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Having decided on a lock canal it is high time to grab the pick.

The packers might offer as a vindication that they never manufactured limberger cheese.

Secretary Shaw favors smaller dollar bills. The present ones are hard enough to find.

It is a safe guess that the congressmen who oppose a pure food bill are not eating everything offered them.

President Roosevelt might use part of that \$25,000 travel fund to follow up some of his threats against lawbreakers.

Mr. Jacob Gould Schurmann's compliments to Mr. Chancellor Day, and will the chancellor please put that in his pipe and smoke it?

Report says that Senator Depew is improving. It will be generally admitted that there is plenty of room for improvement in several directions.

A part of that travel fund might be used to good advantage following up Secretary Shaw and censoring his remarks before they are uttered.

David R. Francis is going to erect a fountain in the Kentucky town where he was born. We presume the basin will be of marble, with carved mint leaves in bas relief.

A Kansas patriot advocates another inch on the length of the tails of shirts as a means of enhancing the demand for cotton. This is a species of shirt waste that the average man will not endorse.

Carping critics are complaining because Mr. Bryan had a suit of clothes made in Vienna. As Mr. Bryan has been gone nearly a year it would seem that the critics expect him to come home in a barrel.

The St. Louis man who committed suicide because the fish would not bite seems to have lacked all the essential characteristics of the successful fisherman. By this last act, however, he landed one large "sucker."

A millionaire stove manufacturer in Kalamazoo pulled his son out of a \$10,000 automobile the other day and set him to work on the streets at \$1.50 per day. Every now and then an American millionaire shows evidence of not having been spoiled by his money.

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