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ON WHICH SIDE DO YOU STAND?

Generalizations Reveal Astounding Ignorance of Klan Affairs.

THE LETTER

The Rev. W. Rothwell, Claremont, Minnesota.

My Dear Brother Rothwell:

I have your letter of November 24 relative to the publicity given my much interest. I note that you acname in connection with the National cuse the Ku Klux Klan of being "un-Vigilance Association.

It is true that I had agreed to the use of my name on the National Committee seeing on the letterhead sent me the names of some of the most reputable and sane men in the var- that you have evidence of this and ious states of the nation; among them I would certainly appreciate it very nor of this State. The papers did not represent properly my own statement which was that these names were posedly was for the conservation of will not hedge and squirm, but get law and legal procedure under the Constitution and not to fight any single group. As an educator, I was, with a score of other college presi- ing of the last paragraph in your dents, interested in what would em- letter. I was not aware that the phasize the necessity of such conser- Klan was using methods that were vation. It has been heralded, how- "devisive between races and reliever, as if I were interested in a personal fight to destroy the Ku Klux gions." I have always supposed that and order their procedure seems to method of covering up their identity that you will give us definite inforand their procedure in frequent cases maticn, clearly presenting real proof. of taking law into their own hands.

I am, however, only interested in the constructive program and not in any anti conditions whatsoever, be- accusations point it to be. lieving that things which have real worth in them will continue to exist, separation of church and State, then and that things lacking in such worth the Klan is no more un-Christian will speedily pass.

I appreciate your taking interest States, or, in fact, than the Methenough to write, though I presume odist or other Evangelical churches our preachers would do well to side- which stand forth on the same basis, step relation to any organization of any kind which is so radical and undevisive methods between races and inheritance of our Fathers within religions. . What we need in our day this Protestant nation. is more of brotherhood, and in doing so it need not mean that we are not worldly wise enough to see that the inheritance of our fathers in a protestant nation is thoroughly safe-

Cordially yours,

a grudge against the Call of the words.

pages reek with mad screeches char- it in St. James.

mail with compost.

THE ANSWER November 28, 1923. Dr. Samuel F. Kerfoot,

St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Doctor:

The foregoing letter I read with American," because that great organization covers up its identity and "frequently takes the law into their own hands." Of course, I assume

the Governor and Lieutenant Gover- much if I might be favored with names, dates and place of at least one instance, proving this broad statepresented on the printed list of the ment. Doctor, please do not general-Committee. The organization sup- ize, but be specific. We hope you

down to facts. Frankly, I don't grasp the mean-

Klan, which is a matter in which I the Klan conceded the right of every have only passing interest. Many of individual to practice any religion he the tenents of this organization are chose, provided he does not use it for worth while; the only trouble being that in their creed in believing in law be contrary in their un-American know whereof you write. We trust

> showing that the world's greatest Protestant organization is what your If it is un-Christian to believe in

than the Constitution of the United

I will be glad to learn of that brotherhood you speak about which is Christian as to endeavor to develop at present seeking to safeguard the

In closing, let me urge a foresquare answer and emphasize the importance of facts, and the foolishness of fancies.

Awaiting an early reply, I am, Yours for Protestants that Protest. P. J. ORN,

Editor Call of the North.

S. M. KERFOOT. President

ST. JAMES POP-GUN WEEKLY WHIMPERS

North-he or she sent us a copy of Your little periodical spasms of pie-

the "Windypendent" filled with bald piffle is only as a fly scratching

"odors." We don't mind having over- the cuticle of an elephant. Your

ripe tomatoes or ancient eggs thrown caterwaulings only provoke laughter

at us by "tolerant backyard cats," but from your neighbors who tolerate you

we can't overlook the son-of-a- as they would a pup-dog and coddle

swamp-slipmuckero-kokus mixing our you into the belief that you are an

Somebody at St. James, Minn., has of falsehoods, a lie monger in other

DR. KERFOOT'S LETTER You Can't Ride the Fence! WHAT AVAILETH A CAR-ENLIGHTENMENT

GEORGE WASHINGTON-Promote, then, as an object of primary importance, institutions for the general diffusion of knowledge. In proportion as the structure of a government gives force to public opinion, it should be enlightened.

THOMAS JEFFERSON-If a nation expects to be ignorant and free in a state of civilization, it expects what never was and never will be.

JOHN JAY-I consider knowledge to be the soul of the Republic, and as the weak and the wicked are generally in alliance, as much care should be taken to diminish the number of the former as the latter.

JOHN ADAMS-Laws for the liberal education of youth * * * are so extremely wise and useful that to a humane and generous mind, no expense for this purpose would be thought extravagant.

JAMES MADISON-Knowledge will forever govern ignorance; and a people who mean to be their governors must arm themselves with the power which knowledge gives.

HORACE MANN-The common school is the greatest discovery ever made by man. Other social organizations are curative and remedial; this is a preventative and an antidote. They come to heal disease and wounds; this, to make the physical and moral frame invulnerable to

ABRAHAM LINCOLN-I view it (education) as the most important

DANIEI, WEBSTER-On the diffusion of education among the people rests the preservation and perpetuation of our free institutions.

HERBERT HOOVER-The nation as a whole has the obligation of such measures toward its children, as a whole, as will yield to them an equal opportunity at their start in life.

CHARLES EVANS HUGHES-The American ideal is the ideal of equal educational opportunity, not merely for the purpose of enabling one to know how to earn a living and to fit into an economic status more or less fixed, but of giving play to talent and inspiration and to development of mental and sipirtual power.

PRESIDENT WARREN HARD-ING-The Federal Government should extend aid to the States for the promotion of physical education, the Americanization of the foreign-born, the eradication of illiteracy, the better training of teachers, and for promoting free educational opportunity for all the children of the people.

H. A. L. FISHER-That nation which employs the best teachers with the highest pay and as a part of the governed and therefore the greatest best school system will be the best

"An imperfect and vicious system of education which undermines the religion of youth."-Cardinal Gib-

"The common schools of this country are sinks of moral pollution and nurseries of hell."-The Chicago Tab-

"The public schools have produced nothing but a Godless generation of thieves and blackguards."-Priest Schaner.

'Education outside of the Catholic Church is a damnable heresy."-Syllabus of Pope Pius IX, issued in 1864.

"It will be a glorious day in this country when, under the laws, the school system will be shivered to pieces."-Catholic Telegraph.

"The children of the public schools turn out to be horsethieves, scholastic counterfeiters and well versed in schemes of deviltry. I frankly confess that Catholics stand before the country as the enemies of the public schools. They are afraid that the child that left home in the morning would come back with something in his heart as black as hell."-Priest Phelan, St. Louis, Oct., 1873.

"Education must be controlled by Catholic authorities, and under education the opinions of the individuals and utterances of the press are included, and many opinions are to be forbidden by the secular arm, under the authority of the church, even to war and bloodshed."-Priest Hecker, quoted by Catholic World, July, 1870.

"The American school system is a national fraud, a social cancer, presaging the death of national morality."-Catholic Telegraph.

"The law of the church in this diocese debars from the sacraments parents who send their children to public schols."-Bishop Foley, Detroit

"We hold education to be the function of the church, not of the state; and, in our case, we do not and will not accept the state as educator."-New York "Tablet," December 25,

"Public schools, open to all children for the education of the young, should be under the control of the church, and should not be subject to the civil powers, nor made to conform to the opinions of the age."-Pope Pius IX, Encyclical 47.

"Unless you suppress the public school system, as at present conducted, it will prove the damnation of the country."-Priest David B. Walker.

"If your son or daughter is attending a state school, you are violating your duty as a Catholic parent."-Western Tablet, Chicago.

"Swearing, cursing, and profane expressions are distinctive marks of public school children."-Second Provincial Council of Oregon, 1881.

-The Arkansas Traveler.

ST. PAUL MUST BE SCRUBBED CLEAN!

made any effort to learn true condi- possible court action. tions understands to some extent The Call of the North is out to get that St. Paul is anything but free any public officials who fail to do from preventable vice conditions.

Your Honor Mr. Nelson, we suggest that you make a direct investigation and not bother with the Central Police Station. It would be well to start a broom. There is no need for payoff this investigation with one Madame Clifford's joint, that is located within a stone's throw from the of office. We must have officials who Chief's office. Then continue along ing their duty, regardless of whether At the same time, do not overlook underdog can be browbeaten and inthe "mule-holes" that do a flourishing business. When you conduct this not. Although all petty violators of investigation do not close your eyes the law should be punished, yet if we little fellows. There are a number of back-alley dogs doing business and apprehended from time to time with a big flowish of publicity. Here is a see, so long as they do their a big flourish of publicity. How-duty. If Chief Sommer can clean up ever, we rarely hear about the ar- St. Paul, much power to him. If he rest of Black Marias in business on a large scale. We understand why the big birds get away so easily. If the present police administration can't clean up St. Paul, make a clean sweep of that administration, so as to make possible the installation of an administration which has the ability to bring about the present. an administration which has the ability to bring about the necessary den, every dope-hole, every low-down

welfare of our city. St. Paul is not to the limit ow the law. a safe place in which to raise a fam- Come, folks, all of you who believe a large number of young folks under born of an awakened citizenship. the influence of liquor. In the wee hours of the morning you see girls in their early teens wandering around with fellows loud-mouthed and lowcharactered. What are the good people of St. Paul thinking of, anyway, sitting silently and indifferently when market a device to stiffen knees and ized vice. Not long ago a raid was cross on the fair grounds, thirty-five the windows. By that time neighbors you sell me the Klan idea." We told chines now in operation are owned ciples and purposes of the Knights is properly placed in a padded cell. of noise, but your anti-Klan fight is Lot of folks here all "het" up over had started to gather in and we had him we didn't aim to sell him anyhim." He is one of these noon-day machine "rings" may operate in St.

> there is a scurry for the tall timbers. were mounted and the pageant was The old excuse we hear over and over unusually spectacular. but for goodness sake keep us out as is known here, of a Klan having of it." We have no time for the yel- been awarded highest honors at any low-livered individuals who haven't state or county fair.

The Mayor of St. Paul, Mr. Nel- | the courage to go down the line in son, seems to be having one heck of a battle for better conditions. The a time getting reports from the Chief spineless citizen, knowing facts which of Police, Mr. Sommer, pertaining to would reveal the exact conditions, the vice conditions of the Unsaintly slinks to one side and thus permits City. Why the Chief of Police should matters to go from bad to worse. withhold reports requested by the We know that courage is a neces-Mayor is beyond understanding, but sary element in battling for rightwhat will the Mayor do with the re- eousness. Up to date this courage ports when he gets them? We will has been lacking to a startling dewager an oriental duck-footed bull- gree. Any man or woman who will frog against a fur-lined bathtub, join hands with the Call of the North that the reports which the Chief can accomplish much in making our might eventually submit to the Mayor fair city, St. Paul, a better place in will read like a soused sailor's mid- which to live and raise a family. night call, "Thirteen bells and all's Alibis are useless, hedging is out of well." It is natural to expect that place, dodging is unadulterated cow-Chief Sommer will give St. Paul a ardice. What we want is the man clean bill of health and possibly even and the woman who not only is willpoint out that St. Paul is as free from ing to report facts but dares to stand vice as a baby's cradle, but every determinedly for a thorough investicitizen of the capital city who has gation, willing to take a part in any

their duty. We want people to know every instance of failure, so that the electorate may use the ballot-box as effectively as a good housewife uses rollers, who are more interested in their salary checks than their oaths it involves the rich or the poor. The timidated so as to make police reccan wipe out the big birds the little

hotel is closed and every grafter, The Call of the North appeals to every vice agent, every imp of hades, the better elements of St. Paul, urg- is apprehended and placed before the ing a keener interest in the moral bar of justice and fearlessly punished

ily, in that temptations are so nu- in a cleaner St. Paul, pull off your merous as to make it difficult for the coats, roll up your sleeves and do young folks to withstand them. You your duty. Do it with a determinacan't walk down the streets of St. tion which will brook no intimida-Paul in the downtown section at the tion of any kind. Enter into the midnight hour without encountering housecleaning with a fearlessness

Baltimore, Md.-The Klansmen of there is so much work demanding the Maryland, Deleware and Virginia their attention? Let every pulpit de- shore staged a great ceremony at

FIRST PRIZE AT FAIR Williston, Fla .- A beautiful and

The float led a parade of several

again, stating, "Here are the facts, This is the first instance, so far

"DON DOUGHNUT" WRITES TO "TWILIGHT"

editor. The fact that your 800 a week Dear "Twilight:" The "Windypendent" is a weekly circulation is on the decline should,

acteristic of that mental type which

en law into its own hands. Just one, furnace needs coal. Heavyhash! Dumboozled, eh? We ____K-K-Kyou down as a deliberate pandered is a long felt want.

Mankato, Minn., think what will happen to the boot- Also would like to suggest that some liver sledge-hammer blows at the Pocomeke City. Nov. 25th, 1923. leggers in these three counties pres- of our inventor friends put on the powers waxing fat on commercialently.

Arrived in this fair city last Tues- Talked to one old gentleman who an artificial back bone. These de made on slot-machines operating in feet in height and at 8 o'clock in the spasm of whimpereens which is being however, serve as a gentle reminder. day night, by buss. Will tell the fought in the Civil war, he informed vices could be used on weak-kneed St. Paul. Yet today slot-machines evening the parade of several huninflicted on a long suffering public at Heavyhash Dear, apply unto thy world we were glad to get here. Folks us in rather forceful language that he Protestants who have shoe strings in are found in many places. We under the language that he Protestants who have shoe strings in are found in many places. St. James. It looks like a movie self your gangreenus gab and spike tell us this is only about 95 miles certainly was a 100% American if stead of back bones. Here is a won- derstand that the slot-machines raidscreen that has come in contact with your bazoo, you are making a fool of from the Cities. We traveled 195 there was any such animal and the derful opportunity for somebody. A ed belong to a group of men who are a cateract of tobacco juice or a roller yourself. Every community has its miles: Ninety-five miles straight room got so hot when he told us what man sprung a new one on us the not citizens of St. Paul. Someone has by its light Dr. Burke, of Ocean City towel used by the printer's devil. The coocco-nut and from all reports you're ahead and 100 miles up and down. he thought of the people who are other day. He said, "Young man, called our attention to a current ru- Klan, Realm of Maryland, delivered What I am trying to say is, the road fighting the Klan that we had to open you'll have to be some salesman, if mor, pointing out that the slot-ma- a very forceful address on the prin-For a "little feller" you make a lot was sort of rough.

One Heavyhash mixes a stew that is vain. You might as well go out, afthe Ku Klux Klan and it's no wonquite a party. One nice red-headed thing, and if he was the sort of a man know if inside men get a permit to a most delectable dish for web-footed ter the evening meal, and bay at the der they are; the Klan here is one lady told us we ought to go see her who had to be sold on the idea of operate their slot-machines. We great enthusiasm. He was applauded sloppersnappers and then smears it moon as to fill much space in your "hot baby." A fever heat, you might nephew Charley in St. Paul, so we are being an American citizen, and stand- would like to know who grants these to the echo. generously over the pages of the "groaner" with attacks on the Klan, say. Some of the boys on the out- going to send Charley's address to ing up and telling the cockeyed world permits and under what conditions, expecting to accomplish your pur- side have the fever so bad that old the Mayor and let nature take its about it, we couldn't be bothered with providing facts show that some slot- KLAN FLOAT AWARDED Come. Heavyhash, pull up a chair poses. Heavyhash, if you could have man J. B. has to carry a club to keep course. and let us have a heart to heart talk. seen the pile of letters sent to the 'em from coming in faster than he Our friends, the self-appointed en- luncheon boys who boost their com- Paul and some may not. Just how many fanatics do you know Call of the North after the "expose" can write their cards. He's lucky in emy, have confined their activities in munity and holler, "Trade at home," Not infrequently we get requests spectacular float, entered by the Levy that hold membership in the Klan. thanking us for the write-up, you'd that he formerly was a school teacher this community to spreading the usual then go to the cities to buy an over- from people of St. Paul, asking that County Klan was awarded first prize Please uncork your mighty intellect call a bootlegger so that you might and writes with both hands. He had anti-stuff and are trying to put forth coat and votes against improved we turn the searchlight of publicity recently at the Levy County Comand tell us just what the Klansmen give your ego a stimulent. The only to stop using his typewriter as the the idea that Klansmen are sworn streets. Says he won't obey the upon conditions prevailing within numity fair here, have done in your neighborhood that reason we are coming back at you is bearings got hot and burned out. We Vigilantes and if the officers of the eighteenth amendment because it in the city. When we approach indistamps them as outlaws. You insist to let you know that you didn't silence took a swing around LeSueur and law don't enforce the laws, the Klan terferes with his personal liberty and viduals demanding publicity request- hundred Klansmen and was attracthat the Klan is a lawless organiza- us with your pop-gun publication. Nicollet Counties last week and talk- will disregard the officers and enforce was so patriotic that he waited until ing that they take a stand with the tively decorated with American flags, tion-don't generalize so much, but "Little flea butt not thy head against ed to a lot of Klansmen and a lot of the laws themselves. I wonder how liberty bonds were worth \$87 before Call of the North and help us sub-surmounted by a huge, electrically name a single instance under your a wall, you'll injure yourself." Come men who wanted to be Klansmen. they get that way. Here we have he bought any. Say, buddy, I sure do stantiate the reports they turn in, illuminated flery cross. The Knights observation where the Klan has tak- Heavyhash, get out of the pantry, the Most of their wants were fulfilled. been telling the world what our prin- love a guy like that. Most of them are Klansmen now. We ciples, our aims and methods of opernaturalized one class in a cow stable, ation are, for eight years and some caught your catbird that time. Show The farmer has no need of setting They aren't "the Bull' either," but folks haven't learned yet, I can excuse us your stuff or we'll have to write up exercises, but getting up exercises sure enough he American citizens, ignorance but I haven't ever had

and a rearing to go. We hate to much use for a bonehead or dumbbell. Klansmen, support a church.

Go to it Buddy.

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LUTHER AND THE PRESENT DAY LUTHERANISM

lems. We are too much preoccupied Spirit of the Master, characterized with our business, our money-getting, also by earnest, fervent prayer. our social activities and our personal As Lutherans we must do our utand the Lutherans of the Reformation true and genuine Lutherans.

While we have been thus preoccupiing its forces in the United States, strengthening the hands of the accordingly in the interest of the ex-Knights of Columbus and the Nation- tension of truth as it sees it. Would of the United States government Knights of Columbus and the Nationit be wrong for Protestantism and would be sealed. Rome is a bitter God: He came not to be ministered gined. growing activities of the Knights of Lutheranism to act in the same opponent of Constitutional govern-Columbus (they now claim 800,000 spirit? members) comprise greatly increased building projects, the establishing in Washington of a college for the sole purpose of training leaders for

kind.

The visit in America at this time of the number of its nominal adherents? so distinguished a Luther scholar as If we are to accamplish any real re-Dr. Nathar. Soderblom, archbishop of sults we must at least work together, Uppsala, can have but one effect, namely, to quicken the Lutheran spirit standing shoulder to shoulder, not in in Lutherans themselves and to give controversy with the Church of Rome non-Lutherans a new interest in or any other Church, but in premoting Luther and the Church that bears his Bible study, in insisting upon clear name. The heroic spirit of Luther and fearless preaching of the gospel man rights, does not in any market ship, and in promoting national and of the pope! How many souls have of Service, utilized by man and dedithinking on religious and church probis a consistent Christian life in the many kingdoms laid waste"

pleasures to enjoy even an undisturbed home life, much less to give any of the Protestant Reformation, pro- ation, Book VI. serious attention to matters of re- claiming Jesus as the only Savior, ligion and church. In this respect the open Bible and the universal Protestantism as a whole is alike priesthood of all believers. We must and fearless man four centuries ago, unfeigned love, showing kindness, everywhere. There is, however, this strive to develop a real mutual undistinction, that while the rank and derstanding and a Lutheran solidar- for "Rome never changes." She may file of the Reformed churches by lib- ity. When we have accomplished this and does accommodate herself to garding his personal affairs, the organized and had ratified the Thireral contributions make it possible for we can began to prepare a fresh apoltheir church leaders to carry on a ogetic of Lutheranism (and why not pearance and utterances to deceive vigorous campaign for their particu- of Protestantism?), in view of chang- and disarm oposition; but in principle, lar churches, we Lutherans are too ed conditions generally. The Roman policy and ambition, she does not profie to be content with our past Church now has an International change. She still is the sapper and great memories and to let the work Truth Society with headquarters on miner of individual liberty and free of Lutheran expansion take care of Bergen St., Brooklyn, for the purpose government and free institutions. Her itself the best way it can. There is of publishing and distributing tracts ambition now, as in past ages, is to not in us that heroic enthusiasm for which set forth in a direct, positive the truth as it is embodied in the manner the teachings of the Chnrch. to Rom Catholicism. Were she Lutheran Church which was in Luther Why could not we establish an All-Lutheran Truth Society, having memperiod. Our chief concern has not bers in all Lutheran synods, which been so much for Lutheran expansion should publish and distribute Lutherin America, as rather to establish an tracts setting forth the fundamentwithout any peradventure who are al teachings of the Bible and of our church, free from that contriversial spirit which has been dominant in the ed, not always in the most brotherly past? What we need is a clear cut, Christlike, as of God, and bid it Godspirit, with questions of lesser im- simple, positive statement of the portance, the Roman Church which, truths we as Lutherans confess, free as Cardinal Gibbons has said, "knows from elaborate refutations of what its own mind," has been, and is, man- other Christians may believe. This ifesting great enterprise, activity, en- may seem a strange statement for an with a hatred peculiar to the Roman ergy and also vindictiveness in some editor of a Lutheran church paper to Catholic system of ecclesiasticism. quarters. This Church is consolidat- make, yet it is quite evident that the quarters. The three K's are a tremendous barspirit of the present age is such that rier erected by American patriots to and is looking to the development of it will not countenance a controversial block her pathway to the goal she organization. It makes a larger use apologetic, and the Catholic Church has erected, America must be doof lay workers, and is greatly knows it and is accommodating itself minantly Roman Catholic. Were the

earnest features of Luther as he is scribes as a mob; the sovereignty of pictured standing before the Diet at the people in civil affairs she boast-Worms, let them all resolve anew to ingly rejects. the K. C., a strong publicity program, stand firm for their evangelic faith as and the introduction of new policies Luther did on that memorable occain their religious work. With their sion. Let them also resolve to be slogan, "America first!" they com- better Lutherans than before, more bine a world policy of the proudest kind Christians in their relation to others, more fervent in their prayers, In view of these activities of the and more zealous and enthusiastic in Roman Church in America, what is their witnessing for their Master. the Church of Luther doing to retain And then let us all hope and pray and its position in the heart of its people strive for a Lutheranism, one and inand in the life of the nation? Is it separable, in America which shall to not high time that we forget our the present age be in the fullest and petty differences, that which constitu- most harmonious sense an exponent tes but so many labels, and begin to of the faith for which Luther and the look in earnest to the union of our Lutheran fathers fought so valiantly forces that we may make our Church with the sword of the Word and the the power it should be, considering spirit,-The Lutheran Companion.

THE WONDERFUL EARTH

School books tell us in our youth |ter all, very wonderful in all its feathat the earth is a round globe, slight- tures, in its response to nature's laws. ly flattened at the poles, and that it Earthquakes we are told are caused travels around the sun in a path 360 by vast movements of continents intravels around the sun in a path 360 by vast movements of continents in-millions of miles in length, making to the sea, where the water is deep ONWARD CHRISTIAN 365 revolutions on its axis during the and the continent's banks are prejourney. While the earth is of first cipitous. The Pacific ocean having importance to the intelligent beings great depth, the regions adjacent to who inhabit its surface, in compari- its shores are subject to these deep son with the stellar universe it is, underground and underwater movein physical proportion, utterly insig- ments. As yet we know but little nificant. An astronomer makes this about the earth or the universe, but comparison: Take an atom one-ten our knowledge is increasing constantthousandth of an inch in diameter and ly and this growth in terrestrial intake it and drop it in the center of formation eventually will give man Lake Erie, and it will bear the same power over world systems and enable proportionate relation to the waters him to regulate the seasons and to reof the lake that our earth bears to turn the whole surface of the earth to the universe. But the mind is the im- the condition in which it once wasportant thing in this universe, as in when throughout all of its metes and all universes, and prevails over insen- bounds it was the Garden of Eden .sate matter. Our tiny world is, af- Bulington (Iowa) Post.

Blind Fanaticism Greatness and Truth Said General Oglethorpe to Wesley. If any man seeks forgiveness, let "I never forgive." "Then I hope sir," him forget greatness and ask for said Wesley, "you never sin." truth, and he will find both.-Horace

Friendship is the nearest thing we

____K-K-K-

-Henry Drummond.

___K-K-K___ Mann. Forgiveness Corner Stone of Society Two persons cannot long be friends if they cannot forgive each other's lit-The sanctity of marriage and the family relation make the corner stone tle failings.-Bruyere. of our American society and civiliza--K-K-Ktion.-Garfield.

You Must Be Calm The language of excitement is at best but picturesque merely. You must be calm before you can utter know to what religion is. God is love. oracles.-Thoreau.

Clean sweeps are in order, with the broomcorn crop twice as large as the misfortune however, now that shoes ship, and he who plants kindness usual demand. are what they are.

THE LIGHT OF LIBERTY -K-K-K-Crown of the Man of Sin -K-K-K-

Whose Hammer Cracked the BY JOHN N. QUINN

"The authority of the Pope is not ime to speak has arrived."

"Let us preserve our liberty." "Neither pope, nor bishop, nor any tian without his own consent." "We are free from all men."

led by the bishop of Rome, and having for its object the snaring and ruining of souls."

"To be a Christian is to be not a

"There is nothing under heaven life. more corrupt and hateful than the Roman court."

These serious charges and solemn words of warning, made by a brave he is the soul of honor, possessing convert the world, not to Christ, but Christian, and had she the spirit, broad mindedness and charity of the Master, she would not teach that salvation can be found only in her teachings and ministrations, but would recognize every movement, organization and effort to uplift mankind and make men better and more

speed. Let Luther's words of warning still be cherished and heeded.

Romanists hate the Ku Klux Klan ment in the American sense; a demo-As our readers again look upon the cratic form of government she de-

"We, the people,' is Americanism.

"I, the pope," is Romanism. The two systems can never be recrown was cracked by the "hammer" lished, will endure forever.

a jot or a tittle of the papal spirit in any part of it-God will be sovereign; "Our Lord God the Pope" will ---K-K-K-

KLANSMEN

From out the mists in spotless robes A million marchers come in sight; With steady tread and purpose firm, They come to battle for the Right. They battle not with sword nor gun, No Hymn of Hate is theirs-With vision broad and righteous

thought, They lay all evil bare. A cross of Truth lights up their path And guides them through the night; The wicked cringe and flee in fear Before this cross of Light. They guard our shores from alien foes

Who seek our land to gain;

Our glorious flag must ever wave-

And ever without stain. Our fothers' spirit lives again In the Klansman's heart today; It lives for you-it lives for me-Oh, do not say it "Nay." Americans! Fall into line, And help your brothers true; Don this robe of snowy white,

And show that you're true blue.

Then "Onward, Christian Klansmen, Marching as to war, With the Flery Cross of Justice Going on before. -Mary L. Bradford.

_K-K-K-Being color blind isn't such a great He who sows courtesy reaps friend

LIFE DEMANDS SERVICE! THE STORY OF THE KU KLUX KLAN SACRAFICE!

The ancient order of worship consisted in the presentation of the dead body of a victim, whose carcass was placed upon an altar and consumed by fire, as the expiatory substitute for man. The new, or Christian, order of worship calls for something the States," the Confederate States far south as the Rio Grande and the uperior but inferior to Scripture." alive. Neither God nor man wishes a "The time to be silent is past; the dead thing. Among the activities of Service and Service calls for Life. other man living, has authority to He who would serve, must be alive, to do with the Southern States, They There is nothing in history to parallel mpose the least thing upon a Christ and all truly living men must serve. had been declared insurgents, and it. More than half a million men, de-"The papacy is a general chaste, serve. Life and Service go hand in

aim, his purpose, his ambition, in

Service Counts Nor is this ambition confined to those of his kind, alone. He stands with other Klansmen; he stands for the Race. Toward other Klansmen

to overcome Evil with Good. able service to his fellow-men.

Our Spiritual Aims is ours, being poured into our laps the carpetbagger and the schalawag, the Klan. conciled. Americanism must triumph from the cornucopia of the bounteous the negro ran riot. Every indignity Under the leadership of General past. The years gone before are ours. was offered the people of the South, Forrest, the Klan swept the South The worthy men of these by-gone and they were forced to stand idle like a whirlwind, restoring order out of the brave Luther. The same ham- years, are ours. Their great and while their wives and daughters were of Chaos, and saving the civilization mer is still needed. It should be valient deeds are ours. Their prin-openly insulted, without hope of re- of the South from utter destruction. ciples and their ideals are ours. Such dress. Then, when hope almost fled the ecclesiastical crown of the papal heritages more valuable than crowns and destruction seemed inevitable, the Empire under a Grand Wizard. Each system shall be not only cracked but of gold, are handed down to us who pure "Anglo-Saxon blood" in the crushed. The papacy triumphant are the sons of such worthy fathers. South rose in its might and the Ku Dragon; several counties formed a would mean world desolation; the pa- The memory of these great and noble Klux Klan was born. pacy conquered would result in the men, these defenders of the faith, can establishment of God's kingdom on best be kept green by our safeearth, a kingdom which, when estab- guarding the ideals and the principles year 1866, six young Confederate Giant; the smallest division being which these forefathers bequeathed God's eternal kingdom will not have us. And how can this be done? How, better, than by our living these cial purposes. This society named itand in 1868, each time being more Through day and night: ideals and these principles, by our making them a part of our being, as be a thing of the past.-Unidentified, vitually as bone of our bone and flesh of our flesh?

Too long, be it admitted, has the attention of the average American been diverted to material gain, to organization more mysterious, it was the over-looking of the spiritual. called the Ku Klux and word Klan the Klan was disbanded as a result of Thoughts, ideals, principles, these belong to the realm of the spiritual. intent to incite curosity and interest They are not as wood or stone; as by the selection of a weird name, the gold or silver. They cannot be weighed on the scales nor measured by the men who founded the organizatangible device. Being of the spirit- tion. This remarkable organization, things which are seen are temporal, most mysterious, the most secret, ual, they will exist forever, for the but the things which are not seen, and at the same time the most pothey are the eternal. These undying bequests from our venerated fathers are to be incorporated by us, ing the purpose of its existence, their sons, thus having them to live again in our bodies, as in a resurrection body. Sired by fearless pioneers, inheriting the aspirations of the undaunted, the ambitions of the idealists, the honor of the chivalrous, the reverence of the faithful, the Klans- written, and now over half a century shade of the trees with their immen possesss a position to be coveted after it has ceased to exist, there is mortal commander, secure in the by angels.

If you want easier traveling, mend

your ways. be considered too great.

----K-K-K-An amateur fisherman who gets up before daylight hasn't been convinced the worm.

Grand Dragon, Realm of Georgia, and a Grandson of General Nathan Bedford Forrest, Confederate Cavalry Leader, Who Was Grand Wizard of the Original Klan.

_K-K-K

those which they had established af- were established in every part of the men there is no room for a corpse, ter their withdrawel from the Union country. This rise and expansion of literal or figurative. Life demands having been overthrown. The great the "invisible empire" occurred bequestion before the Country was what tween June 1886, and April, 1867. It is the price of existence, the toll therefore it was contended that their feated in war, reduced almost to paufor being alive. It is worth living to relation to the United Staes Govern- perism, rose upon the rains of their tory." It was President Lincoln's an invincible and invisible army and Service calls for sacrifice, but it plan to accomplish the restoration of won the greatest victory of Anglomust be of the living kind, and not the seceding states with as little de- Saxon civilization. the sacrifice of a dead body. A life lay as possible, and he had outlined a In 1867 a convention composed of Roman.

less carcass can avail nothing when placed on the altar, however pious they had never really been out of the out the Confederate States met at name. The heroic spirit of Luther the stood fearlessly for definite gos- in our pulpits with Jesus Christ as the have crept in among the poor delud- the act may be. Kdansmen believe they had never really been out of the out the Confederate States met at the stood fearlessly for definite gos- in our pulpits with Jesus Christ as the have crept in among the poor delud- the act may be. Kdansmen believe Union but only "out of practical re- Nashville, Tenn. The first declarawho stood fearlessly for definite gospel truths and certain inalienable hupel truths are truths pel truths and certain inalienable nuonly dated and only dated on the part of our memberman rights, does not in any marked conduct on the part of our memberchurch and the pretended infallibility for a living body placed on the altar
Lincoln's death, President Johnson was one of loyalty to the Union, as undertook to carry out the purposes follows: "We recognize our relations degree characterize even present day world-wide Lutheran missions. Our been lost! How much blood shed! cated to God. By this kind of SerLutherans. The hurry-scurry life of world-wide Lutheran missions. Our been lost! How much blood shed! cated to God. By this kind of Serlutherans of his predecessor and in May, 1865, to the United States, the supremacy to-day finds little time for serious best answer as Lutherans to calumny How many murders committed! How vice the Klansman lives. This is this issued a proclamation of pardon to of the Constitution and Constitutional President, most of the Southern refutes the charge that these men States called conventions and repeal- were plotting treason. ed their ordinances of secession, accepting the act of President Johnson in good faith.

States Reorganize

By the autumn of 1865, every fishly demanding for himself. Re- Southern state, except Texas, was re-Klansman is dutiful in business, re- teenth mendment. When Congress joising because of his hope, patient assembled in December, 1865, Reamid the trials of life, and hospitable, publican opposition was manifest in withal. To those without, he is non- an enactment that no state should be pressed, to succor the suffering and retaliative, honest, peaceable, and represented in either House till Coneven willing to return good for evil, gress had declared its right to reprethereby proving his superior worth, sentation. There were leaders in In his service to men, his method is Congress, however, headed by the infamous Thaddeus Stevens, who did all laws passed in conformity there-The Klansman has a policy that lies not approve of any lenient methods unto, and to protect the States and far beyond his naturalization into and refused to recognize the Southern people from all invasion from any the membership of the Klan. To him, States when their representatives apnaturalization is but enlistment for peared to take their seats in the capiservice. It is the service that counts tal. Their chief idea was to punish ecution of all constitutional laws, and with him. This lofty desire of the the South, claiming that they were to protect the people from unlawful Klansman to serve, comes from the "conquered provinces" in which the seizure and from trial, except by sense of duty, from the recognition people had not even civil rights. The their peers in conformity to the laws of obligation. He feels charged with ex-Confederates were disfranchised of the land." the ambition to be an active construc- and excluded from holding office. The The Klan had become such a powabiding figurehead. He thirsts for tary districts, in each of which was ized the vital necessity of having a benefactor he presents his body a liv- without regard to race or color, who Maxwell House at Nashville, Capt. white men of the South and gave the war. ballot to the negro, many of whom It is said of Him Who walked were only one generation removed were many of the most prominent among u' lowly mortals as the Son of from savagery, the result can be ima- leaders of the Confederacy. Gen.

haps for the purpose of making the isted for a year or more longer. bordering on the miraculous, was the rose, resigned, and after accomplishvoluntarily disbanded, its members retiring victoriously in decency, good order and invisible triumph. Was Complete Mystery

No authentic history of this wonderful organization has ever been crossed over the river to rest in the or against anything." But some Ford no positive or definite information knowledge that they have settled for concerning it or the works which it all time the question of White suwrought. The passage of years has premacy, and that through them a thinned the ghostly ranks of the Nation has been reborn. weird brotherhood, a mystery the Ku | They will live in song and story, ever haunt its grave.

Every applicant, came voluntarily ernment offered fabulous rewards for thing rash until we try the old one. yet that the early fish catches hold of and was admitted to membership af- the men who would betray the secrets Kemal Pasha, opposing the restorter subscribing to the oath of secre- of the order, and although the women ation of the Turkish harem, says one cy, free from any outside pressure. of the South made the robes of the wife of the new-woman type is suf-To him that does everything in its The Klan grew with amazing rapidity Klan and knew of this offer, there ficient. Absolutely, Mr. Pasha Exproper time one day is worth three. and in a short time spread as far was never a traitor.—Dawn.

At the close of the "War Between | north as the Potomac River, and as Those beautiful eyes as they looked were practically without governments Gulf of Mexico. New dens or lodges ment was that of a "conquered terri- homes and organized themselves into

practically all those engaged in the laws thereof, and the Union of the war. Following the action of the States thereunder."-This forever

Purposes of the Original Klan The Nashville Convention also defined and set forth the objects and purposes of the Klan as follows:

1. "To protect the weak, the innocent and the defenseless, from the indignities, wrongs and outrages, from the lawless, the violent and the brutal; to relieve the injured and the opespecially the widows and orphans of Confederate soldiers.

2. "To protect and defend the Constitution of the United States and source whatever.

3. "To aid and assist in the ex-

tionist rather than a passive law- South was then divided into five mili- erful machine that the members realduty; he demands the right to be use- placed an army with a military Gov- leader, and General Nathan Bedford ful. He feels it criminal to have and ernor in command. Martial law was Forrest, of Memphis, Tenn., the Connot to give; to possess, and not to use. declared throughout the South. The federate cavalry leader, was elected He does not feel satisfied to be pas- Commander of each district was to as Grand Wizard, the obligation being ing sacrifice, believing it to be accept- had not taken part in the war. As Jno. W. Morton, who had been Forable to God because it is his reason- this law disfranchised all the leading dest's Chief of Artillery during the

Albert Pike was Chief Judiciary Ofunto, but to minister, and to give Under the leadership of the "car- ficer and Advisor, General Jno. Gor- All the pleasures of life with their His life a ransom for the many. He, petbaggers," who, like vultures, had don was Grand Dragon of Georgia, therefore, Who is the Klansman,s Ex- swept out of the North to prey upon General Jno. H. Forney was Grand emplar, sets the example to all Klans- the vitals of the prostrate South, the Dragon of Alabama, General Wade men. To minister, and not to be min- ignorant negro rode into power, and Hampton, Grand Dragon of South istered unto, is the only worthy ex- the black heel was placed upon the Calorina, While General W. Gordon of cuse for existence. We are the heirs neck of the proudest race the sun Tennessee wrote the ritual and took of the ages. All that has gone before ever shone upon. Under the rule of an active part in the deliberations of

> The entire South was an Invisible State was a Realm under a Grand Faced steel and lead for it, Dominion under a Grand Titan; each Bathing it Red. During the month of May in the county was a Province under a Grand Here's to the White of it, soldiers living in the city of Pulaski, a Den, under a Grand Cylops. The Tenn., formed an organization for so- Klan was twice reorganized, in 1867 self "The Kuklos," which comes from centralized. In 1869 the organizathe Greek word KluKloi, and from tion was disbanded by order of Gener- Made manhood dare for it, which we get our words "circle" and al Forrest, the Grand Wizard, and the cycle." The name meant literally a order was dissolved almost in a night, Keep it so White. circle or a band. In later days per- although imitations of the Klan ex- Here's to the Blue of it, Some histories record the fact that Star-spangled hear of it,

was added. Aside from the evident the action of the United States Gov- Constant and True. ernment, but this is an error. The Klan was in active operation until its Stars, Stripes and Pole of it, leaders decided that the purpose for which it had been formed had been Red, White and Blue. accomplished. The Government made every effort to suppress the Klan, but it was utterly powerless to cope with the situation, and he Klan was not disbanded until orders were given by the Grand Wizard. The ghostly legions have long since son a woman's waist chokes her and

disappeared, their purpose accom- the next it trips her. plished and a civilization saved. The Hydras, the Cyclops and Furies, and married. the Night Hawks and Ghouls, have

No sacrifice for the state should Klux Klan was born, a mystery it and as the years roll by the whole lived and died, and mystery shall for- world will pay them tribute, for to siderably. the eternal glory of the Southern peo-No man was solicited to join. ple, although the United States Gov- new religion. But let's not do any-

MOTHER

BY T. K. WRAY As the years roll by and I think of

When I sobbed on my mother's

As she brushed back my locks with that wonderful touch, In fancy again I can see

And again I can hear that sweet

As I cuddled up close in her loving

embrace, How her magic could every wrong.

She sang to me songs of a bright fairyland, Of a place all blossomed flowers:

Then I soon fell asleep with my troubles all gone, And the moments soon sped into hours.

The hours were too short as I slept on her breast

And dreamed of this beautifu place.

As she rocked me and kissed me and hugged me to her. While a mother's tear fell on my

Every tear that she shed was a fountain of love; Every sacrifice linked with a joy; No day was too long, no task was too

hard As she tenderly cared for her boy. As I grew to a man that same tender

Like the watch of the wild o'er its young, Never seemed to forget, never seem-

ed to grow tired, If I faltered or paused the closer she clung.

She sleeps near the place where I spent boyhood days, Where I swung on the old-fash-

ioned gate, Where the woodbine clings to the porch as of yore, And the whipporwill calls to his

To that sacred old place again I'll re-

Where she moulded and fashion ed my way, And in reverence kneel where we laid her to rest

And watch 'till the close of the When the day has grown old and the deep shadows lay,

Where the pale of the moon casts its glow. I'll follow the brook in the silvery

To a place where fragrant flowers that have passed I'll pluck just the sweetest that

Associated with General Forrest Then carry them back to that spot I

And place them on my mother's tomb. riches and fame

I'd gladly give back for the joy Of the passionate kiss and that wonderful touch Of my mother when I was a boy.

---K-K-K-

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Here's to the Red of it, There's not a thread of it. No, nor a shred of it. In all the spread of it. From foot to head

Precious blood shed for it. Thrilled by the sight of it Who knows the right of it,

But heroes bled for it.

But feels the weight of it Womanhood's care for it Purity's prayer for it

Heavenly view of it. Honesties die of it

Here's to the whole of it, Here's to the soul of it.

ARROW POINTS

Winter styles are here. One rea-

All men are born free and equal, Dragons and Giants, the Goblins and but some of them grow up and get Ford says he is "not running for

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of America and its people. It behooves the Christian men and ally, in states, counties, precincts and From the beginning of time, the

K. K., design on the market. Ring thought and consideration to study mighty deeds of a growing nation striving to find his duty and do it. in our part of the world today. My vision of selfish, designing men can who have become arbitrary through mind goes back to the year 1916, compass, and that our government success achieved through their power continued the government because tian civilization will ensue. the President and his government So the thing that I am trying to each of you, that you do not use the had kept us out of the great strug- bring home to you today is that you talents which Almighty God has begle then going on between the other had better be about your country's stowed upon you, that they will be great nations. Almighty God, in the business. It is not my job to tell you a curse instead of a blessing to you. mind and a purpose to the American It is your job to find out what is the ality upon which you reside, may be people to make the world safe for best thing for your country you can doing his bit. Do not get an idea the people of the world liberty of in that channel. The lives, pros- going to require of a human being

thought and action. people of the world are to be free but when the God-fearing, conscienknow that freedom is not license, but realize and know their responsibilities that fredom carries with it as its to law and government, and God and a democracy has expressed its will with us, but spiritual prosperity, and in the setting up of a constitution, a we may expect a generation to fol- to you that as long as you have dugovernment and a code of laws, the low after us working in paths of ties, and family duties, you must live primal responsibility of the God-fear- pleasantness, whose ways are ways up to your conception of those duties ing, contract-keeping, honest citizens of peace. is to obey the contract or law which I am rather disgusted today that mit your neighbor to live up to his they set up one with another and the master minds of politics and many conception and by companionship thus to give by combined might of of the really thinking patriots seem and instruction, you may fulfill your their individual, whole-hearted sup- vastly more interested in the diseases duty to the enlightenment of your

growing disregard for law, if allowed and practice the doctrine of Ameri- Use every peaceful Christ-like methwink at its violation because of your erly love will come in and we will be ligion of the nation. personal disbelief in its rightness or a one hundred per cent nation work-Buick E-49 Touring, summer and rex its operation.

> When a law has been legally en- plishment of His wondrous purposes. acted, all law-obeying citizens obey ple is, first, that they come to that and liberty the Magna Charta these items: place where they are willing to obey brought about the first real step to all law because it is law, and to make real freedom, I just as firmly bestandard which duty requires of con- over the pages of history, makes me purpose. cientious, God-fearing men, be think the work of these brutal, ignochanged to meet the requirements of rant men marked a great stepping

the times. teen coolonies was to think and talk plished there set a stake or mark, contract it was \$400. to commune and pray, and then to from which mankind has moved on, act in accordance with their recogni- the first great fundamental of human day, depends not upon the enactment weary, heart-breaking discussion and waste. or the repeal of any certain law or seeming failure was another work of laws but upon the patriotic devotion Almighty God, and that today, sanc-Nobedy has had any special immu- work and while the changing condi- for its homeless old folk. nity or exemption granted to them tions and the passing of time require from their civic responsibilities and changes in the constitution, so long

as it is the primal law of the nation and the citizens of this great country permit it so to remain, and reverence and obey it, that long will liberty be assured and freedom the birthright of our citizens.

It has become the common practice of a large majority of our citizens to violate certain laws. This is In the words of the immortal Lin-|governmental duties that is a quali- undermining all laws, and, if concoln, "Let reverence for law become fied citizen of America today. The tinued, is dangerous. I keep going the political religion of the nation." idea that is abroad in the land that back to this point in order that from The world is today in a chaotic state. politics is too low for good people to every angle you may be confronted REX REMEDY COMPANY DEPT. K Throughout history as a result of take part in it, and that bad people with this fact, that if we are to congreat wars, there have been upheavals are politicians and handle the politinue to have a free country, we must in society and thus the trend of civ- tics of the country, is a damnable let reverence for law become the ilization has been changed from age heresy. The best man and woman political religion of everybody in this to age. The Great War, the greatest who lives in America has no more country-You, I, Bill Jones, and his of all wars, the one through which we right to shun their political and civic wife-and we must quit trying to have just passed, has wrecked the responsibility because it is a dirty, place ourselves on an exempted list foundation of our Christian civiliza- mean, or unpleasant duty than they because of any influence or ability tion until today there is no stability. have to refuse to worship God or which we possess. Christ brought The nearest approach to stable gov- obey the decrees of their government, one addition to the doctrines that ernment and a conservative people is and if the dirty machine politician is had gone before, that the greatest of the government of the United States to continue to be responsible for the all additions to law or doctrine was government of our country nation- love.

> women who move after careful communities, we may expect that the man of character has been ever into energy. Be careful, my friends, working out of His great purposes what your country's business is. It Remember that perhaps the neighbrought soon after that marvelous is not the job of anyone else to tell bor who cannot reach the high standexpressions of the people's will a you what your country's business is, and of moral and religious intellectulemocracy, which meant to assure to do, then follow as nearly as possible in your head that God Almighty is perity and liberty of the mass of the something that He cannot do, and do The war is long since over. The people are dependent upon your ac- not let the idea get into your head opportunity to make the world safe tions. Of course, the duties will be that He is going to measure you with for democracy is still with us, but varied in accordance with the chang- the half-bushel basket of a weaker is rapidly passing from us. If the ing needs of the people of the country minded less able personality. The measure of your acts are the measthey must come to recognize and to tious men and women of America ure of your ability.' The measure of the acts of the less able men or women is the measure of their ability. hand-maiden, responsibility, in a these go hand in hand, the problems. There are few of us who live up to country where all men are free and that seem mighty and overwhelming our capabilities, that is, our responequal. The responsibility of each today will be easy of solution and sibilities, and for our derelictions thoughtful citizen to his country and suitable conditions will return and along this line we are apt to pay to his brother is a serious one. After not only material prosperity will be without ceasing on the judgment day. So I want to convey this thought

> to the fullest extent. You must perport, real strength to righteous gov- of war-torn Europe and Asia than fellowmen, but, after all, his right they are in the problems which are of action is sacred and guaranteed to

THE CRIME OF THE DAILY PRESS

The quickest way on earth to do The daily press continues to play covery of the germ that causes meas-Oakland 1919 Touring, priced very the law. And why has it come to be away with a law is not right is to up and emphasize the orgy of crime. les, and that the malady will be the mind of many citizens that the see that the law is obeyed by the It's a delectable dish, indeed, they set stamped out. The discovery of a infraction of certain other laws does people of the nation who owe it before their readers, and it reflects germ fatal to house flies, and harmnot involve moral turpitude? If we obedience. The righteous mind of the sordid minds of the men respons- less to the human specie, is also anare to serve our country and to bring the people of the nation will then ible. Something ought to be done nounced. It will result in the exterback to our people a reverence for bring to pass the certain repeal or about it. The writer and a number of mination of the fly. Twenty cases of law as the political religion of our modification of the law to meet the others have agreed not to buy a daily complete cure of cancer, several of nation, we must come to see and requirements of the body politic. In paper that has a big black line across twelve or more years' standing, was know that the violation of any law order that I may not be misconstrued its front page relating to crime. When announced. involves moral turpitude, and is a today. I want to go on record here we hear a newsboy yelling the crimes distinct violation of a sacred con- and now as subscribing to the primal his paper features that day, we stop tract with the other citizens of our laws of the United States of Ameri- him long enough to tell he we will not country to which contract we are a ca in its entirety. For me the Con- patronize him or his paper. Vicious distinct party. When contract-break- stitution of the United States of as a boycott is, we know of no other ing becomes universal, the stability America is a thing sacred. While I remedy. In a daily paper we find a of any kind of contract on earth be- firmly believe that the turbulent lot of interesting news in small type. comes less secure. To my mind, the mob who wrested from King John at We had to hunt between the articles their annual billion dollar liquor and greatest need of the American peo- Runnymead in exchange for his life in a big type featuring crime for tobacco bill, and their \$300,000,000

ing under God toward the accom-

The Boy Scouts are making war on it their business to see that laws that lieve that it was an instrument of the dime novel, having received a dodo not measure up to their highest Almighty God, and as I look back nation of \$100,000 to be used for that

and well. For many years, the prin- ent liberty unless these men had Knoxville is now paving its streets first page-but it wasn't there. cipal duty of the citizens of the thir- acted then. So the thing accom- at a cost of \$150 a lot; under the old

There are 2,700,000 people in pubtion of their responsibility to their freedom-the right of trial by jury. lic service in our national, state and country and their God. The Christ's I think that the convention which municipal governments, at a total ancivilization, the fairest fruit of man's formulated the Constitution of the nual cost of three and a half billion efforts that God's support up to to- United States after months of dollars, much of which is needless

The Woodmen of the World have and thought, the energy and lives of tified by the devotion and support just dedicated a sanitarium at San all the patriots and Christian men throughout their lives of hundreds Antonio to its infirm members, and excerpt the above most interesting son and Cabot. and women of our country today, of millions of patriots, it is a divine will build a home at the same place and cheerful news items, had blazed

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ng, at the present hour.

America, was the representative of the land the following year. Latin or Mediterranean races, while developed.

whom claim Columbus as their emis- were not made. America.

purely Anglo-Saxon and Nordic in its elsewhere that Leif Ericson was a entire development. The western communicant of the Roman system is world, as stated above, was discovered by Lief Ericson. Our country was colonized by the Pilgrims; it was given birth, as a Christian nation, by tested by records whose truth can-Washington, and its unity was preserved by Lincoln, under the guidance of God. From the beginning the menace to America has been the in- son. He was the one who set out fluence of Europe, which Washington in the year 1000 and found the new in his divinely bestowed wisdom, warned against, when he said, "Beware of entangling alliances," which Monroe forever barred out when means of ready communication behe established the political principle tween the nations and races of Euknown as the Monroe Doctrine.

It is an essential part of the nature of the northern people to love theless a scholar, Adam of Bremen, is of interest: freedom, to fight for liberty, to be de- in the year 1073, wrote a volume, preabhor superstitution, serfdom and ig- which he described the Norse discov- are the Irish Roman Catholic Knights norance found in Southern Europeans.

Escape European System To escape the European system of There is abroad in the land today pressing in America today. Let's him as it is to you. So attend to politico-religion, embodied at the time IN ST. PAUL a growing disregard for law. That get out and begin to teach and preach your civic responsibilities under God. In a tyrannical and oppressive ruler, fty thousand Norwegi to continue and to grow is a real canism and let's make the word od to get your brother to realize and emigrated from Norway, in the tenth menace to freedom, to liberty, and Americanism mean America's busi- to know what is right and what is century, to Greenland, Iceland and 100 Per Cent GOOD BUYS menace to freedom, to fiberty, and Americanism mean America's busi- to anow what is right and what is law? In ness, and let's make it come to be duty, but spread o'er your thoughts Scotland. The Norse had invented developmen of this rest and distinct steps in the Roman political religion are separate and distinct steps in the law are separate and distinct steps in the Roman political religion are stated and invented developmen of this rest. human government, law is the or- the primal duty of every citizen to and your actions the broad mantle of the keel which enabled them to sail ganic rule establishing and defining practice Americanism in a broad way. Christian love. Be equal to the last over heavy seas, and to go on long matter of record that in 1477 Columconditions in a state or a community. The recent war taught us one les-In the history of the world there son, and that is that not a few, not you are willing to give your lives to vigators. The sagas and records of is no record of the enactment or pas- a select class, but that all the peo- God and country, remember to spare that time as well as the researches who inherited their knowledge of the strengthen it, notably the Townersage of a law which met the approval ple of this country, at least, are pos- part to your neighbor in helping him of later investigators, prove beyond of every citizen who was required to sessed of patriotism, and that the to come and see and know his du-doubt that one of these pilgrims, live under and obey the law thus latent arms of this whole force can ties and to reach the same level upon Bjarni Herjulfson, made a voyage enacted. The great danger today is be assembled again whenever the which you are permitted to travel in across the Atlantic, and came within that too many reasonably honest, country calls. Let each man (and search of light. As the days and sight of land to the west, without reasonably conscientious, reasonably each woman) make it his duty now years of your lives pass, as the going ashore. The tale of this exgood citizens are now willing to set and for the next few years to preach slowly passing sands of your hour- ploit which he related on his return \$65 at naught some parts of the consti- a renaissance of patriotism. Let's glass pass, let us hope that the con- to Greenland was heard by the son to our shores. This prior knowledge come at the present hour, because the tution and certain of the laws enact- light anew the fires of consecrated stant thought, effort, and prayers of of Eric the Red, Leif Ericson, who ed under the constitution because love of country, and by this fire let's the men and women who are citizens had been commissioned by King Olaf gave him that extraordinary confithey either do not meet or go beyond warm the hearts of the people of this for our country, will bring into a Trygvasson of Norway to search out their personal beliefs and likes. The nation, and when all are working secure harbor and that, finally, by this western land, which Lief acceptmessage I am bringing to you today side by side in a holy and unselfish the individual practice of the doctrine ed as a divine command. The opporis that nobody gives you, and each of cause, strife and bitterness will pass there will come that final day when tunity came for him to buy Bjarni you, any right to violate a law or to away. Unity and peace and broth- reverence for law is the political resail across the Atlantic with a crew

President Coolidge has asked the owners of railroads to reduce frieght rates on coal and wheat.

Yukio Ozaki, a Japanese statesman, has appealed to his people to give up army bill, and rebuild their stricken cities with the money thus saved.

The federal census of 1920 shows that the percentage of crime to population has decreased since 1910. There are many more acts forbidden The people of Knoxville, Iowa, rose by law then there were ten years ago. stone toward human liberty, and that in their might, repudiated the city There are many new crimes relative Our forefathers, when they builded neither you nor I would be present council and its paving contracts that to traffic, liquor, etc. This fact would this government, builded it wisely today in the enjoyment of our pres- were full of profiteering and graft. make a splendid headline across the

> lished a board for arbitration of disputes arising in their business affairs. dation, just issued, shows the expen- with representatives of the Anglo- Is always near to bring relief? diture of \$80,000,000 to combat disease Saxon, or Nordic race—the Pilgrims, Whate'er the circumstance or need, and in the extension of education in under William Bradford-who landed the field of sanitation and medicine.

across its front page as a headliner Medical ecientists announce the dis- turned to prison!—Yeoman Shield.

Thereupon an expedition was un-

American liberator, Bolivar, and father, Eric, about this rescue, he others. Still, the seed and its fruits was rebuked by the remark that he are in evidence in Central and South had spoiled his good deed in rescuing the others by his evil deed in rescu-North America, particularly the ing the priest. The claim advanced United States, on the other hand, is today in parochial school histories and without foundation.

These historical facts, gleaned from the Icelandic Sagas and which are atnot be impugned, and which are accepted by scholars, establish that the discoverer of America was Leif Eric-Western World, and who returned and made its existence known. Since and there were no printing presses nor the same rapidity as today; but nevervout and spiritual in religion, and to served in Copenhagen, Denmark, in Europe from that time.

Vatican Hides Facts The hour had not yet come when country is over." ered by Columbus," written by Prof. the year 1000. Rasmus B. Anderson of the Univer-1901, is of interest:

"The antiquities of the North furnish a series of incontestible evidence the picture of Columbus from our pathat the coast of North America was per currency and from our national discovered in the latter part of the public buildings. The sword of Truth tenth cenury, immediaely after the is unsheathed! Wield it for the hondiscovery of Greenland by the Norse- or and redemption of our country. men. * * * The fault that we find with Columbus is that he was not honest and frank enough to tell where and how he obtained his previous information about the lands he pretended to discover; that he sometimes talked of himself as chosen by Heaven to make this discovery, and Who is it gives without reserve that he made the fruits of his labours Of time, and strength, and harried subservient to the dominion of inquisition." Columbus was in no sense the dis-

coverer of America. His voyage had been ante-dated by nearly 500 years Who is it calls each child by name? by a prior navigator, Leif Ericson. Columbus never set foot on North And makes their joy his choicest America, having been strangely diverted from his course toward it by Who is it, though his hair be snow, the southward flight of a flock of Retains a spirit quite aglow birds, which led him to turn the prows With youth, and always will be so? of his three ships toward San Salvavoyage and landed on the mainland in Hastes always to the bed of pain, South America, John Cabot, an agent And never thinks such service vain? of the King of England, had landed When shadows fall and folks are blue, on the mainland of North America at And plans and hopes all go askew. the same locality where its dis- Whose optimism makes things new ! Des Moines realtors have estab- coverer, Lief Ericson, had set his standard in the year 1000. As if Who is it in the hour of grief, following a divine plan, the coloniza- When death comes stalking like a The report of the Rockfeller Foun- tion of North America likewise began on Plymouth Rock in 1620, again Into the center of his creed? guided to the same divinely appoint-And the daily paper from which we ed spot which was prepared by Eric-ANGLO-SAXON DEVELOPMENT

glo-Saxon. The French and Spanish, sity, and beast by nature.

That America was discovered in the of Vikings and landed, touching three who attempted to claim part of it in year 1000 by a Norseman, Lief Eric- peninsulas, Newfoundland Nova Scot- later years, such as Florida, Louisison, and not by Christopher Columbus, ia, and Cape Cod, building his house and and California, were driven out in 1492, is an historical fact of the and passing the winter near the latter or forced to sell their holdings. The greatest importance and significance. on the mainland, which he called Vine- attempted penetration of the United As an American, you will assuredly land, because of the grapes he found States by Latin Europeans. from Cowelcome the following information there, "not planted by the hand of lumbus' time to this, has menaced our regarding this issue, and its mean man." He made known his discovery nation, until today at last there is and described the character of the an awakening to the danger which Columbus, who never set foot upon new land upon his return to Green-threatened, and immigration is drastically limited.

The agents of the Roman system, Lief Ericson was of the Nordic stock, dertaken by Thorfinn Karlsefni, who who take Columbus as their chamfrom which the Anglo-Saxon race was traced Leif's course and landed at the pion, are notably aggressive, adroit, same spot in what is now New Eng- and active in political circles. They The advocates of Columbus have land. The explorations and settle- have pushed the Columbus claim as been diligent for centuries in claims ments of the Norse continued up to persistently as possible, and have ing the western hemisphere as a pos- 1347, when the outbreak of the Black cast about him a mantle of romance session of the Latin races, particular- Plague so decimated the population unjustified by the facts-for Columly the Spanish and Italians, both of of the homeland that further voyages bus was anything but an honorable and upright character. A picture sary, although it has recently been Protestantism, as we now know it, representing his alleged discovery of said by some that he was a Jew, and had not at that early time been recog- America has been placed upon our by others that he was an Armenian. nized, and yet the records indicate currency; our municipal politicians In his train followed the religion and that the Norse, in their very nature, have given his name to streets, the political order which is centered were resistant to the religo-political parks, and plazas; cities and rivers in Rome. Spain bent every effort to system headquartered in Rome. An have been named for an adventurer make a conquest of the entire west- incident recorded in the Saga of Eric who had rothing to do with our naern world; and the dire results in the Red (and other sagas, in almost tion, never set foot here, was not its Mexico and South America are a fa- identical language) related that Leif discoverer, and represents a culture miliar part of history. But this ef- rescued some shipwrecked voyagers and civilization fundamentally opfort was doomed to failure, and was from the waves, among whom was a posed and hostile to our own, which at length overthrown by the South Roman priest. When he told his stands for complete separation of church and state, a free press, free speech, and free public schools.

In the Committees on the Judiciary of the Senate and the House, there is now pending a measure to declare October 12th a legal holiday, to be known as Columbus Day. Congressman Michael J. Hogan of New York, who introduced the measure in the House, is a Roman Catholic, "educated" in parochial schools. Senator William M. Calder of New York, the Senate sponsor for an identically worded measure, who is ostensibly a Protestant, was given an honorary degree recently by one of the large New York Catholic colleges, Archbishop Hayes presiding. Regarding Senator Calder's act in introducing the Columbus Day bill, the following statement by Jay W. Forest, Master rope, knowledge did not spread with of the Sons and Daughters of Washington, printed in the New York Sun.

"The only people in the United States who want a Columbus holiday ery of the Western World; and this of Columbus. When we as a nation knowledge of land to the west was in start making national holidays, we the porsession of the learned men of have plenty of Americans to honor first. The day of the man who bargains for the votes of the Irish in this

It is also beyond question that in the est of this anti-Anglo-Saxon system, archives of the Vatican, where in- Columbus is a leading medium of proformation and learning of every sort paganda, the false argument being was carefully filed, there were re- that since he "discovered" America, cords of the Norse discovery of Vine- it rightfully belongs to his co-religionland, of the voyages of the Vikings ists. All this is being met and overto his "enlightenment from Heaven." lumbus claim, and in helping to es-A quotation on this point, from a tablish the truth concerning the disvolume entitled "America Not Discov- covery of America by Lief Ericson in

Write letters to your local papers; sity of Wisconsin, and published in enlighten your public officials, school teachers and members of school boards; petition Washington to take -Unidentlfied. "America!"

OUR PREACHER

Who is it climbs from floor to floor? Whose form is welcome at the door? Who shares his friendship to the core?

nerve. And thinks not from the task to swerve?

OUR PREACHER

Who is it glides into their game

aim ?

OUR PREACHER.

dor. Before he made his second Who is it, through the snow and rain, OUR PREACHERS

Who is it always puts the deed OUR PREACHER.

> -Northwest Christian Advocate -R-K-K-

Wise men are instructed by rea-North America in its beginning, in son, men of less understanding by the fact that a rapist had been re- its development, and fruition, is An- reason, the most ignorant by neces-

MAKING CITIZENS OR CRIMINALS?

_K-K-K-Is It Better to Spend Money for Schools or for Courts and Prisons?

-K-K-K-"Those who think the schools cost too much tend to forget that the cost law. The teacher who gets an an- o'clock in the morning Saturday. nual salary of \$1,200 today can buy Five separate and distinct organilittle, if any, more with it than she zations, each of which is certain of the Loyal Coalition, and all other budget, is subject to the same gen- been arranged. eral economic trend," says J. O. En-

Cost Is Less

"But what of the charge that the state cannot afford the cost of educating its children? The answer is, that education at almost any price is actually cheaper and less expensive than ignorance, immorality and crime. Our government is predicated upon the assumption that knowledge and virture shall be generally diffused among the people. Under no other conditions is our form of government workable. Our political forefathers recognized this truth, and it inspired them to declare that religion, morality and knowledge are essential to good government and to the happiness of mankind. Increased education results in increased values of property in any community. Indeed, property, and life itself, is made safe and secure only as schools abound and do the work for which they are established. One need go no further than Mexico or Russia today to see the correlation that exists between ignorance and insecurity of both property and life.

Life More Complicated

of the most valuable elements in a may live, were elected as follows: child's education and life were ob- President, Porter Newman of Durant; tained while he was going to the lit- Vice President, Ben Ellisor of Atoka; tle red school, but not obtained in it. Secretary-Treasurer, E. C. Wallace of These elements were developed by Wapanucka. The following trustees. the life he lived on the farm, and were elected: A. R. Town, Joe Stone, included industry, initiative, self-re- A. R. Lewis, R. G. Arnold, G. W. Engliance, thrift, simple pleasures, and lish, Earl Joyce, R. R. Stevens, C. G. other virtues for which the school Ward and A. N. T Renegar was little responsible.

home contributes less. More is de- was without success. The governor fered recently. If Protestants would ities which remain to be proven. manded of the schools. These are stands repudiated by his own follow- conspire against the government of the days when the state expects all its children to remain in school, and when it is under obligation, therefore, to carry its program of instruction to the differing tastes and capacities of children. Once the pupils merely quit if they tired of the 'three R's' or failed to succeed in them. Now they dare not quit. The state Students of DePauw University Reexpects them to continue through the compulsory education period. Hence the demand for a varied curriculum, for special rooms, and features that Girl Co-eds of Methodist School Plan may minister to the child who is over-age, over-size, under-nourished, crippled, deaf, blind, precocious, or otherwise entitled to schooling suited Pauw university, Methodist school, to his needs."

J. C. WALTON'S PRAYER

(Contributed.) Thou knowest, O Lord, that I've been true

To my Catholic friends, and the orthodox Jew,

And that bunch of papes that Aldrich took

And talked his way to their pocket-book-

For a dollar here, and ten-spot

Kept their whip on the rump of

the old gray mare. But right now, O Lord, I need a

plan To save my own from the Ku Klux Klan.

I have yelled and cussed till a man would think That the dad-blamed Klan would

bust and sink.

I have turned out guys from the old stone 'pen'-

Such as Raper-O Lord-and hold-up men. I have given them gats, and my

card, you know. Signed-J. C. Walton, Bull and

I sent out Baird-he's a darn good

But I ain't made a dent on the

Ku Klux Klan. I thought that I had them once

or twice. But they reared right back; that

wasn't nice.

A fellow might just as well be

When he can't back down nor go ahead.

I have used up all my bag of tricks,

And got myself in a h-l of a

So, Lord, can't you think of a

hole-proof plan That will save my back from the Ku Klux Klan?

-K-K-K about?"

"Not a thing. And she talks about L. B .- G'on. Wot's the row? She's

IN ALL-NIGHT SESSION

Complete Amalgamation of Five AntiKlan Societies Affected. Walton Failed in Attempt to Control the Conference

-K-K-K-Durant, Okla. - An amalgamated of everything else we have has in- society for the suppression of the creased proportionately. What we Ku Klux Klan was affected here last eat, what we wear, fuel, light, farm night in a session of Waltonites and of hyphenated patriotism last week lands, rent, transportation, furniture, Farm Labor leaders which lasted when Mayor Curley took advantage

could buy with half that amount ten an early Klan destruction are now things strictly American that deny years ago. The cost of school build- merged into one with headquarters at his Irish relations the privilege of ings, school equipment, fuel, jani- 423 North Broadway, Oklahoma City. joining because of their divided altors' services, and everything else A complement of state officers, exthat must be provided for in a school ecutive committee, 'n everything has The denunciation came as an an-

> Durant in the district court room. where the Irish Catholics met to de-The doors were locked with guards nounce treatment of the 15,000 Irish taking the oath of office today when on the outside. The first order of Republicans jailed by the Free State he presented himself at the Senate business after the selection of tem- for treasonable acts against the Irish rostrum for that purpose. Senate porary chairman was the appoint- government. ment of a committee on credentials. This hyphenated mayor of Boston. With such birds as R. R. Stevens of in his reply to the patriotic members his seat in the Senate, as there is no Muskogee, J. C. Walton of Oklahoma of the Loyal Coalition, denounced the City, and others of like repute pres- Coalition, the Ku Klux Klan, and ents, it was deemed wise to take "other kindred organizations." and every possible precaution against the also launched into a Roman tirade about Senator Mayfield's eligibility to ed of having brought about my indictpresence of spies and lookouts.

off with a speech in the Court House York city. yard by a Texas representative of the Farmer-Labor movement.

greeted him at Shawnee although he Sir Roger Casement, because he conwas quite as willing to accept the spired with Germany to throw the Durant platform without knowing Irish support to the kaiser against cently, the ranking member of the needed." anything it contained. Called on for their own country. speech he made a few feeble remarks, scathingly reproaching the Ku Klux Klan, none of whom were supposed to be present.

Officers for the ensuing year or "There was a time when many so much thereof as the organization

"Today, life is less simple. The capture and control the convention idea of citizenship that has been of- charges of corruption and irregular-

-K-K-K-

-K-K-Ksent Grose's Fight On Ameri-

canism WILL DEMAND RIGHTS Open Defiance of President -K-K-K-

are exhibiting a growing feeling of resentment at the continued attacks made on the Ku Klux Klan by Presimade on the Ku Klux Klan by President Grore and by speakers whom he is importing to malign the Klan. The president's bitter denouncement, however, is increasing the growth of the Klan in the school and is injecting the issue into school life.

It is believed here that if the tirades against the Klan organization are not discontinued an "open revolt" is almost superflous to add that this will break out, and that those students belonging to the Klan will demand their rights as American citi- go.

tity of the members.

At Harvard university, not only a very large percentage of the students are members of the Klan, but a majority of the faculty, it is understood, are members.

TEXAS KLANSMEN ERECT

___K-K-K-

NEW KLAVERN AT WACO Order Outgrows Meeting Place and Knights Buy Nine-Acre Tract.

WACO, TEX.-Saxet klan, No. 33, of Waco, has nearly finished the erection of a \$30,000 klavern. It is located on a nine acre tract of land at of steel and cement construction and the auditorium will seat 3,000.

The Klan has grown so large that there is no building in the city that can accommodate it at its regular meetings, so it has been found necessary to erect the Klan building. -K-K-K-

Old Gentleman-Here, here, little boy, what do you mean by hitting "Does Rose find anything to talk that little girl? Don't you know it is very cruel?

my sweetheart.-Black and Blue Jay.

ANTIS FLOCK TOGETHER MAYOR OF BOSTON **GIVES PATRIOTS** TASTE OF HYPHENISM

-K-K-K-Denounces Loyal 'Coalition at Irish Indignation Meeting in Behalf of Conspiring Traitors

-K-K-K-Boston.-Boston had a real taste live the Pope," and launched into a legiance.

swer to the Loval Coalition's protest The meeting was called to order against the holding of a mass meetgleman, field secretary of the N. E. A. Friday morning by Judge Porter of ing Sunday night in Symphony hall, the Senate sometime ago, this fact

> against Lloyd George, former pre- his seat and the matter is pursued, ment for political purposes last sum-A large crowd of spectators as- mier of Great Britain, who was bom- the case probably will be referred to mer without having a case. embled hoping to hear at least a barded with eggs of unsavory flavor the Senate committee on privileges

Mr. Lloyd George was attacked be caused he was the war-time premier The former governor was not re- of Great Britain, a Protestant couneived with the same enthusiasm that try, that executed an Irish traitor,

> It is getting pretty low when distinguished foreign visitor pays a visit to the United States that a bunch of Catholic hoodlums are permitted to run wild and insult him simply because he represents a Protestant country that is jailing its colonial traitors instead of sending them to the gallows, where all traitors should go.

Hyphenated Patriotism

This sample of hyphenated patriot-Attempt of the Walton forces to is the greatest proof of the Catholic ers so fer as control is concerned. Catholic France and were thrown in

with banners saying that they would office at the present time. Greencastle, Ind.-Students at De "refuse to be ruled by Americans." -K-K-K-

Do you know that a music commitboard ruled that the song "America" shall not appear in the song books used in the city's public schools? It the protest that has been field with action met with the approval of the affiliated "Irish" societies of Chica-

It is commonly understood and

up such un-American conditions. Knight.

FOR HIS OPPONENT

-K-K-K-Junior Texas Senator Ready To Assume His Oath and Take

-K-K-Keaders Declare There Will Be No Opposition in Chamber to Texan's Admittance.

-K-K-Kprivileges and elections, it is said.

Although Peddy and his friends filed a formal notice of protest with leaders declare that will be no protest from any side of the chamber to bar the Texas senator from taking question about his credentials.

"If there is any question later on cer of Missouri, and it is likely that of the minutes of the grand jury to Knights of Columbus and heard derohe will succeed to the chairmanship. him as follows: committee.

Formal Notice Filed

were made and there also were abandoned.

senator Morris Sheppard, the sen- THOUSANDS WITNESS SPECTACULAR PARADE Catholic France and were thrown in prison cells, would Irish Catholic your representative he had nothing KLAN OBTAINS INJUNCTION TO BLOCK "citizens" of Mayor Curley's type in his possession to introduce in the protest their treatment as they do Mayfield case and would make no the treatment of the Irish traitors. A traitor is a traitor, whether he is a had he been approached or requested Catholic or a Protestent, a Gentile or to act on behalf of others interested, Senator Sheppard said. There is When Irish Caholics were ousted nothing, he added, to prevent Senator from power in New York city just be- Mayfield from being sworn in or takfore the Civil War by the American ing his office for, in reality, he has party, it was these same "citizens" of been serving the people of Texas as the church and state breed that pa- their junior senator since the fourth raded the streets of the metropolis of last March and is therefore in

The fact that there is to be a reorganization of the Senate committee on privileges and elections at the beginning of his session will, in all probability, delay any action that may have been anticipated in this Williamson before except on two oc- the Klan official expounded the prin-BAR PATRIOTIC AIRS may have been anticipated in this famous case and it may be some time before any real action can be tee of the city of Chicago school taken. Meanwhile, Senator Mayfield is sitting and serving as the junior senator from Texas, notwithstanding the Senate.

SERIOUS QUESTION!

The most serious question confront-A number of girl students have generally believed that the public ing the Order of Knights of Columbus joined the Women of the Ku Klux schools of Chicago are under the control today is the loss of membership. The Klan and a movement is on foot trol and dictation of Roman Cathoreport of the Supreme Secretary at among them to come out openly in defiance of the president. It is pointed out by students that undergrad- from the ranks of that organization. year of 7089 associate members and uates at Wabash college are permit- What else could be expected from an increase in insurance members of ted the liberty of joining those or- that kind of a combination? And yet 3763, leaving a net loss for the past ganizations which they deem fit. At there are those who still believe that year of 3326 members, notwithstandthat school the student members of there is no need for an organization ing the fact that we established 83 the Klan have a "Klan band," and like the Ku Klux Klan, which makes new councils in 1923, and took in 75,no attempt is made to hide the iden- it a business to look into and clean 793 new members.—The Northland

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The above is, in effect, the meaning of the new fight to oust W. T. derly as the marchers themselves and Cox, state forester. Mr. Cox has stood for service and efficiency in the state forestry de- order.

purtment. He has fought bitterly to keep the Republican administration from making a football out of it. Repeated efforts have been made to have the legislature take the direction of the forestry service from the hands of Mr. Cox and invest it in the become a boomerang, members of the the edge of the city. The building is politically manipulated timber department under the state auditor. The pur- Klan secured an injunction against

> pose was always so apparent, however, that the move invariably failed. The removal of Mr. Cox is planned merely to make room for a politician from interfering with the parade. who will use the forestry organization as a unit of the Preus political army. The injunction was issued by Judge Public sentiment has always stopped the schemers before. It must stop R. D. Bailey of Pineville. Had it not t again. Otherwise our forest lands will be squandered and expert vote been for the injunction it is believed

> retters will succeed expert foresters and rangers. If you are a believer in forest conservation-if you are a supporter of stopped by local authorities. Hownonest forest administration-if you are opposed to political jobbery, write ever, there is no law on the statute to Gov. Preus or the forestry board.

Make a vigorous protest against the removal of Mr. Cox. The forest belongs to you. And the politicians won't dare disobey your orders if you make them sufficiently emphatic.

-EDITOR, THE DAILY NEWS. -O. K., EDITOR THE CALL OF THE NORTH.

YORK IS PREDICTED OF KLANSMEN

Anti-Saloon League Head Declares Bader, of Atlantic City, Organizes Protestants Will Win If He Is Convicted. -K-K-K-

Brooklyn, N. Y .- Prediction that nothing will keep the Ku Klux Klan Predicts Bloodshed Should Kluxers from swinging the balance of power in New York state in 1924 in the event William H. Anderson, state Washington, D. C .- Senator May- superintendent of the Anti-Saloon declaring that he was a "Catholic and men from its rolls. machinery—all have obeyed the same from 11 o'clock noon Friday until 4 of an opportunity to shout, "Long field of Texas, who has been in the League, is convicted of the charge proud of it," has begun a campaign national capital for several weeks, is that he "ppropriated \$24,000 for his against the Ku Klux Klan of this city prepared and waiting to meet any personal use of money belonging to and intends, he says, to prevent the said Grand Exalted Ruler McFarland, issues which his opponent, G. C. Ped- the league, was made by Mr. Ander- Klan from parading. "It is not alone "because until we know whether the dy, may raise, according to Mayfield's son in an address in the Greene Ave- as a churchman that the executive will oaths and obligations taken by Klan friends. These undoubtedly will be nue Baptist church here last week, block public and spectacular procesreferred to the Senate committee on Mr. Anderson declared that it was a sions, or ceremonies," says one At- precepts, no decision will be made. I political frame-up fostered by Cath- lantic City paper. "It is his duty as can say, however, that so far as I olic politicians.

torney Banton and called it a "mov- times." able feast." After pointing out that in October trial was postponed to November and that now, "four weeks later, after the election, and in the light of the result," there had been another postponement, Mr. Anderson said:

"If Mr. Banton is telling the truth when he says that time for preparation is needed, then he stands convict-

"On the other hand, if Mr. Pecora chirp from the deposed governor but on his recent official visit to the Unit- and elections to determine after a was telling the truth last July and instead, the common rabble was put ed States by Irish Catholics of New hearing is held and all evidence sub- August when he said, "We are ready essarily have to wait on a reorganiza- month, three weeks before election, their work. tion of that committee because of the when he said for publication, 'We are vacancy in the chairmanship of the ready now,' then there can be none committee, Senator William P. Dill- other than a sinister meaning to the ingham of Vermont having died re- suggestion that further preparation is

Nothing whatever is now before that "The reaction from the denial by Sullivan, chaplain of Atlantic City committee in the Texas case. Attor- an Irish-Catholic Tammany judge to post, No. 2, American Legion; and ney Scott Woodward of Forth Worth the superintendent of the enforcement Hugh P. Penoe. and Luther Nichols, personal attor- promotion agency of the dry Protest- "Any man who covers his face with

Knights of Columbus For Battle

PAPER SOUNDS THREAT Exercise Rights and Assemble -K-K-K-

Atlantic City, N. J .- Mayor Bader, the titular head of the city govern-Mr. Anderson ridiculed the post- ment to preserve order and make the to a national campaign designed to ponement of his trial by District At- streets safe for the public at all bring about action similar to that

Vieled Threat

In substantiation of its views that the Klan will not be permitted to parade in the city, this same paper NEGRO CHURCH FREED says, "Were the Klan to attempt to stage a parade through certain sections of the city the result might be disorder, and might even result in casualties." The Klansmen of the city admit that a parade might result in casualties, but never on the initiative of Klansmen.

Bader is forbidding the Klan to hold to make some needed improvements orderly parades and ceremonials, his on the church property and was unmitted for consideration. In this for trial on 25 hours' notive,' and Mr. 30 cases of rum at Rum Point and came due. Through the efforts of the connection such procedure will nec- Banton was telling the truth last made no attempt to interrupt them in pastor, part of the money was sub-

Rome Plans War

A group of these anti-Klan friends of Mayor Bader's met in the parish hall of St. Nicholas' Catholic church committee is Senator Selden P. Spen- Mr. Anderson referred to a denial last week at the invitation of the gatory addresses by the mayor; Rev.

new for Peddy, are the men who are ant churches of an inspection of the a mask is a trook and a coward," here pressing for an early hearing minutes of the grand jury, while cried the mayor. "I want your organof the case before the proper Senate granting it at the same time to six izations to appoint captains and lieuothers who apparently were either tenants, and when I call you on the Catholics or Jews, or represented by telephone or the lights on Pacific In the formal notice of contest filed attorneys who were such, so terrified avenue show red six times, or the fire with the Senate declarations that the the wet masters of the district at signals call six times. I want you to ism, as exhibited by Mayor Curley Ku Klux Klan was instrumental in torney that the plan to have the trial come to the city hall. Even if the and the "Micks" of New York city, securing Senator Mayfield's election before election was precipitately paraders are without masks, I want

Following the parade a big nat-

applications for membership were re-

A class of approximately 400 per-

sons was initiated. During the nat-

on the surrounding hills and a huge

Fiery Cross illumined the grounds

where the ceremony was in progress.

The naturalization grounds were

separated from the outside world by

ropes, resembling a roped arena.

robed Klansmen. One line was fac-

ing outward while the other line was

facing inward. The candidates

The ceremonies lasted until nearly

midnight, after which the great mass

marched in between the two lines.

ceived at the meeting.

INTERFERENCE WITH THEIR PAGEANT

Williamson, W. Va.-One of the Klansmen in plain clothes mingled

rades ever seen in Mingo county since in progress, and was ready at a mo-

the famous march of miners in 1920 ment's notice to assist police officers

was staged here Wednesday night in bringing to justice any person who

last, when hundreds of members of might have been inclined to cause a

More than 3,000 persons, the larg- uralization was put on at the Wil-

est crowd to witness a single event liamson public school grounds. A

here since the famous march of min-state officer of the Realm of West

ers, jammed downtown streets and Virginia addressed the larger crowd

were packed on the sidewalks like which assembled at the grounds to

sardines in a can. There never was learn of the principles of the Klan.

as large a crowd on the streets of In a concise and interesting manner

marchers carrying great sticks of that saw the parade went to the

red and green fire, and headed by a school grounds to hear the lecture.

military band, marched on the down- Despite bits of wafting frost the au-

town business section. Leading the dience braved the cold night air and

parade were two robed Klansmen lietened intently to the discourse. It

mounted on hooded steeds. Next is understood that several hundred

band, and then came the hundreds of uralization heavy bombing was heard

The appearance of each rocket was Outside the ropes were two lines of

the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, disturbance.

blazed on a mountain overlooking purpose.

attired in full regalia of the Order,

paraded downtown streets.

casions, aged resident declare.

Reservation Hill and the city, the

came a member of the Order carry-

ing a miniature Fiery Cross illumi-

nated with candles. Following im-

mediately behind the cross was the

Klan Gets Injunction

From time to time during the pa-

rade rockets were set off on adjacent

hillsides and hissed their fiery way

high over the heads of the marchers.

preceded by heavy aerial bombing

and the bursting of the fireworks

Despite the fact that some of the

local authorities had opposed the

march and that considerable discus-

sion of the "invasion" had been heard

in official circles, the parade went

Pursuant to its ancient traditions

of always obeying the law, but fear-

ing that the law might, in this case

local authorities restraining them

that the parade would have been

books compelling an organization to

As a precautionary measure mem-

bers of the police force were sta-

tioned at various points throughout

the city. More than one hundred

secure a permit to parade.

brought subsequent reports.

MAYFIELD IS PREPARED KLAN VICTORY IN NEW MAYOR BANS PARADE ELKS' NATIONAL RULER DENIES FIGHT ON K.K.K.

Grand Exalted Ruler McFarland. of the Elks, with headquarters in Washington, declares that the action taken by the Atlanic City Elks lodge in expelling Klansmen from its membership did not have the approval of the Grand lodge. The Atlantic City Caseys made the statement that its action was the forerunner of a national campaign to expel all Klans-

"I am not now prepared to say what action will be taken ultimately," members are at variance with Elk know, no consideration is being given taken by the Elks lodge of Atlantic

FROM DEBT BY KLAN

Jeffersonville, Ind .- A substantial cash donation to aid struggling negro Baptist church near Watson was made Sunday afternoon by Jeffersonville Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. It is said that although Mayor The congregation had gone into debt scribed and the remainder needed to pay off the indebtedness was contributed by the Klansmen.

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