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Pugilist Jeffries insists that he is a better man than he ever was. That may not be saving much.

in Nebraska are remarkably quiet.

will be a stunner. But then it's to be merely a republican ratification meeting

If the Great Western will pay for the Auditorium brick remaining to be laid the structure will be under roof before the snow flies.

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The populists and democrats of Butler county have fused for a division of the offices. This is the only object of fusion in these days.

General Manderson positively de

THE LAW WILL STAND. Referring to the suggestion of the to expect that the Turkish government ple only. trust organs that the president recom- will so far yield to the demands of mend to congress the repeal of the pro- Russia as to satisfy that nation.

vision of law creating the bureau of corporations, an eastern paper says: "It DENVER'S NEW CHARTER. merely authorizes the president or his The city of Denver is on the eve of a secretary to gather and publish informrevolution in local government that will ation about the industrial combinations set the pace for twentieth century muand interstate corporations-information nicipal home rule. The constitutional

already for the most part publicly avail- amendment ratified by the people of able. It ought not to be repealed-and Colorado last year authorizes the concertainly not at the insolent command solidation of the government of Arapaof the Rockefeller trust or because of hoe county with the municipal corporathe distress of the Morgan promotion tion of Denver under the title of City enterprise. It should rather be supple- and County of Denver, and the citizens

mented by enactments amounting to of the consolidated county-city are emsomething in the way of trust control. powered to make their own charter There can be no doubt that the law without the intervention of a legislawill stand, unless the courts should in- ture.

validate it. Nothing could be more The new charter for the city and absurd than the claim of the trust county of Denver has been framed and get busy on those names. organs that the recent shrinkage of is about to be submitted for ratifica-Omaha values in securities was due to the tion to the voters. The proposed alarm of capital at the disposition organic municipal law for the city and shown by the president to apply county of Denver is unique and emhonestly and vigorously the restraints bodies nearly all the ideal referms in the great lakes showing where it is perwhich the law imposes on combina- local self-government that have been missible for Canadian revenue cutters tions in restraint of trade. The crea- suggested by experience in the princition of a bureau of corporations was in pal cities of the country. Under its response to a demand for publicity new charter, strictly enforced, the govwhich had long been urged upon con- ernment of the city of Greater Denver gress and which was earnestly sup- will be nonpartisan, and appointments ported by Mr. Roosevelt. It is not a and employments under the new municdrastic law and can work no injury to ipality will be under civil service. All any lawfully organized corporation. It municipal elections will be held in al- sian government will survive a century or simply authorizes the commissioner ternate years between state elections. of corporations, under the direction and No political designations will be percontrol of the secretary of commerce mitted on the ballots for city officers and labor, "to make diligent investiga- and a straight ticket is done away tion into the organization, conduct and with. Every candidate must be voted management of the business of any cor- for by himself.

Concentration of authority and poration, joint stock company, or corporate combination engaged in the comresponsibility appears to be the chief merce among the several states and with aim of the framers of the new Denver trine of a learned donkey type, founded on foreign nations, excepting common car- charter. One treasurer will serve the the appreciation of all fiesh being grass. riers * * * and to gather such in- city and county, and the city clerk will formation and data as will enable the perform the duties devolving upon the president of the United States to make city and county clerks. The Board of recommendations to congress for legis. County Commissioners is abolished and lation for the regulation of such cor- its work devolved upon the Board of porations and to report such data to the Public Works. The Board of Public president from time to time as he shall Works will consist of three members. require; and the information so ob- only one of whom, the city engineer. tained, or as much thereof as the presi- will be a salaried officer.

dent may direct, shall be made public." Almost autocratic powers are con-Nothing is better assured than that ferred upon the mayor, whose authority nothing will be done under the opera- over all the departments is practically tion of this authority, at least by the supreme. The mayor has the appoint-Considering we are on the eve of a present administration, to the injury of ment of the following heads of departbig republican state convention politics any corporation that is complying with ments and exclusive control over the the laws. President Roosevelt, as he operations of each: Department of Fire has repeatedly declared, is not hostile and Police, Department of Excise, De-A county convention of 424 delegates to lawfully organized and conducted partment of Public Works, Department corporations and such are in no danger of Public Utility and Franchise, De-

The opposition to the bureau of corporations which is being manifested by partment of Supplies, Department of some of the combinations, if persisted in and a serious attempt made to in- Department of Public Welfare. The our railroads and almost all our factories fluence congress for the repeal of the heads of these departments are his cal- by steam. Before many years all this law, will assuredly strengthen public inet. The mayor also appoints the tricity. The distracted earth will be quivsentiment in favor of additional and heads of departments controlling parks, ering with the mighty currents pumped

more drastic legislation for trust regula- civil service, philanthropy, education, into it by every waterfall and coal mine. tion and supervision. It will be the and Department of Elections. The most But even now it is becoming hazardous to part of wisdom for the combinations to extraordinary power conferred upon are already loose among us. quietly submit to the new order, which the mayor is the appointment of the

are disposed to do, there is every reason | national campaigns will fight for princi-

There seems to be no overwhelming rush to enter the lists for nominations under the new republican primary system. The average office seeker is usually willing to take a chance, but he likes to know in advance about

what the odds are to be. Imitators of Diogenes.

New York Tribune. Diogenes was considered a fairly successful cynic in his day. But he did not have such a vast area as the United States

to spread his discouragements over. A Chance to Get Busy.

Washington Post.

Chief Ghirdijikoff, General Tzoncheff, Captain Majdjaroff and Colonel Gievgyeli are directing the Macedonian revolution.

Some man with a catarrh remedy ought to

One at a Time.

Chicago News. When we get the Alaskan boundary ques tion settled we should establish bounds on fire on the American flag.

> Hope Colors the Thought. Indianapolis Journal.

Whenever there is a riot or other dis turbance in some part of Russia information comes from London that the whole fabric of the Russian government is about to fall. But the chances are that the Rustwo, anyway.

Theories from the Oil Tank. Baltimore American.

After a gulet that was getting momentous, a university professor in Chicago has broken into print with a theory that cannibalism is justifiable. The irreverent world will not be so startled by this doctrine, however, convinced that it is a doc-

Generous Treatment of Soldiers. Philadelphia Press.

The United States government cannot be accused of any lack of care for the men who served the nation , in time of war. Over 27,060 are now cared for in soldiers' ly. Then there is the pension roll of \$140 .do for the old veterans. No other nation ever did one-half as much for its defenders.

TERRORS OF SCIENCE.

Hazardous Existence in the Presence of Force Already Loose.

Saturday Evening Post.

It is a serious question how the civilized person of the future is going to pick his way in safety among the traps set for him by science. We are just at the beginning partment of Inspection, Department of of the electric age. We are running our Electricity, Department of Health, De- street cars by electricity and making some use of electric lights, but most of our houses are still lighted by gas; we do our Engineering, Department of Law and cooking and heating with coal and we run work will undoubtedly be done by elecexist in the presence of the forces that

The other day four people and a horse is approved by the people as a necessary sheriff and control of the sheriff's office. at Pittsburg were killed by stepping into very first thing she taught her baby The only elective officers are the with electricity by a broken electric light of the street she lived in. The result was wire. Nobody acquainted with modern that when the child, who is only 3% years abuses and unlawful practices that clerk, ten city councilmen, county judge conditions thinks of leaning against an mark the trust system and are pregnant and twelve judges of the municipal iron trolley pole. Even children know ple who found her that she was "Gercourt, who are to take the place of enough to dodge a broken wire. But you trude Anastasia Cassidy of East Eightieth never can tell from what direction the street." Thus she was promptly restored to her mother. danger is coming. You may be careful not to step on a third rail, but how can you by Judge Grosscup of the United States The mayor receives \$6,000 a year and tell when a short circuit is going to catch other officers in proportion. you as you enter a street car? A crossed wire may load you with a few hundred identification card, according to Mrs. Cas-The fire and police commission will volts, when you pick up your telephone receiver or move your drop light. You may even be nailed when you sit in your easy certainly novel, but in the line of home chair and put your feet on the fender. Your water pipes may carry a deadly electric charge and your demure iron gate county, are consolidated and the office may be waiting to murder you when you of county superintendent of schools put your hand on its latch. abolished. The mayor is made the And now, not content with charging the the victim. Frequently errors in addresses earth and the water, they are going to bring needless shocks to the wrong famsend electric power without wires through the air. If you go out in a shower of rain is to carry a card or "tab" giving name lice as now and a chief fire marshal, and address. every drop may be loaded with electricity. These two will be under the merit sys-Electric currents have been carried by the stream from a hose; so why should they

ROUND ABOUT NEW YORK. Ripples on the Current of Life in the

Metropolis. During the approaching yacht races off Sandy Hook, Navesink highlands will come in for frequent mention in the dispatches. On these promontories of New Jersey, jutting into lower New York bay and the ocean, landlubbers congregate with long glasses to get a glimpse of the race with ut endangering their interior department. Here are also located telegraph stations both wire and wireless, and a lighthouse famous for its twin lights, the flashes of which can be seen twenty-three mlies. "Naveslnk" is an Indian word, meaning a good fishing place. The appellation is not misleading even today. Shrewsbury river at this point flows into the lower bay and is reported to be the best fishing place on the Jersey shore.

In reply to a challenge one day last week, Mrs. David Weis of Brooklyn swam from Bergen beach to a point on the Canarsie shore, a distance estimated by those in attendance on the young woman at six and one-half miles. The feat was performed at ebb tide, and Robert C. Chambers, a life saver at Bergen beach, accompanied the swimmer. Following the swimmer was a launch with her husband and a party of friends. Mrs. Weis, who is only 18 years of age, has performed many swim ming feats before. She swam from the Congress street bridge, Troy, to her father's place on Lagoon island, and once swam from the Captain's plor at Bath beach to the Atlantic Yacht alubhouse at

Sea Gate. Mrs. Weis used the long, English overas equivalent to a vice presidential nomihand stroke in the journey and kept up a nation for the latter. good pace from start to finish. She de- Rushville Record: We admire the courage clined assistance at any portion of the trip of Deputy Attorney General Norris Brown and said she felt so good she could swim wherein he renders an opinion that foreign back when she reached the shore and was corporations doing business in Nebraska

helped into the boat. The time was an- must pay a filing fee. His opinion is based nounced as three hours thirty minutes and on a decision of the supreme court, and if it is sustained the additional dollars added to the state treasury will no doubt come

in handy.

TALK OF THE STATE PRESS.

York Times: The democratic party in Ne. braska has leaned on the populists so long it will worry it to go slone. It has acquired a bad case of ennul or something worse. Still the pops seem to have determined upon a divorce, and all the pleading and cajolery of the democrats will have no man endurance, and the deception and co-

uetry and even bigamy of the democracy have at last gone home to the heart, and the populists are done. "Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned."

Grand Island Independent: The Bee's leading editorial article Sunday very ably sounded a warning against not only the practice, but the apparent lethargy of the public in dealing with cases of bribery. Just at present with the Missouri investi-

encountered bitter opposition in the county

the bugaboo evils predicted never material-

ized, and communities grew and prospered

as never before. What happens in those

West Point Republican: The two divisions

ion demanded of the mail clerk is rightly

MR. PARRY CALLED DOWN.

ciation Talks Too Much.

Apparently Mr. D. M. Parry, president

Milwaukee Sentinel.

Con

gations and those into the postal affairs so thoroughly conducted, it can scarcely be said that there is a calmness in the more important cases, but the observations that

in lesser forms of bribery, etc., the public

chael. "Twice she had me arrested for non-support and had the judge order that should pay more than I could afford, so tric railroad. When first introduced they

"My four daughters, when they heard of this entertainment, went to the station and tried to stop it. I sent them invitations, but they haven't seen fit to come. All my wife's relatives are here."

states is very liable to occur in Nebraska, neared just then at the elbow of her host. and instead of ruining our cities and vil-"I'm his wife's aunt. I am glad now that lages the coming of electric roads will Henry is able to have a good time."

of the populists are now supposed to be ample to the mothers of New York. The united, and their first act is to resolve that experience has "demonstrated the futility



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PERSONAL NOTES.

The commission appointed to investigate Norfolk News: Some people are taking that exchange of letters between President the opium problem in the Philippines is hit-Roosevelt and Governor Durbin of Indiana ting the pipe very comfortably in China and Japan.

A New York man announces his twentysecond baby. Is the American eagle giving way to the stork as the national bird?

By the time the rapers get through discussing Mr. Russell Sage's 87th birthday the philanthropic financier will already be counting eighty-eight candles in his cake. Jay Cooks, the noted financier of a generation ago, celebrated his \$3d birthday at Ogonts on Monday last. He has fully recovered from his recent serious illness and bids fair to live many years.

General Corbin has assured the representatives of the Grand Army and the Spanish War Veterans that he will aid in their appeal to congress for the erection at Arlington of a large auditorium suitable effect upon them. There is a limit to hu- for Memorial day services.

Third Baseman Bagsby of the Augusta, Ga., base ball club filled the pulpit of the First Baptist church of that city last Sunday. Mr. Bagsby is a theological student and is paying his way through college by the salary he derives from playing ball. Dr. M. S. Jones of Battle Lake, Minn., possesses the distinction of being the only nember of the last house of representatives of the Gopher state who did not introduce a single bill during the legislative session of 1903. He claims to have killed a dozen bad measures, however, and is satisfied with his record.

It is rather remarkable that in the long line of men who have been and who will be at the head of the army, until the retirement of Wood in 1924, none since Scho field has been or will be West Point men appears to have changed very much, and Neither Miles, Young, Corbin, Chaffee, Macnearly everyone favors the projected elec- Arthur nor Wood is a graduate of the famous military academy. All except Wood come over from the civil war and the four towns of Michigan, Indiana and Ohio, but years' service in that great conflict stands for as much as four years at West Point

POINTED PLEASANTRIES.

"Is there much opportunity for a lawyer o practice in this town?" "I should say so. If he doesn't practice conomy he can't stay here."-Kansas City Journal

She—If every atom of the human body is renewed every seven years, I cannot be the same woman that you married. He—Ive been suspecting that for some time.—New York Weekly. of any attempt to secure the enactment of our truth, either through the republican "Did you have a good time when you or democratic parties," wherefore the time "No. It was a terrible bore. A woman that my husband used to be engaged to sat at the same table with us."-Chicago Record-Herald. has arrived when "the united people's party should declare itself emphatically opposed to any affiliation with either of these

Mrs. Michael is dead, yet that did not deter her husband, Henry Michael, from celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of their joyless marriage, with 800 of his friends, in a public hall in New York last Wednesday night. "Twenty-three years of misery we had together," said he, "and now that she is gone I might as well be happy. If she is dead there is no reason why I should be."

twenty-one seconds.

Henry Michael is six feet tall and weighs homes, at a cost of about \$12,000.000 annual- 300 pounds, yet his frame shakes with emotion when he dwells upon his marital in-000,000, to say nothing of what many states felicities. Normally his face is suffused with smiles. "No," sighed he, "I haven't forgotten her dealings at the Fifth street police station. It is an unpleasant topic.

Friends, go to the bar and refresh yoursolves." All who heard lost no time in seeking the friendly counter. They found the bar

free and fifty kegs of beer and 750 bottles of wine in reserve. "You spoke of the police," it was sug-

gested needs an application of something like "It is an unpleasant story," resumed MIeternal vigilance, is well taken. Blair Republican: Public sentiment here

I had to take her back home again.

"Yes," said Mrs. Selma Sinning, who ap-

usher in an era of great progress. Mrs. Kate Cassidy has set a good ex-

clines to become vice president of the United States. Colonel Roosevelt also declined three years ago.

The persistent assertion that crime is increasing does not libe with Nebraska's empty jails. The increasing crime must be in some other section of the country.

General Black is as much the favorite for the next bout at San Francisco as Champion Jeffries was for the last one. There are no takers for bets against him.

Although traditions are all against it, ex-Governor Poynter seems to think that the people's independent party should be independent in fact as well as in name.

ing Governor McGilton will continue businesss at the old stand in Omaha without the uniformed staff.

Taking down the union signs from with the czar's government, which is over the bars will remove the discrimination that has heretofore existed way measures, but to firmly insist upon in favor of the drug store soda founwhat has been deliberately demanded. tain, where the sign is merely a wink. There has been no expression from the

If people only knew that membership on the State Board of Education meant a perpetual traveling scholarship good on all the railroads of the state, competition for the places would be much more brisk.

Omaha's long felt want is about 500 modern cottages for wage workers and mands. they doubtless would have been built during the present year if it were not for the high price of building material and the advance in wages.

Secretary Shaw will address the 'American Mining congress to be held at Deadwood next month. This ought to give the meeting a prestige it would not otherwise have had and insure for it a still greater success than was in prospect. The Black Hills mining industries are destined to be constantly more important in the mining world.

It is intimated that President Loubst will not be a candidate for office again. belleving that one term of seven years as the French executive should be all able and should have the unqualified one man should have. If the presidential term in this country were made seven years the one term rule would, in all probability, be enforced. Until then, really desire adequate protection for the Christians in Turkey. however, the second term precedent will persist.

very serious trouble will grow out of According to an authority who knows the Russo-Turkish imbroglio. The ofwhereof he speaks, it would take ten fense for which reparation is desugar factories the size of the one at manded, while certainly grave, is hardly Grand Island to turn out the sugar of a nature to justify war and besides consumed in Nebraska alone. In other Russia is not prepared for a conflict according to ex-Governor Poynter, rewords, a guaranty of the home market with Turkey while possible trouble conwould keep ten big factories busy and fronts her in the far east. The sending the question open so far as it relates to multiply several times the area devoted of a fleet to Turkish waters is of course to beet culture in this state. The beet a warlike demonstration, but it does the populists are ready to tie up with sugar industry is yet to be fully ex- not necessarily mean war. If the pow- anybody anywhere that a promise of nlaifed in Nabraska

protection against the schemes of unscrupulous promoters and the evils, mayor, auditor, treasurer, assessor,

with danger to the general welfare. A great majority of the people, it is not justices of the peace and police magiato be doubted, believe what was said trates. Liberal salaries are allowed. circuit court in a recent address, "that in the supervision of monopolies by the

from this law.

government lies the only hope for the be appointed by the mayor with the perpetuation of the American nation." sheriff as chairman ex-officio. This is And the people will not permit any backward step from the movement for rule. The school districts, city and

RUSSIA'S DEMANDS ON TURE ST. It is highly probable that Turkey will real head of the fire and police departyield to the Russian demands, which ment, but there will be a chief of powhile apparently somewhat excessive

Unless some unforeseen crisis shall stances. This seems to be the view tem, removable only for cause. The call him to the seat of government Act- taken of them by the French and British same rule applies to firemen, policemen governments. Austria is reported to be and deputy sheriffs. Under its new charter the city counsomewhat alarmed at the ordering of a

Russian fleet to Turkish waters, but cil of Denver will have no authority to loose a genie they would be glad a little grant franchises unless so instructed this is not likely to have any influence

manifestly determined to have no half The function of the council will be conthe regulation of municipal affairs. The with those we have. council is charged with making appropriations for the conduct of the govern-

German government and a declaration ment-street cleaning, sprinkling, health on the part of that government will be inspection, etc .- but the moneys are to awaited with no little interest. Gerbe expended by the heads of departmany has for some time been cultivatments who are under the mayor. ing friendly relations with the Porte No franchise relating to any street, and it is quite possible that she will be alley or public place will be granted found reluctant to support Russia, except upon the vote of the qualified though it is not likely that she will

taxpaying electors, and no franchise make any formal objection to the dewill be granted except upon deposit with the treasurer of the expenses of Turkey has already punished some of the election for the submission of such those responsible for the assassination franchise propositions. One of the of the Russian consul, but the offended unique features of the new charter of government is not satisfied with this, Denver is the recall provision, under demanding more sweeping punishments.

which any elective officer who goes Russia also takes occasion to urge that wrong may be removed from office by a Turkey shall give proper protection to netition for his recall or removal Christians under Ottoman rule. In resigned by at least 30 per cent of the gard to this certainly none of the powers vote cast for him. will refuse to support Russia, since it is

what all of them are presumed to desire The University of Nebraska had a and is in perfect accord with the terms student registration last year of 2,560 of the Berlin treaty. Whatever may and looks forward to a still greater be thought of the Russian demand re registration the coming year. Of course garding drastic punishments, her nosithis includes a lot of young people who tion respecting the protection of the are not engaged in strictly college or Christian subjects of Turkey is unassailuniversity work, but it still shows that this institution is entitled to take high acquiescence and support of all the rank among other state universities-in other powers. It is the opportunity of fact none of them have shown greater those nations to show whether they or more substantial growth in recent

years. Our state university should now have reached the point where the stress It is not to be apprehended that any will be on thoroughness of instruction rather than on the mere congregation of large numbers of students.

The Denver manifesto against fusion, fers only to national fusion and leaves state and local matters. In other words, - are remain nantre; se it annases they office or natronage is held out, but in Catholic and Protestant.

not come down in the rain? It will be equally dangerous to go out of doors and to stay in the house.

Perhaps the scientific men are turning later to put back into his bottle if they could. Possibly before they begin setting many more million volts of electricity adrift it may be worth their while to try fined to the passage of ordinances for to find some way of enabling us to live

INCREASING TOLEBANCE.

"The Dawn of a Better Religious Era is Upon Us."

Minnenpolis Times. The keen interest of the entire world. religious or nonreligious, the unfeigned admiration expressed in written and spoken tributes during the illness and death of the late revered pope, go far toward proving that the day of religious bigotry and in-

tolerance is well nigh done with forever, It belongs to that old order of things which fortunately, changes, and men are at last coming to believe that "God fulfills Himself in many ways."

A few days ago an earnest, eloquent Presbyterian minister stood before his congregation in the city of Brooklyn and vehemently spoke words which help to' confirm us to this belief. He said: "The eyes of a great portion of the world

are fixed on Rome, where the successor of Leo is now assuming his great office. As

cording to another ritual; as members of the Holy Catholic Church of God, we pray that this pontiff may be a worthy successor to the saintly and learned man whose service has just closed.

'We must not forget that throngs of men changing Church of Rome. If this venerspeaks to the great bishop of that church?" Think of a man who is an ordained miniswhich has been for many years the succes-

lleved in "the holy text of pike and gun' and decided all controversies by "infallible artillery" and strove

To prove their doctrine orthodo By apostolic blows and knocks

The dawn of a better religious era is upon us, the sweet charity of which we owe not

old, got lost she was able to tell the peoparties." The skies are brightening for the

Not only is it important in a big city for children to be able to identify themselves. but every one should carry some sort of as tweedledum. sidy. Most tailors have a habit of sewing by the railway mail clorks of Missouri, the customer's name and address in the Kansas, Colorado and New Metico, that inside of his coat. Women, however, selthe death of many of their number is due dom carry anything to identify them.

to old and rotten mail cars in which they Whenever a woman is knocked senseless are compelled to work the matte, certainly in a street accident-and hardly a week should be attended to without delay, and passes without some such occurrencethe cause of complaint removed. Every there invariably is difficulty in identifying man who receives or sends a letter or reads

a newspaper is the debtor of the mail clerk. Mail clerks are among Uncle Sam's ilies. A good rule for every city dweller most valuable servants, the amount of technical knowledge, rapidity, and precis-

the frequent object of admiration. Restaurant cashiers in the financial dissidering the work required of them they trict are vying with the pretty manicurists are not highly paid men, and every man for choice of prizes in the matrimonial who has a service rendered by them demarket. There is one modest place largely sires that all that can be done for their

patronized by young brokers which has safety and comfort be done. had no less than six cashters happily married within the past year, and all of the matches were made over a glass showcase. Yet the proprietor continues to hire none President of the Manufacturers' Assobut pretty girls, explaining that a pretty tactful cashier can bring almost as much trade to a restaurant as the bill of fare

Many a customer will forget the slight 1eof the National Association of Manuceived from an impudent waiter if the cashier gives him his change with a pleas ant smile. She should have a good memory for names and faces, for it pleases most persons to be called by their names. They feel at home in a place where they are remembered.

WANTED-A PARCELS POST.

Field of Usefulness the Government Should Enter.

Brooklyn Eagle. ment, or of making a qualified statement. Ours is about the only big postal system a the world that doesn't carry parcels on

ent scale. Merchandise in packages up to four pounds' weight will be transmitted through the mails to any part of the United States, Canada or Mexico upon the payment of 1 cent an ounce; but in almost every European country, and even in Asia

aticisms. Every plain thinking man who conventions with Germany, Chile, Guateviews men and facts as they are and not mala, Nicaragua, New Zealand, Jamaica, through the distorting medium of a theory Honduras, Venezueia, British Honduras, British Gulana, the Bahamas, Barbadoes, there is one employer who corresponds with the Danish West Indies, Costa Rica, Mexthe Debs conception there are hundreds co, Colombia, Newfoundland, the Leeward who do not, and that there are plenty of

labor unions and labor leaders in the have no convention with England, France country whose record flatly contradicts Austria, Spain, Russia, Denmark, Norway Mr. Parry's theory of organized labor. and Sweden or Holland and Balgium, all What that theory is Mr. Parry once of which are countries with postal systems nore set forth in his usual way in his naturally in close relation with our own. address at Chautauqua yesterday on the But we need an adequate parcels post for "Mob Spirit in America." It was the old purely domestic purposes more than for the accommodation of those who wish to story with Mr. Parry. Instead of discrimsend packages abroad and to receive others | inating, and giving praise and blame where each was due-showing wherein labor thence. By enlarging the weight muit on parcels the postoffice would certainly hurt unions were right and wherein wrong, Mr. the business of the express companies by Parry sweepingly denounced organized lataking from them patronage they have bor as "mobocracy," as a "standing mob' long enjoyed, but the government cannot that "declares that its will is superior to always restrict its fields of enterprise or traditions, government regulations and even narrow its spheres of service simply he- the constitution of the country." Trades unions in several sections of the country cause a private corporation stands in the have misconducted themselves recently way. The express companies do not consider the money order branch of the Post- and put a severe strain on the patience o the public. But the fact that organized office department when they constitute themselves agencies for the trans-nission labor exists and flourishes, and is sup ported and defended in its fundamental and of money. There is no doubt that we need essential claims and principles by leading a parcels post, and needing it, let'us have a little to the splendid man who is and will it, in spite of opposition from people who public men and leading employers, is a be for many a long day mourned alike by are materially interested in preventing the sufficient disproof of Mr. Parry's blind sufficient disproof of Mr. Parry's blind seneralities establishment of it.

Tommy Atkins-Awi g'on Mike, yer a democratic party when it has so far got back to its old moorings that a populist

lobster! Mike-Ye flatter me. Shure, a lobster's a wise animal, fur green is the color fur him as long as he lives, an' he'll die be-fore he puts on a red coat.-Philadelphis Press. tweedledee no longer recognizes a democrat Hastings Tribune: If the charge made

"If you are so hard up," said the easy mark who was temporarily unable to ex-tend the accommodation asked. "why don't you borrow some money from Titefist?" "Heavens, no!" exclaimed the other, "Why, he always expects to be paid back." -Chicago Post.

Mrs. Bizzy-I never see the beer mas stopping at their house any more. Mrs. Kandor-No, her husband has joined

church. Mrs. Bizzy-Ah! that makes a difference. Mrs. Kandor-Yes, they have it smug-gled in the back way now so that you can't see it.-Philadelphia Catholic Times.

She was going away. "Oh, John!" she sobbed. "J-John, are y-you quite sure you'll m-miss me?" "Darling." replied her big husband, "I'll miss you as much as I do the morning train." Thus assured she picked up her grip and, with a sweet smile, started for the seashore.—Chicago News.

A colonel, while drinking his liquor. At a feudist's loud boasting did sniquor. The colonel now sleeps 'Neath the daisies for kneps; He was quick, but the feudist was quiquor. --Milwaukee Sentinel-

IN THE ATTIC.

facturers, means to do all he can W. D. Nesbit in Chicago Tribune. W. D. Neson in Chicago Thoms. Up in the attic where mother goes is a trunk in a shadowed nook... A trunk-and its lid she will oft unclose As if it were a precious book. She kneels at its side on the attic boards And tenderly, soft and slow She counts all the treasures she fondly hoards... The things of the long ago, to stir up bad blood in the industrial world. While moderate men are doing all they can to promote a spirit of reasonableness and mutual fair dealing between employers and employed, Mr. Parry is going

about doing the best he can to undo their work. What Debs is to the one class

A yellowing dress, once the sheerest white That shimmered in joyous pride-She looks at it now with the girl's delight That was hers when she stood a bride. There is a ribbon of faded blue She keeps with the sain gown; Buckles and lace-and a little shoe; Eadly she lays that down. Parry is to the other. Both men are extremists, and each is afflicted with an organic inability to see any side of a question but his own. Neither man appears to be capable of forming a qualified judg-With Parry organized labor as such spells

One lock of hair that is golden still, With the gold of the With the gold of the morning sun; With the gold of the morning sun; Yes, and a dolite with frock and frill-She lifts them all, one by one. She lifts them all to her gentle lips Up there in the afternoon; Bometimes the rain from the eave trough drips anarchism; with Debs capitalism per se means tyranny, robbery, and ruthless exploitation of the poor by the rich. Holding such views, each man is for war, and ounces compromise as something like criminal folly. Fortunately there is enough drips Tears with her quavered eroon. common sense, broad mindedness and en-

Up in the attic where mether goes is a trunk with a shadowed place— A trunk—with the scent of a withered rose On the sain shoe and lace. None of us touches its battered lid, But safe in its niche it stays, Bacred to all that her heart hus hid— Gold of the other days. lightened public spirit in the country to more than countervail these opposite fanor a class prejudice knows that where



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fellow Christians, although we worship acand Windward islands and Trinidad. We

and women, torn by the turmoil of the Protestant church, have turned to the unable church appeals to thoughtful men and exercises so mighty an effect on the popular mind, shall we refuse to believe that God ter of the creed practically formed by Calvin, the man whose descendants and disciples for centuries had no good word to say of "papacy," speaking in such manner of the head of the Church of Rome. The bitterness of spirit, the narrowness of creed

or of that sturdy reformation which be-

such supervision.

are doubtless justified by the circum-

by the vote of the qualified electors.