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PARTIES LEAVING FOR THE SUMMER

Parties leaving the city for the summer can have The Bee sent to them regularly by notifying The Bee business office in person or by mnil. The address will be changed as often as desired.

All the roads that lead to Omaha are faily becoming more crowded.

The moon is not always a good exampler. It will get full twice this month.

Those who expected nothing from the

Allies of the United States in Cuba have not been disappointed. With Bismarck and Gladstone gone,

Li Hung Chang now, in all probability, leads the list of greatest living states-

was the German measles the young Spanish variety. It is stated that 70,000 persons have

visited Gladstone's tomb since his death, The influence of true greatness plainly the opposite direction. Common sense tioes not stop at the grave. It is hard on some of the American

army camps to give them a health classification with the camps in Cubabut they seem to deserve it.

It is probably true that the English people dearly love a lord, but it is a dear lord they love and not one of the cheap kind that Hooley bought up.

The next opportunity to witness a exposition grounds will occur Thursday next when all the races of the world will be on parade.

senators are not doing any premature necessary, the war and its results maktalking about the treaty they will be ing the proposed waterway indispensacalled upon to discuss in secret session ble to the United States. It was also as soon as the president has the terms said to be the intention of the president arranged.

of war following the quarrel with Spain its membership will have to be almost son and his' associates are about the only Americans ellgible.

of the battleship Texas. The Captain Phillip brand of theology is popular in the Sunday schools of Texas.

The American soldiers were not sent to Cuba to fight fever. While they would welcome a bout with the Spanish enemy, they are right in preferring to favorable to the canal and already the something is to be gained by it.

Rev. Prescott F. Jernegan, vice president and general manager of the Electrolytic Marine Salt company, should go to London to compare notes with Ernest Terah Hooley and collaborate with him an essay on honesty in business life.

The Americans merchants and American manufacturers will be represented at the Paris exposition, not in response to the criticisms on Americans and American goods in the French newspapers, but because it pays to be represented at expositions.

Octave Thanet expresses sincere regret that the beauties of the Omaha exposition are to be temporary and evanescent rather than permanent and a joy forever. That is going to be the regret of everyone who views the wonderful show.

The flower parade has demonstrated project. Up to this time Colorado canal, Springs has excelled all other places in In regard to the question of cost, tory or a county of California. America with its flower festivals, but Omaha has surpassed them all.

MUST RECOGNIZE ALL ELEMENTS.

party's standard beaters. to make sure of united and enthusiastic treaty. support of the whole rank and file, all elements of the party should be represented on the ticket.

Such an admonition may appear superfluous and uncalled for to that class of republicans who boast that they always vote the straight ticket no matter who the candidates are so long as they have the endorsement of a republican convention and to that other class more active if less numerous who support only such candidates as are vouched for as satisfactory to the corporation managers upon whom they depend for their political inspiration.

The convention must not, however ignore the fact that the recovery of the state depends upon its ability to satisfy the Important element that has repeatedly remonstrated in convention and at the ballot box against the abuses butter no parsnips. To reassure this not tolerate corruption or corporate domination the convention must place upon its ticket candidates who represent the anti-monopoly and anti-boodler wing of the party. To draw the line at 'bolters" who are otherwise honest and competent in making up the ticket and not draw it at men who have never raised their voice against public plunderers and corporate bossism is not likely to bring back disaffected republicans who are ready and anxious to resume their party allegiance just as soon as they can be convinced that the party is purged and regenerated.

Few conscientious citizens of any party have always voted the unscratched ticket. When President McKinley had under consideration the selection of a secretary of the treasury-the most important position in his cabinet-he was reminded within the hearing of the editor of The Bee that Lyman J. Gage promptly reminded the man who raised this objection that many honest and true blue republicans had committed the same offense.

If the test to be applied to candidates on the republican state ticket this year His quick recovery indicates that it is to be unreasoning and unquestioning support of all party candidates from record or character may have been, the chances of restoring republican supremacy in Nebraska will become extremely doubtful. The road to success lies in would dictate that the party should not only extend unconditional amnesty to all who have from good motives or conscientious scruples either severed their former party relations or abstained from elections but give this discontented element an incentive to return to the republican fold.

BOOMING THE CANAL.

New York, president of the Nicaragua unique and gorgeous procession in the Canal company, had a conference with President McKinley in regard to the canal project and according to the report the president expressed his acquiescence in the belief that the gov-Wise and conservative United States ernment possession of the canal is now

to make strong recommendations to congress for legislation making provi-If there is to be a society of prisoners sion for completing the canal and for making it the direct property of the government. The Hawalian commitexclusively Spanish. Lieutenant Hob- sioners, Senators Cullom and Morgan and Representative Hitt, took occasion when in Chicago to urge the construc-Texas Sunday school children are to by the United States, all of them degive 1 cent each for a fund to buy a claring that it had become an imperabible and a sword for Captain Phillip tive necessity and expressing confidence project and its control by this govern-

We recently noted the organization of a movement in California intended to agitation has begun. The advocates of canal, while political platforms, both republican and democratic, pronounce in favor of it. Special stress is laid upon the long voyage of the battleship Oregon as an impressive object lesson and it is pointed out that with possessions defense as well as of our commercial two big navies, one in the Atlantic and what Omaha society people can do if former and undoubtedly it will furnish principal schemes proposed for the gov- because of exploits of his brother-in-law

lutely certain if the convention exercises less trouble than heretofore in winning would give them representation in con- newer coal states of the union. sound discretion in the selection of the adherents to the view that an outlay gress and it would enable some of the The consensus of opinion that the 000,000 and \$200,000 for an inter- positions. Thus the islands would have ment station in Pennsylvania has party cannot win unless it nominates oceanic waterway is not a matter for a political entity that they could not capable and clean men for every ex- very serious consideration. Meanwhile have if made a part of California and wheat to the acre can be gotten off ecutive office should preclude the nom- there are two most essential things to undoubtedly Mr. Dole and the other Pennsylvania farm land by perfection of ord or private career would have to States can construct and control the will strongly contend for this. More- tempted to determine the limit of pro- sensational preaching everywhere and alever, is not all that is expected of the permission of Nicaragua and the other county of California it would be necesrepublican state convention. In order is to abrogate the Clayton-Bulwer sary to secure the assent of the people is far beyond the average capacity

RELIEVING THE TROOPS. The authorities are proceeding with all possible energy in the work of relieving the troops in Cuba and there is favorable promise that all of Shafter's command which it is proposed to withdraw from Santlago will be on the way north within a week. The chief surgeon at Santiago has reported to the surgeon general at Washington that necessary medicines have been purchased and all present needs suppliedvery gratifying information, though suggesting the inquiry why it was not done

sooner. There has been a great deal of criticism of the authorities regarding the conditions at Santiago, not all of which is just, but there appears to be sufficient evidence to conclusively show that that brought about the disasters that there has been a great deal of carelesshave overtaken the party. Fine words ness and more or less incompetence for which there can be no sansfactory exclass of republicans that the party will planation or excuse. It is, of course, to be borne in mind that the moving of the army into Cuba and making provision for it there was a tremendous task, especially so when the government was so illy prepared for such a vast undertaking, but still there is good ground for the complaint that much was left undone that reflects unfavorably upon the administration and the capacity of some of the departments. The statement recently made by Secretary Alger, in regard to the unfortunate occurrences on the transports that brought home sick and wounded from Santiago, should satisfy all fair-minded men that no blame attaches to the secretary of war for this condition of affairs, but he will not escape responsibility if there

should be a recurrence of it. While we are not disposed to enter the list of fault-finders, believing that the president and the secretary of war are as solicitous as anybody can be was a bolter. But the president-elect for the welfare of the soldiers in the field, still it is not to be doubted that the public attention that has been directed to the condition of the army at Santiago has had a good effect.

TWO CENTENNIALS.

Early in the coming century it will be in order to celebrate two events in the early history of the American republic, in each the celebration to be a reminder of the way the foundations for the United States were being laid 100

The first of these events is the admission into the union of Ohio, which occurred in 1802. Ohio was first of the northwestern states to be created after the republic had been formed. Vermont had already been broken off New Hampshire and Virginia had given Kentucky and Tennessee to the union and when the work of dividing up the northwest territory was begun Ohio was the first product. The admission of Ohio marked the beginning of that western advance A few days ago Mr. Warner Miller of in the great belt between the lakes and the Ohio river which has been' of such superlative influence in the formation of the American nation. The other event is that of the purchase of Louisiana in 1803, the step that assured to the world that the United States was to become the dominant power in the western bemisphere.

Steps have already been taken looking toward the celebration of the 100th anniversary of both these events. They ought to be remembered in some appropriate way and the manner of the celebration will have to be determined at an early date. The purchase of Louisiana, which concerned a larger proportion of the present United States than any other single event in the history of the country, especially deserves a celebration commensurate with its importance. The residents of St. Louis have organized a committee to take steps looking toward holding a centennial that congress will enact the legislation celebration of the Louisiana purchase required to secure the completion of the in that city five years hence and this United States will maintain a sound and jingoism and sensationalism, and when at movement will command the attention of all residents of the states once included in the French and Spanish ter-

ritory of Louisiana. The first decade of the present century was a history-making epoch, especially with regard to the settlement of the enterprise are everywhere active in the western part of the continent. To putting out arguments and statements recall the turning points, to study them relating to the military and commercial in the light of subsequent events and to advantages to be derived from the forecast the future in the light of the past and the present will be at once a delight and a duty for the Twentieth century Americans.

GOVERNING HAWAIL in the Pacific to be protected the pro- Hawaii, study the conditions there and long had the credit of far-seeing statesposed waterway is indispensable. It is recommend to congress what legislation as one of the necessities of national new possession, are on their way to the war promises to strengthen and add to right in the premises we do not islands, where they expect to arrive his reputation as a safe leader. development and growth, but as we within the next ten days. In an intercannot well afford to build and maintain view Senator Cullom of Illinois, chairman of the commission, said that its one in the Pacific, we must have the whole aim will be to make a careful, his place in Salisbury's cabinet to the tional defense is now made to over thing connected with the islands, in or of his American wife, formerly Miss shadow the commercial consideration, der that the government may take such Leiter of Chicago, and to the growing though the latter is not altogether lost action as shall be conducive to their desire for an Anglo-American alliance, sight of. Popular sentiment, however, greatest good. We shall, said Mr. Cui- is sheer nonsense. As well might it be will be more easily influenced by the lom, have to look into the merits of the claimed that Curzon is to be honored they but take an active interest in any the chief argument in congress for the ernment of the islands and decide in the Chicago wheat pit. whether they should be made a terri-

which has been considered of prime im- It thus appears that so far as the comthose who have repeatedly witnessed portance it appears probable that it will mission is concerned, or the American coal in the United States shows that the Colorado demonstrations admit that receive less attention than hitherto. No members of it, there is no thought of the total production for 1807 was as his own judgment dictates in this matter the Colorado demonstrations admit that receive less attention than hitherto. No members of it, there is no thought of the total production for 1807 was 200,- we can afford without apprehension to await

by the government of between \$100,- politicians there to secure comfortable of that state and it is quite possible under ordinary farming. that a majority of them would object to the connection. It is conceivable that they might not desire to have the Hawailans, who know little or nothing about American institutions, share in their political rights and thus become possessed of a power in the determination of state policy and the regulation of state affairs which would be largely in the control of politicians two thousand miles away who might themselves be corruptly manipulated. As citizens of California the Hawaiians would have little concern in obvious reasons it is not probable that the people of California would desire to have the Hawaiian islands made a

part of that state. territorial plan is the most expedient. would have such management of their partment. own affairs as congress should prescribe and they could be gradually educated to an understanding of our political system. That the men in Hawaii who have now has only one great man left. carried the annexation scheme to success will at some time in the not remote future seek to have the islands admitted to statehood is to be expected, but it is hardly possible this can be brought about while the population of Hawaii remains what it is and it will be at least a generation before there is much change in it.

LIBRARIES FOR EVERYBODY.

The traveling library idea has invaded Iowa, and the way it has been welcomed indicates an early conquest of the state. It has become an established institution in New York, Massachusetts, Wisconsin, Ohio, California and other states. The traveling public library is simply a library for everybody. It puts the book lover of the small town on almost an equality with the student of the large city.

The new traveling library of Iowa is consisting of fifty books. These books ibrary are sent around to various places where books are appreciated and read in care of societies or associations formed for the purpose, under guarantee of the return of the books. They follow each other in rotation and are left at each place long enough for the members to read them. The library patrons in time are thus privileged to read all of the 2,650 books. The library has just started on its rounds, and before it becomes old to the members it is expected that twenty more sections will be added. The traveling library now consists of books suitable for a general library, but the state librarian. under whose direction it is operated, contemplates also the preparation of sections containing books especially designed for members of labor unions, by which the benefits of the system would be extended to all classes of readers. The traveling library idea is meeting encouragement everywhere and making headway in nearly every state of the union. There cannot be too much learning, too many good books in the hands of the people, nor too general a distri-

If the popocrats still pin their faith to the virtues of per capita circulation they should not forget to tell the voters whose assistance they seek this year that on an estimated population of 74,-522,000 for the United States the per capita circulation of money in the country on July 1 last was \$24.74, as against \$22.57 a year before. This is how giving assurance to the world that the stable currency is doing that which the popocrats said it would not do-namely, increase the amount of money in circulation. At the same time the restoration of confidence has also increased the volume of credit paper. If figures are worth anything these are worth giving

bution of the volumes collected in the

In thanking the convention for a re nomination for congress by acclamation Speaker Thomas B. Reed took oc casion to indicate his opposition to the policy of imperialism and that the an nexation of Hawaii over his protests had not prepared him for further terri-The commissioners appointed to visit torial expansion. Speaker Reed has manship, and his position with refer-

> The effort to credit the probable promotion of Secretary George Curzon from

two estimates agree as to what expen- giving the Hawaiian islands statehood. 221,665 short tons, which is a larger the result.

diture would be necessary to construct The probability is that a territorial gov- amount than ever before mined in the Upon the republican state convention, the canal. They vary from \$10,000,000 ernment will be recommended for them. United States in one year, and apwhich assembles at Lincoln on Wednes- to \$140,000,000. But the advocates of as this would undoubtedly better suit proaches nearly to the annual producday, rests a grave responsibility. Un- the project will insist that it should be the men there who are in control of tion of the coal mines of Great Britain. treasure in heaven, but it is doubtful if he less all signs fail, the tidal wave of re- carried through at whatever cost and affairs and who may be presumed to The newly discovered coal fields in will ever connect with it. publicanism which is sweeping the the country having again become family have political aspirations. To make the southern Alaska will add to the total country makes republican success in lar with large expenditures the advocates islands a territory would place them in coal output and new fields are being Nebraska not only possible, but abso- of the canal project will probably have a position to seek future statehood. It opened nearly every year in some of the

The superintendent of a state experidemonstrated that fifty-six bushels of such a sore defeat. under scientific farming, but the limit

From the reports of republican congressional conventions it looks as if renominations far exceed nominations this year. Congress has done little to discredit its members with their constitujob than he has had for a long time back. According to Washington advices,

senators and representatives bent on political missions are becoming numerthe affairs of that commonwealth and ous again in the national capital. This at every election they would constitute is certainly an omen of peace, as the an uncertain element to be sold to the distribution of the offices could not be highest bidder. For these and other well resumed pending active hostilities with Spain. Church Howe is making his mark in

the consular service and no one need be If the people of Hawaii are to have surprised at his promotion to a consul any participation in our government the generalship if the complimentary address of the exporters of Palermo is Under this form of government they given its due weight at the State de-

> The Kniser Knows Him. Philadelphia North American. As Emperor William views it Germany

> One as Good as the Other. Philadelphia, Times After that sea water gold experiment the time is ripe to form a company to dig for

the gold buried at the foot of the rainbow. Right You Are.

The exposition at Omaha is reported to be a most admirable show. In its exhibition of the agricultural wealth and resources of the country it surpasses the Chicago exposition. Prayer Question Out of Place.

Indianapolis News.

Minneapolis Times. Inasmuch as Evans and Phillips both lought their ships well, why bother about the prayer question? If Captain Evans wasn't praying quite as soon as Captain Phillips was it was because he hadn't quite finished taking up the collection in the 'amen corner."

Bismarck's Appropriate Epitaph.

Bismarck wrote his own epitaph, and it is to be placed on his tomb. It is simple enough, but the present emperor, in reading divided into fifty-three parts, each part it, will find the grave is not without its sting nor death without its victory. Below the simple announcement of name, birth are not duplicates. The sections of the date and death date is the line: "A faithful German servant of Emperor William I

Missionary Zeal and No. One. Springfield Republican.

It is unquestionably true, as a religious weekly has it, that missionary zeal won us Hawaii. It was simply a case of the sons of American missionaries taking the land from the natives, letting it out to the sweaters of coolie contract labor and then bringing the whole profitable arrangement under the conserving power of the United States government. "Missionary zeal" is good.

THE MAN AT THE HELM.

Great Responsibility Devolving President McKinley. Boston Transcript.

At no previous time since he took the oath of office has the president had as delicate a problem to deal with and as large a responsibility to meet as at the present Upon him deveolves the duty of establishing a peace that shall accomplish all for which war was declared, be generous to our enemy and leave the shipe of state riding securely in the safe harbor of its long-tried republicanism. Congress is not in session but even if it were it would have no business to meddle with the preliminary negotiations. The president has an opportunity such as has to make a great name "for himself, and we believe that he possesses enough wise discernment to look below the yeasty sentiment that always rises to the surface of affairs during a successful war and see what the sober judgment of the nation desires and expects. The question is one for the broadest statesmanship to deal with.

When the history of this present conflict comes to be impartially written, the part which the president has taken in it up to the present time will receive the cordial approval of the candid historian. As far as t was possible for him he exhausted the resources of diplomacy before he consented to a declaration of war at all. He refused to be hurried into it by the pressure of last he yielded to the inevitable he did so in a conservative manner that kept within safe limits the reckless impetuosity which would have hurried us into all sorts of dangerous excesses. Since hostilities began he has conducted

the war with energy and skill, and considering how unprepared we were he has accomplished more than those who did not entirely ignore the conditions expected. But he has conducted it in his own way and it has been a much wiser way than though he had paid any attention to the exhortations of those newspapers that have been dilgently manufacturing a brummagem public opinion It has been a vigorous war, but it has neverheless been a humanitarian war in its methods as well as its purpose. three months he has accomplished so much that Spain anxiously inquires upon what terms it can secure peace.

That inquiry brings the president to the most difficult portion of his task. That he urged that we must have a bigger navy, is required for the government of our ence to the issues growing out of the will have a conviction of what is just and That he should have the courage of that conviction is equally necessary. His authority in the first negotiations is so large that he can act with a comparatively free hand and that which he and the representatives of Spain may agree upon will be subinteroceanic canal. The matter of na- accurate and minute inquiry into every- post of viceroy of India to the influence stantially the terms of peace. The senate does not keep in as close touch with the feelings of the people as the house, but it learns something during the vacation seasons, and to throw down an arrangement establishing peace, to which the parties most interested and the nations of the earth had adjusted their ideas, would be a hazardous proceeding. The president has been wiser than congress during this whole controversy and it is gratifying and reas-The report issued by the United States suring, now that events are approaching a geologic survey on the production of crucial point, that so much power at the

SECULAR SHOTS AT THE PULPIT.

Somerville Journal: The sanctimonious man may think that he is laying up his

Brooklyn Eagle: The Protestant sects that have been barred from the Philippines, forbidden to build churches, hold services or import their bible are already talking of missionary enterprises in those islands. What is wanted in all the Spanish islands, however, is not so much the preacher as the teacher. It is illiteracy that has cost Spain

Baltimore American: An army chaplain, writing from Santiago to a friend, says: "I always astonished at the yield, find this is no place for sensational preachination of anybody whose public rec- be accomplished before the United Hawaiian members of the commission farming methods. Nobody has ever at- ing," upon which text a philippic against be explained or defended. This, how- Nicaragua canal. One is to secure the over, in order to make the islands a ductiveness on Nebraska farm lands ways is based. Between dull and uninteresting sensationalism and the simple story of the gospel the people will always prefer the latter. The gospel is like certain foods-always palatable, whether seasoned or not, but when seasoning is added it must be done skillfully or it will spoil the dish.

Washington Post: In spite of the great success that Boston has achieved in exporting her cranks to the west and palming them off on the people of a few states in that section as statesmen and philosophers, that city ents and much to strengthen them at still has a large supply of the cranklest kind home, and the faithful congressman is of cranks constantly on hand. One of these promised an easier path to retaining his is a clergyman who advertises in this way: "People's Temple, Columbus avenue and Berkeley street. Another glorious day. The six months pastor, Rev. James Boyd Brady, Ph. D., D. D., will preach at 10:30 a. m. on 'Reasons for Resting in the Loving Arms of God,' and at 7:30 p. m. on 'To H-1 With Spain.' All l the swearers in Boston are especially in-

> vited. Kansas City Journal: Mr. Hooley of London, who recently failed in his great feat of Paul's of a service of gold plate, which was accepted by the dean and chapter, to the ing? considerable scandal of the religious public -now that the Hooley bubble has burst. The plate was good enough so long as the bubble rose and sparkled, but now it is irreverently termed "Hooley's Communion Service." Some time some synod, or presbytery, or chapter, or conference, instead of tearing its vestments over the alleged unscriptural views of a member on the subject of the Trinity or predestination, is going to try an elder, or a deacon, or a warden, for encouraging his fellowmen to think that they can make a righteous living without working for it.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

The New Orleans Picayune speaks of the inpleasantness of 1861-5 as "the war before The Anglo-American movement has received a fresh boost from the Legge family

of England. A scarcity of Havana cigars has been

Connecticut's tobacco crop is arger than usual. Porto Rican towns which have surrenlered to the American army prefer to be

taken without shaking. The mascot of Yale's battery is a very appropriate one-a billygoat. When in ac-

ion he is strictly in the push. W. D. Howells puts it in this way: elety is interested in man's future, not his past, as it is interested in woman's past, not her future."

der pilgrims with salted mines, but they have much to learn from the man who plucked Gullible investors with seawater A Michigan man tried to work Admiral Cervera for his autograph by sending him a

Westerners have taken in not a few ten-

llar to buy eigars. The dollar came back with the information that the admiral is not a smoker-not since he was smoked out Prospective settlers in Manila should first lecide whether they prefer death by typhoon or earthquake. Choice is indicated by the house they select. If built of bamboo, i

means typhoon; if of stone, earthquake. The country keeps both kinds of shuffles in PEACE TREATIES OF THE PAST.

How Former Wars Were Brought to an Amicable Conclusion Philadelphia Ledger.

As a rule, the settlement of the terms of peace treaties is a rather deliberate process. In former wars in which the United States was engaged the troops were kept in the field for a considerable period after the war was practically at an end. ' It requires some time to arrest the momentum of war, though the speedy disbandment of armies, after the necessity for their existence is over, is highly desirable for many reasons. Formerly the lack of quick com munication prolonged wars after peace had been formally agreed upon.

Two treaties of peace were signed after he revolutionary war. The preliminary articles were signed at Paris, November 30, 1782. They were ratified by congress April 15, 1783. The final or definitive treaty was not signed until September 3, 1783. Washington issued his farewell address to the army November 2, 1783, and the army was formally disbanded on the following dag. Nearly a year passed between the signing of the preliminary peace treaty and the disolution of the American army. The frequently recalled battle of New Or-

leans was fought two weeks after the peace agreement between the United States and Great Britain had been signed at Ghent. The treaty was signed December 24, 1814. It did not reach New York until February 11, 1815. In the meantime the unnecessary battle of New Orleans had been fought, as well as the naval battle between the United States frigate President and four British frigates. Such was the slowness of internal communication in those days that desultory hostilities were kept up for several days even after the arrival of the treaty in New York. Modern telegraphic communication will prevent such incidents in future

In the Mexican war the granting of an armistice from August 21 to September the battle of Cherubusco was prophetic of peace, but the formal peace treaty was not signed until February 2, 1848, and ratified May 19, 1848. In this instance there does not appear to have been a preliminary treaty, the purpose of which is to set forth the general terms of peace and to note items to settled in the final treaty. In the civil war there was no peace treaty, for the reason that there was no recognizable power with which the United States could deal after the collapse of the confederacy.

Peace treaties become binding upon the all that they cost besides. powers signing them from the date of signing, but it is laid down by authorities on international law that when the war has been on the sea or in distant regions the treaty should contain a stipulation that captures made between the date of signing and actual ratification of the treaty shall be restored. It is a principle of international law that when a power transfers in a treaty of peace some of its territory to the victor the fealty or allegiance of the inhabitants of the transferred territory to the flag of the queror is not guaranteed. Under the law of nations there is nothing to prevent an exodus of all the people of transferred territory if they choose to go. The modern doc trine is that allegiance is founded wholly on consent.

It'is probable that the final treaty of peace between the United States and Spain will be an elaborate instrument, owing to the many Spanish islands and dependencies whose future status must be fixed in the document. The disposition of these pe sions must be settled by express stipula

BLASTS FROM RAM'S HORN.

A spicy sermon makes pungent ears. A small breeze raises a storm in a puddle. Loving deeds are the best seeds; they

bear in all soils. Prejudice makes men blind, and blind men unreasonable.

Upon the shores of eternity many pleasure crafts He wrecked. Policy is the habitation from which moral cowardice seldom moves.

The prayer "forgive us our debts" has no reference to the collection.

When a man reaps the whirlwind he is The straight and narrow path is never so narrow that one may not turn in it.

With many people the beam is no larger than the mote. This denotes an affection of It is after men wash their hands of poli-

tics that they are surprised at the dirty

DOMESTIC PLEASANTRIES.

Chicago Record: "I have a new way of etting my husband awake in the morn-

"I pile a lot of bedelothes on him."

Brooklyn Life: Father-What makes you think you can earn enough to support my daughter? Sultor-Well, I've been engaged to her for six months

Cleveland Leader: "What an uninterest-Cieveland Leader: "What an uninterest-ing person that Mrs. Lotterby is."
"She ought not to be so. She has trav-eled enough and seen enough to make her very interesting."
"I know, but she never seems to have anything the matter with her

Cincinnati Enquirer: Wallace-I see that 'promoting" six different stock booms at woman's voice ascends to twice the height once, made a present to the cathedral of St.

Paul's of a service of gold plate, which was accepted by the dean and chapter to the many men let their wives do all the pray-

Judge: "You pay too much attention to your husband, my dear. He will tire of you you do."
"But I den't care to flirt with other men."
"You don't have to. Only make him think "You don't have to. Only make him think it pleases you to have him flirt with other

Boston Globe: First Burglar-Why, what's the matter? Have you been in a accident? accident?
Second Burglar—Oh. no, but I broke into a house where a woman was sitting up waiting for her husband, and she mistook me for him.

Indianapolis Journal: "The only way for man to learn ail about women is to get "And study the ways of his wife, ch?"
"Naw. Listen to what she tells hi
about the other women."

Harper's Bazar: "This is the parlor, eh?" tentatively remarked the real estate agent, who was looking over the house.
"Yes," replied old man Kidder: "but I usually call it the court room—I've got seven daughters, you know."

Chicago Record: "Papa, here are letters rom three men who want to marry me." "Well, don't bother me now; tell them o mail their bids to me at the office.

OMAHA, THE HOME OF COMPANY G. [Poem written on receipt of the box sent by Omaha friends to the Omaha Guards, in camp with the Second Nebraska volunteers at Chickamauga].

"Hast ever been to Omaha. Where rolls the dark Missouri down

We boys have heard from Omaha.
Where rolls the dark Missouri down,
And four strong mules can scarcely draw The things they sent us from that town. long time our homesick hearts had craved

We didn't know exactly what Those dainties came, our lives were saved, They went directly to the spot. Dear friends, indeed you may rejoice, wice blessed the food that love doth send: We know the thoughts these tokens voice

And that for us your prayers ascend. Oh, yes, we heard from Omaha, Where goes the exposition on, pity 'tis we never saw, But we have business with the Don.

Three cheers for Major Wilcox, Bra!
He's proved himself to us a friend,
And three times three for Omaha,
God grant the Ex. we may attend.
—DAVE RITTER. Chickamauga Park.

OUR DAILY BULLETIN.



INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 7, 1898,-This is leyele week here. The National meet of the L. A. W., which is to last five days, will include three days' racing and two days' festivity. Cycling experts from everywhere are coming to claim their share of he honers.

"Let ignorance talk as it vill, learning has its value."

It is easy enough for the man with a "cheap" dry goods store suit to boast of the great "bargain" that he has made. He doesn't know what he is 1847, by General Scott to the Mexicans after talking about, Cheap as it is he has not had his money's

> Why not pay a little more or go to a responsible house, and get something worth while? Our suits are worth while and

> Just now it is men's suits that we want to call your attention to especially, These that we shall offer today are bargains in the real sense of the word. There are serge, wool and linen crash, golf and bicycle suits among them, and at prices that are particularly low, even for this time of year.