot were filed by the Rock Island and the Milwaukee roads, demanding entrance, and maintaining that a bridge embargo

of the campaign, because it is a sixteen police officers on the pretense of shortage of funds. Among the number

W. J. Broatch, J. W. Thomas, Lee W. quietly to his own business and per- Judge Baxter of district court a ruling forming the duties that have come and police board and or ering the mayor that they constituted the de facto fire to him efficiently and unostenta- and city council to pay them their sal-

Counsman will be sure to make good. lease of the Trocadero theater. which All he has to do is to keep right on they were to control for five years. They the path he has been traveling and announced their plan of spending \$25,000

The county board finally came to an agreement on a successor to the late its transition from the baker to the con-Dean Summer of Chicago, usually Harry Miller as county clerk, conferring sumer passes through many hands. In sioners, had a hard time agreeing on the

Washington Lewin, 85 years old, a rest-

HOW EDITORS SEE THINGS.

Houston Post: Our aversion to holding accept one.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: The reports of those hordes of savage Mussulmans

invite the pestiferous "great powers" to busy themselves with their own affairs. Brooklyn Eagle: "Hot dog" is not

Chicago Record-Herald: An antimilitarist leader says that an armed insurrection against a government despice ble enough to declare war might bring peace. A fine example of the method Washington Post: The free-love bride

being sued for a \$49 vegetable bill, which simply proves that what's everybody's business speedily becomes nobody's. Springfield Republican: The war in the

der what it would take to make him deaths from disease; the campaign has been too short for many to be taken sick, though many typhoid cases may dewind that blows nobody good," these with this furious advance, but most of novelty. balmy autumnal zephyrs are decid- the soldiers on both sides are hardy peasedly consoling to the purchaser of ants and the proportion of sickness in a tented sallormen at the Brooklyn navy short campaign is not likely to be large. yard have been told off as the chewing Boston Transcript: It is interesting to

and efficiency and general content- resented. Dr. Washington has not he is so different from the King it was land reform that Madero prominsisted on the negro's right to mix George whom our American colonies used and it is to his failure to keep that ply on the ground that drinkers did some for the same money for black ers proved a record-breaker. But Mexican peon must be given a chance What a revel in nicotine, and how enthen this is a record-breaking year to better his miserable condition. Work-With the presidential election out self-improvement. The bishop asks a discover to what extent the muster rolls balance of power—which should add ability of the salcon. It was laying courage the negro to aspire to social of the way, even the business of train being hand from this republic in the of the navy have been padded out as interest to the proceedings.

| Courage the negro to aspire to social of the way, even the business of train physical, moral and intellectual develop—a result of this canny maneuver on the ment of the peop.

People and Events

Chicago expressed its gratitude for hose overflow conventions with a pretty stiff punch.

In the presence of the landslide at Uncle Sam's doorway, Cuiebra cut bows its diminished head

In transferring his capital to the Asian side of the Bosphorus Mahemet X realizes in that direction lies Armageddon

The force of the revolution going on in this glorious land may be measured by speaks irreverently of beans.

Just as the campaign ends a business osting inventor springs a megaphone that will project the human voice three miles. By this means the Alsorans may sprend their screams over considerable territory.

The fates are not as cruel as they are pictured. The kindly disposed voters of Indiana insist on the Hon. A. J. Beveridge clinging to the vineclad cottage as a place more conducive to flight of fancy than the cold gray walls of the state house.

The hyphenated town of Kirk-Killsseh, recently prominent in war news, has a great reputation as a wine maker. But the town's name does not go with the The wine goes to France, where is bottled, inbeled artistically and sold around the world as real "Bordeaux."

Major General Nelson A. Miles has filed at the democratic headquarters in New York a demand for the removal of pelts and stuffed animals from the White House. The general would have corking good time" doing the job. He has had some experience in White House chucking business.

A searching investigation convinces ommittee of the Chicago city council that the gas, oil and electric light companies have distributed disguised dividends while pleading low earnings as a fundamental objection to forcible reduction of rates. The discovery is sufficiently unique to be listed as one of the attractions of the city.

Where, oh where, are the Bashi Bazouks while Islam bleeds? These holy terrors, the Cossacks of the Turkish army, whose bloody record of slaughtering defenseless women and children puts them in the class of the Goths of old have not appeared on the firing line on the Thracian plains. More's the pity No. other human target would infuse the Bulgars with greater celerity of action. on the trigger. But the foxy brigands prefer safety in the Asian mountain to radiating joy among Bulgar cannoneers

It is worth while noting that the flocks of political roosters, which in former years lent a joyous decorative touch to victorious party papers the morning after, have been all but exterminated by the late melancholy cataclysm. Precious few are seen in the exchanges. The New York World, the Cincinnati Enquirer, the Baltimore Evening Sun and the Indiananolls News each parade a strutting chanticler, and Colonel Watterson's joy is vented in a bunch of six piping pullets. The famous flock of prize winners in the coops of the St. Louis Globe-Demoswept headless to ignominious doom. Ar a morning emblem of victory the rooster is a distinct has-been.

SAFEGUARDING STAFF OF LIFE.

Belated Attention in the Handling Louisville Courier-Journal

In these days of increasing attention to sanitary matters it is rather strange that the practice of wrapping bread is not more common. A loaf of bread in tion it is exposed to dust and flies and is likely to gather germs which, if not deadly, at least are not beneficial to the human system and not relished by the consumer.

There is no doubt that bread which germs. A leading medical journal not long ago announced the result of a microscopic examination of several loaves of unwrapped bread. The analytical showing demonstrated conclusively the possibility of the transmission of discase. It is needless to say that the investigation also developed facts which are exceedingly distasteful and disconcerting to those who have a proper regard for the cleanliness and purity of

their food supply. There are many good reasons why greater care should be exercised in the handling of bread, "the staff of life," and ture of the household menu. More sanitary methods are being devised for the preparation, the transportation and the sale of almost every article that enters into the catalogue of human food supply. It does not seem reasonable that bread, the most common of all such commod ities, should be exempt from the ordinary precautions which count so strongly for cleanliness and for sanitation.

CHEWING FOR THE OLD FLAG. Up-to-Date Methods of Department.

Washington Post

The first thing we know they'll be giving away green trading stamps with season tickets for the world's series, and automobiles to the most popular sailors. for it must be admitted that the Navy department is becoming as up-to-date in its methods as a dry goods and notions store. It is making life on the bound-Balkans is likely to be unique in the ing wave so attractive that in a few proportion of deaths from wounds to years the constructors won't be able to turn out dreadnoughts fast enough to accommodate the clamoring crowds of eager men anxious to serve the dear old velop after the war is over. The sanita- flag. Free tobacco chewing contests for the men of the battleships is the latest

The facts are that 125 happy and consquad. For six blissful weeks they will find the bishop of Mexico, Right Rev. Dr. test samples of tobacco submitted by the H. D. Aves, pleading for land reform as dealers anxious to supply Uncle Sam with the only solution of the Mexican trouble. 125,000 pounds of the weed. They will roll the delicious quids under their tongues, lie back contentedly, and let promise that is attributed the unrest now the smoke of fragrant Havana perfectes stirring the republic to the south. Dr. blow through their whiskers, sneeze de Aves' plea is for a middle class, and in lightedly at every pinch of snuff, and vious the farmer boy out in Indiana will ing for a standard wage of 12% cents a be! It will be interesting to inspect the day, he now has little opportunity for statistics of enrollment next month, and part of the authorities.

SPARKS FROM POLITICAL ANVILS

Washington Post: Those silent voters are certainly a noisy hunch.

Philadelphia Record: Now let it snow. er rain or hall, if it will. We don't care Chicago Inter Ocean: How did it happen? Here's the how in one word: Roose-

voit! Chicago Tribune: There was a landmide, all right, but it slid in the wrong direction.

New York Sun: "Onward, Christian Boldiers," seems to be a better war song in the Balkans than here.

Sloux City Journal: President Taft's place in history will be more conspicuous than might be indicated by the 1912 elec-

toral college. Chicago Record-Herald: In hurriedly casting about for a word to describe things one unconsciously rejects landslide in favor of cataciysm.

Springfield Republican: Never before, n the Republican's memory, was the result of a national election so quickly ascertained. The ambition for a third term St. Paul Dispatch: The killed and

wounded in the last Balkan battle dwindied into insignificance compared with the victims of Tuesday's battle of the ballots. New York Tribune: Woodrow Wilson got away with everything that was not natled down. There was never anything

quite like it in the politics of this coun-The election will not be "thrown into the house." St. Louis Times: Let us rejoice that it is only the political "Uncle Joe" who has been discredited. He is a mighty man still, in respect to genuine qualities. He is the man who put Danville and the big

black cigar on the map.

SUNDAY SMILES.

Jack-Now that your engagement is broken, are you going to make Blanche send back your letters" thinking out those letters; they're worth using again.-Boston Transcript

"Pa, why is it that old friends are the "One reason is that if they are old enough they will know it is useless to try to borrow money from you."—Chicago Tribune.

"Why didn't you contribute to our cam-"Because," replied Mr. Dustin Stax.
"your candidate is a very agreeable man and I like his company. I didn't want to do anything that might cause him to feel compelled, for political reasons, to cut my acquisitance." Warkington State

cut my acquaintance."-Washington Star School Teacher-Does Edith's little girl ever make any bright answers: Second School Teacher—No; she al-ways knows her lessons.—Judge.

Jane (jubliant over her first pie)—Your mother never made your father a pie like that, did she, John?

John (dubiously)—No, dear, Father is still alive and hale and hearty.—Cleveland Plain Dealer. Father is Patience-I see it is said that female

piders are much larger and more fero tious than the males, and generally de our their husbands. Patrice—I should think even then that he husbands wouldn't agree with them. Yonkers Statesman

Some day you may be president of the United States," said the admiring father.
"That's true," replied the alert small boy, thoughtfully. "You wouldn't care about coming to the front with an advance contribution to the campaign fund. You wouldn't care would you?"-Indianapolie New

"Talking about Cinderella and her glass "Such a feat as what?"
"Do the right thing by putting her foot

in it."-Baltimore American "Geese are supposed to be symbolic of all that is foolish "Well, go on."
"But you never see an old gander hoard

up a million kernels of corn and then

go around trying to mate with a gosling -Town Tepics Agnes-I wish this suffragette move nt would introduce the custom of girls

Gladys-Goodness! Why? Agnes-I know a few Staylates whon enjoy keeping up until after midnight.

-Judge. THE MELANCHOLY DAYS.

Rochester Post-Express. melancholy days have come, which the poet sings. The days of woolen underwear And other solemn things.

The leaves have fallen from the trees, The turkey's being fattened, for Thanksgiving's almost due.

The ducks and geese hike overhead, Forsaking marsh and lake; The frost is on the pumpkin and The buckwheat's in the cake A purple haze is on the hill,

he furnace gobbles up the coal. The water pipes all leak. The furnace gobbles The gasman dreams of bigger bills. The butcher's prices soar; he foot ball fiend is on the field In quest of human gore.

And in the valleys eke:

The melancholy days have come Of which the poet sings,
of walling winds and cloudy skies
And other mournful things.

Spirits for Rheumatism

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