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The federal court has completely  
exonerated Senator Dietrich.

If this agitation continues the  
only safe place on earth will be  
the theatres.

With the democrats, just at  
present, it is not a question of  
which issue shall be paramount,  
but what shall the issue be.

Perhaps war between Russia  
and Japan is being delayed for  
the purpose of giving the Ameri-  
can meat trust a chance to catch  
up with their orders.

The remains of General Victor  
Vifquain have been laid to rest  
beneath the soil of his beloved  
country. He was a valiant sol-  
dier, a loyal citizen and withal, a  
man.

The great American people  
have a way of getting what they  
want. Just now they want The-  
odore Roosevelt to be president  
for another term and they will  
get him.

Mr. Rosewater has his axe out  
for District Attorney Summers.  
Mr. Rosewater brings this imple-  
ment into such frequent use, it is  
no wonder he so often has  
an axe to grind.

You can look in almost any  
direction and see a war cloud. The  
orient has a large black one and  
that which is looming up in the  
direction of the Isthmus of Pana-  
ma is not to be despised.

Senator Hanna has again been  
called upon to deny that he will  
be a candidate for the presidency.  
Of course not. He realizes that  
he who butteth his head against  
a stone wall is in danger of sud-  
den death.

People who live near Sugar  
Loaf Mountain in Kentucky are  
alarmed at rumbling noises and  
trembling of the earth, and fear  
a volcanic eruption. But after all  
it may be only another feud about  
to break out.

Mr. Bryan has as yet expressed  
no choice of a democratic presi-  
dential candidate. Perhaps Mr.  
Bryan remembers 1896 and has  
another "crown of thorns and  
cross of gold" speech up his  
sleeve.

The pages of history are full  
of surprises and the history that  
is yet to be made will probably  
contain some more. Among them  
may be the statement of the facts  
that Japan conquered Russia and  
Missouri went republican.

The democracy is having a  
hard time to find some ground  
upon which to stand in waging a  
fight upon President Roosevelt.  
To find a needle that had been  
dropped from a ship into the mid-  
dle of the Atlantic, would be an  
easier task.

The good road question is to be  
discussed in congress and a bill  
has been introduced providing for  
an appropriation to be apportion-  
ed among the states for the im-  
provement of public highways.  
If the bill passes Nebraska will  
get \$300,000—and we can use  
every cent of it.

Two immense timbers each two  
feet square and 110 feet long were  
shipped through the city the  
other day and they were billed to  
St. Louis. People wondered to  
what use they would be put, but  
it has now been made clear. The  
democratic national convention is  
to be held in that city and the  
timbers will be used to brace up  
the platform.

Mr. Bryan was accosted by re-  
porters when he landed at New  
York on his return from Europe.  
But he refused to talk. Of course.  
Mr. Bryan is an editor and it  
would not be likely that he would  
let other papers "scoop" his own  
periodical. If he did so, they  
would appear Commoner than  
ever when printed in his paper.

This has been a great year for  
farmers' institutes in Nebraska.  
Thirty such meetings have al-  
ready been held and forty more to  
come. The value of the farmer's  
institute can hardly be over esti-  
mated. The discussion of ques-  
tions of vital interest—to agricul-  
turalist is responsible in a large  
measure, for the great improve-  
ment in farming methods during  
recent years.

**Handicapped.**

Lord Goschen, who was recent-  
ly elected chancellor of the Univer-  
sity of Oxford, has for many years  
had to battle with extreme short-  
sightedness. When he was ap-  
pointed first lord of the admiralty  
his selection for the post was criti-  
cised adversely on account of his  
defective vision, but, as events  
have proved, his affliction has in  
no way impaired his success. Un-  
accustomed to spare himself when  
in office, he declined to have doc-  
uments read over to him, prefer-  
ring to pore over them in spite of  
the trouble the task occasioned  
him until he had thoroughly mas-  
tered their contents.

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**A FOOT AT THE HORSE SHOW.**

What You Go to See and Hear Ac-  
cording to a Reporter.

At the very portico of the gar-  
den one catches the volatile spirit  
of the horse show, writes Emery  
Pottle, in Everybody's Magazine.  
Boys are calling everywhere (they  
know what we like): "Get your  
programmes containing a full list  
of the box-holders. Buy a pro-  
gramme and find out who every-  
body is." Line upon line of car-  
riages block the way, their bril-  
liant surfaces reflecting hundreds  
of electric lamps. Superbly  
gowned women alight and hurry  
up the inclined passageway with  
the air of worldly obliviousness  
which is so much a part of the city  
dweller.

With inward humility, conceal-  
ing as best I may the fact that I  
am entering on a press ticket, I  
fall in behind a gay party. There  
is a girl of that slender, appealing  
delicacy of figure and frank level  
gaze of eyes which characterize  
the American daughter. I sup-

pose the handsomely constructed  
lady with her is her mother, and  
there, too, is her father, dispas-  
sionate, but with a whimsical ap-  
preciation of his position as a  
father and a captain of industry,  
which creeps into the lines about  
his shrewd, sharply cut lips. The  
girl is the last word of gracious,  
well-groomed, beautifully gowned,  
unreservedly expensive woman-  
hood. All about her are hundreds  
of her own splendid kind. One is  
struck with the utter complete-  
ness and cocksureness of these,  
his neighbors for a night, whom he  
knows vaguely and a little curi-  
ously as Society. It makes but  
scant difference how they got  
there—by way of wheat, or lands,  
or steel, or cotton, or steamboats  
—the result is eminently pleasing  
to behold. Personally I am glad  
of them and I freely acknowledge  
that this is their show.

**Real Proof.**

Real proof of the pudding is the  
state of your stomach a few hours  
after eating it.