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these things. We have in Nebraska the assurance of a splendid crop that will bring money into the state just as readily as coal, or iron or oil, and this assurance is a bulwark of hope and safety in a time like the present.

SENATOR COCKRELL is opposed to the United States Military academy at West Point. He considers the national school for military instruction a dude factory.

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What He Would Do. "What a lovely boy!" she exclaimed bending an enraptured gaze upon a pretty 5-year-old playing on the green turf at Riverside.

Griggs—No, and there isn't much prospect of it either. Briggs—Why, what's the matter? How did you go about it?

Griggs—Well, didn't you have any success? Griggs (gloomily)—No, except to make it a draw.

The Winner. A late archbishop of Dublin, noted for his originality and love of a joke, was one day walking along a road, when he came across three tramps lying on a bank by the roadside.

Uncle John, just how much gold do you use here in your business? The old man looked up and answered, with a twinkle in his eye: "Well, boys, let me tell you. When I started in, 15 years ago, I put a \$10 goldpiece into the vat, and I guess there's some of it left yet!"

His Favorite. Propinquity—She (sketching)—I suppose I could get your expression better if you sat a little farther off.

These Wide Brims. Willie—Say, can I have that straw hat of yours when you get through with it?

Still She Was In Favor of It. Mrs. Watts—What, you don't mean to say that you do not believe in Sunday as a day of rest?

His Summer Suit. Binks—Is that a summer weight you've got on? Chinks (in his new suit)—The tailor says it's an 18 months' wait.—Detroit Free Press.

So He Said. Friend—Well, Pileuth, how is the detective business? Old Pileuth—Looking up.—Chicago Tribune.

A Surprise. We'll crack the windows, mar the doors and ruin everything; We'll tear the paper off the walls—it's pretty nearly spring; We'll make the house present an awful picture of decay; It's time to go to smashing things—we'll move the first of May.

He—Why, I never have any sense when I'm in the company of a pretty girl. She—What a queer way of paying me a compliment, Mr. Sappy.—Truth.

One day during the period when Henry Cabot Lodge—now Senator Lodge—was a member of the house, a countryman and his wife were watching the proceedings on the floor from the gallery, one of the features being a speech by Mr. L. The old fellow had his eye on Mr. Lodge in evident admiration, and at last he turned to the man next to him for information.

More Foreign Complications. Briggs—How's that? Griggs—She says she will stay home from Europe.—Harper's Bazar.

For his repartees and witty remarks the pope has long been renowned. What, for example, could be neater than his remark about the English house of lords, which he made to the Duke of Norfolk during the latter's recent visit to Rome?

His readiness as repartee, however, was never more ably demonstrated than on a memorable occasion at Brussels several years ago while on Mar. Pecci he was filling the post of nuncio at the Belgian capital.

Making an Impression in Wax (Wax). Still it is rather as a humorist pure and simple than as a master of sarcasm that his holiness has become noted throughout Italy, and that he can thoroughly enjoy a joke even at his own expense is made clear from the following story, which was on every one's lips in Rome some time ago: In a newspaper article descriptive of his daily life the fact was mentioned that he always dined alone.

The Modern Way. Floorwalker—Good morning! You wish to do some shopping, I presume? Bride (with hubby)—Yes.

Great Success. Mr. Newmember—I have heard your drawings very well spoken of at the Art club.

Not Enough. Clerk—These remnants are in 5 and 7-yard lengths and very great bargains. Customer—They won't do. I want enough to make a pair of sleeves.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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The place we leave behind us will be awful to behold; An air of wreck and ruin will the premises in-fold. No other can awaken such a depth of dark dismay.

Except it be the house to which we'll move the first of May. —Detroit Free Press.

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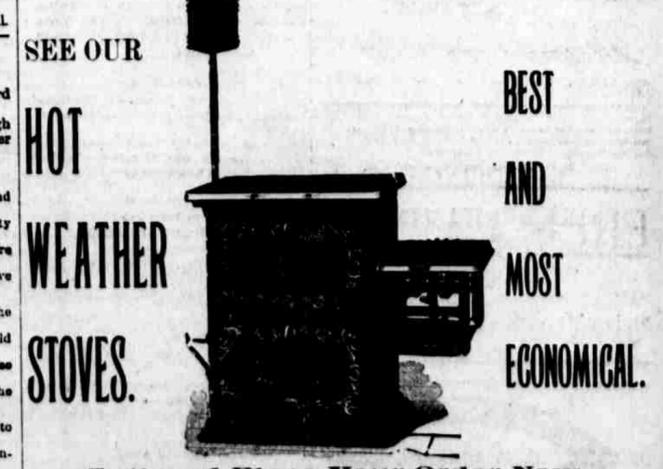
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