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Sworn to before me and autacribed in my pre-ence this 2d day of March. 1895. (Seal.) N. P. FEIL, Notary Public. Well, Addicks had a long run for his

money anyway.

Never mind about 1792! We want to know more about 1895.

Japan evidently believes in learning in war to use peace wisely.

Walter Wellman says that Secretary Gresham is all right. Very likely. But Wellman was merely referring to the secretary's physical condition.

Is the State Board of Irrigation really trying to save money for the taxpayers by refusing to agree upon the employes authorized by the new irrigation law?

Delaware may be a small state, but the prospects are good for her being at the bottom of a good sized row before that little senatorial contest is finally settled.

The Sixteenth street viaduct has gotten to that stage where it will be in chronic need of repair. A new and permanent structure in its place will have to come sooner or later.

The list of aspirants for the lucrative sinecure known as the secretaryships of the State Board of Transportation will rival the great temperance petition soon if the appointments are much longer delayed.

Fiction travels faster than truth. There will be dozens of triplets named after the different members of the Cleveland family before the denial of the \$500 check episode has time to over-

cial interests of this country would THE MONETARY UNIT. The free silver advocates persist in profit thereby. But there are good the claim that from 1792 to 1873 the reasons for believing that no such ties who a monetary unit in this country was the union or combination of the Central question of silver dollar and they attach much im- American states as is said to be proportance to it. Because the silver dol- posed can be effected. In the first lar was coined before the gold dollar place feeling or sentiment play a very was they assert that the former was small part in the affairs of trade. Peonecessarily the monetary unit, ignoring ple will buy where they can do so to the justices of the court, the court will or allowing no significance to the fact the best advantage. In the second be expediting matters much more than that the act of 1792 distinctly provided place British financial and commercial is its wont. I It wook a longer time than for decision, and after a careful inveslar and that the value of the unit was to be measured both in gold and silver. As reported, Judge Vincent's conclusion is that "the value of both gold and silver are expressed in the act of 1792,

seventeen years later.

tain a bimetallic currency.

the second se

for the coinage of the ten dollar gold interests in Central America have so that for the first decision, and then piece or cagle and expressed the mone- firm a foothold that it would be ex- it was supposed to be hurrying in order tary unit in either gold or silver. A tremely difficult to dislodge them. The that the revenue officials might know of the world. controversy over this question between United States ought to have more of just how the law was to stand before two prominent citizens of Chicago was the Central American trade, but it will the limit set for the penalty for dereferred to Judge Vincent of that city hardly obtain any great additional linquency should arrive. The more tigation he has decided that under the of discrimination on the part of the and more carefully is it the custom of tigation he has decided that under the or discrimination on the part of the and more carefully is it the custom of took in the diamemberment of Poland and her more recent treatment of the Jews. British goods.

so we had two units of value," and this answers to the following questions: was necessary to establish bimetal-1. What is the present status of the ring

lism. In other words, the unit was and boss system in Omaha? from the beginning a certain weight of 2. Does legislative action, influenced by ingold as truly as it was a certain weight of silver, though the single unit was terested parties, hinder good city government

in the state and to what degree? not struck from gold till 1849, when 3. What do you think is the fundamental the coinage of the gold dollar was aucause of bad municipal government in the thorized. Even if it were true that the United States?

coinage of a silver dollar and These questions cover a very wide not a gold dollar established range. They reach to the very core of the silver standard it would still be the entire fabric of local self-governuntrue that the silver dollar remained ment. To diagnose the causes of bad the standard until 1873, for the gold government and discuss the factors that dollar was coined twenty-four years generate corruption and undermine the earlier and was not abolished until foundation of municipal and state governments would exceed the limits of an

But after all, what real importance editorial article. Our answer to the has this question of the monetary unit questions propounded must necessarily of a century ago in relation to the free be brief. silver issue now before the country? 1. The present status of the ring and Suppose it be admitted, for argument boss system in Omaha is the same as sake, that by the mint act of 1792 3711/4 that of all other American cities where grains of pure silver was made the opportunities for spoilsmen and boodlers monetary unit, what has that fact got are at their minimum. Omaha is by to do with the present question, with no means in position to boast a model the conditions most radically changed? municipal government, but at this day When the first mint act was passed the the boodle element and the bosses have relative value of silver and gold, as

less sway than they ever had and computed by Alexander Hamilton and Omaha may truthfully claim a lower other financiers of the time, was 15 to 1. average of jobs, steals and frauds upon They were not exactly correct, having taxpayers than any city of equal popuslightly undervalued gold, but they lation in the country. This is due deemed that ratio the most practicable chiefly to the unquestioned integrity of upon which to create and mainher mayor and the effective exercise of Now the veto power, backed by strong pubthe relative value of gold and lic sentiment. It must also be ascribed silver is about 32 to 1, presenting to the dread of exposure through the a very different state of affairs from glaring searchlight of a fearless press, which the question of the free coinage and lastly, perhaps, to the pressure of of silver must be considered. It was hard times which have forced econopossible under the old conditions of mies in the prosecution of public works supply of the precious metals to keep and consequent curtailment of con-

the relative value of gold and silver tractors' profits. Previous experience almost uniform, but that is not the has shown that in Omaha, as elsewhere, case now when those conditions have contractors and franchised corporations utterly disappeared, Forty-two years are the most prolific sources of municiafter the first ratio was adopted it was found necessary to change it, owing to

changed conditions. We of today, when the conditions are still more radically changed, are asked to open the mints to the free coinage of silver at a ratio established sixty years ago. Such a proposition is manifestly absurd and wholly indefensible. We of today must deal with this question from the standpoint of prevailing conditions, without reference or regard to what was done interference has gone so far in many

Some similar agreement seems im minently necessary between the parorcitedly discussing the silver coinage.

If a decision his reached in the in come tax rehearing by May 20, or with less than two weeks of advisement by amount of this commerce as a result important the case the more slowly

It is true that this being a rehearing the justices have merely to revise their QUERIES ABOUT MUNICIPAL REFORM, opinions already formed. Nevertheless A student of municipal government at the public must not be surprised if the one of the Wisconsin colleges requests court on May 20 announces that it will the editor of The Bee to favor him with take still more time to consider the income tax cases.

Lot Well Enough Alone.

Globe-Democrat. The United States is growing faster and minding its own business better than any other first class nation in the world.

Suppose His licalth Was Good,

Kanana City Journal. The Colorado man who became angry is debate and exferminated a school bears was 5 years old and an invalid. If he has been young and vigorous there would prob-ably have been some serious damage done

> Porter's Terse Opinion. Cleveland World.

The treasury deficit after ten months of business under the Wilson bill is \$45,000,000, The tinkering genius which evolved that tomfool measure bears about the same rela-tion to statesmanship that a hole in the ground does to architecture.

Earning lits Salary.

Denver Republican.

Secretary Morton has once more diverted his giant intellect from the study of en-tomology long enough to write a letter, this time to Mr. J. A. Cherry of Denver. We can state firmly, though not officially, that Mr. Morton is making a noble effort to earn his solary. his salary.

Spanish Barbarism New York Sun.

New fork such. In the Spanish Cortes the committee on Cuba has reported in favor of the infliction upon captured insurgents of penalties simi-lar to those suffered by convicted anarch-ists. In the last Cuban insurrection death was the doom of all prisoners taken by the Spanish traces and as may be learned Spanish troops, and, as may be learned from the official records, the victims num-bered 43,509! No wonder that, at this time again, the news is withheld by the Havana authorities.

The Brightening Outlook.

The Brightening Outlook. Springfield Republican. Rains throughout the west brighten the crop outlook. Wheat holds the recent ad-vance and other staples are firm with sugar, leather and a long line of products joining the upward movement, some on speculative manipulation, but many on more legitimate factors. The over-enger-ness of labor, particularly in woolen manu-facturing, to get back the old rates of wages is not helping the situation through strikes, but on the whole the prospects of business are very bright.

The Roster of National Poetry. New York Sun.

New York Sun. After taking another retrospect of the native poetry of recent years worthy of contrast with the works of genius of other ages we conclude that to the two poems men-tioned by Mr. Dana in his recent address at pal corruption. 2. There is no doubt that the inter-ference with legislation by parties in-terested in preventing the enactment of laws that curtail their privileges or re-strict their opportunities for enriching themselves at the expense of the gen-eral public has contributed largely to the inefficiency of municipal govern-ment and the general demoralization of municipal and state governments. This interference has gone so far in many

SNAP SHOTS.

THE RUSSIAN SQUEEZE. MASTERS AND MEN COMBINE

Chicago Tribune: If Japan was about onefourth the size of Russia the latter wouldn't be offering it any advice, New York Advertiser:

New York Advertiser: Japan, like Cuba, may not have the sympathy of the United States government, but both have the cordial Experiment in the Labor World Which Will sympathy and good will of the American peo-

JOINT MOVE FOR BETTER CONDITIONS Kansas City Star: Russia is inclined to crow over what it regards as a diplomatic

Be Watched with Interest,

Competition for the Bosses-Novel

Experiment in the Indus-

trial World.

outside of the Pittsburg district, to secure

At the Youngstown conference between

Manhattan Railway Mortgage

Handed Over to that Firm.

NEW YORK, May 9 .- The Central Trust

company, trustee of the consolidated mortgage

It is known that large blocks of the south

Railroad company, recently listed on the New

gan & Co. and August Belmont & Co. were the successful bidders last February.

APPLIED TO THE GRAND JURY

Senator Goebet Likely to Le Indicted fo

Slaying Sandford.

considerable excitement today at Cov-

CINCINNATI, May 9. - There

ington, Ky., over the

victory in forcing Japan to agree not to de mand any of the Chinese mainland. It is It is Higher Wages for the Employes and Fairer hard to see wherein the victory lies, Japan was clearly made the victim of bull-dozing by three of the most powerful nations

New York Times: Russia's tender regard for "those principles on which rests the con-cert of civilized nations," and her agonized fear lest Japan, by violating them, should imperil the progress of civilization in the

and the Merchant Bar Iron Manufacturers east, almost make one forget the part Russia National association has entered into a combination to secure for the iron workers of Chicago Times-Herald: Irritating, possibly the country better rates of wages and for alurming us it may be to the rest of the world

and cruel and humiliating to Japan, the monemental fact of the international situation today is that Russia rules the east. The late Prof. Seeley wrote that "the English empire has two gigantic neighbors. Russia manufacturers has been formed, principally in the east and the United States in the west." The neighbor in the east is a mov-

England?

remunerative prices for iron products, and The neighing enemy, bent on aggression. incidentally to give the workmen better but in the west has had little reason to be a friend. What is to be the outcome for wages than are now paid, which are admitedly too low.

IOWA PRESS COMMENT.

the Amalgamated association and the valley iron manufacturers an agreement was en-Des Moines Leader: To the making of de tered into by the Merchant Bar Iron assoelsions upon the liquor laws of Iowa there seems no end, and the confusion is getting ciation and the Amalgamated association to worse and worse. A short time ago there was a decision in the western part of the advance the puddling scale 10 cents, provided the nonunion and underscale mills of this city could be forced to pay the same price. state that an Omaha firm could not recover for liquor sold by sample in Iowa, and now comes Judge Branan, at Davenport, with a The strike in six mills of this city at the

present time is the result of this agreement. The Pittsburg puddlers are not only striking decision to the effect that a Louisville firm could recover under much the same state for the present scale rates, but if successful will make it possible for all the iron workers of facts. Sioux City Tribune: After the next legisin the country to secure an advance of 10

The manufacturers may be willing to grant lature shall have voted to resubmit the ques-tion putting prohibition into the constitution of Iowa, those republican newspapers which are now maintaining a deathly stillness about prohibition will generally be found

a uniformity of labor cost throughout the country. The Cleveland convention will probably propose a puddling rate of \$4.75 per ton, and possibly \$5. The finishers are to be advanced also, but not in proportion urging its adoption. This is not an assur-ance without foundation. The record of former action on a former similar occasion to the puddlers. Should the plan succeed upward of 50,000 iron workers will be beneis conclusive evidence to any man capable of discerning his own interests. fited. President William J. Smith of the Ameri-

Davenport Democrat: Iowa is in the advance guard of all progressive movements, can Flint Glass Workers union, in discussing the industrial situation, said: "The move-ment to secure better wages will not be conand lowa women are, of course, included in the front rank. The women of this state have not made their influence felt to the fined to any one trade, but will be made by full extent, for the reason that their effort has been scattered rather than consolidated. all. The time has come and the worker will have an inning. The restoration should be made, and it will be the best thing that Their clubs have worked independently rather than in unison, except in a few in-stances. They demonstrated what united efcan happen to this country at the p fort can accomplish when they enlisted in the Russian famine movement three years MORGANS BUY UP MORE BOND!

ago, and again when they prepared for a special exhibit at the World's fair. Mon important in some respects than either of these efforts, is the convention of women's

THE MUZZLED PIE-MEN.

cent bonds issued under that mortgage to retire the New York Elevated 7's. idministration to discipline the officeholders on the money question is now apparent. How will they be disposed of? Will belief in bimetallism be treated as offensive partisanship? Cincinnati Commercial: Federal officeholders may talk all they choose to about and

for sound money, but if they dare to open their mouths about free sliver, and to advocate it, they will lose their heads. This i civil service reform with a vengeance.

Springfield Republican: This (letter to operations. The sale of the Manhattan rail-Governor Stone) is held to convey a note warning. It is construed to mean that federal the street has had definite information. officials who devote their energies to advo-cating the free coinage of silver and other ern railway securities, both bonds and stocks. financial schemes, under an administration which is doing all in its power to maintain the country on a sound money basis and counteract the work of depreciated money advo cates, are in some danger. They "must no be surprised if they are seriously dealt with Evidently Governor Stone has entered com plaint against somebody.

ing under ingratitude and injustice. The pub-

elsewhere, will learn with pleasure from the

while he regards the question of "decent be-

havior" on the part of federal officials toward

and breeding," there is a limit to his for-

sident's letter to Governor Stone,

in Maryland, as well as in Mississippi and

Baltimore Sun: People have long noticed been sold in London by J. P. Morgan & Co. Cable advices also announce the sale in the these things and have commented upon the once and long suffer same market of the \$3,250,000 New York City

TRIFLES LIGHT AND BRIGHT

Detroit Free Press; "Miss Oldflirt carries her years well, doe.n't she?" "You must bear in mind that she has thrown nearly half of them away."

Judge: Mr. Fosdick-I want good tea. Is that genuine Bohen? Honest, now? Mr. Feck (as he weighs it out)-Yes, sir; I will guarantee it. I believe that honest I will guarantee it, tea is the best policy.

Life: Miss Summit-Mr. Jagway called on me last night, and I think he had been drinking. Miss Pallsade-He told me this morning that you looked beautiful.

Detroit Tribune: Manager-What is the character of the play you have written? Playwright-Very bad. I made it to meet the taste of the times.

PITTSBURG, May 9 .- The Amalgamated Association of Tin. Iron and Steel Workers

Chicago Record: Weary Wiggins (hand-ing dipper)-You look dry. Here's a drink of water. Wayside Husks (waving the dipper away) -What's the use of spoiling a good thirst like I've got?

Tammany Times: Texas Justice-You ad-Tammany rimes: Texas Justice 1 ou ad-mit you stole the pig out of the pen? Col-ored Prisoner-Yas, I admits I stole de pig, but I wus hongry, an' I didn't have nuffin' ter eat. "Pork reacher," said the judge, with tears in his eyes, as he chaiked him down for two years. the manufacturers fair competitive conditions against the mill operators of the Pittsburg district, who have been working their employes at low wages. An association of

Atlanta Constitution: "Editor made any collections lately?" "No, poor fellow! Hu borrowed a shorgun, but nobody would credit him for buckshot."

Washington Star: "You seem very un-comfortable," said Mrs. Cayenne, "I am exceedingly uncomfortable. I have something on my miad." "Ah? Then it's no wonder."

Philadelphia Record: Phunniman-Why s a man with lots of relatives quick at

repartee? Wigwag-Give it up. Phunniman-Well, you see, he is always ready with an aunt, sir.

Chicago Tribune: "Caroline!" roared Mr. Lamperjaw, at the top of the stairway, "this shirt you'ye laid out for me isn't fit for a tramp!" "You are right, James!" screamed Mrs. Lamperjaw from the back parlor, "Twe of-

Lamperjaw from the back parlor, "I've of-fered it to three and they wouldn't take it!" Indianapolis Journal: "Paw," asked

Indianapolis Journal: "Paw," asked Tommy, "is it swearing for a man to say "by grab?" "Whom did you hear saying it?" asked Mr. Figs. "Old Mr. Gotrox." "I hardly know in his case. It looks a good deal fike profanity when a man sweare by his religion." a much higher advance if they can secure

SHE COMES. Syracuse Post. Syracuse Post, With broad-brimmed hat, And parasol; With tanned gloves that Would fit a doll; With laugh and smiles And pouts and tears; On meadow stiles, On ocean pieze: On ocean piers; Who loves to write On ream and ream; With appetite For rich ice cream— Hey, give a cheer. You lusty clown; Your summer girl Has come to town!

A BIKING LOVE SONG.

Harpor's Bazar. of the Manhattan railway, has delivered to Oh, come, my love, and blke with me; The moon is in the sky, We'll wheel through all eternity; Messrs, J. P. Morgan & Co. all of the 4 per-Together let us fly.

We'll take the steep hills hand in heud, And on the thank-you-marm Your lover true, pray understand, Will keep you far from harm. The last of the block of \$8,925,000 has been deliver d to the banking firm. Negotiations for the sale of these bonds in the London

market were completed some days ago. The But if perchance you tumble off, And blacken your sweet eyes, Though all the world shall jeer and scoff, I'll tumble off likewise. exact amount of American bonds sent abroad by this firm since the sale in Europe of a large amount of government 4's taken by the

hond syndicate cannot be ascertained, as they I'll smash my head for your sweet sake, I'll break my neck for thee, I'll take a header in the lake, No matter how muddee, naturally refuse to disclose the extent of their oad bonds is the only transaction of which

If you will only take your wheel Out on life's rough turnpike. And, come what may, of woe or wear, With me, your lover, bike.



clubs meets at Cedar Rapids this which week. Cincinnati Enquirer: - The purpose of the

take the original story.

Men have very convenient memories when they are put upon a witness stand. This truth is being exemplified once more in the testimony adduced in the trial of the suit against ex-Treasurer Hill and his bondsment.

Income tax collectors might secure a few pertinent hints if they examined the sworn statements of some of the signers of the official bonds of state and local officers as to the value of their property free from debt.

If Prof. Laughlin should finally decline to accept the invitation of Mr. Bryan to discuss the question of free silver with him perhaps Mr. Bryan can be induced to engage in a debate with himself on his favorite topic.

If it is true that Mr. Cleveland is writing a treatise on political economy he can't associate any more with Mr. Choate. Mr. Choate has just made public announcement that he wants nothing to do with political economists

Dr. Parkhurst has been giving Phila delphia a little talk on the conditions necessary to improved city government. Not that Philadelphia has not an abundance of local Parkhursts! But there is nothing like an occasional inspiration from the only original.

Nicaragua is naturally not most hap pily disposed toward the British govermment and things British. If American manufacturers and exporters do not take advantage of the opening to extend their trade in Central America they will be neglecting an opportunity of rare occurrence.

What difference does it make whether we had national free coinage of both gold and silver in the United States in 1792 or not? We haven't free coinage of both gold and silver anywhere in 1895. In 1792 the market ratio of silver to gold was approximately 151/2 to 1; in 1895 it is 30 to 1.

Unless the street car tracks are extended to the state fair grounds Omaha will lose a large portion of the traffic which would naturally flow into the city from visitors to the fair grounds. It is not merely a question of expense over the suburban railroad tracks but the inconvenience of changing cars that will deter thousands of people from coming into town to do their shopping.

Pressure is being brought to induce the Board of Education to continue the teachers' training school despite the large deficit in the funds at its disposal. The training school has furnished desirable berths to several special favorites who are loath to retire or to return to the work of teaching the regular grades. The question before the board, however, is not whether particular persons shall be given employment, but whether the taxpayers' money shall be expended in support of an educational luxury of doubtful utility and still more doubtful legality.

ne hundred years ago or at any subs instances as to absolutely abrogate the quent time. The free silverites will taxing powers of city and state and gain nothing for their cause by appealshift the burdens which should be borne ing to ancient history, any more than equally by all property from the shoulthey will by persistently claiming, in ders of wealth upon the backs of the the face of an indisputable record, that producing classes. the silver dollar was surreptitiously demonetized in 1873.

nicipal government in the United States is the lamentable lack of moral stamina, CONSIDERING RETALLATION. integrity and self-assertion upon the The government of Nicaragua has part of the great mass of citizens. You obtained the money, through popular cannot expect the stream to rise above contributions, necessary to pay the inits source. You cannot expect or hope demnity to Great Britain, and it is for purer and more honest municipal govsaid that the money will be paid in a ernment so long as the mass of voters few days, the arrangement being that is corruptible or subservient to corrupt the liquidation shall be made in Loninfluences. Dr. Parkhurst never thrust don. It is creditable to the patriotism a more caustic barb into the corrupt of the people of Nicaragua that they body politic than when he declared on thus came to the relief of the governhis recent visit to Chicago: "If your ment and relieved the country of the city was to purge the avenues of corhumiliation of having its principal ruption and elect unpurchasable men port occupied by a foreign force, and to the city council, your richest men they will gain in the good opinion of would act like a hen with her head the world by this action. It is evichopped off." There would be no dence that the people of the little rebribery in city government if it were public are not without a strong not profitable for the franchised corponational spirit. Not only have they rations and contractors on public works by this patriotic course brought to an to invest their money in municipal lawend a very disagreeable affair, but they makers and city officials. have probably also prevented what The keynote of reform should be threatened to be a serious disturbance

sounded in the great club houses, where of the domestic peace. A strong poputhe corporate managers, lawyers and lar feeling was developed against the their mercantile favorites most congregovernment for having acceded to the gate. So long as they are allowed to demand of Great Britain and there conspire against the honest taxpayer was danger of a revolt, but this will and conscientious citizen there is little doubtless be allayed. It is to be prehope for real reform. sumed that no considerable number of the people will now be disposed to By the law creating the present make trouble at home, after a portion

Board of Fire and Police Commissionof their countrymen have with most ers the appointment of its members is creditable patriotism satisfied the devested exclusively in the governor. mand of the foreigner and sent away Had it been intended to make his aphis warships. Such action makes an pointces subject to confirmation by the appeal to the patriotic sentiment of the city council it would have been thus country which it must be believed asprovided in the statute. As a matter sures peace within its borders.

of fact, a proposition of this kind was The payment of the indemnity will brought before the recent charter redispose of the most serious phase of vision committee as a charter amendthe trouble between Great Britain and ment, but failed to be received with Nicaragua. There is something more the least favor. If the council by virto be settled by arbitration, which will tue of its authority to approve the be adjusted without any irritating and bonds of members of the commission humiliating demonstration of force-in already had a veto on the governor's this matter a demonstration more huappointments to the board such a promiliating to Great Britain than to posed amendment would never have Nicaragua. But while the payment of been thought of. the indemnity money will practically

end the international issue it will not When the crop of 1895 shall have restore the good will that the Nicarabeen harvested and the farmers, cattle guan people formerly felt toward Engraisers and dairymen have products land. All the advices declare that the that can be marketed for cash, Omaha popular sentiment in Nicaragua is very will experience a marked improvement bitter toward England and that it is in all branches of trade. In other shared by the people of the other Cenwords, the reaction from hard times tral American states. A policy of comwill set in when the people of Nebraska mercial retallation is said to be freely have something to sell. But people proposed, in which all those states will who insist that we must push ahead be asked to unite. The plan is to do crops or no crops are simply wasting everything possible to exclude British their energy. They should remember goods from Central America and it is that a fellow cannot pull himself over suggested that existing feeling will the fence by his bootstrans. probably result in commercial gain to

the United States. In arguing the income tax cases be If such a union as is talked of were fore the supreme court the counsel formed and its purpose faithfully car- for the government announced that in ried out by all the parties to it British his discussion of taxes he would not interests would pay dearly for the go further back than the twelfth cencourse of the government toward Ni- | tury, and the opposing counsel agreed caragua, and undoubtedly the commer- to stop a few centuries short of that.

Unless some new peril to national traditions springs up the jingoes will be forced to give their mouths a rest.

A shrewd Boston merchant is turing the jingo sentiment into cold cash by advertisthe administration largely "a matter of taste ing American made goods. The overwhelming silver sentiment which

3. The fundamental cause of bad mubearance. There is a wholesome suggestion supposed to exist in Chicago developed here that the same Jacksonian firmness which 4,200 votes when put to the ballot test. has distinguished the president in his treat-If Mr. Bryan shoots his conundrums at the agricultural division of the administration he ill not be obliged to pause for a reply very

long. The matrimonial annexation of the house of Hanover to the Romanoffs taught the lat ter how to ring in a cold bluff on a weaker nation.

ash.

A New Orleans lady is trying to start a conversation class among the ladies of Chi but finds the task of getting of explanation in edgewise exceedingly diffi-

A college education again proves its value in an emergency. Rev. Richard Cobden, a New York minister, gave a fleeing thief a Lincoln, May 14.

fostball trip and laid him out, much to the delight of the crowd and the pursuing police. clare a 40 per cent dividend as soon as the supreme court makes the necessary order. The Coloradoar who objected to the meth-While the B. & M. agent at Gretna was at dinner a sneak thief entered the depot and ods of the Tarryall school board and emphasized his objection by killing the three carried off about \$12 in cash from the money members, is 65 years of age and an invalid. If his physical condition had been normal drawer.

A bolt of lightning struck the house there is no telling the extent of his built W. H. Beckett at Pilger, but the only damage in evidence was the melting of the runmovement in coffins. A charter has been granted at Albany to

the East Newport Farmers' Produce Manu-facturing Company, Limited, of Huntington, in town the schools at Sterling were closed "the for a week. Now the scare is over a farm the children have returned to their studies. L. L. which proposes to enter upon Now the scare is over and manufacture of cabbages and other farm A man named Anderson, charged with products." Another rival to Connecticut' woolen nutmeg industry. cattle and horse stealing in Thomas county, The chief of the New York penitentiary who jumped his bail, has been arrested near

for forty-five years regards the Oklahoma stand trial for his crimes. terror as a mere novice in villainy, a "crim-nal sloh" who is much less dangerous than A mad dog bit a valuable horse and a dog inal slob" on the farm of John Ackerman, near West some of his companions. But Bill is un-Point, and the animals were attacked with rmed and his range is restricted. hydrophobia. Both were killed, but the

extradited from Argentine, is the Napoleon of his class. His chief characteristic was a philanthropic fervor with which he wormed himself into the good graces of pious day school in the state is entitled to one delecopie and then robbed them of their surplus gate, besides its superintendent and pastor In the fifteen years of his swindling career he made away with 17,000,000 and despolled thousands of families of their savings. of the The police census of Buffalo shows a struck by some flying marked gain over the federal returns of 1890. sl The total is \$35.70%, against 255.664 five years do

ago. Several causes have contributed to this substantial gain An population, chief of The little daughter of Henry Brolhorst, reaiding near DeWitt, climbed upon a wagen loaded with cornstalks just as the flames which are mammoth railroad shops and the timulus of electrical development at Niagara from a burning straw pile were driven by the wind into the stalks. The horses ran away falls. The cost of buildings now in course construction in the city aggregates and the girl was given a wild ride for half a \$11,009,000. mile in the midst of burning stalks. When William Ogden Giles, who lives at Kingsthe team was stopped by a neighbor the little

Ellly Bryan's Great Enap.

Monros to Mr. Giles' grandfather, General Aquila Giles, who was on General Washing-ton's siaff. The wrapper bears the autograph-James Monroe. Never was a state put to a greater test

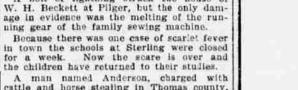
than that which now confronts Massachu-setts. Shall particitism yield to art, or vice versa? The decorator of the new house of representatives declares that the sacred cod-fish, which hangs above the speaker's deck, is out of harmony with the surroundings and should be removed. The issue thus raised promises to create a tempest unequalled since the tea party of long ago. fish, which hangs above the speaker's desk, is

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

Billy Bryan's harangue to the followers of "Coin" and Hokkins and his ex-office-holders at the North Side Turner hall Sat-urday last, after blowing off its froth and setting down to the beer in amounted to this and no more: his mus He want

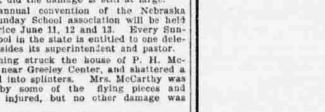
Baking Powder



where Bill Cook has taken a suite of rooms Westerville and taken back to Thedford to

Jabez Balfour, the British swindler recently dog that did the damage is still at large

The annual convention of the Nebraska State Sunday School association will be held at Beatrice June 11, 12 and 13. Every Sun-Lightning struck the house of P. H. Mc-Carthy, near Greeley Center, and shattered a bedstead into splinters. Mrs. McCarthy was slightly injured, but no other damage was



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ment of improper measures may soon find appropriate and useful scope in dealing with treacherous and unworthy officeholders. NEBRASKA AND NEBRASKANS.

The First National bank of Columbus has creased its capital stock to \$100,000. The Cuming County Sunday School asso

clation will meet at Beemer May 17, 18 and 19. The annual meeting of the Epworth league

of the state will convene at Grace church, The broken Bank of Verdigre will

Goebet trgedy of last month. The friends of Sanford made no efforts at the coroner's inquest or the preliminary hearing, both of which exonerated Senator Goebet, and it was generally thought the matter was

dropped. Today Sanford's friends produced all available evidence to the grand jury and it is generally conceded that Senator Goebet will be indicted. The direct cause of the shooting was a vicious article in the Covington Ledger. Senator Goebet was believed to be the author of the article.

Call for a National Bank Statement. WASHINGTON, May 9 .- The comptroller of the currency has issued a call on national banks for a statement of their condition a the close of business May 7.

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