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"I can see your finish" says March to the legislature.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to efore me this 4th day of March, A. D. 1991. (Seal.) M. B. HUNGATE,

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made to Lincoln if the bills are to die death. The historical tradition exer- porations which fatten the treasury of of legislative (nanition?

make a record. Nebraska will not feel half, have never submitted to a foreign moters of corporate enterprises all over would like to see somebody whip Russia, hurt if its share is left out.

Very soon Omaha people can use by the first secretary of her legation in homemade matches for all purposes. London she has no reason to be afraid Just bear this in mind when you want as to the result. Japan is quite able to strike a light.

Another factory has located here, but land should war break out between there is still plenty of room for others. them at once. Factories make pay rolls, and pay rolls build up communities.

Milwaukee wasn't the only Wisconsin town that had to take water. The spring freshet and the ice gorge are playing no favorites up there this season.

Nebraska jobbers are bent on reaping ply depot located in Omaha. They see with Japan in this crisis, but it is as of local revenue. With no restrictions distinguishable by his predilection for a hitherto closed avenue of trade opened to them.

It is too bad that the reapportionment bills should be put in jeopardy by the wild desire to adjourn early. Douglas county would have secured its just representation in the legislature under the British government for declining to acproposed law.

no complaint to make on account of the who take the trouble to read the aradjournment of the legislature. He guments of Lord Lansdowne will adcan afford to smile as he thinks of the mit, we think, that they are not with fat fees which will roll into his lap in out force and that their spirit is althe next two years.

The ministers of the powers have fig. the British minister of foreign affairs demnity claim in twenty years. At third amendment, striking out the prothat rate the present generation will vision inviting the adherence of other spend the remainder of its life paying powers, placed Great Britain in a pofor the fun it has had in the last year. sition of marked disadvantage, in view

A Virginia man who has just died continent as well as her interests elseleft \$1,000 to a sleeping car porter who where. once ministered to his comfort while traveling. The trip was taken several Clayton-Bulwer treaty as a contract of years ago and the amount is no more unquestionable validity, which ought

There is scarcely any limit to the the government prefers, as matters pleasures of being the ezar of Russia. stand at present, to retain unmodified higher up into the air than any of his Indeed, the declaration that his majes-

Two big checks have lately been derstanding in regard to this important handed the auditorium committee, but subject clearly implies an expectation to skin the public through extortionate some good names are still missing from of further negotiations. the list of contributors. Do not be afraid to get in on this. Omaha needs the building and all the people will share in the beneats.

to combat in court the result of the to yield nearly twice and a half the for the expenses of their own govern "tax ferret's" researches. The chances are that the tax dodger will have to gets, which is stated to be \$65,000,000 jobber and schemer who intends to pay both court costs and taxes. In annually. It is suggested that addithe long run it pays to be honest, even in the matter of taxes.

Republican editors throughout Nebraska will feel greatly encouraged to enter vigorously into the campaign the people. To double or treble cernext fall on contemplating the action of the house, which has refused to pay bills contracted four years ago under the order of the legislature.

Nothing is more natural than that the aim of the powers to promote. It will Fake-Factory should do all in its power surely not be good policy, from the commercial point of view, to so oppress to make the solution of the senatorial question difficult for the republicans. China with taxation for the payment The only wonder is that there are re- of indemnities that she cannot make publicans who will listen to the siren song of so malignant an enemy of the develop the trade with the outside party and all that it stands for.

Governor Dietrich has done all he could to cut off the graft of the fusion ers, or some of them, have set their clerk of the supreme court and turn indemnity figures at a high point and the golden stream of fees into the it is purely a question with them of that in mustering out the volunteers Herdman will get rich out of public tion as to the future of China does ticular note and a record of the physoffice is due to legislative stupidity and not enter into their calculations. Their ical condition of each soldier. This information on the topic.

THE IMPENDING EASTERN CRISIS. ing, with every promise of war between an indemnity nearly as large as the ception. Japan and Russia unless other powers amount our government has suggested intervene to avert hostilities, which at as the maximum for all their claims. present seems improbable, though it is And it is highly probable that they possible that some of them will unite will insist on demanding all they think in a protest to Russia.

The sentiment of Japan is undoubt-

ment made by the first secretary of the

fight Russia now or to fight her later.

Against such a possibility Japan will

possesses. A writer of that country

easy-going people so long as they feel

secure in their own beloved land.

which they believe to be the finest in

the whole world, and which they love

country, and this easy-going nation be-

cises a potent influence upon the spirit

of our people. These islands, in their

yoke for even a single day." Japan

would have some advantage on the

All the powers have a more or less

vital interest in this issue. The Man-

all other countries with China, for there

will require no other aid, however, in a

THE BRITISH REASONS.

cept the amendments to the Hay-

Pauncefote treaty sheds no new light

of importance on the matter. Those

Perhaps the strongest point made by

The British government regards the

a failure to come to an amicable un-

FIGURING CHINA'S RESOURCES

ministers to consider the resources of

amount of revenue the government now

tional revenue can be derived chiefly

from heavily increasing internal taxa-

tion, although this is already burden-

some and to add to it would simply

would certainly retard the development

of the country, which it should be the

material progress and therefore cannot

world which under favorable conditions

But the representatives of the pow-

would be developed.

The publication of the reasons of the

conflict with Russia alone.

be merely a name.

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GEO. B. TZSCHUCK,

Notary Public.

edly accurately expressed in the state-

AS TO SENATORS.

China can be fleeced for.

"The question is whether we are to published in the local popocratic organ growing. into a belief that in case the Nebraska She has no right to Manchuria and if legislature adjourns without electing she secures Manchuria she will be on two senators that Governor Dietrich the way to securing Coren" Japan will have the right to fill the vacancies cannot permit any encroachment by by appointment. This is incorrect,

Only one senatorial vacancy exists, Russia on Corea. Should Russia ac-State of Nebraska, Dougias County, 88.;
George B Taschuck, secretary of The Bee
Publishing company, being duty sworn,
says that the actual number of full and
complete copies of The Dally, Morains,
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month of February, 1991, was as follows:

Thus and prodominance in Corea
that left by the expiration of the term
of Senator Thurston on the 4th of
March, William V. Allen is filling the
vacancy caused by the death of Senamonth of February, 1991, was as follows:
of Japan. A writer on this subject quire a political predominance in Corea that left by the expiration of the term which would virtually convert the of Senator Thurston on the 4th of ,950 of Japan. A writer on this subject for Hayward, and will hold until his ozo says there can be no disguising the fact successor is elected. The senate has 540 that to make Manchuria a part of the decided on more than one occasion that Russsian empire would be to drive a when a legislature adjourns without wedge into the heart of China and electing a senator, the action is to be ultimately to reduce Japan to the con- taken as indicating a desire on the dition of a vassal state of the exar. The part of the people of that state to allow power that holds Manchuria has Corea | the vacancy to stand, and the senate 330 at its mercy and with Corea in Russian will not interfere with the desire so

430 hands the independence of Japan would expressed. Should the present legislature fail to choose two senators, the state of Nefight with all the energy and vigor she braska will be represented in the senate during the next two years at least

936 says: "The Japanese are a contented, only by Senator Allen. HOMES FOR FOUNDLING CORPORATIONS By adopting laws which are called "liberal" toward corporations, New Jerthem feel insecure in their own adored money from fees to practically pay the little dictating himself to the fusionists in expenses of the state government comes even as a lion attacked in his These laws are liberal in the wrong di-For what purpose were all those trips lair. Then they would fight to the rection. They place taxes upon the corthe state, but absolve the creature from not result in war between England and all control which would be a protection Russia-France, who would like to see The tornado is starting in early to long history of two millenniums and a to the public. The result is that pro- somebody whip England; and Japan, who the country have been willing to pay does not desire war, but as was said this initial fee for the sake of freedom in operation. It is only natural that other states, seeing the financial results, should offer a similar bid. West Vir-New Jersey statute. It imposes absowhich it charters and gives them the right to prey upon the rest of the world churian program of Russia threatens without let or hindrance, upon the sole the integrity of the Chinese empire and is therefore a menace to the trade of condition that the state treasury shall

> is no assurance that the open door pol- annual tax. The pernicious effect of such a policy icy will prevail where Russia obtains a so apparent that it has no defense to all the commercial nations should be offer, but exists upon the poor excuse chin aspiring, while the confidence man is yet doubtful if any of them will do as to the amount of water that may be more than give her moral support. She injected into the stock, with no examinations into the business methods of the corporations to safeguard the interests of the public and the investors, these states where they actually transact business. There is no necessity to offer such terms to corporations whose business is within the state. They are treasury and in return are licensed to

be fattened upon the filing fee and the

together friendly and unobjectionable. Prey upon the world. There is not a state in the union whose laws are not liberal enough for ured out that China can settle the in- is that in which he urges that the the purposes of a corporation which proposes to transact an honest business and be fair with the public with which it deals and true to the investors who put their money into it. To a corporation which proposes to transact of her possessions on the American business upon these lines it is more where its principal place of business is located, and the fact that it is willing to subject itself to laws which provide than reasonable interest on a deferred not to be abrogated or modified save for honest regulation and honest exwith the consent of both the parties to aminations of its methods of doing business should recommend it to in the contract, but while it is stated that vestors and to the public. The investor who puts his money into a corpalace of the present ruler, which its treaty, there is no intimation of an to file its articles in a corporation projectors intended should send him unwillingness for further negotiations. foundling asylum is not wise. The fact that it seeks privileges and immunitles which honest business methty's government would sincerely regret ods do not demand or require, stamps methods of doing business or fleecing the unsuspecting investor for the benefit of the consciousless promoter and United States district court!

The special committee of the foreign stock manipulator. The moral turpitude of states which will bid for this class of revenue to en China to meet indemnity claims have Iowa tax dodgers are now proposing already figured that they can be made able its citizens to escape from paying ment is as great as that of the stock skin the public. While honest legislators are struggling to maintain the tances from downtown were less. In going good that inures to the public and investors from reasonable grants of cor porate rights, those of these states are mean the greater impoverishment of throwing down the bars and leaving a clear field for the dishonest schemer ployment in the morning or home at night tain taxes would unquestionably work have no equitable or moral right to a great hardship to a very large ma-

jority of the people of China, while it exist. Prospective congressional candidates in Nebraska can now resume the work of figuring on their probable chances. The bill which was intended to reditrict the state has failed of passage and all calculations must be based on of colonies or superfluous territory is not the old arrangement. The fusionists certainly have no complaint to make of the present arrangement of the districts. which gives them four out of the six congressmen when the state goes re-

Secretary Root has issued an order osition of squeezing all they can out which are to be commended. It will as well as men may become land-poor. | on your life.

of Chins. egardless of the effect of defeat fraudulent pension claims in There appears to be no doubt that such a policy upon the future of that the future and make a record back of Japan will make armed resistance to empire. The purpose of most of them which the government can go in the Russian occupation of Manchuria under is spollation. Were the suggestion case of those whose physical condition the terms of the secret treaties nego- that has seen made by the United entitles them to a pension. With such tiated with China. It seems to be States government to be accepted there a record it will not be difficult for crisis of the gravest nature is impend- taxation, but some of the powers want against a stumbling block at their in-

date the people and school facilities are

realize that the sultan is never too busy or too hard up to indulge in the pastime of cutting off a few heads,

roads are not to haul the remainder of form of meat.

Bryan's offer of \$6 to ex-President conceal the opinion that he does not consider that Bryan fills the bill.

The Peerless Dictator. Chicago Chronicle.

Barren Regrets. Louisville Courier-Journal. There are probably two nations which are sorry that the Tien Tein incident did

Wolves at the Rice Tub.

Some of the nations demanding indemnity of China display the greed of hungry Siberian wolves, their monstrous rapacity to cope with Russia on the sea and she gima was the first to make it. A law threatening the failure of pending negotiarecently going into effect in that state tions. The influence of the United States, the extent of their demands is made known.

> Rogues Reflected on the Stage. Boston Transcript.

variably slinks around with his elbows hrust out, his shoulders elevated and his for evening dress in the early forenoon.

> Harrison's Two Fortunes. Chicago News.

It is not generally known that on account of the opposition of his children to creatures of West Virginia law are in a his second marriage-an opposition he acposition to prey upon the public and in a knowledged to have some justice in itmeasure defy the law and sentiment in ex-President Harrison distributed all b's fortune among his children, retaining only his house and lot in Indianapolis. He then started out to make a second fortune and made one larger than his first which he has now left solely to his second wife and made to induce outsiders to come in child. The action was characteristic of the and pay the fee into West Virginia's man and illustrates the stern stuff of which he was made.

First Catch Your Hare.

First catch your hare is an injunction selves the kind of sauce in which the fleet suggested that he make his escape from Africa to save his eventual British captors from the depressing necessity of shooting him for murder. The Boer chieftain is much kinder to the British than they are convenient to incorporate in the state to him, for, if it be true that "there is more pleasure in pursuit than in possession." Dewet is giving his enemies heaps of fun.

Specimen of Political Nerve.

The astuteness of the Quay machine is again illustrated in the judicial proceedings commenced to "test" the validity of the law just passed by the Pennsylvania legislature repealing the charters of the cities A mine has been discovered under the the provisions of the Clayton-Bulwer poration which runs away from home of Pittsburg, Allegheny and Scranton and placing them under the government of 'recorders" appointed by the governor. The Quay men, anticipating opposition to gan the proceedings before a judge of their own selection, one Archibald, and meanit as being of a class which is intended while, with an angelic indifference (1) to its effect upon his decision, Senators Quay and formally presented Archibald's name to President McKinley for appointment to the judgeship in a newly created

"Walking Distance" Homes Chicago Tribun

mires" American boots, but professes inconvenience in wearing them. Her own footgear, however, is quite apt to justify itself in the color of her cheeks. In our cities women, and men, too, would walk more-and to their advantage-if their disto and fro, however, they must "take a car," and so it is all up with walking.

Thousands of people who spend from half hour to an hour and a half each day in crowded, stuffy cars, and reach emand forms of corporate existence which not exhilarated, but depressed, irritated or exhausted by this thoroughly unpleasant experience, must often long for an abode within walking distance of their daily engagements.

Elements of National Strength.

in the mother country, it will not be the first illustration of the fact that the loss an unmixed evil. France found her American colonies a draft upon her exchequer instead of a source of strength, and the same may be said of the other colonies which since the curtailment of her bounINDUSTRIAL PEATURES.

shadowing a Setback.

United States Investor.

How much longer are the good times army officer pays his respects to the during the last few years going to last? follows: equally certain that Russia is de- is no doubt that China could pay the those who deserve it to make good their This perhaps is a question which no one By the efforts of your organization, as porting Editor Rice, since he had been termined to obtain possession of that amount in say twenty years without claim for pension, but the claims manu- can suswer with satisfaction to himelf or sisted by many well meaning persons and given the specific power to remove from territory at whatever risk. Thus a very greatly adding to the burden of factured by pension clerks will run to others, but it is a question, nevertheless, by saloon keepers, post exchanges are now the Philippines all persons who menaced There is scarcely a town in Nebraska of the United States appeared to be in a betwhich does not report unusual activity ter condition than ever before, and it was ment, wrote from stations in the tropics the United States who have openly or in the building line. The complaint is only very recently indeed that the raw ma- and Alaska, as well as those in the United Secretly, directly or indirectly, nided the almost universal that dwelling houses terial was booming at a great rate. To- States, giving their opinions in favor of insurgents, and thus menaced the peace and are insufficient in number to accommoday, however, the cotton market is charactive canteen as promoting temperance, dis- good order of the Philippines, is properly Many people have been misled also taxed. No better evidence that "squeeze," and the ordinary quotation his earlier prejudice against the institution, and more effective punishment than execu-Japanese legation in London. He said: through a faked Washington telegram this could be offered that Nebraska is during that month was perhaps 10 cents; as did General Otis and many others. tion or imprisonment in the Philippines. Word having been sent out that the sympathy with the futures market, which only by a desire to promote the military this treatment could doubtless be applied sultan of Turkey was hard up, one of is based very largely on the probable takthe principal chiefs in Arabia has re- nated by conditions in the Liverpool market thority volted. When the trouble is all over and the only conclusion which seems justithe leaders of the rebels will probably fied by the facts now in sight is ' at the demand for manufacturing purposes, both be faithfully carried out. at bome and abroad, is going to be light for some time to come. Turning now specifically to the cotton

> find it more profitable to ship it in the stated that the weekly production of the Cleveland for a definition of democracy | the cotton mills in 1898 has resulted in the | are doing the same. is not likely to be accepted. At space usual way, viz., in overproduction, the rates it would come to more than that, economic consequences of which are, of Wool is another industry that has suffered a reaction. The market for this com-Mr. Bryan, who has just been denouncing stock of wool in this country and in the perate army, or is it that having stopped sey has managed to collect enough Mr. Cleveland as a dictator, is now doing a markets of the world is large, and the demented by a new domestic clip, but, while may improve as time goes on quite a little goods season, it may be questioned if there will be an increase sufficiently large to admit of the expectation that quotations on -in its place. the raw material will be favorably affected in the near future. In short, the entire wool industry, from the grower to the manufacturer, is in a condition which compares very unfavorably with that witnessed

> A glance at the steel and iron industry is not without its instruction. The injection of an appalling amount of water is broader and more "liberal" than the and probably of England, may be counted into the capitalization of the new steel on in favor of moderation and equity. For combine would, on its face, raise the prethe rest it seems unsafe to offer any pre- sumption that very large profits are looked lutely no restraint upon the corporations dictions till "all the returns are in" and for in this industry in the next few years. But of far greater significance than this fact, it seems to us, is the fact that the new steel combine was considered an imperative necessity. A few weeks ago it It is queer that so many persons are appeared quite obvious that the big steel his accomplishments a bundred-acre lot. swindled by bunko-steerers and confidence companies had begun to realize that they if possible, remote from habitation, and he men. Everybody knows who ever goes to had at last entered a period of declining should stand in the middle of it. A crowded the theater that the bunko-steerer in- profits, and on top of this came the threat car is not the place for that kind of arward off disaster, and it remains to be seen | pleasure to the public and put money in how effective these measures are going to their purses by their skillful use of the cigarettes and plug hats, and his penchant be. Perhaps for a time they will succeed muscles of their mouths in emitting air. in making the steel and iron industry wear Miss Shaw was one of these. viz., that on scarching analysis the steel

in recent years.

and iron situation gives evidence of far less inherent strength than formerly. Having touched on three of the greatest industries of this country, and shown what we believe to be their true condition, we may leave it to the reader to frame his own riew regarding the general situation. Every period of activity and rising prices must the law of averages we should consider he present rather early to look for a setback to general business of any great magnitude. But these are highly exceptional times, governed as they are by so many factors of which the past knew practically that should be remembered by the British nothing, consequently the law of averages cooks, who are discussing among them- may just at this particular juncture not be

so safe a guide as formerly. PERSONAL NOTES.

Governor Hill of Maine has appointed Thursday, April 25, as the annual fast day in his state. Governor Jordan of New Hampshire has named Thursday, April 18. A combination of sixty members of the Tennessee house of both parties has gone earnestly to work to cut off all sinecures and to prune unnecessarily large salaries. E. H. Conger, the American minister to China, has been invited to be the guest of the Hamilton club of Chicago, on April 9, which is celebrated by that club as Ap-

Boston intends to spend \$6,000,000 this year in street building and repairing, but is not likely to attempt to make its crooked paths straight. That were a hopeless undertaking.

Canadians are discussing the advisability of increasing the salary of the premier of the Dominion. Sir Wilfrid Laurier now re ceives \$8,000 annually. Many people think that he should have two or three times that

Frank P. Hill, who has been chosen librarian of the Brooklyn public library, won attention by his successful organization of library systems in Newark and Paterson, There were forty other candidates for the Brooklyn place.

Sir William Van Horne, the head of th Canadian Pacific railway system, is a native of Illinois, where he was born fifty-eight years ago, and in which state he began life as a telegraph operator in the service of the Illinois Central railroad.

Ten years ago Senator Thomas C. Plant especially since the recent death of Mrs. It seems that this movement is by no means Since the election of Thomas Kearns as United States senator Thomas Fitch, the popular orator, whom the Salt Lake Herald now styles "the great silver-tongued advocate of the gold standard," has advertised his house in Salt Lake City for sale and has gone to California. The Herald believes his departure from Utah is for tion at a glance. good. He has property interests, it is said. in California, Nevada and Arizona.

If Spain shall succeed in cultivating coffee While the federal supreme court has taken three months to consider the letter and spirit of the national constitution, Pennsylvania judge interpreted the const tution of that state after twenty-four hours which passed from her control by the deliberation. The case involved the right treaty of 1763. It enabled her to give her of cities to elect their own officers. attention to the development of the mother | was argued and submitted on Thursday, and country until, despite the ravages of the on Saturday the judge delivered an opinion French revolution, she is more powerful in of 6,000 words, adverse to the home rule all the real elements of wealth than under principle. This is considered the swiftest Louis XV, when her territorial area was constitutional pace on record. Some cap public coffers where it belongs. That securing their claims, so that considera- the examining surgeon shall make par- greatest. The same is true of Mexico, tious critics assert the court's gait was accelerated by reason of the fact that the daries by the Mexican war, has risen from political powers of the state slated the not to any question of right or lack of view is narrowed to the simple propose, both of republic of wealth and progress. Nations could not phase a Pennsylvania judge—not

CLOSED ARMY CANTEEN.

Significant Signs of the Times Forc. An Army Officer Pays his Respects to Deportation from Manila of an Of-shadowing a Setback. the W. C. T. I. Censive Editorial Critic. In a letter to the New York Sun an

which certain events now occurring are forbidden to sell beer to the enlisted men the peace and good order of the Islands doubtless raising in a great many minds. of the army. This was ordered by congress This decision, however, fails completely to Take, for instance, the cotton situation. In spite of the practically unanimous pro-it was not long ago that the cotton mills test of the officers of the army who, in which is troubling American public epinion. terized by great weakness. In January cipline and efficiency. The surgeon general exercised by the military governor. spot cotton was quoted at 12% cents on the of the army so testified, notwithstanding many cases deportation is a more adequate since then the price has declined to 8% abstemious men themselves. These men The deportation of Mabini and his associcents, the present figure. The drop is in were actuated by no personal feeling, but ates has been universally applauded, and ings by the mills. The situation is domi- they are held responsible by higher au- the United States in Manila whose secret

manufacturing situation we find, on the The large number of feeder cattle whole, a rather discouraging state of beer at his post, will and does go elsewhere stinately attacking the Manila port charges which are going to the country from affairs. Print cloths have dropped below for it, and, once there, under no restraint, as illegally excessive. The open, respon the stock yards indicates that the rail- 3 cents and the selling committee of the does not limit himself to beer. Every in sible, printed discussion of specific accusa-Fall River manufacturers has voted to ask fluence in the saloon is to increase the tions of misgovernment is wholesome and the mills to make a lengthy curtailment in amount he drinks; in the canteen every in- tends to develop good government. This Nebraska's surplus corn to market. In their production. The necessity of such fluence was to limit it. As a direct and unspite of the high price of corn farmers action will perhaps be apparent when it is mistakable instance of this my best cor- other city within American jurisdiction. If mills is 250,000 places and that last week been most exemplary, has just returned pears, scandal is silenced, and the libeler the sales amounted to only 50,000 pieces. from a prolonged debauch, absent without may be punished. If the accusations are The long and short of the matter appears leave, an offense he has never before com- true, corrupt tendencies and perhaps corto be that the prosperity which evertook mitted, and other good men in the command ruption itself meet exposure, and the public

there is no conclusive reason to believe and let him do as he pleases. Has he sud- the Philippines. that any material advance in prices is to deniy so matured that he can be left to his The first military consorship in the Philipbe looked for in the immediate future. The own desires? Do you care to have a tem- pines was arbitrary, foolish, impolitic, unmand for manufacturing purposes is, on the dier his improved food and his pleasant otherwise than by insisting that the port whole, very much reduced. The stock in and attractive club for his leisure hours, charges of Manila were illegally excessive, the United States will soon be greatly aug. you are now indifferent to what becomes of his deportation as a public enemy like the demand for the manufactured product | For some twelve years desertion and drunk- furnished ammunition and supplies to the over the very slow opening of the present and we who know attribute it to the can-

"The exchange is still here with its reading room, billiards, lunch room, etc., and some of the good men frequent it, but the other men, the men we were reclaiming from evil resorts, go elsewhere where they find the same attractions and with them beer, and worse.

"We are reaping the crop you sowedand then deserted."

THE WHISTLER MUST GO. Another Move for the Relief of the Oppressed Ear-Drum.

Baltimore American. The man who whistles in public should The man who whistles in public should to die field is to die field is have as a proper field for the display of "Not necessarily," replied Mr. Wikinshis accomplishments a bundred-acre lot. burg: "but to die poor is no special dishad at last entered a period of declining should stand in the middle of it. A crowded profits, and on top of this came the threat car is not the place for that kind of arout at the card party? asked Miss Frocks of new competition on a gigantic scale. Itist. There have been people—possibly of Miss Kittish.

Artificial measures have been taken to there are today whistlers—who have given "Blanche and I cut for the first prize, and the appearance of great prosperity, but ad- delight to hear her. She had an ear as mitting the likelihood of this, it is never- well as a mouth for music, and when she theless important to hear in mind this fact, nuckered her line melody was bound to flow. Unfortunately, the good whistlers do not travel on the city street cars, or, if they do, they reserve their music for their 1-

friends or the open r The man who whistles has about as muc' idea of music as a barn door whose hinges have not been greased since it was hung. Sometimes he reaches for a tune as though at some time in the remote past he had come to an end some time. According to really had it, but it had gotten away from him, never to return. His efforts are con- good deal of soap. fined principally to the popular airs, which have already been worn threadbare by the barrel organ or the street plane, and what the latter may have done indifferently well gone wrong, completely.

When they were in tune he does wretchedly Mr. Ascum-How can you say that? He's when they were in tune he does wretchedly and by snatches. Not the least remarkable feature of the man who whistles is his total

indifference to the rest of the passengers. He does not appear to whistle for their pleasure, and seems to be oblivious of their presence. When their indiguant faces are turned in his direction he casts his eyes to the ceiling of the car or the top row of advertisements and continues his exertions as though he was in a wilderness communing with nature-if nature could

shame and no remorse. The agonized expressions of the passengers would squeeze sympathy from a stone. Youth and age are alike his victims. The tenderest buds have been observed to wilt under the gimlet-boring influence of his shrill whistle. The work o' men, broad-shouldered, enter-He appears to think that he is in some mysterious way contributing his share to he science of music, but the bray of an Arizona mocking bird, the howl of the covote or the combined vocalism of a dozen comparison with his gratuitous solos. Not the least exasperating feature of the situation is the inability to check the man who whistles. If a man smokes or swears or expectorates he can be arrested and fined, but pectorates he can be arrested and the the man who whistles provokes dozen of Escort turn! men every day to swear and yet nothing can be done to abate the nuisance.

SELLING MORE THAN WE BUY. How the Trade Balance in Favor of the United States is Piling Up.

Minneapolis Trib From time to time during the last few years we have noted the steady increase But we're liftin' up the flag, an' we've that in the export trade of the United States and a corresponding diminution in our imports-a movement which has increased of New York was quite a robust man and the favorable trade balance of the United seldom experienced a day's illness. He has States to large proportions and converted aged wonderfully in the past few years and this from a debtor into a creditor nation. Platt. His term as senator will expire in ended. In fact, our exports show a con-1803, at which time he will be 70 years old. tinuing increase and the outlook is that the present year of 1961 will break all records in building up a favorable trade balance.

The following table, compiled from offiial figures, showing the imports and exports for February of each year from 1896 to 1901, and for the eight months of each year ending February, reveals the situa

Eight months ending February

While the exports for the last February are slightly under those for the preceding February, the exports for the eight month ending in February of this year are considerably larger than those for the proceding eight months, and, in fact, larger than the total for any other eight months in our history. The steady average

crease in imports is also shown.

HISHING AN EDITOR

The War department decides that Gen through which the country has been passing Women's Christian Temperance union as eral MacArthur acted within the scope of his authority as military governor in de aid to the insurgents is now being exposed, "The flat has gone forth, however, and But the doubt that has existed and still exyour organization may rest assured it will lists is whether General MacArthur dis played his usual sound judgment in class "The effect of the order has so far been fying among the deportable public enemies as predicted by those opposed to it. The menacing the peace of the islands, an edi-enlisted man, like his civilian brother, will torial critic who voiced the opinion of some drink if ne wants to, and, lacking a glass of Manila merchants in persistently and obporal, a man whose conduct has hitherto such accusations are false, there falsity approfits through the remedies that are im-"What does the Women's Christian Tem- mediately devised and applied. A Neely perance union propose doing to help us? is a greater "menace to peace and good The ex-president has not attempted to course, curtailment and reduction of wages. You have, in your agitation, proceeded on order" than a Rice, and it is wiser to counthe assumption that the soldier does not tenance the Rices than to so shape condiknow what he wants or what is good for tions as to protect from criticism and the medity is in a depressed condition, and him, and, having succeeded, you now sit by chance of exposure any possible Neely's ta

> American. In the absence of evidence that the canteen, with its profits giving the sol- Editor Rice menaced the peace of Luzen him or the service to which he belongs. Mabini or the traitors in Manila who have enness have steadily decreased in the army insurgents suggests the possibility of a reteen. You have killed that and you should original unwise policy of harrying as irgive us as strong a factor for temperance reclaimable hostiles the representatives of the press in Manila.

LIGHT AND BRIGHT.

Chicago Tribune: "I suppose," said Adam, as he began the task of cataloguing the animals, "I ought to put myself down as exhibit A."

The Smart Set: Brooks-I wish you'd ay me that \$10 you owe me, old fellow.
Borrowit-I couldn't think of it, Brooks.
"But I'm here to remind you of it."

Detroit Journal: "Poker! Why is it called poker, I wonder."
"Well, it seems to be a device for playing with fire, for one thing."

Pittsburg Chronicle: "Do you think that o die rich is to die disgraced?" asked Mr.

That was the unkindest cut of all."

Washington Star: "Some folks," said Incle Eben, 'is like some chickens. Dey is allowed to strut aroun' an' take it easy a'se dey's too tough an' no account to be

Indianapolis Press: "What made that man go out mad?" asked the proprietor. "I cannot tell a lie," answered the clerk. "Never mind the rest of it." answered the roprietor. "Go to the desk and draw your proprietor.

Chicago Tribune: "I suppose it's true mough," moralized Uncle Allen Sparks, as the preachers and other wise men tell is, that life is a bubble. I have noticed in of the years that people are in low themselves—and that takes :

Philadelphia Press: Mr. Ascum-I hear ur old minister has gone in for ritualism. dr. Lochurch (disgustedly)—Yes, he's

all rite now

IN THE PHILIPPINES.

G. B. Rodney in Philadelphia Press. The transport's slowly takin' on her lum-From the line o' cascoes driftin' out to

The 'tween deck's full, she's got her rating

homeward bound, and yit-she's olerate such a nuisance.

The man who whistles evidently has no I got the very pipeclay in my marrow.

I like the heft—I love the feel o' men;
I got no use for smooth-down ways nor

I like the life-an' so I'll 'list again, An' see each mornin' when the mists are risin'. Cloudlike on palm, in jungle, an' or

The men who knew a rifle from a measure, Who work an' live an' fight an' die like cats on a back shed is an angelic strain in Here's yer happy home at last, go seek yer

The kind o' men who get what they can

An' if you fail-go try it on again. An' it's three rounds blank! An' mark the place you liee rounds blank! An' there ain't a
chaplain nich;
ort turn! Oh. keep your touch in Three An' the dust clouds risin' like a devil in Eyes filled with dust an' the mouth and throat a-parehin'.

An' they lead you on the transport for on the transport for

Home's but a name to us who're in the Love an' case an' fame the goals we canat least to nerve us,
we stand an watch the transport
while she's fadin' from the beach. As



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