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Twelve Counts in Indictment Against the Republican National Administration.

- New York World.
- That the Roosevelt administration, which is attempting to project itself into the future, is highly vulnerable needs no proof beyond the presentation of the bare facts.
1. It has been extravagant and wasteful.
 2. It has attempted to popularize war.
 3. It has gloried in Philippine imperialism.
 4. It has menaced the State with Federal usurpation by means of constructive jurisprudence.
 5. It has recklessly undermined confidence in our business methods, causing panic, depression and suffering.
 6. It has profited by the political contributions of corporations seeking legislative favors.
 7. It has spoken vociferously against the malefactors of great wealth, but it has not brought one of them to justice.
 8. It has bullied Congress threatening to do as it pleased, law or no law.
 9. It has assailed the courts when their judgments were contrary to its wishes.
 10. It has maintained the highest tariff ever known in a free country and has made no move in favor of income and inheritance taxes.
 11. It has constantly demanded law and more law for the prosecution of trusts, although existing laws are held by it to be too drastic for enforcement.
 12. It is now attempting to round out a career of wilfulness, greed, ambition and tyranny by forcing the election of a personally excellent and amiable proxy.

A TRAVELING MAN'S EXPERIENCE

"I must tell you my experience on an East bound O. R. & N. R. R. train from Pendleton to LeGrande, Ore., writes Sam A. Garber, a well known traveling man. "I was in the smoking department with some other traveling men when one of them went out into the coach and came back and said, "There is a woman sick unto death in the car. I at once got up and went out, found her very ill with cramp colic; her hands and arms were drawn up so you could not straighten them, and with a deathlike look on her face. Two or three ladies were working with her and giving her whiskey. I went to my suit case and got my bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy (I never travel without it,) ran to the water tank, put a double dose of the medicine in the glass, poured some water into it and stirred it with a pencil; then I had quite a time to get the ladies to let me give it to her but I succeeded. I could at once see the effect and I worked with her, rubbing her hands, and in twenty minutes I gave her another dose. By this time we were almost into LeGrande, where I was to leave the train I give the bottle to the husband to be used in case another dose should be needed, but by the time the train ran into LeGrande she was all right, and I received the thanks of every passenger in the car." For Sale by W. S. Martin & Co.

Rader in Jail.

On last Saturday the Democrat's reporter went to Newton for the purpose of interviewing Lon Rader who killed Willie Bolinger under circumstances of atrocity unparalleled in the history of Catawba county.

Rader has none of the appearance or manner of an assassin. His face indicates weakness and good nature and in his light gray eyes is none of that ferocity which one would expect in a man who committed the savage butchery that horrified the people of the peaceful little village of Startown. Rader is a little below medium height. Something about his movements, the soft, stealthy tread, as he walked to and fro in his cell, gave a hint of the craft with which this dangerous lunatic led his own, and the family of the dead girl to believe that he was altogether harmless.

Asked why he committed the dreadful deed, Rader replied in the dull, sing-song voice that indicates the mind over which insanity's dark night has settled: "She was a witch. She was the enemy of the race. God commanded me to kill her, I hated it. It was hard to do but I had to obey God rather than man." When questioned further, he exclaimed with the whimper of a lonely child; "People, please don't ask me any more about it. I don't want to talk about it any more."

That he does not understand the nature and gravity of the offense with which he is charged seems perfectly evident. He gazed wistfully through the bars of his steel cage, and with a tremulous touch of entreaty in his voice asked Jailer Nixon: "Are you going to let me out of here today?" "Not today, Lon," said the kindhearted jailer. "But some of your folks will be over this evening." "Don't you like to stay here?" "Oh! yes," replied the poor insane lad, with a pathetic attempt to appear cheerful. "I'll stay here. I'll stay anywhere they want me to; but," he added eagerly "I'd rather go home, I'd rather be with my people in the country."

Having said this, he waited a moment to see whether it would have any effect toward releasing him and letting him return to the old country home which he was evidently longing to see, and finding that it did not, he resumed his restless, cat-like stride up and down the narrow confines of his cell. Suddenly without any preliminaries, he began to sing in stentorian tones "Glory! Hallelujah! Christ has paid the debt for all. Glory! Hallelujah! Salvation is free." The bystander could not help wondering how often the prisoner had sung that song in the little Startown Sunday school to the dead girl's accompaniment on the organ, and how little either of them imagined under what dreadful circumstances he was destined to sing it.

Despite its jubilant words, the song sounded anything but cheerful, coming as it did through prison bars, from the lips of a singer whose hands were red with the blood of the woman whom he had loved loved to distraction. Presently he ceased singing as abruptly as he had begun. "I shall never taste of death," he announced, "I am going to be translated like Enoch Broc. Nixon can't you give me some fresh eggs?" Jailer Nixon complied with his request. "Thank God for these eggs," he said, pronouncing a blessing over them as if they had been food provided at a daily meal.

"I want to be a garden angel," he resumed, as soon as he had demolished the eggs with an appetite remarkably vigorous for one about to be translated. "Enoch was a garden angel." Then he began his tireless walk and his song of two lines,

Items From Route 1.

The hallelujahs were still ringing through the corridors of the jail, as the reporter took his leave. There are many strange phenomena in life; but none stranger than that of a diseased human mind.

Family Reunion.

Mr. C. S. Little and family, of Southside, and Mr. M. L. Little, of Lincolnton, were in Hickory Sunday visiting their mother, Mrs. C. A. Little, who for the first time had all of her ten children and grand children with her.

The following are the names of her children and their places of residence: M. C. Little, Lincolnton; A. B. Little, Washington, D. C.; W. A. Little, Hickory, C. S. Little, Southside; C. H. Little, New German, Nova Scotia; Mrs. E. L. Pogram, Sta. I. J. Creek; the Misses, Hermine, Jennie, Lee, Pearl and Mable Little, all of Hickory.

It is not often that a mother of ten children can have them all with her at one time after they have reached maturity and are scattered and have families of their own, and this must have been a glad day indeed for Mrs. Little and we can only hope that she may enjoy many such homecomings of her loved ones.—Lincolnton County Times.

A Strong Republican Protest.

The letter President Roosevelt wrote a Montana man, in which he vouched for Judge Taft, has had the opposite of the effect intended. Mr. Bryan's reply was convincing and made clear the fact that Judge Taft should speak for himself, if he expects to be considered seriously by the voters of the country. The Chicago Inter Ocean, one of the leading Republican papers in the west, thinks Mr. Roosevelt has placed Mr. Taft in a humiliating position by reason of his letter to the Wisconsin Ranchman.

That paper agrees with Mr. Bryan that Judge Taft is over 21, and should speak for himself. The Inter Ocean said in this connection: "It is a fact, and not a criticism, that Mr. Taft today is suffering from too much Roosevelt." "Therefore the present effort to strengthen Mr. Taft solely as another Roosevelt, a mere heir of a Roosevelt dynasty, is not likely to have exactly the effect desired by Mr. Taft's friends."

"The American people undoubtedly are prejudiced against making a man president merely on one man's say-so. Much as they respect a President of the United States, they hesitate to let him name his successor."

"There is a feeling that Mr. Taft should stand occasionally on his own record."

"To stand before the voters simply as another man's shadow imitator, protegee, executor, and heir, is not an attitude that inspires even the average Roosevelt man with aggressive loyalty to Mr. Taft."

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SHOP SURROUNDINGS.

The appearance of many towns and cities is spoiled by unkempt surroundings of business sites, and seldom is any attempt made to improve and beautify these places. The plan is being tried in Brooklyn, N. Y., however, to interest the employees of a company in improvement work, and the story of how an esprit de corps came to replace a don't care feeling in the personnel of one of the largest single traction concerns in the country is an interesting one.

Some time ago the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company adopted a policy of beautifying as far as possible the different portions of its property. It was a pet idea of Mr. Winter, its president, that the mere fact that a structure is built for commercial purposes is no excuse for its being hideously ugly.

This was quite a reversal of old traditions, but it has already gone partly into effect. The great new Williamsburg power station is the company's most striking exposition of this new policy.

Beginning was made at the construction shop of the elevated lines at the foot of Thirty-ninth street. The yard that surrounds this shop—formerly a passenger terminal station—was cleaned of the litter of old locomotives and discarded coaches. These were sold when possible and given away for firewood in other cases.

Last spring the shop foremen were informed that the railroad would proceed to lay out the edge of the yard with grass plots and flower beds. Similar steps were taken at the other elevated shops at East New York, Fresh Pond road and at Thirty-sixth street. The same methods of decoration that proved so successful on the company's property at Brighton Beach were put into effect.

Then came the surprising part of the programme. Shopmen displayed an astonishing amount of interest in the plans for beautifying the property. They organized into bands and early on summer nights reported after hours for work on the shop grounds. Theirs was entirely a voluntary procedure. They showed an interest in the whole project. It was a new spirit showing itself.

Nor was that all. The men from lathe and plane and drill press worked alongside the laborers, and then they got together with the shop foremen and made a new proposal. "Let's buy big flags—big, fine American flags—to float over every shop of this company and show folks when they go riding by that there are good Americans working under the roofs."

So the big movement started. The men all wanted to subscribe—nickels, dimes and an occasional quarter were the order of the day—and when they were done the foremen topped off the list for the big flags. The railroad company put up high steel poles, and there has been a series of flag raisings all summer.

Every elevated shop now flies its flag as regularly as a military post. Out at the newest shop in Fresh Pond road the transportation men watched the big pole and flag of the shopmen ascend. So the guards, motormen and conductors of the trains running there bought a flag and had the company erect a second steel pole for their flag. Other plans of the same sort are under way.

The Billboard Fight.

An ordinance which is expected to force billboarders from the residence districts was recently approved by the Chicago council building committee. It requires billboard companies to secure consent of two-thirds of the property owners on both sides of the street, before erecting a billboard in any block in the residence district. Any block in which a majority of the lots are occupied by residences is to be considered, for the purpose of the ordinance, a residence neighborhood. Strong protests were made by the representatives of the billboard companies when the ordinance was first considered by the building committee, but no further objections were made at the time of its approval, energy being reserved for action later, but it is believed that this ordinance will eventually drive the billboard from residence districts.

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