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Now that the war at Beatrice has been settled the Nebraska militia is again available for foreign service.

bread.

Bryan objects to a Rough Rider cambroncho is likely to disarrange any ex- in this matter would secure the appro- of Bryanism.

Nobody ever suspected before that Towne could keep silent so long as to his intentions with respect to that Sioux Falls nomination.

When Iowa men find reptiles in their tirely honorable and is in the interest beer and Pennsylvania men swallow of the world's peace. If the United lizards with their water the ordinary States can avert war between China man must be at a loss to know what to and the civilized nations it will accom-

THE PRESIDENTS PROPOSALS. tion to the entirely reasonable condi-

thein for the liberation of the legation- prosperity. ers, the protection of foreigners and the

restoration of order. These are perfectly fair conditions. STATEMENT OF CHRCULATION. State of Nebraska, Douglas County, ss: George B, Tschuck, secretary of The Bee Publishing company, being duly sworn, says that the actual number of full and complete copies of The Dally, Morning, Evening and Sunday Bee, printed during the month of June, 1900, was as follows: As shown that it is able to communi-thas shown that it is able to communi-cate with other governments, therefore it can certainly comply, if willing to do so, with the first and second conditions the month of June, 1900, was as follows: As a national organization proposed by President McKinley. It is As a national organization proposed by President McKinley. It is has shown that it is able to communi. he does not look to the Bryanite party they may be of service to the democratic proposed by President McKinley. It is nothing from Tammany hall. I expect probable that it would find some diffi. nothing from the populace that govern culty in placing the imperial authorities our great central cities. I expect nothdition and in this would be the principal south, though the solid south contains test of its ability and willingness to now many honest and patriotic men. meet the demands of the situation. If I expect that what is to be done for erament is still strong enough to cope eran statesman declared that the free- finement. with the revolutionary movement, Such dom and equality which had been evidence would raise the question why lodged by the republican party in the mined effort to repress the uprising. ment can de nothing in the direction of Bryan and the men he would bring into mediation without the assent of the power with him shall have their way." other powers, but as hone of them is at war with China it would seem that as party in the expectation that the sucsent to mediation will not be refused if cess of the Bryanite party would help it shall be shown that the Chinese gov- the cause they represent are deceiving ernment is acting in good faith. This, themselves. Senator Hoar is right in however, is at present doubted in Eu. the position that the republican party. rope. The comments of the Berlin as the party of freedom and justice in newspapers upon the proposed media. the past, can be depended upon to still frozen reception. Web made guite a jump tion show the prevailing opinion there uphold freedom and justice and to rec- in order to become one of them to be that the Washington authorities tify any mistake it may have made. are being misled by the Chinese. This The party whose dominating element may prove to be the case, but pending disfranchises millions of American citifurther developments in regard to medi- zens in the south cannot be trusted to When those rival democratic county ation it is not necessary that the powers do justice anywhere, while its success committees get together harmony will shall halt their military preparations. would have a most damaging effect

he so thick that it can be used to butter These should go on as vigorously as if upon all domestic interests. The attithere had been no suggestion of media. tude of Senator Hoar is a stinging rebuke to the "anti-imperialists" who are tion and undoubtedly will. Perhaps it was not to be expected that making war on the party they formerly says: paign for the reason that a bucking the position taken by our government acted with and laboring for the success failed." Yet Roosevelt was a pretty good

> bation of all Europe. There is a good CART BEFORE THE HORSE. deal of jealousy abroad respecting the When the city council of 1899 submitinfluence which the United States is exerting. There are Europeans to whom American prestige is not pleasing. But the position of this government is en-

the cart before the horse. The charter expressly provides how may have had since the Kansas City convention. the works are to be acquired by eminent domain. The first step must be the ap-Bryan and the Camera Fiend. pointment of appraisers and the ap-Chicago Times-Herald. An exchange says "the camera fiend is calendar was adopted it is likely for a long than in the past. These utterances are in annoying Bryan." This is a mistake. Bryan time to withstand the march of progress. dications of such a union praisement of the works. If the mayor plish something of immeasurable value and council are satisfied with the ap- has yet to see the camera he is afraid of. It is correct enough and the inconvenience praisement the question of ratification especially when he has his farmer sult on, does not worry the Chinaman in the least. is to be submitted, together with a and he keeps rigged up in it most of the PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE. proposition to issue bonds for the pur- time now. chase price. In New York City there is a maximum Wool Growers' Paramount Issue. Instead of following the plain letter St. Louis Globe-Democrat. of the law the council of 1899 fixed the A farmer in Nebraska says he bought amount of bonds at \$3,000,000 without ,000 Cleveland sheep at \$2.25 a head and the patronage of the office to advance any reference to any appraisement. If the sold them as McKinley sheep at \$4.35, yielding a profit of \$4,200. It isn't easy now to personal ambition I hereby announce, with water company were actually willing to fool an American wool grower on the paraaccept \$3,000,000 for their property it is mount issue. doubtful whether the bonds voted could

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After setting up a great howl that the

ocratic press is forced to admit the fake.

Bryan was invited to attend at the same

and discriminating German-American about should be able to use them in the If the Chinese government seriously citizens can be misled by the democratic campaign. There is no denying the fact lesires mediation it will offer no object fustian about imperialism and militar- that during democratic administrations ism. They know that there is absolutely public documents did not furnish any tions proposed by President McKinley. no danger of such a condition and no argument for the party in power, but re-Proceeding upon the inference that the basis whatever for the outery of the publicans are not responsible for demimperial government has given no eu- Bryanite party. They are a very prac- ocratic incompetence.

couragement to the revolutionary move- tical people and are enjoying their share ment, the president urges that the gov- of the prosperity that has prevailed durernment give public assurance whether ing the last three years. This experithe foreign ministers are alive, and, if ence has vindicated their judgment in poses that the imperial government shall ago and it is not conceivable that they put the diplomatic representatives of will stultify themselves this year by ments and remove all danger to their the slightest doubt that the great ma- once, while Bryan delayed until this late perial authorities of China in communi- element of our citizens will vote next tion. Now that democracy has had its calendar differs from the Gregorian. cation with the relief expedition, that November for the maintenance of the customary howl it probably feels better. co-operation may be secured between gold standard and the continuance of

FAITHFUL TO THE PARTY.

Senator Hoar is a profoundly earnest

in communication with the relief expe. ing in that direction from the solid of his long imprisonment. This reads is divided into twelve lunar months, called When Geronimo was one of the star guests at the Omnha exposition two the imperial authorities can be placed freedom and justice in the future is to years ago he showed no signs of physical probably according to some system too in communication with the relief expe- be done by the party that stood for free- or mental decrepitude and was certainly subtle for western minds. The months are dition it will be evidence that the gov. dom and justice in the past." The yet- not suff ig from any hardships of con- subdivided into three parts, which are not

It is a audable ambition for the Neit has not made an earnest and deter. constitutional fortress of the American publican campaign, but they will have people "will not be disiodged unless the all they can do to take care of their own but foreigners are gradually teaching the Of course the United States govern- southern democratic supporters of Mr. end of the contest,

> A Sort of Kentucky Election. Men who turn from the republican Cleveland Leader

We are not at war with Chica. The powers are simply holding a sort of Kentucky election over there.

#### Missouri Democrats Unkind. Washington Post

It is really unkind for those Missouri democrats to give Hon. Web Davis a

Will Not Surprise Roosevelt. Chicago Evening Post.

It probably will not surprise even Roose velt to learn that the way he is conducting himself is not pleasing to the democrats. He is not on the ticket to gratify them.

#### New Verb Coined. Brooklyn Eagle

There is a new verb in the Press-Knickerbocker and Albany Morning Express. It "Croker's attempt to Roosevelt Hill Hill man-at San Juan.

# Will Allay Hill's Fear.

Chicago News A society for the prevention of premature ted the question of issuing water works burial has been incorporated in New York. bonds to the voters of Omaha it placed This is very opportune and will relieve

David B. Hill of an uncomfortable fear he

## THE CHINESE CALENDAR.

Possible Reason Why Dates in Cable Dispatches Are Confusing. The sojourner in the far east is some

times driven to wonder why the Chinese have a calendar at all, says a writer in the New York Tribune. They view the the temperance question two recent

passing of time with superb indifference; nificant events. At a session of the Young People's union of the Universalist church a punctuality, if such a thing were ever to enter into the Celestial calculation, would prohibition resolution was voted down on Grand Army of the Republic reunion be regarded as undignified. Neverthless, the ground that it violated the legitimate was to be made a republican affair and they have a calendar which is by no means liberty of the individual. Hitherto in ecso, in what condition. He further pro- voting against free silver four years that Bryan had been snubbed, the dem- a bad one when one considers its immense clesiastical conventions these who have not antiquity. A wise monarch named Yao believed in such resolutions have been too no real expectation of being elected to the some time about 2300 B. C., revised the apt to keep ellence, allow the resolution presidency, the Boston Herald casts about calendar in use before that date to the to be carried without objection and then for the cause of his political persistency the powers in immediate and free com- giving their support to the cheap-money time President McKinley's invitation form in which it is found at present. A disregard it as quietly as they acquiesced in The Herald might have reflected that by munication with their respective govern- and anti-prosperity party. We have not was sent out. The president accepted at volume would be needed to explain all its it. peculiarities, but now that dispatches are men who believe in temperance, and do not pastime of politics not only diverting, but mentioning Chinese dates it is as well to believe that prohibition is the best method profitable. He makes it pay. Something lives and liberty: also to place the im- jority of this intelligent and practical day to answer the committee's invita- have some idea as to wherein the Celestial of promoting temperance, are beginning to like an accretion of \$200,000 in the space of

The Chinese year is lunar, and therefore | belief.

The national campaign of the people's consists of 354 days. Before the time of Yao tradition has it that the year con- ist young people is a recent address deliv- sion at which he practices of business at independent party is to be directed from sisted of 360 days and that confusion had ered before a number of soldiers at Fort which he labors, it really isn't bad. Yet resulted. That ruler decreed that time Meyer, Virginia, by Rev. Teunis S. Ham- Bryan is a very busy man in his way. He the national headquarters at Lincoln. There will be nothing national about it. should be measured by the moon and that lin, the well known Presbyterian clergyman not only tells the poor man how to get which do not impose insuperable difficul. anti-expansionist. He thinks that the however, as the people's independent every nineteen years should contain seven ties upon the Chinese government if it is president and the republican party have party will not have tickets in the field additional months-almost one extra month still capable of exercising authority. It made a mistake in the Philippines, But except in a few western states, in which every three years. This reckoning is ex- marks from the New York Times: ellent; it varies only about an hour every nineteen years from the true time.

> Although the year is lunar its beginning is regulated by the sun. Thus the new

year comes between January 2 and February , unlike the Mahometan new year, which is The latest is that Geronimo has gone regulated entirely by the moon and comes stark mad as a result of the confinement at any time, winter or summer. The year well, but sounds like another fake, by numbers, as first, second and so on. The extra month that comes about every three years is not added at the end, as one improve upon it. It has improved the would suppose, but is inserted anywhere, onditions of the soldier, morally and materially. army posts I believe the canteen is a good thing and a great benefit to soldiers. again subdivided, so that a Chinaman may

published in Leslie's Weekly an article on exact time within ten days. The days are braska fusionists to want to run the re- also numbered, so that exactness may be secured if a Chinaman should ever happen does not abolish the canteen, but simply meaning of such a division. The Chinese hour is 120 minutes long, but in this instance again the foreigner is making some impression on the ancient custom, and the

> shout twelve hours ahead of New York in point of time.

ycles, as Occidentals do, but for some exraordinary reason the cycle consists of sixty years. This cycle is very ancient and probably has something to do with old astrological superstitions. Another method of numbering years is by the reigns of the emperors. The present year is the thirtysixth year of the seventy-sixth cycle, or the year 4536 since the adoption of the present chronology. Each year has a separate name, formed by some combination of ten "stem" characters joined with twelve "branch" characters. These are used in an ingenious way that could be described only by a lengthy article, and would probably then be not quite intelligible to the western mind To go straight to anything is impossible to

at the time when Yao reformed the calen- itself a characteristic of the highest moral dar, and that the two countries worked to- sanity. When common sense and courage gether in making the change. Certain it is are mated in opposition to intemperance an intellectual woman?

that a similar event occurred in Chaldea, there will be a reasonable hope of more about the same time. But whenever the practical methods and more rapid progress "One who can say goodby to a friend without holding the screen door open twenty minutes."

tion to the canteen or all advocacy of pro-

cause of temperance."

SENSIBLE TEMPERANCE.

#### Sensible Views on a Timely Tonic by a Leading Religious Journal.

The Outlook The Outlook welcomes as indications of erably, as they always have, and the people would turn again, as Senator Hoar does, to a return to same methods of dealing with the party that stands not only for freedom and justice, but for efficiency. sig-

BRYAN'S REAL GOAL.

the democrate have only criticisms to offer

Asked to think out a constructive scheme

and put it in operation they would fail mis-

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#### Aiming for White House, but Expects to Land in the Senate.

Cincinnati Commercial Tribune. Arguing from a hypothesis that Bryan has We are glad to see this indication that authentic report Bryan has found the get the courage of their convictions, and four years, outside the large expense aco show themselves willing to avow their count of extensive and luxurious travel. beats being president. For a man without Analogous to this action of the Universal- visible means of support in way of profesof Washington, D. C., on the question of the rich without work, but he furnishes a discanteen. We quote the report of his re- tinguished example of how the process is personally performed.

"I am a trustee of the Young People's So-But that is a bit beside the question. The ciety of Christian Endeavor, but speak now Herald passes over Bryan's profitable in as an individual, as the society is not al- vestment of personal magnetism in profeslowed to interfere with anything pertaining sional politics. It looks further for the adto governmental regulations. No doubt ditional loadstone and finds it in a prossome members of the society are opposed pective United States senatorship from the to the canteen and some are in favor of it. populist state of Nebraska. It is an old believe the canteen is a promoter of tem- trick of the expert political marksman to perance, and, while it does not promote aim at the top of the target in real design total abstinence, it is a great improvement upon about the second or third area of inover previous conditions. I do not think fluence, surveying from the top.

BUILT FOR FUS.

Under existing conditions at Chicago News: "Flossy is so supersti-"She is?" "Yes; when she wears her death's head

Almost simultaneous with this address is hatpin she always wears her horsesh scarfpin and her wishbone hair ornament

the canteen question by an ex-member of the cabinet. He defends the legal opinion of the attorney general that the act of 1899 does not abolish the canteen, but simply "How do you know?"

prohibits the detailing of officers and sol- her collar off."

Chicago Post: "Who is your favorite author," asked the fluffy summer girl. "Confucius," answered the distinguished Chicaman. "All our people read him." "Confucius?" she repeated. "Why-er-what magazine does he write for?" judgment and yet not be justly subject to the censure which the "temperance wild

men." as Dr. Crosby once felicitously called them, have heaped upon him: "Courts fre-quently decide cases erroneously and their decisions are reversed by appelled courts fre-foculed the plano wretchedly. "I hope my daughter's playing didn't disturb you hast decisions are reversed by appellate courts." night."

He believes that the attorney general's decision is not only presumptively good law, since "no judge or member of the bar of ing, but they didn't stay long." reputation has come forward to challenge

reputation has come forward to challenge its correctness." but is good morals also. He says very truly: "It is probable that a majority of the people of the country, in-cluding almost every officer of the regular and volunteer army, believe that the entire

and volunteer army, believe that the entire abolition of the canteen features of the post

Philadelphia Press: "I speak for the 'Solid South," cried the democratic erator, "On election day Bryan will have all the whites with him." exchanges would be a direct blow at the We call these ut-"And the next day," cried a voice in the crowd, "he will have the blues." terances indications of a return to sane methods of dealing with the temperance question, not because we think all opposi-

Chicago Post: "I understand there are eleven presidential tickets in the field al-

bibition is insane, but because the spirit which condemns all advocacy of the canteen are only two really in the field, with the Oriental, and the complicated system of as advocacy of intemperance and counts numerous others that merely think they every opponent of prohibition as an enemy are.

temperance is decidedly lacking in of temperance is decidedly lacking in sanity, and the spirit which submits to such misrepresentations and is silent for fear of them is lacking in that courage which is itself a characteristic of the highest moral

Chicago Record: "What is your idea of

the canteen is perfect, and I think I could

speak of an event without mentioning the

diers to do the selling and the maintenance of separate establishments within the posts by private enterprise; he shows that the attorney general might be incorrect in this Chinese in and near the treaty ports are

familiar with the western method. It may be added, incidentally, that Pekin is dust

The Chinese gather the years together into

genuity.

Of late years it has been supposed that the Chaldeans and Chinese had some intercourse

drink.

pansive smile.

Nebraska's great trust-smashing attorney general is so anxious to bequeath a few more suits to his successor in office that he cannot decide which octopus to tackle first.

Attorney General Smyth would doubtless have proceeded against the Nebraska end of the Starch trust some time ago had it not been for consideration for his dear friend, J. Sterling Morton.

The Bee's question, why more than \$175,000 of money belonging to the taxpayers of Douglas county should be on doctrine, why should not the same logic deposit in the banks without returning apply with equal force to the vice presi-1 cent of interest to the treasury, is still unanswered.

Nearly 20,000 children were enrolled in the public schools of Omaha during the school year 1899-1900, being the highest aggregate on the records. Another mark of substantial growth in a prosperous community.

No new business enterprise need hecitate to locate in Omaha for fear of the difficulty in procuring suitable quarters. If the stock of stores and warehouses on hand does not fill the bill the choice will be enlarged to order.

The prince of Wales is now a fellow duties of president. If a second term necessarily vary from time to time. With of the Royal College of Surgeons. It is would be odious to Mr. Bryan for himnot announced whether the royal sur- self, can it be less odious to him for his iron and machinery the water pipes may geon holds himself in readiness to an running mate? Must not the former swer all calls, day or night, nor is his term as vice president recorded for Stevoffice telephone included in the latest enson take all the wind out of the sails book.

Jerry Simpson is in hard luck. After consenting to the requirement of wear- term as vice president neither his party ing socks, his own people have decreed nor the country gave any evidence that that his feet are not fitted to senatorial they wanted him to continue in that cashoes. The only thing left for Jerry is pacity. Does anything he has done since city's right accrues to purchase the to take the socks off and try again for congress.

Governor Shaw still has the pair of senatorial slippers in a glass case and keeps the key in his pocket. When he finds a man who will promise not to attitude of German-American voters. the city at this time by hiring engineers, wear them out he will turn them over The democrats are confidently predicting although no harm would come and no on ticket of leave until the legislature that a majority of these citizens will extra expense would be incurred by askconvenes.

**Governor** Poynter and Superintendent Lang of Beatrice have signed a treaty of peace. Lang should be sure that the last coat of whitewash is warranted not to rub off and the governor should be careful that no string is tied to the superintendent's resignation.

The same papers that were lampooning Carl Schurz four years ago because of his refusal to swallow 16 to 1 are now devoting columns of eulogy to his backsliding. But all they say cannot make less convincing the arguments of four years ago, proving the folly of following the free silver statesman.

China now has its chance. Let it show likely to win for them by force.

to mankind and the efforts of our government in this direction should receive universal endorsement and support.

ONE TERM OF ADLAI ENOUGH. In his letter of acceptance four years ago William Jennings Bryan said:

In order that I may not be tempted to use all the emphasis which words can express, my determination not under any circumstances to be a candidate for re-election in be legally issued. Although the bond If only one term of the presidential proposition carried at the last city elecoffice is permitted by true democratic tion, the bonds can be of no use in the dential office? Yet we see this year Mr. Bryan linked to, if not loaded down

and who is presented for re-election in agree with the city that the twenty-year their own thinking. direct conflict with the one-term safety period has expired or the city would valve idea on which Bryan professes to have to force through the courts a definition of the contract terms. lay such great stress. It is well known that the water com-

Under our constitution the qualifications for the vice president are the same pany contends that the twenty-year as those for the president, because the clause will not go into effect until September, 1903, and if this claim is sound former is first in line of succession to the higher position. /The same qualities de- an appraisement of the works at this sirable in a president are therefore also time would be useless and the money desirable in the vice president, who may expended for experts would be thrown at any time be called on to discharge the away. The value of the plant must

sprend by Bryan against second-term attempt to secure an appraisement by an candidates? before the horse. When Mr. Stevenson finished his first the courts to ascertain the date when the then warrant the belief that they are works without paying for the franchise anxious to have him restored to the vice or buying back the unexpired hydrant contract. That must be the essential ele presidency again?

GERMAN-AMERICAN VOTERS. A great deal of interest is felt as to the

of their opposition to so-called imperial- plant and make a careful estimate of its ism. Republicans, on the other hand, present value, expect the German-Americans generally to support McKinley, for the reason that they strongly favor a sound cur- still cogitating whether to acquiesce in

importance.

ago.

The Chicago correspondent of the New is that all the members of the militia are York Times says that the Germans will busily employed at good wages, which vote this year as they did four years would make the encampment a positive Speaking for this element in Illi- pecuniary loss to them even at full pay, nois, Indiana and Wisconsin, he ex- If the hard times of 1896, before McKinpresses the opinion that if this vote ley was elected, were still upon us the stands by its present inclinations it will guardsmen would doubtless jump at the cratic national committee or of the various sonality and history of Wu Ting Fang. be cast against Bryan and his financial chance to earn half pay. theories. Prominent German-Americans

in St. Louis have declared their intengood faith and produce the foreign tion to support the republican ticket, official statistics prepared by the Treascolony in Pekin safe and sound. If this They do not favor expansion, but they ury and other departments of the govthe Orient through peaceful means than them remarked, the former question is that official reports should so accurately as much as other folks do. the armies of other powers are ever academic, while the latter is practical. reflect the prosperous condition of the We do not believe that the intelligent | country that the party which brought it stock they hold.

#### Chicago Labor Day Orators. Philadelphia Public Ledger.

The Labor day celebration in Chicago i expected to include speeches by Theodore Roosevelt, William J. Brayn, Eugene V. acquisition of the works unless the \$3,-000,000 are within the amount at which Debs and William E. Mason. A more incongruous set of speakers could scarcely the city could buy the works under the be brought together, and the man who liscontract clause that permits the value tens attentively to them all must find himwith, a candidate for vice president who to be fixed by arbitration. Even in that self very much perplexed, unless, indeed, has already served one term in the office case the water company would have to he is one of the comparatively few who do

# The "New" Presidential Candidates.

Philadelphia Inquirer. Touching the difference between the soalled "new" Mr. McKinley and the "new" Mr. Bryan, there is a widespread notion that the aforesaid difference is not as vast as back as the 60s Mr. McKinley bore testi- Amsterdam and soon became a prosperous mony to his devotion to the Stars and burgher. Stripes, offering his body as a target for here, but, like the man who occupied the assistance. be worth twice as much as now two White House during the civil war, he still

with all its vagaries and isms. If that makes him a "new" Mr. Bryan the fact is not apparent to reasoning beings.

## TRUSTS AND DEMOCRATS. Even Chairman Jones Has a Finger in

#### the Trust Pic. New York Su

ment in the appraisement as well as it the final transfer of the property. to go through the motions of conducting a no decrease. Nothing certainly can be gained for campaign against the trusts. It is depress-Jones is in the all-enfolding tentacles of the octopus and not struggling the least bit support the Kansas City ticket because ing the city engineer to examine the to get away.

Nebraska National Guardsmen are

rency and as a class are believed to re- the proposition to go into annual engard the financial question as of first campment on half pay as suggested by Adjutant General Barry. The trouble

Democracy is greatly worried because

lensity of 1,000 residents to the acre, and this is more than double that of the most congested cities of Europe. Mr. Leger, the Haytian minister at Wash-

ington, is to go home soon on a leave of absence. He will visit the Paris exposition before returning to Washington. It is declared that \$500,000 is about the

amount invested in eggs now being placed in cold storage warehouses at Kansas City. They are valued at about 7 cents per dozen. The emperor of Germany has sent to the Paris exposition the actual furniture with the paintings which embellished the apartments of King Frederick the Great at Potsia m

Life is not one grand, sweet song at Cape there says: "Here lies the rolling sea. Towering above the sea are the ice mountains and towering above them is the price

of grub." Theodore Roosevelt's first ancestor to

ome to this country was Klaas Martensen Van Rooseveit, who came hither in 1649 with his wife, Janette S. Samuels-Thomas, the "antis" would have it appear. As far from The Netherlands. He settled in New

Morton county, Kal claims to be those who sought to haul that beautiful em- healthiest county in the United States. It blem down. Occupying a somewhat differ- has a population of 400, but for a year past ent position in the conduct of affairs this has been without a physician. In that time, year, he is not volunteering to go China it is declared, there has not been a case of

The incentive to fighting the British arm objects to the hauling down of the flag. Mr. in the Botha family of the Transvaal is two-Bryan has told us where he stands and there fold, for the wife of the Boer commander is no need further to discuss his attitude and the mother of several minor officers with respect to the flag. On the question in the Boer army was an Emmet before engineer expert is again putting the cart of purely political issues he has accepted she was married and of the family made a reaffirmation of the Chicago platform, famous by the Irish patriot, Robert Emmet who was Mrs. Botha's granduncle.

The superintendent of the Sault Ste Marie canals says that Lake Superior commerce for July will greatly exceed that of June, although June broke all records by the passage of more than 4,000,000 tons of freight. The superintendent says an unusual volume of coal is going into Lake The Hon. James K. Jones of Arkansas and Superior, more than for any previous seathe democratic national committee is about son, and that the ore tonnage for July shows

Baron de Schickler, whose horse won th ing to have to say that the Hon. James K. Grand Prix, is one of the most popular sportsmen in France, and one of the luck-In 1868, when he won the Prix de l'Empereur with Suzerain, Napoleon III. Mr. Jones is said to be a stockholder in in congratulating him, said: "You must go the Round Bale Cotton trust. It is admitted on breeding horses like that." "I will, your in the south that the round bale is cheaper majesty." replied the baron; and he has and better than the square bale. Conse- kept his promise, for four Grand Prix stand

Mrs. Senator Davis has abandoned he proposed trip to Norway and Sweden. She has intended sailing by the North German Lloyd line, but on account of the burning of two of the vessels in the New York har bor two weeks ago, the movement of the company's ships was so disarranged that tioned. As a private citizen and man of Mrs. Davis concluded to defer going unti business he buys a good trust stock when next season. She will probably spend Au gust and September in company with the Probably most of the shrewd and ener- senator at some of the resorts in Minnesota Considerable interest attaches to the per

pie. Why should they not? They might as a dignitary of importance in his own counwell be expected not to be partners or stock- try as well as here. His appointment to his present post bore more than ordinary ested financially in trusts. These ate in- political significance, because he plays tended to be money-making concerns, and prominent part in the liberal party of studied law for four years in London and

time to withstand the march of progress. dications of such a union. HOAR TO HIS CRITICS.

# Tells Anti-Imperialists Why Americans Cannot Trust Democrats. Chicago Times-Herald.

Senator Hoar remains as strongly opposed o the forcible annexation of the Philippines as ever he was, but he proves that it is en tirely reasonable for him to support Mc

Kinley against Bryan. Ex-Secretary Boutwell and other anti-imperialists with whom he has been in controversy have the proof in his last open letter. Evade it and outbble over it as they may, it puts them in a cor-

ner from which they cannot escape. Most of these men who have attained t any real prominence in the east are either republicane or gold democrats and they cannot fail to feel the significance of the sentence: "The election of Mr. Bryan means dishonor and disaster to the Amer-

ican people at home." That was their sincere belief in 1896 and Mr. Bryan himself Nome. A Witchita man writing home from has taken care to keep the cause for it as conspicuous now as it was then. No new issue can possibly make any difference with the essentials of Bryanism as they have

Aside from the Chicago platform, how-Aside from the Chicago platform, how-Aside from the Chicago platform, how ever, Mr. Hoar adduces other reasons for preferring McKinley to Bryan which should

have a peculiar potency with the republican malcontents. He looks distrustfully upon democratic promises and says: "I expect that what is to be done for freedom and justice in the future is to be done by the

party that stood for freedom and justice in the past, in spite of one mistake." Bet ter this confidence, surely, than a strange because he is doing infinitely better service sickness so serious as to call for a doctor's faith in an organization that bows down to Tammany and that furnished the men

who, when the treaty was pending, played and juggled with this great and sacred matter of human liberty for a party purpose. Such is the choice to which all the people are limited and the senator thinks it would be folly to hesitate. Nothing is to be hoped for on the one side, whereas on the other a rational policy conformable to the American sense of right is certain to be devel-

oped. Assuming that a mistake has been made, it was an honest mistake and no republican could possibly plot the overthrow of civil liberty. In fact the party is already pledged to the grant of home rule and com-plete self-government will follow in due time without a suggestion of imperialism. The debate is largely over words and of civil liberty. In fact the party is already

Journal: The goose laid a golden egg and sixteen silver eggs in rapid suc Then she laid another silver egg and the

Then she laid another silver egg and the peasant killed her forthwith. "She is infected with the commercial ratio heresy!" he said, very sternly. This fable teaches how extremely earnest are the agrarian element in respect of this matter of ratios.

#### WILLIE BAREFOOT.

Rochester (N. Y.) Herald.

Rochester (N. Y.) Herald. There's mud upon the carpet and there's mud upon the stairs. And there's mud inside the porch and kitchen, too There are streaks of muddy footprints everywhere that Willie goes. For he tracks mud in the house the whole day through. He keeps his mother busy cleaning mud from every room.

And the hired girl kicks up an awful row. And the hired girl kicks up an awful row. Warm weather's here and boyhood days are brimming o'er with fun. For little Willie's going barefoot now.

It does no good to scold him. Though fifty times you've told him. To stop and clean his feet, but yet, some

He flics in through the door, Leaving footprints on the floor, For little Willie's going barefoot now.

too; There are toes that have collided with a rock which she must bind. And with arnica and liniment make new; There are scratches by the dozen where the thorns and briars took hold. When he scooted through the pasture for

the cow. And there's music in the gloaming when his mother pulls them out. For little Willie's going harefoot now.

His mother says she'll whip him; The hired girl won't skip him. There's bound to be an everlasting row. The devil is to pay; There'll be trouble, so they say. Cause little Wille's going barefoot now.

He musses up the clean white sheets upo his little With his dusty, grimy, mud-becovered

And everywhere he chases, from the cellar

1.10 His little muddy footprints you will meet He never stops to wipe his feet-the saucy little mink!-He says his daddy never learned him how

And there's lawing in the kitchen when the mop is brought in play. For jutle Willie's going barefoot now.

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#### quently the Round Bale trust makes the to his credit. southern cotton planters anxious. According to the Houston correspondent of the Giobe-Democrat the Round Bale trust is now trying to get "practical control of the south's cotton crop." Officially Chairman Jones is hot against trusts. As a democrat he froths at the mouth when they are menhe has the price.

getic citizens who are members of the demostate' committees have a finger in the trust Chinese minister to the United States, who i

holders in corporations as not to be intershould be done the United States as regard the menace of free silver as a ernment prove good republican cam- for all the conventional democratic pather China. He represents the progressive elemediator will have a stronger position in much more serious matter. As one of paign documents. It is really too had about money democrats like to have it just ment among his countrymen. Minister Wu

When you hear the demograts bellowing was admitted as barrister in the inner Temagainst trusts just wonder how much trust pie. He speaks English with ease and fuency.

the advance or decline in the price of years hence or they may be worth only half as much. Manifestly, therefore, the

What the mayor and council should do first is to institute some proceeding in