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ALL ABOUT THE ROBBERY.

In 1890, when William Jennings Bryan made his first campaign for a seat in congress, and again in 1892, he boldly declared that the duty on tinplate was one of the most iniquitous robberies ever perpetrated upon the nation—Omaha Bee.

A THREAT OF ANNEXATION.

The Merchants' Union of Havana has threatened to go in for annexation if the United States refuses to make a reciprocity arrangement with Cuba satisfactory to the sugar and tobacco producers of that island.

HONORS ARE EVEN.

Senator McLaurin may not be so well versed in the art of billingsgate, but he can call as many names as Senator Tillman.

INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

Washington Post: The Bryan Greeting in Ohio is not panning out as its promoters expected.

INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

New York Sun: Mr. Bryan is laboring under a singular delusion as to the effect which a continued prevalence of the notions he represents will have upon the spirits of the republican party.

INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

Washington Star: As a politician Mr. Bryan's fusion, but as a journalist he will find that his old-fashioned republicanism is more of a handicap.

INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

Cincinnati Commercial Tribune: The state central committee of the silver republicans of Nebraska has closed out to the populists and Bryan democrats.

INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

Cleveland Leader: The democrats who are rebelling against McLean's platform in Ohio this year are simply doing what Bryan did in 1895.

INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

Buffalo Express: The spectacle of the Sugar trust trotting the beet sugar industry, as it is manifestly trying to do in California, will not make the public more willing to tolerate legislation favorable to the trust.

INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

New York Tribune: The custom house officials at this port have adopted measures to prevent the taking of tips offered at the piers by passengers on ocean liners.

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New York Tribune: The German poet, Gerhart von Ameyn, celebrated his 70th birthday on July 12.

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Chicago Tribune: It may be merely fancy, but the man who has been seen since his husband began drinking, has been seen since that time.

INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

Brooklyn Eagle: Church Settlement Young Lady (kindly), I hope you brush your hair with some hair cream.

INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

Philadelphia Record: Muggins—What's the matter with Wilkova? He looks worried. Buggins—You know he sent his wife out of town for the summer.

Cheering Crop Advices.

It will be remembered that during the prevalence of the intense heat and drought in the west some of the crop "experts" figured the probable damage to corn as being as high as 500,000,000 bushels.

WASHINGTON Gossip.

Happenings of Minor Moment at the National Capital. The government is about to undertake the stupendous task of towing the floating dry dock purchased from the Spanish government from Havana to Manila.

WASHINGTON Gossip.

Without this apparatus such a feat as the one proposed would be an impossibility, as the cables are not of sufficient strength to withstand the strain of so great a weight in heavy weather.

WASHINGTON Gossip.

Postmaster General Smith was visited at his office by a photographer a few days ago and after his picture had been taken a number of prints had been run off.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

Jay Cooke, whose operations in government bonds during the civil war made him famous, will celebrate his 80th birthday August 10.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson has had a fireproof vault built in her San Francisco house, where she keeps the numerous unfinished or unpublished manuscripts of her husband.

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Tannany looks well to the prosperity of the pie-bites. Salaries of city officials for June show an increase of \$120,000 over June of 1900. This is exclusive of mandatory increases.

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Frederick Law Olmsted, D. H. Burnham and Charles F. McKim, who were appointed a commission to devise means for beautifying the city of Washington, have returned from a visit to the principal European cities in search of suggestions for their work.

WORK FOR CONGRESS.

Something for congress to do at its next session will be to investigate the customs service and who are known by their superior offices at the Treasury department at Washington.

WORK FOR CONGRESS.

There are in the customs service official holders who favor certain importers and others who are known to be "crooked." They put their in office and they keep them there to do the work which their masters have contracted for with the porters who do business with the powers that be.

WORK FOR CONGRESS.

Now, since the Treasury department at Washington will not look into this maladministration of customs laws by pull-politicians, congress ought to do it. It ought to appoint an investigating committee to dig into the crooked work that is not only done but is a disgrace.

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Washington Star: "You should be thrifty and lay something aside for a rainy day." "Mister," said the Kansas farmer, "you tell me that, but when you tell me to lay up a dollar, you tell me to lay up something else."

THE CHILDLESS.

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R. E. Kiser in Chicago Record-Herald: "Wonder why I had those tears when they laid my little dear child away? After the lapse of twenty years I still say I am glad that I let alone today."

THE CHILDLESS.

"I held the little child he wore, I treasure the shirt that encased his feet; The way was smooth that he traveled over; The flowers that bloomed at his curly feet were sweet."

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PARTIES LEAVING FOR SUMMER.

Parties leaving the city for the summer may have The Bee sent to them regularly by notifying The Bee Business office, in person or by mail.

THE TRUTH ABOUT NEBRASKA.

The truth about Nebraska will be known after the corn crop is harvested.

MR. TOR NADO IS KEEPING BUSY.

Mr. Tor Nado is keeping busy in a small way entirely too late in the season. It is time for him to take a vacation.

HARRY MILLER, WHO IS DEEPLY INTERESTED.

Harry Miller, who is deeply interested in agriculture, asserts that there is little or no corn in sight in Nebraska.

CORN KING PHILLIPS DISCOVERED.

Corn King Phillips discovered a credit of \$133,000 in the bank which he had forgotten all about. Other victims of speculation, however, will look a long time before making any such discovery.

DISPATCHES FROM CHINA.

Dispatches from China indicate an agreement has been reached on the matters in controversy and a final draft of the protocol has been agreed upon.

IOWA DEMOCRATS INSIST.

Iowa democrats insist they are encouraged over the political situation in that state. It is noticeable, however, that it is not necessary to pit-up a fence to stop the crush of aspirants who want to make the race for governor.

AMERICAN INTERESTS HAVE EVIDENTLY.

American interests have evidently been well cared for in the settlement of affairs in China. Flour and corn are both placed on the free list in the new tariff.

DEMOCRATIC PAPERS ARE RESURRECTING.

Democratic papers are resurrecting their editorials of the vintage of the Cleveland campaigns. Democracy never holds out a hope for the future or insists upon presenting the frayed-out issues of the past.

THE OBSERVANCE OF CONTRACTS.

A number of steel workers, members of the Amalgamated association, have refused to obey the order to strike on the ground that to do so would be a violation of their contract with the employers.

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The Lincoln Journal tries to apologize for Nebraska's part in the Pan-American exposition by describing "What has been done on a stingy appropriation."

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The Porto Ricans, who clamored for free trade with the United States, are very much distressed because Brazilian coffee imported into New York can be delivered and sold in Porto Rico at one-third less than the planters of Porto Rico have been receiving for it.

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But the threat of annexation is not to be lightly regarded by those interests which are most deeply concerned in the matter. They cannot afford to ignore it or to treat it with indifference.

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But it must be admitted that the practice of giving "tips," an unbecoming and inept practice, has spread widely in the United States in the last thirty years.

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