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That consignment of Ak-Sar-Ben weather seems to have been delayed in pursued. transit only to arrive too late.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this list day of August, A. D. M. B. HUNGATE, Notary Public,

GEORGE B. TZSCHUCK.

cised against fire in institutions housing national policies of the party have been defective and helpless wards of the vindicated by results, a great national

bereabouts are always considered worth fighting for, while democratic nominations go by default?

Buffalo is quite a distance from Nebraska, but all the Nebraskans who can do so should help make Nebraska day at the Pan-American creditable to the

should be compelled to scratch disreputable candidates so long as the party ranks are full of reputable and honest

under certain circumstances was excusable or legitimate. The chancellor promptly.

Ex-School Board Member Hess evidently believes that a truant officer who lets his salary clude him has no excuse for letting the truant school boy get away from him. That is the explanation of his suit for salary for services never performed.

supreme court commission. With such a diploma no layman will feel competent to question his ability.

low journal about the failure of the police to suppress gambling at race meet-

The Iowa weather bureau crop service by the Omaha twin brother in a jab asserts that little if any damage to corn | under the sheriff's belt under pretext of resulted there from the recent frosts. an arraignment of the police which is The Iowa service keeps in close touch shouldered on to the father of one of with the situation and its reports are | Sheriff Power's deputies, who is reprealmost invariably accurate. The danger sented to be boiling all over with indigthat corn in this section of country will nation because of the inactivity of the suffer further damage is small.

The only way to get the tax rate down is to get a more equal assessment of can be induced to continue this fusillade corporate and individual property and until election day he will not know that stop the evasion of listing by conceal- he is running. ment of taxable property. The assessor sets the first valuation on which the tax rate is based. Let the taxpayers see to it that the proper men are chosen for

Croker, the boss of Tammany, is not talking politics to any extent at present. This is the best possible indication that the independent movement is worrying him and keeping his thinking apparatus gard to trade interests and the influences at work overtime. The defeat of a democratic candidate for president is of littie consequence to Tammany, but the immense political patronage of the city of New York means food for many

A company has been formed to lay telegraphic cable across the Pacific ocean to Hawaii and the Philippines with men back of it able to lay it if there is a real demand for it. No subsidy is asked of congress but merely permission to land. This is different from the propositions of premoters who have been seeking for several years to have congress practically lay the cable for them and turn it over to the promoters part of the postal system.

THE IOWA CAMPAIGN.

of the state.

giving protection to home industries and point for its ample vindication to the extraordinary rapidity with which our national resources have been developed hear the news. The Omaha correspondand our industrial and financial inde- ent of the Lincoln Journal asserts that pendence secured. We favor such a combination has been entered into be changes in the tariff from time to time tween Mayor Moores, Tom Dennison, as become advisable through the prog- Judge Baker and E. Rosewater against ress of our industries and their changing the renomination of Judge Vinsonbaler. should not have tariff protection, though , two years ago. he would not indiscriminately place all Both Rosewater and Mayor Moores 25,530 honest business, impoverish honest man- a combination or conspiracy against him .25,600 ufacturers and cast into idleness an he certainly would have a hard fight. foreign country to adopt the American

As to the Philippines, the Iowa re- Incidentally it may be pertinent to in been pursued. He makes no prediction press as the great factor in republican its footing, but the effort will be vain. regarding the future status of the politics. Dennison's influence probably Even those who once got entertainment and that the opportunity will be given that Dennison cuts any great figure in them to in all respects improve their the other eight wards of Omaha, in with gratifying progress, and the policy cincts.

auspicious than it is for the lows re- nison? Too much precaution cannot be exer- publicans. The state is prosperous, the

> publican campaign is simply a formality. HARD ON SHERIFF POWER.

time. His political friends are sand-Chancellor Andrews of the State uni- bagging him over the shoulders of Tom versity denies that he ever said lying Dennison in a most unmerciful fashion. Last Sunday the twin brother of the World-Herald, the Lincoln Journal, pubshould have entered his denial more lished a screed written by a delegate to and this can only be secured through the late democratic state convention which slashes the sheriff right and left in the following manner, under pretext of pulverizing the Omaha republican

Power is not objectionable to Dennison During the incumbency of the latter the open gambling schemes of Dennison have flourished as they have never flourished be-Judge Sedgwick's qualifications for the part of the sheriff. This applies not only merce. A department of this kind, it is cially to exports. It is true that the volume the supreme bench were duly attested to the skin game known as policy, but also when the present judges of the supreme to the assembling of a lot of other skin such matters as tariffs and reciprocity. court unanimously endorsed him for the games, such as wheels of fortune, chuckaluck, hazard and similar seductive means of It is rather amusing to note the awful lar pool selling. It is probable that if the ment such as is proposed may become contortions of the local democratic yel- management of the races, which is Tom Dennison, had contented itself with the sellings during the Ak-Sar-Ben carnival in tent was made an all-round gambling re- of commerce would promote our comview of the fact that these race per- sort with all sorts of gambling devices run- merce there should be no opposition to formances were under the direction of ning in plain sight of the tent, some people its creation. one of the reporters of that hypocritical have yielded to the conviction that the

sheriff was overlooking something. This onslaught is followed promptly authorities charged with the enforcement of law and suppression of crime. If the fool friends of Sheriff Power

STILL FAVORS REVISION.

Representative Babcock of Wisconsin. who recntly returned from Europe, says that his observations abroad have strengthened his conviction that there should be a revision of the tariff. He said in an interview with the correspondent of the Philadelphia Record: "What I saw and heard in Europe in reserved only to strengthen the views I are born. have long entertained, that our tariff should be revised to meet new condiclusive." Mr. Babcock stated that the tion of the United States, but he thinks against American competition, because the law and in spirit it is difficult to European nations cannot agree upon distinguish between the motives of the their own tariffs and therefore certainly two classes of law breakers. could not agree upon lines that would effect combination among them.

It does not appear probable that Mr. Babcock will be able to secure any con-associations did not aid the strikers as for personal profit. Congress, however, siderable republican support for his had been expected and promised. This,

tant feature of the speech is that relat- would have a tendency to disturb busi- out. ing to the tariff. In regard to this the ness and check prosperity. Doubtless platform says: "We stand by the his- Mr. Grosvenor voiced the general sentitoric policy of the republican party in ment among republican representatives.

DENNISON, THE ROGIE MAN.

You have to go away from home t

relations to the commerce of the world. This is about as true as all the other We endorse the policy of reciprocity as political fakes that emanate from the the natural complement of protection inner sanctum of the yellow journal. and urge its development as necessary It is a matter of notoriety that Judge stead of inviting the democrats into theirs. to the realization of our highest com- Vinsonhaler owes his position to the mercial possibilities." Mr. Cummins active intervention of Mayor Moores in said that his faith in the principle of the convention that nominated him two protection has rather increased than di- years ago. It is an open secret that minished, but he clearly indicated that Mayor Moores is as warm a supporter he thinks monopolistic combinations of Judge Vinsonhaler now as he was dent.

articles produced by such combinations live in the Fourth ward, where Judge on the free list, because the effect of Vinsonhaler has been conceded an unthat would be to annihilate many an contested delegation, when if there were does not regard a revision of the tariff opposed to Vinsonhaler, but that may be .. 25.850 as a remedy for the evils of the trust. just his way of helping him.

publican candidate for governor is in quire why Dennison is constantly kept entire accord with the policy that has before the community by the popocratic islands, but he has absolute confidence controls one ward, and it controls it just from its hippant and conscienceless methods that their people will receive just treat- as much in the democratic and popument, that they will enjoy the liberty listic primaries. Surely nobody conguaranteed by American institutions versant with Omaha politics contends grace. condition. This is what is being done, South Omaha or in the country pre-

which has been inaugurated will be Is not the bogie business decidedly The situation could not be more a plaything in the hands of Tom Den-

A DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

Another effort will be made at the calamity has been passed without the next session of congress to create a new least financial or business disturbance, executive department, to be known as Why is it that republican nominations thus demonstrating how strong and sub- the Department of Commerce, with a stantial are the conditions upon which secretary who shall be a member of the often expressed his high admiration of the the national prosperity rests, the new cabinet. The proposition has been be people of the south. In his "Life of Thomas administration at Washington is pledged fore congress more than once, it has H. Benton" he pays a superb tribute to the to make no departure from the policies been urged by business interests, parinaugurated by its predecessor, the out-look is most favorable for continued approved by the last republican national thusiastic praise. We may expect him to have been false hopes. progress and greater prosperity. The convention in these words: "In the in- be the president of the whole people. policies and principles of the demo- terest of our expanding commerce, we Let us be thankful for the reasonable state.

| policies and principles of the demo| cratic party in regard to national af| fairs have been utterly discredited by scratch his ticket, but no republican has a right to scratch h the cabinet."

The advocates of the proposed new department urge not only that it is re-Sheriff Power is in hard lines this quired in the interests of our growing foreign commerce, but is also necessary Precious Legacy Left to the Nation and Purchase exposition. to relieve existing departments. It is said that the multiplication of duties in several of the departments, especially the creation of a new department. The president is understood to approve of with commerce, such as navigation, statistics, customs, immigration and steamboat inspection would undoubtedly be fore without any pernicious interference on transferred to the department of com-We have not thought a new department robbing the credulous speculator around the necessary and certainly there has been race track in this city. All of these games no great difficulty experienced under exwere carried on in a tent at the driving isting conditions, but it is easy to unpark during the races, along with the regu- derstand that sooner or later a departing of pools, no one would have felt called creation now would not be premature. upon to protest, but when the pool sellers' If it can be shown that a department

encounter at every turn of the road is, Where was he on last election day? He admits full knowledge of the conspiracy to ditch the republican ticket in on election day at least to exert his influence to save the ticket? Suppose a member of the fire department had knowledge of impending incendiarism, would be not be expected to be ready with at least one bucket of water when the fire was raging? Would a fireman who shirked his duty at such a time

have the audacity to ask for promotion? courts while other laws stand the test of highest judicial scrutiny is apt to make certain people suspicious. It is in corporation legislation do not happen invariably by accident. The corporation

law will not have any effect on Nelaw. The man who sets fire to a build-

association complains that other labor

ohter members of the ways and means question whether the other labor unions The republican campaign in Iowa has committee, will meet in Washington in are at fault it appears more than likely pened and will be vigorously pushed November to discuss the question of a Mr. Shaffer mistakes the effect for the until the election, the result of which is possible change in the tariff schedules cause. That leaders of other organizaof course a foregone conclusion. The re- and it is probably safe to predict that tions considered the strike lost from the publican ticket will be elected by per- the decision will be against making any first is probably the reason they dehaps the largest majority in the history changes. Representative Grosvenor of clined to enter actively the fight. A of all republicans. Not the least impor- a measure as Mr. Babcock proposes ers there was good reason for keeping

> tain for themselves what it has to offer. eastern press has printed.

From Front to Rear.

Philadelphia Ledger. Even in Nebraska the populists are glad to get into the democratic wagon in-

The Strenuous Life.

New York World. President Roosevelt worked nine hours n his first day in the White House. No 'watch-the-clock" man ever became prest-

Girdling the World.

Buffalo Express Arbor day as celebrated in the United States will be introduced in Russia this month under the auspices of the Imperial Hortfcultural society. Spain was the first followed two years ago.

Put on the Quick Lime.

New York Sun. The day of the so-called "yellow journalism" is over. It will struggle to regain now turn from it with loathing. It was conceived in dishonor and it dies in dis-

Shake Hands with Yourself.

Chicago Chronicle. George Francis Train, with all his oddihis eccentricities had become so pronounced rates of commission. steadfastly adhered to and earnestly overdone in representing that the republas to inspire doubts of his entire sanity he the Chinese in their own country.

Southern Greeting to Roosevelt.

Atlanta Journal. soldiers of the confederacy and their noble chieftain, Robert E. Lee. Very recently he

whom it will have cause to be proud.

ADMONITIONS OF PROSPERITY.

by the Late President.

The figures of American foreign trade the treasury, renders relief imperative which were published a day or two ago came at a time of tragic fitness. The tomb had only just closed its portals upon the dust of him who had been called "the ad- be erected by the Daughters of the Convance agent of prosperity" when these sta- federacy of Palestine, Tex. The city has the proposition in a general way. Just tistics appeared, demonstrating that that granted a site at the junction of two prinwhat present bureaus would be included appellation had been amply justified, for cipal streets. in such a department has not been under his administration the nation had enclearly defined, but all that have to do loyed not only an unprecedented revival of the anniversary of the death of the duke prosperity, but an uninterrupted growth of of Wellington, who died September 14, 1852, it without a single fluctuation, until it had and also on the anniversary of the death reached a point sever before even ap- of General Montcalm, who was killed Sepproached. The figures in question are those tember 14, 1759, at Quebec, pertaining to our foreign trade, and espesuggested, could also take charge of of exports is not invariably an index of do- He has organized a new company and what mestic prosperity. But in the present case ever it makes will be applied, after the pay circumstances make it safe to regard it as such. The details of the statistical show- indebtedness of the old organization. ing need not be repeated here. The salient fact is that our exports, which were \$906 .-000,000 a year five years ago, have been increasing steadily until they are now \$1,500 .-000,000 a year, an increase of more than 50 imperatively necessary and perhaps its per cent. It is a fitting tribute to the "advance agent of prosperity" that such was the case, and that in the last twelve months of his life this country exported more than in any twelve months before in Buffalo city hall and on the train which all its history.

That, however, is not the most important consideration in the case, nor is it the most precious legacy left to the nation by the late president. Prosperity has its perils as well as its advantages, not the least of which is the danger of forgetfulness. The end gained, men are prone to forget the means. In the exultation of enjoyment South Omaha. Why was he not on hand they are in danger of forgetting those things which are far more important than mere enjoyment or the prosperity whence it proceeds. In this most gratifying report of national prosperity there is, then, an admonition to the nation against declining toward that evil condition in which "wealth accumulates and men decay." There is no necessary connection or sequence between wealth and decay. A rich nation may be a sound and virtuous one. But there is need, if such is to be the case, of keeping much in mind the importance of cultivating other The fact that scarcely a legislative act things than mere pecuniary prosperity. of Nebraska which adversely affects There is in our richest state of high proscorporations can be sustained in the perity just as much need of cultivating a virtuous national character as there was when we were a poor and struggling nation with almost no capital but character.

We shall do well, therefore, to couple not that the courts are influenced by invariably our rejoicings in "McKinley proscorporation favor so much but bungles perity' with emulation of what we may term the McKinley character. The maintenance of the McKinley policy in technical exerted upon the old world industrial lawyer in the legislature sows the germs ship to look after. But the maintenance conditions by American competition has of a deadly disease when the measures and the wider extension of the type of personal character and individual citizenship was Commodore Paulding, second in comwhich McKinley exemplified are matters of Insurance men insist the decision concern to every person in the land. It is tions. Indeed, I regard that as con- which holds invalid the anti-compact a great thing to sell \$1,500,000,000 worth of in New York many women in that city are to be a united, harmonious, law-abiding days as "a tribute to the memory of our European manufacturers, particularly braska business. The companies had nation, commanding the confidence and the those of the continent, fear the competi- long ago devised a plan to evade the esteem of all the world. Best of all is it with loving devotion and domestic fidelity." to have every individual member of the na- The Daughters of the American Revoluthere is no danger of any combination ing to secure the insurance also ignores tion intelligent, industrious, public-spirited, tion in the same city wear a miniature virtuous and generous and kindly in his stag on the left breast for thirty days. relations with all men. Emerson in an often quoted passage admonished us that the test of the nation's greatness was not in statistics, but in the kind of man it produced. McKinley, part of his prayer for the new President Shaffer of the Amalgamated Under McKiniey's policy and administra- chief magistrate being as follows: "That tion we got the favorable statistics beyond our expectation. We also got from him a every respect for the welfare of the people fine example of the kind of man the country quitting at once hunting wild animals of should produce. It will be well for us to the forest for the energetic hunting down should build and operate this cable as proposition. It is reported that Speaker in brief, is his explanation of the loss regard the latter no less earnestly and of the two-legged savage beasts left roam-Henderson, Mr. Payne, Mr. Dalzell and of the strike. Without discussing the practically than the former.

Time for Common Sense

Senator Allison of Iswa, one of the six way of a law to suppress anarchy which composure of the American wins confidence. or seven commanding figures in the upper would fall little short of becoming a men. In fact, it is the ability of the American to house of American congress, has expressed ace to free government. It is fortunate change himself to meet the circumstances Ohio stated a short time ago that a large portion of the strength of such an the fear that, in legislating against an- that more than two months must clapse of the hour which gives him an international The opening speech of the republican proposition to revise the tariff would organization lies in its prestige and if archism, congress will go to an unwar- before congress can meet. By that time superjority in the fight for trade. The typandidate for governor, Mr. A. B. Cum- receive no consideration in congress, for there was good reason to believe they ranted extreme. The fears of the senator the country will have recovered its judg- reason to believe they ranted extreme. mins, will have the hearty approbation the reason that the introduction of such could not effectively aid the steel strik. are well-founded. All legislation having ment and its sense of proportion. Congress eral virtues which make the men of other its inspiration in emotion must be looked itself will not be inspired by an inflamed nations successful, and that ie why he surforward to with misgivings.

> The railroads have decided to continue assassination of President McKinley and is there is the more probability of rational strict nationality, can meet the world at the homeseekers' rates into Nebraska in a mood to strike blindly at anything actiom and other western states. Nebraska, at remotely suggestive of anarchism. The in- As Mr. Homer Warren has well said in a It is this composite man, this cosmopolileast, is more than willing to have those flamed and unbalanced state of public sent- communication published in another column tan citizen, who is fighting the battles of who are seeking a home come and ascer-wiment may be judged when a man of Bishop of today's issue of The Free Press: 'There American triumph. He is not a Roland, a Potter's position and attainments declares never was a time in the history of the Siegfried or an Arthur, armed with superthat there is no such a thing as free country when good, sober, common sense natural weapons and fighting fantastic im-Nothing would suft Nebraska better speech. "It is licentiousness," he said, in was more needed than at present." It is ages, but he is a strong, practical, living than to have the actual conditions here an address before the New York Episcopal always needed, but it is needed most in a reality, with facts for his weapons and facts compared with the stories which the diocese. "Real free speech is an impossi- time of great national excitement such as as his foes, and in his results he is proving bility in decent society." Bishop Potter we are passing through at present. The himself a far more sublime here than any might as truthfully have said that there is man that throws oil upon the flames at this of the above celebrated creatures of tradino such thing as liberty; that it is all time is doing his country a sorry service, tion. license and liberty is impossible in "de- however excellent his intentions may be. In seeking to protect ourselves against cent society.

When a bishop of the Episcopal church anarchism let us make sure that nothing ecomes so excited that he cannot discuss is done that can give excuse for anarchistic a great principle of human government even propaganda. A law to punish or suppress coherently, to say nothing of discussing anarchists should be considered as judicially public opinion is in a bad way.

it intelligently, it is evident that the state and as dispassionately as Abram Davenport, in Whittier's poem, discussed the act If congress were to meet tomorrow we to amend the act regulating the shad and should undoubtedly have something in the alewife fishery.

SAMPLE TRUST OPERATION.

of Promoting.

Philadelphia Times,

PERSONAL NOTES.

President McKinley's death occurred or

George H. Phillips, the little Napoleon

Captain Christian Rath of Jackson, Mich.,

who supervised the execution of Mrs. Sur-

rat, Paine Herald and Alzerott, conspir-

ators in the assassination of President Lin-

Lieutenant Louis Hamilton of the Four-

teenth United States infantry, who com-

manded the special guard of honor at the

took Presiden. McKinley's body to Wash-

ington, is a great-grandson of Alexander

President McKinley was one of the trus-

his death is the third which has occurred

in the board since its last meeting. The

other two were Hon. William Wirt Henry

of Virginia, who died on December 5, 1900.

and William E. Evarts, of New York City,

celebrated Hermitage under its first master.

He was born on the Hermitage farm soon

Several wagers were made in New York,

last Saturday, on the result of the races for

the America's cup. They were only small

ones, but showed the way the market is

The prevaling odds were 100 to 75 against

Shamrock. One wager has been made by

a well known yachtsman, he laying \$1,600

against \$500 that Shamrock would win one

race out of the series.

mand to Farragut in Mobile bay.

who died on February 28, 1901.

ees of the Peabody Education fund, and

Hamilton.

executive council.

JUDGE JERE WILSON.

A Flood of Light Thrown on the Art A Few Incidents in the Career of the Noted Advocate.

One of the ablest lawyers reared and The most astonishing revelation in the grand art of promoting is made public by cian of the old days passes from the stage | ports amounts, in exact figures, to \$1,500. stockholders in Tripler's Liquid Air com- with the death of Juage Jere Wilson at 613,236. How marvelous has been our pany. This inventor of what seems actually Washington. He was a product of the prosperity during the last five years to be very ingenious machinery made a lec- pioneer life of Indiana and was one of the ture tour of the country exhibiting liquid famous group of state builders which inair to the populace as a curious novelty, cluded Harrison, Morton, Hendricks, the reduction being largely in the exports The four was antecedent to the formation Thompson and Holman. Though 73 years of copper and in iron and steel, and it of a stock company. The inventor allowed of age he was apparently in robust health also probable that, were it not for the himself to fall into the hands of promoters when the summons came, being actively en- enlarged demand for American wheat, made and his machine was incorporated with a gaged before the naval court of inquiry as necessary at the present time by the Eurosenior counsel for Admiral Schley. capital of \$19,000,000 in the distant Terri-

tory of Arizona, Mr. Tripler accepting the Judge Wilson was one of the most interpresidency of the company for \$2,500,000 esting personages in the local life of Wash- excess of our exports over our imports for worth of the stock and a salary of \$12,000 ington, where he has resided for a score the six fiscal years ending on June 30, 1902. year. Half of the stock was distributed of years. He was a congressman from to the directors as a douceur for the use of Indiana a generation ago and was in his such names as those of Senator Jones of intellectual prime when stricken down. Nevada and "Steve" Dorsey, while what re- A fighting man he was forty years ago cations, are not likely to receive, but a mained was put in the hands of a firm of and was a firm example of the fighting law- fractional portion of this met balance passed ties, had some excellent notions. Before brokers to be sold to the public at liberal yer to the end. But he fought with brains, not with fists. In 1867 he was a circuit Europe has paid her great debt almost Liquid al; was to be the motive power of judge in Indiana and announcement had lican organization of Douglas county is abandoned the habit of shaking hands with the future, the propeller of locomotives and been made that there was to be a prize the people whom he met. When he wished automobiles and the legitimate heir to all fight in Franklin county, which was a part to be cordial he shook his own hands before the titles and honors now enjoyed by ice. It of his judicial district. Sporting men and his friend, which he said was the custom of is said that about \$2,000 shares of the stock fight fanciers were gathered from all parts were sold at prices well below par, bringing of the United States. One of the contestin about \$250,000 in cash. A large part of ants was Joe Coburn of St. Louis, who had this amount was used in advertising the a national reputation. The other was good Truly, the McKinley era was wonderful. stock and for paying commissions to the enough to give promise for a fight. brokers. Nearly all the rest was appro- those days the law took notice of prize velt will be a narrow sectionalist. He has printed in paying the salaries of officers and fighters in a way that did not prevent the in installing a large exhibit at the Paris fights. The men who proposed to fight were exposition, where crowds assembled to see the feats of legerdemain which the attendants performed with frozen atmosphere, left the court room to have their fight anywere fined for their bloody intentions and

Judge Wilson assumed the task with entire President Roosevelt is a charter member of an affray you intend having. I propose all!" fining you I will sentence you to three

King Oscar of Sweden is considering a | months in jail." tenished that they were dazed. Coburn a lovely golf suit. proposition to send one of his sons to this country to represent Sweden at the Louisi-President Roosevelt is five feet eight

"Say, that little judge has an awful reach inches tall, weighs 185 pounds, has a chest for such a little fellow." This put a stop to public prize fighting in measurement of forty-two inches and keeps himself in almost athletic training. He Indiana for many years; in fact, for good

does not smoke and prefers simple food. Judge Wilson set a fashion of judicial Dewets. A monument to John H. Reagan, the last treatment, which others could not ignore survivor of the confederate cabinet, is to and it has been too much for fighters to In the conventional accounts of Judge

Wilson's career it is usually written that he served two terms in congress and was beaten because he took his share of the salary grab. He served only two terms. but was not a candidate for re-election. He took the salary grab all right, but this career as seriously as the fact that he was gerrymandered out of his district and thrown in with the great objector. Helman of the corn pit, is up and at 'em again. thrown in with the great objector, Holman. He was not a candidate. ment of salaries, to the liquidation of the

most at the national capital, where he was identified with numerous important cases. As a cross-examiner he was regarded as one of the best. He was a keen reader of a faculty that served him coln, is anxious to go east and work the well in handling witnesses and juries. Some lever that will end the career of Czolgosz. years ago he was defending a contractor accused of defrauding the government, and patriot. as the case developed the law and the testimony seemed to be closing around his client. The prosecutor, anticipating victory, was elated, and the presiding judge could scarcely conceal his satisfaction. when Mr. Wilson made his appeal to the jury no calendared saint wore a brighter crown of glory than that with which he invested his client.

The judge's charge was not auspicious for the defendant, but the jury remained out a surprisingly short time. "We find the defendant not guilty," they

reported. Judge and prosecutor were astonished. A picturesque character of the south has The judge, addressing the defendant, said: just passed away in Alfred Jackson, the "Though it is my painful duty to discharge body servant of President Andrew Jackson. you. I cannot refrain from congratulating He was 96 years old and his death removes you upon having retained so eloquent an the last of the family of servants of the advocate!"

Turning to the jury, the court added But it gives me pleasure to discharge after General Jackson made that beautiful you, for a more unconscionable jury never dragged a verdict through a temple justice!"

WHY AMERICANS SUCCEED.

Vital Elements of Progress Blended in Their Make-Up. Baltimore American.

what is it that is making this country to successful? It is the American citizen.

Major Hiram Paulding, who has just died But, what are the qualities that make the file turn pirate fust you know.

When I laid abed so late:

He said that pic was good for boys.

An' candy made 'em grow;

Ef I can't go back to gran'pa's

Fil turn pirate fust you know. at White Plains, N. Y., was a grandson of American citizen? Since he is a cosmopoli-John Paulding, one of those who captured tan product, he has cosmopolitan character- He let me take his shotgun. morseless aggressiveness of the English is added the nervous energy of the French, and to this is added the stubborn, plodding and persevering practicality of the Country Major Andre in revolutionary days. Major istics. If to the self-confidence and re-Paulding won his title in the civil war. morseless aggressiveness of the English is added the nervous energy of the forman, and to this is added the stubborn, plodding I'm goin back down to gran part and to this is added the stubborn, plodding Where they ain't afraid of noise Where they ain't afraid of noise At the suggestion of a prominent woman tion and independence of feeling that is peculiar to this soil, there can be found in He wasn't watchin out fer words goods in twelve months. It is a better thing wearing a badge of mourning for thirty the mixture some idea of what constitutes the mixture some idea of what constitutes
the American. He is all the world in one.
Having been evolved from the blood of all
nations he is a composite type with some

He wasn't watchin deter words
I hadn't orter speak;
He told me stories 'bout the war,
An' Injuns shot out west;
On, I'm goin' down to gran pa's,
For he knows what boys like best. beloved president, who made home sacred of the characteristics of each. That is why He even run a race with me he is such a wonder to all. Every nationality recognizes in an American something akin to itself, and at the same time it sees so many things totally dissimilar. But it the superabundant variety and the same time it sees. Around within a mile: Father Luigi Sartori of St. Joseph's Catholic church, Midland, Md., held services in connection with the death of President is this superabundant variety which makes Oh, gran pa was a dandy the American such a power. It is that vary the American such a power. It is that very peculiarity which provides him with his I he may prove a courageous president in marvelous adaptability; and it is adapta-bility, linked with persistent enterprise, which is making him a king-lion in the world-field of commerce.

I bet you gran pa solute, I don't care what you say; I seen him kinder cryin'
When you talk to me of heaven, When you talk to me of heaven, ing free about this vast civilized country," | Experience shows that the stolid tem-

perament of the English makes enemies where the gay, rollicking humor of the American makes friends. The nervous high temper and impusiveness of the French arouse hostilities where the well-balanced public rentiment, accuated by a desire for passes each one taken separately. By his There is no denying the fact that the revenge rather than by a judicial con- universality he can meet the world at all nation has been rendered hysterical by the sideration of the necessities of the case and points. The others, on account of their their specialized point alone.

M'KINLEY ERA IN TRADE.

Balance Sheet of the United States with Foreign Countries. New York Sun.

While the government fiscal year ends on June 30 and statements of trade and business are usually computed as beginning and ending on that date or upon the first day of the calendar year, the government Bureau of Statistics makes the happy announcement that the exports of merchan dise from our country for the twelve months ending on August 31 last have, for the first time in a similar period in our country's history, exceeded the billion and trained in the central west and a politi- a half dollar mark. The value of the ex-

It is true that during the past year our exports of manufactures have decreased pean crop fatlures, the general sum of ex ports would show a considerable reduction It is highly probable, nevertheless, that the will amount to not far from \$3,000,000,000

It must be again admitted that we have thus far received and, from present indito our credit abroad, in actual money. entirely in the return to us of our own securities, which she bought from us many years ago. After making all allowances, however, the balance sheet of the United States with foreign countries during the six years ending June 30, 1902, will be unique in the financial history of the world.

FLASHES OF FUN.

Brooklyn Life: Father-Then I have but one more question to put to you. Have you een my daughter play golf?

Lover-I have sir, but I love her still.

way.

When the prosecuting attorney asked for the sentencing of Coburn and his antagonist because they were preparing to fight

Judge Wilson assumed the teak with

Detroit Free Press: Here the man married, for he was a-weary of working.
"A better half is better than no loa all!" he observed, not unphilosophically

Boston Transcript: Carrie-I believe yo part I can't see what you find in him at-tractive. He can't talk and doesn't seem to be wholly witted.

Chicago Tribune: "I see there is still some doubt," said Uncle Allen Sparks, "about the Scuth African championship for the season of 1901. It's about mip and tuck, so far, between the Kitcheners and the

New York Telegraph: "Della," said Mrs. Wanterby, who had some "nice people" to dinner and was trying to make an impres-sion. "It seems to me the coffee looks a sion. "It seems to me the coffee looks a trifle weak."
"It ain't the coffee's fault, ma'am," replied Della. "Tis too much crame ye put in it You ain't used to crame, ma'am."

Oblo State Journal: She-It is comforting to me to know that woman's hand rules the world.

He—Yes, but you must not forget that man's hand holds it much of the time.

Proprietor Two weeks' board and extras, \$230; that's right.
"The addition's right, but I've got more "The addition's right, but I've get more money than that."

Cleveland Plain Dealer: "The death of a Chicago woman aged 70 was caused by the fact that she persisted in wearing tight

Baltimore American: "Britannia rules he waves in war." we said to the Boer the waves in war." "Indeed? I thought Britannia waived the rules in wat." responded he, with some bitterness manifest in his speech.

Detroit Free Press: The baby keeps everybody awake.
"Why, even the carpet is without its nap since dear little Harold came!" exclaims the man, pointing to the path his feet have worn as he has paced to and fro.
But how inane mere humor becomes, in settings of tragedy such as these!

Washington Star: "Doesn't the train stop at Crimson Gulch any more?"
"Nope," answered Bronco Bob. "We got a tip from the government not to let any more train robbers escape. We done our hest, but we don't get any encouragement. Since we lynched three Pullman porters the trains run right through and don't even stop to whistle."

BACK TO GRAN'PA'S.

Sheldon (Ia.) Bun. 'm goin' back down to gran'pa's, won't come back no more I won't come back no more
To hear remarks about my feet
A-muddyin' up the floor.
They's too much said about my clothes
The scoldin's never done—
I'm goin' back down to grand'pa's,
Where a boy kin have some fun.

dug up half his garden A-gittin' worms for ball He said he used to like it When I laid abed so late

He didn't make me comb my hair

bet you gran pa's lonesome, guess I'll go to gran'pa's, An' we'll have good times, I kr