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We presume it will not be labeled tearoff reform.

"Wurds are good hwen backed up bi deeds, and onli so."

It seems quite natural that a Chili town should shake.

By the way, what is the reformed method of spelling white wash?

That Chicago bank failure is another instance of inspectorless inspection.

Speaking of spelling reform—how about that bad spell of "national honor" in 1896?

Mr. Rockefeller is discovering a false ring to the kind words he has been buying of late.

Mr. Rockefeller says we are too much in a rush. And even at that we can't get away from him.

Another trust company, this time in Philadelphia, seems to have been a victim of too much trust.

We presume that the president will permit us to have our orthography reviewed by the courts.

Congress is the 1906 outpost that democrats should capture in preparation for the battle of 1908.

After much labor the Cannon presidential boom has been launched. But not by organized labor.

The list of "guardians of national honor" who neglected to look after their own is growing at an alarming rate.

In the meantime Mr. Harriman is enjoying considerably more than a fat dividend on his Union Pacific stock.

President Roosevelt's latest reform didn't last as long as the Belgian hare fad, and at that it lasted as long as some of his others.

Mr. Sullivan denies that Mr. Bryan wrote him a letter. He is technically correct. Mr. Bryan inadvertently used the wrong preposition. The letter was not to Mr. Sullivan but was for Mr. Sullivan, and while it was addressed to Judge Thompson, it was intended for Mr. Sullivan, and Judge Thompson was asked to read it to him.

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