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The early bird is out these days stirring in the garden, if purchase it may hook an early worm.

All the available teams are busy carting away the winter's accumulation of garbage and waste. The city is being cleaned up as rapidly as the force on the job can do it.

W. J. Bryan seems to have taken on another lease of political life, since his last birthday. A really great and able man dies hard.

All the help that can be gotten is being drafted into the yard work, and the job is being pushed as rapidly as possible. Evidently the contractors are anxious to get it done, and no avoidable delay will be permitted to interfere with its completion.

School house talk is waxing warm and a bit enthusiastic in certain quarters. It's a big subject and can well stand some debating. As there is nothing in the spring election to give spice and snap to the occasion, it can not harm to make the school building question the one around which to rally political enthusiasm.

The democrats are not altogether happy over their newly acquired honors. There are several serious duties attached. And to meet these satisfactorily is causing them to think sober thoughts more than they have been guilty of for some years. Reciprocity, tariff reform, the postal deficit, railroad rates, etc, all take on a different aspect now that they are in power and as a party will be held responsible to the country for results.

Twice within the last five years ha Nebraska occupied the proud position of being the third state in the union as a corn-producing state. The other three years Missouri was third, Illinois and Iowa hold first and second honors respectively. On winter wheat production Nebraska has alternated between second and third place, Kansas leading and Indiana being generally second. Nebraska alternates between fourth and fifth place in the oats column. These are the figures given out by the agricultural department. Corn production by years is as follows: 1906, 249,782,200 bushels; 1907, 179,328,000; 1908, 205,767,000; 1908, 194,660,000; 1910, 206,400,000. Wheat production: 1907, 45,811,000; 1907, 44,295,000; 1909, 49,650,000; 1910, 39,515,000. The man who can comprehend the significance of these figures, which show the tremendous wealth yearly taken from our soil, can understand just how little influence the question of a city or town's excise policy can cut in a business way.

**EATING AN APPLE**

"Do you know what you are eating?" said the doctor to the girl.

"An apple of course."

"You are eating," said the doctor, albumen, sugar, gum, malic acid, gallic acid, fiber, water and phosphorus."

"I hope these things are good, although they sound alarming."

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**TO BE CONVENTION IN MEXICO**

It is Rumored That Limantour is to Call One to Discuss Needed Reforms.

El Paso, Tex., Mar. 22.—A national convention in which all Mexico will be represented for the discussion of needed reforms in the government of the republic will be called within a few days by Jose Limantour, the Mexican minister of finance, according to statements made in Juarez official circles. This is believed to be the chief reason for the hurried return of Limantour to Mexico.

**A Brother of Madero is Ill.**

El Paso, Tex., Mar. 22.—Evaristo Madero, brother of Francisco I. Madero, leader of the Mexican revolution, is seriously ill with pneumonia at Montrey and two doctors have been called to his bedside from San Antonio, Tex., in consultation. The news is being kept from his brother, Francisco.

**Indicted 1,775 for Vote Selling.**

West Union, O., Mar. 22.—The Adams county election probe, which began December 13, ended for this term of court with the general report of the special grand jury. The report disclosed that 2,148 indictments have been returned against 1,775 persons for vote selling.

**Cabinet Meeting Called Off.**  
Washington, Mar. 22.—Because there were not enough members in Washington the regular cabinet meeting which was to have been held to consider the Mexican situation and the president's forthcoming message to the extra session of congress was called off.

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