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Roosevelt and Washington.

Presidential campaign buttons have appeared in Chicago the first in the approaching national contest. They are of unique design, representing Pres. Roosevelt and Booker T. Washington enjoying a luncheon together.

The single word "Equality" in bold letters across the face of the badge is its striking characteristic. Colored men have been the first to wear the button and many are to be seen with the badge adorning their coat lapels. The buttons depicts the President and negro leader at a small round dining table presumably in the White House. The colored man is seated Roosevelt's right with his hand resting upon the table. Both survey a coffee service, a water bottle and two napkins and are awaiting the arrival of the first course.

A number of organizations are expected to make the buttons their official campaign badge.—Ex.

A gentleman occupying a berth in a sleeper on the early train from Raleigh this morning got himself into a box. He got too hot for comfort about daylight, so he got out on the rear platform, closing the door behind him. The door had a spring lock on it and of course locked itself. The gentleman enjoyed the cool morning breeze immensely, but when he decided he was getting into town and had better get inside, he found he couldn't make it. Yelling did no good and it was almost up to the station that the porter happened to open the door and let him in. A number of people east of the city saw him on the rear platform of the coach, clad only in his night robe and he was a beauty to be sure.—Greensboro Record.

The newspapers of the country are having a good deal of sport over the fact that when in N. J. last week, a gust of wind blew President Roosevelt's coattails apart the butt of a revolver was revealed. Yet who can justly blame him? At this period when cranks, lunatics and anarchists are in wait for Presidents, Kings and other potentates each is justified in surrounding himself with secret service men and in totting a gun as an additional precaution.—Ex.

Killed 32 Cows.

A fast passenger train on the Chesapeake & Ohio Road reached Richmond this morning and reported striking a herd of fifty cows five miles east of here. The train killed thirty-two of the cows.

Engineer Charles Demain had sounded his whistle for the crossing. As the train neared it the leaders of the herd walked on the track. The shrieks of the whistle and the clanging of the bell seemed to paralyze the cows with fright. Demain cut off his steam and the brakes were put on but it was too late.

Behind the leader came the rest of the herd. The engine plowed into the herd and through it. One cow was thrown high into the air and landed on the third passenger coach.

About a hundred passengers were on the train. Many of them thought they were in a head-on collision.—Richmond Dispatch.

A Capital Story.

Another capital story going around at the expense of Gov. Aycock. Before he was Governor he appeared in a trial in Wilson County and with his usual ardor was pressing the examination of a witness. He said to the latter: "Are you married?" The witness replied: "Yes" "Whom did you marry?" "A woman," was the instant reply. The Governor's next question was: "Well did you ever hear of any one who did not marry a woman?" To this witness replied, with his broadest grin: "Yes, my sister married a man." It is said by the people were on the spot that it was five minutes at least before any more business could be done. Even the judge roared and put it down that it was the best thing he had heard since he had been on the bench. As for Governor Aycock, it is said that he treated the entire outfit to watermelons later in the day.—Raleigh Correspondence Charlotte Observer.

The great lam! Here's Indiana again, the home of the fugitive slave, the land that made and operated the underground railroad away back yonder, raising shiny with the negro. A lot of engineers on the Big Four have refused to take out an engine maned by colored fireman. Down this way all the firemen with few exceptions are colored.—Greensboro Record.

The school board at Princeton, Indiana, refused to admit a Filipino to the public schools, because he was not white. The "color line" seems to flourish in the Crumpacks, state remarks the News and Observer.

When a man betrays innocent womanhood and puts her to a living shame and makes no effort to make amends for it, a jury is not going to be hard on the protector of the woman who shoots down the man who caused her downfall. So long as the man who blasts virtue, ruins homes and puts innocent womanhood to shame is recognized in society, let off lightly in courts and passes as a gentleman, so long will people secretly if not openly applaud the man who shoots down the despoiler of virtue.—Monroe Enquirer.

A child is born every third minute in Chicago, but the city directory is still several laps ahead. Kansas City Journal.

Apparently the ambition of Lieutenant Peary is to be called the Lou Dillon of the Arctic circle.—New York News.

Truth may be stranger than fiction, but the avergeliar makes a desperate effort to supply the contrary proof.

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To preserve the equilibrium of things, coal is beginning to go up as the mercury gets ready to fall.

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Miss Ellen Stone is not making any frantic efforts to return to Macedonia.—Minneapolis Journal.

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Does a Cure Rest Upon Them?

Modern sanctification is something comparatively new to most people now living. It has not been preached much until later years. It is an alarming fact that many who are so deceived, as to be led to believe that they have entered a state of sinless perfection, have become more or less deranged, while many have become hopelessly insane.

It is stated that Dr. Murphy, Superintendent of the Asylum at Morganton said last May that nine-tenths of the cases of insanity that have been brought there for treatment, have come from places where this sanctification doctrine has been preached and that most of them are incurable. Such a state of things prompts the question "Does not God with draw his restraining grace from those who go off contrary to all Bible teaching as well as our own experience and observation?"

All good people ought to stay away from such services and discourage it by letting it severely alone. It seems strange that as soon as people become sinless, they turn against their church and pastor, lose all interest in church work, and usually begin to berate both church and pastor. From any such sanctification as this good Lord deliver us.—Church Worker.

What I do and ever shall regret is the time which, while young, I lost in mere idleness and doing nothing. This is the common effect of the inconsideracy of youth, against which I beg you will be most carefully upon your guard. The value of moments when cast up is immense, if well employed, if thrown away, their loss is irrecoverable. Every moment may be put to some use, and that which much more pleasure than when unemployed.—From Lord Chesterfield's Letters to His Son.

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We of the south because Senator Tillman rides on railroad passes, which were stolen from him not long ago, and yet Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, found his railroad pass the only way of identifying himself as a United States Senator the other day, when he found himself without the price of the meal he had eaten in a railroad restaurant.—Times Democrat.

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He looked down upon his wife as an inferior being. He never took time to get acquainted with his family. He thought of his wife only for what she could bring to him.

He never dreamed that there were two sides to marriage. He never dreamed that a wife needs praise or compliments. He had one set of manners for home and another for society.

He paid no attention to his personal appearance after marriage. He married an ideal and was disappointed to find that it had flaws. He thought his wife should spend all her time at housework.

He treated his wife as he would not have dared to treat another woman. He never dreamed that his wife needed a vacation, recreation or change.

He never made concessions to his wife's judgment, even in unimportant matters. He thought the marriage vow made him his wife's master, instead of his partner.

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