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subscribed in my prosence and sworn to fore me this sist day of May, A. D. 1804. M. B. HUNGATE, Notary Public. Senator Fairbanks need not try to beat Judge Parker at the game of silence. He will have to speak first, anyway.

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The scalpers seem to be doing business at the old stand in spite of successive laws and ordinances purporting to wipe them off the map.

The will of Levi Z. Leiter does not give the total value of his estate, but it is interesting in indicating that Lord Curzon of Kedleston cost him about \$700,000.

Raisouli may not be a master of nom-Abdul Azziz appear as the Sultan Muley Abdul As Was.

after the Cudaby kidnaping.

Massachusetts suggests Secretary are justly proud of their party's achieve-Taft for the vice presidency, but as the Filipinos have no electoral votes, Nebraska must still insist upon the superior claims of its home candidate.

Delegates to the Chicago convention may not see as much fun as those who take part in the St. Louis gathering, but tegrity and devotion to American interthey have the satisfaction of knowing that their work will last longer.

If the new federal law against the admission of anarchists into the United States is to be strictly enforced it may be necessary to establish government quarantine around the state of Colo-

Russia will now get light from Amer ica in earnest. It is announced that the Standard Oil company has reached an agreement with the native producers whereby it will control the petroleum output of Russia.

Southern democrats are to be excused for keeping up a pretense of interest in national politics for the effect it has at home, but the reason for northern and western democrats manifesting interest is daily becoming less apparent.

While in Chicago the Nebraska dele gation might lay the foundation for a bid from Omaha for the next republican national convention of 1908. Omaha has the Auditorium already and by 1908 it ought to have the hotels to take care of the presidential nomination.

When John O. Yeiser peruses the les son of warning which the popoeration organ reads to him he must be forced to the conclusion that the fusion re formers have come to a realization of his true value only since he repudiated them and hitched his kite to the republican cart.

Only the handleap saved Emperor William's cup from joining the America's cup on this side of the Atlantic The American boat reached the goal several hours ahead of all others but Siberia than for a place of authority as the others were built in Europe it in a civilized state and over American had to give from five to nine hours advantage to all competitors.

That Nebraska has passed its fiftieth birthday is being emphasized with too only one unjust war has been waged as the term of Senator Dolliver will not list of deaths among the early pioneers. Fifty years of strenuous life in the army, or, rather, two federal armies. transformation of a trackless prairie subjugated Mexico and got the desired into a great and prosperous commonwealth is a severe tax on the sturdlest record. The republican record shows a constitution.

prepared nominating candidates for vice for our democratic friends to challenge president, which were never delivered attention to the record of parties as to because the convention at Philadelphia their acts toward the Spanish-American swung over to Roosevelt before any republica?" one else got into the running. The chances are good that the market of Roosevelt's view of the relations of this undelivered speeches may also be overstocked this year at Chicago.

adopted at Chicago. There is no oppobeen unqualifiedly endorsed by every a feeling as any American citizen. state convention of the party, nor is been magnificently justified by results. has been well employed and the agri- sion. cultural producers have liberally shared in the general prosperity. There is an abundant supply of sound money for all good credit finds any difficulty in obtaining money and at moderate rates.

not fall to command the earnest con-29,790 sideration of intelligent voters. velopment. The growth of the United States in wealth and in industrial and commercial power during the last quar- Free Lance. ter of a century is almost marvelous and most of this has been accomplished in the past seven years. The repubtinues. If industrial and commercial tion. The process of disintegration, the outlook nothing to cause discouragement or apprehension. And while appears therefore to be simply between ment of money or a loan of money as Responding to my challenge to cite a making progress at home we have also slow decomposition and quick exterminagrown in the respect of the world, tion. Under the administrations of McKinley and of Roosevelt the foreign relations of senting populist rather than democratic the United States have been conducted strength the apportionment has been with a wisdom, tact and honesty which manding place in international councils.

Not only is this republic recognized various counties today is most ridiculous. among the world powers, but American enclature, but he is willing to try an opinion is consulted equally with that delegates according to the vote cast in face of a blank record as prosecutor of one instance of the kind. Yes, indeed, amateur's hand in making Sultan Muley of any other nation in regard to what- recent years for fusion candidates would gamblers in the district court. To be and it will always remain in my rememever affects international affairs and is as much deferred to. The Department tionately of the representation in coun- five or six men and one woman as hav- rant judicial outrage that has ever been of State at Washington exerts at least ties where democrats have contributed ing been prosecuted for violations of the perpetrated against me by packed juries The Vladivostok squadron is the lat- as great an influence as any foreign the bulk of the vote and giving conven- gambling laws during his two terms as and prejudiced courts. The article proest ubiquitous naval unit. It is in al- office of Europe, as has more than once tion representation that will never be county attorney, but those people, I nounced libelous was absolutely true, most as many places at one and the been shown within a few years. Ameri- made good at the polls. same time as Pat Crowe was a week can diplomacy never before occupied so Nebraska populists are indeed in a tured by the police and tried in po- good motives and for justifiable ends. high a place in the world's esteem and pitiable dilemma. They are at the mercy lice court, and that is as far as their Asked why he had signed the mani-

> mente. Pointing to its great record of things will appeal to the country with confidence. In Theodore Roosevelt it has a invigorate the populist party in Neleader of unquestionable ability, inests, who, following in the course of his great predecessor, William McKinley, has given the country an administration worthy of the heartlest popular ap-

ALLEGED CRUELTY IN COLORADO. Those are very serious charges of cruelty that are made by the secretary of the Western Federation of Miners against the authorities in the disturbed district. He alleges that persons incarcerated in the bull pens have been subjected to awful torture and that women and children of the families of union men are not allowed to be provided with provisions or relief. "Miners have been" taken from bull pens," it is charged, "hung by the neck until nearly dead, suspended by the thumbs and tortured

with thumb screws." The inclination is to regard this as an exaggeration, but if true some one should be held to a severe accountability. One is shocked when reports of no greater cruelties come from abroad and and their occurrence in our own land ought to arouse the keenest popular indignation. The relentless feeling of hostility toward the union miners which has been manifested by the Colorado authorities gives reason to believe that there is truth in the statement of cru-l practices in the case of miners who plaint of Webster Davis have been dishave been imprisoned because they are charged, it being alleged that Mr. Davis members of a union, but depriving women and children of subsistence shows case was called. Those who remember

If the governor of the state is aware no language of condemnation for him sorry the inside facts of his South can be too strong. As for Adjutant African trip are not permitted to trans-General Bell, he has shown himself better suited for a post in the mines of citizens.

OUR ONE UNJUST WAR. The Washington Post remarks that that the south wanted and a federal lands. That is a part of the democratic federal army headed toward Mexico in a successful attempt to free that coun-Four years ago a lot of speeches were try from European invaders. Is it wise

> Democratic criticism of country toward the southern republics was of course intended to make parti-

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION. san capital. It is to be expected that The thirteenth national convention of there will come from the St. Louis conhence will celebrate the fiftieth anni- by Representative Williams of Missisversary of its birthday, will meet today sippi on the president's utterance. But under auspicious conditions. The party the democratic view of that remark is is united and harmonious as to the choice not likely to make much of an impresof a presidential candidate and in regard sion upon the minds of thoughtful peofactional differences in a few states, re- president said that can fairly be conlating wholly to state affairs, but such strued as anything more than an addifferences will not affect the candi- monition. It conveyed no threat, nor dates nominated and the platform was it of a nature that should give any offense to the people of the Spanish-

domestic and foreign commerce. Labor this hemisphere from foreign aggres- the gory field of honor.

IN A BUT-SHELL

There is a populist party in Nebraska and it will hold a state convention at Fremont the requirements of legitimate business, on June 21 for the purpose of selecting so that no merchant or manufacturer of forty-eight delegates to the populist national convention to be held in Springfield, Ill., on July 4. The basis of representation to the state convention is one delegate for These conditions are in marked contrast | each 200 votes cast for Weaver for president 29.430 with those which prevailed during the in 1882 and Colfax county will have four last democratic administration and can- delegates. The populists have to go back honey explosively charges that he was twelve years to get a vote to base their epresentation upon, as fusion has been a confusion as to votes. A year or so more The history of the republican party is of fusion and they won't need to go back is rich and racy. I had forgotten the ina record of national progress and de- for a vote because there won't be any dele- cident, but if Mr. Mahoney really did reached the point where it is nothing with fusion and nothing without it.-Schuyler

The Free Lance sums up the populist

To get a convention this year repremade upon the vote cast twelve years

confidence as it now does. Republicans of the democrats in everything that pertains to their former alliance and helpless to pull out because of innate weakaccomplished, which gives assurance of of selecting celegates to a national conbe wanting. The only thing that can rebraska is a democratic splitup at St. Louis that will drive the Bryanites over into the populist fold.

The most beautiful feature of the vadone more to cherish the memories of tin-horn gamblers and professional gamthe veterans of the war than any thing blers without the use of a crowbar, and are but following the good example thus came in collision with the county attor-

set. There is always danger that the ney officially. time to time in tokens of love and deeds

The same argument used by the railroads against the assessment in Nebraska of terminal values in Chicago reference to the assessment of terminal values in Omaha for municipal taxation as against pretended distribution throughout the state where no municipal taxes are levied. The evasion of city taxes by the railroads is the biggest item of tax shirking to be corrected by a continuance of our campaign for equal taxation.

The Boer officials arrested on comwas too ill to appear in court when the a depth of hatred almost beyond belief, the once celebrated hat incident will not be surprised to hear that Mr. Davis of these conditions and permits them failed to make good, but they may be

Somebody down in Washington has discovered an incipient bee in the bonnet of Congresman Walter I. Smith of Council Bluffs, buzzing yearningly for will have plenty of time to let its wings frow stronger.

An Unfair Advantage. Chicago Post.

Mr. Bryan refers contemptuously Parker as "a speechless candidate," well knowing that the judge can't say "you're another" without perjuring him-

Potential Factor in All Things.

Admiral Melville says that bullion and rains are the main factors in a nation's naval strangth. There are few affairs, either national or individual, in which that combination is not the acting force; at least, no affair yet discovered in human ANSWERS FOR MR. MARONEY.

When a man who has but recently the republican party, which two weeks vention an echo of the opinion expressed broken into the social uppercrust indulges in the coarse and vulgar epithets that would grace his coachman, he unwittingly betrays his early training. The elegant diction of the open epistle to policies and principles. There are ple, for there is nothing in what the addressed to me by Timothy J. Mahoney, abounding in every other senis another one of your lies," and "still you lie," has such a fragrant bar-room by this community. sition among republicans to Theodore American republics, for which unques. flavor that I am compelled to decline to The Post makes a telling hit in point of my boyhood years were spent, social ciples during the past seven years the ficient to silence criticism of the presi- troon. In this unchivalrous northern clithere has been a large increase in both tector of the independent countries of the same purpose as an encounter on quences of their crime.

The time was when T. J. Mahoney was wont to commend The Bee for its earnest and fearless fight for good government and for its honest politics. That time is not so far back. But times have changed. While acknowledging his ingates to elect. The populist party has pay \$50 to help elect himself, I venture his benefit.

situation in a nutshell. The history of What a contemptible thing it is for a bring on a sudden collapse. The choice have ever demanded or exacted a pay- how much has he retained? The Bee.

knowledge of policy gambling in Dougpolicy wheels were turning with anout, and policy tickets were being properiod it was not Tom Dennison, but rious fraternal organisations is to be Jack Morrison, who figured in Omaha as found in the memorial services which the king of gambiers-but, for some unthey are holding in tribute to their dead. explained reason, Jack Morrison's pool The annual Memorial day exercises of room and his fare and roulette outfit else, and in this the fraternal societies the gambler king and his cabinet never

business and commercial spirit of our As an offset to my bill of indictment, industrial age will drive the sentimental Mr. Mahoney asserts that The Bee adurer of Omaha when he was a defaulter filled the office of county treasurer two defaulter for even \$100, let alone \$100,a single dollar.

Treasury embezzlers and bank wreckmation that I sounded the alarm only after the discovery of the default is to the mayor and council that the books balanced and that any shortage existing must be found in the shape of L O. U.s and billets doux in the treasurer's cash the seat in the senate now occupied by drawer, which amounted to from \$22,000 Senator Dolliver. Inasmuch, however, to \$26,000 altogether. Mr. Mahoney, I ever throw any obstacle in the way of who was the attorney for the secondfrequent recurrence by the lengthening by this country. "Mexico had lands expire for more than two years the bee term bondsmen, may be excused for his effort to try to make the council believe that nine-tenths of the defaication, which finally proved to have been \$115 .- thieves and crooks of any description? 000, occurred in the first term. As athis contract to get a settlement with under pressure from Mahoney's clients.

following editorial of June 27, 1895, is a fair sample:

NOW STAND FROM UNDER. The boodle element in the city council had better stand from under. They have trifled with the taxpayers and citizens quite ong enough. Their attempt to keep a self onfessed embezzler in the city treasury b the most high-handed outrage that has ever been perpetrated in this or any other state. The council had no right to accept a conditional resignation from a defaulting tence with "you are a liar" and "this treasurer, much less will its conspiracy to hold up competent employes, who are able to give the requisite bond, be countenanced

We believe the time has come for th strict enforcement of the law. A few Roosevelt, whose administration has tionably Mr. Roosevelt has as friendly reciprocate with thanks. Were I living months ago a poor clerk stole an overcoat in Tennessee or Alabama, where some from his employer, who was in debt to him for wages three or four times as much as the value of the garment. The culprit there any hostility to the fundamental ing out that the democratic party was etiquette would have compelled me either pleaded that he was trying to collect what principles of republicanism, which have responsible for the war with Mexico, to prick him with an Arkansas tooth- was due him, but nevertheless he was conwhich was made in the interest of pick, perforate him with buckshot or victed of grand larceny and sentenced to Under the operation of these prin- slavery, and that fact ought to be suf- fiee in disgrace as a self-confessed pol. a term of five years in the penitentiary. While this may have been justice untern pered with mercy defaulters and embes country has had great prosperity. Our dent's statement of what he conceived mate a volley of cold lead, discharged siers of public funds and their abetters industries have steadily grown and to be the duty of this nation as the pro- from the muzzle of a pencil will answer should have no immunity from the conse-

Mr. Mahoney declares point blank that there was no attempt to pack the jury during the trial of the great state embezzler, Joseph Bartley, and he further asserts that The Bee did not expose any such attempt. Perhaps Judge Benjamin S. Baker, who was the trial judge, debtedness to me for his election to the and former District Attorney Baldrige, county attorneyship, which afforded him who prosecuted the defalters, can set his first opportunity for gaining profes. him right. To my best recollection there sional honors and prominence, Mr. Ma- was a good deal of scurrying among Bartley's lawyers, including Mr. Maheld up by me for a \$50 contribution to honey, when the lime light of The Bee "my campaign expense account." This was turned on during the famous Bartley trial, and one man was sent to jail. Dennison habeas corpus case has been And, talking about Bartley, suggests a set in motion. five more times.

lican victory of 1896, after several years sively that fusion with the democracy say that I held him up! Within the Bartley, after he had been pardoned that during my forty years residence in of financial distrust and business de- has been steadily undermining it and thirty-three years since The Bee has out of the penitentiary, placed in the Omaha I have done more earnest and pression, started the nation upon a new that a continuance of fusion means its been published it has supported more hands of T. J. Mahoney for collection effective work to arouse the public conera of advancement and this still con- early extinction as a separate organiza- than twelve hundred candidates for I. O. U.s, amounting to several thousand science to all that goes toward the suppolitical office. Just for a little diver- dollars, preserved for Bartley in that big pression of crime in Omaha, in high progress is somewhat slower at present however, stimulated by fusion, has gone sion, I agree to contribute \$100 to any tin box during his confinement. How places as well as in low places, than any than a year or two ago it is no less so far that unless present conditions charitable institution Mr. Mahoney may much of this money has Mr. Mahoney sound and substantial, while there is in change a failure to fuse threatens to name if he will find a man of whom I collected, how much has he repaid and pect to continue to do so, not by fight

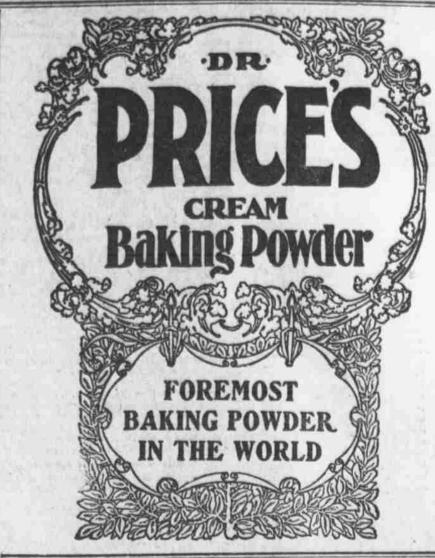
> waited twelve years before finding fault private life, or in public office, wilfully, distribution of copulists throughout the orderly houses? Simply because he is cently rendered against me by the suposing now as an anti-gambling re- preme court in an action for libel I will On the other hand, an apportionment of former and anti-vice crusader, in the probably feel like remembering at least result in the weighting down dispropor- sure, Mr. Mahoney cites the names of brance as an instance of the most flagfind, were the class of offenders cap- published in the public interest, with

Mr. Mahoney positively denies any about crime and vice being rampant in Omaha without having personal knowl-I chearfully give him the benefit of an evidence furnished was entirely suffifuture usefulness, the republican party vention, but the spirit of the party will alibi, although I am in a position to cient to satisfy him of the truth of the furnish incontrovertible proof that the charge. If he really had evidence sufficient to satisfy a criminal lawyer that molested regularity, week in and week house breakers, burgiars, porch climbers and gamblers were operating in Omaha miscuously peddled in Omaha while he under protection of the police authoriwas prosecuting attorney. During that ties, why did not Mr. Mahoney place the evidence in his possession in the hands of the late grand jury? Why did he plead the baby act. like several other members of the Civic Federation. who, when cited before the grand jury, the Grand Army of the Republic have were accessible to amateur gamblers, claimed that all their information came from Elmer E. Thomas? Elmer E. Thomas when cited also failed to supply sufficient proof to convince the grand fury that such a condition existed in Omaha.

Almost in the same breath in which he asserts that he had evidence suffiout of life if it is not rekindled from vocated the re-election of a city treas- cient to satisfy himself of the truth of the charge that crime and vice were beto the extent of \$100,000, and he inti- ing protected, Mr. Mahoney declares mates that I must have been under that he is not in possession of the eviobligations to the embeszler in some dence on which to file complaints against way. There is absolutely no ground for the owners of buildings leased for imsuch a charge. Previous to his becom- moral and criminal purposes, and he ing city treasurer the defaulter had appears to resent the intimation that it was his duty to lodge complaints against terms and made settlement with his these parties, and in the same sentence successor without a shadow resting he declares it the aim of the Civic Fedupon his reputation for integrity. When eration, for which he is the headlight, he became a candidate for re-election to bring about a more vigorous enforcetoward the end of his first term as city ment of the laws against vice. If this treasurer he was not known to be a be true, why does not Mr. Mahoney instruct the detectives employed by the 000, and he would not have received my anti-vice crusaders to take an inventory fair. support had I known that he was short of the buildings in the proscribed district and buildings outside of the proscribed district, known to be used for ers have never yet been able to get aid immoral and criminal purposes, and or comfort out of The Bee, and the inti- lodge complaint in the criminal court against the owners? Can it be possible that some of his associates in the crupretty nearly as true as the charge that sade are renting buildings to that class? I knew the default amounted to \$100. For myself, I do not believe that the so-000. The defalcation was discovered on cial evil can be stamped out. All that June 18, 1895, and on June 25, one week can be done rationally is to keep it withlater, the city comptroller made a report in certain limits and make it behave. The most cowardly part of the Ma-

honey retort is embodied in the onestion, "Why does be (Rosewater) throw every possible obstacle in the way of attempts to reach criminals?" When did the prosecution of criminals? When umns of The Bee to shield and protect boodlers, grafters, embezziers, public Again, "What has he (Rosewater) to neighboring states from being brought

torney of the sureties it was a part of gain by preventing persons indicted in the city for a nominal amount, and he to justice?" Without naming the pardoubtless would have succeeded had not ties. Mr. Mahoney manifestly seeks to The Bee firmly and forcefully opposed create the impression that I have had the deal at every turn. Perhaps Mr. some interest in, or connection with, the Mahoney's memory will be refreshed as diamond robberies and have used my to The Bee's attitude on the city treas- influence to impede justice in the Denni ury defalcation at the time the council, son extradition case, I challenge Mahoney to name any judge, witness or THE RICHARDSON DRUG CO., was endeavoring to prevent the removal public officer who has been approached of the defaulting city treasurer. The by me directly or indirectly, since the



couple more questions which I should be In concluding his characteristic screed to say more than five times \$50 were pleased to have Mr. Mahoney answer Mr. Mahoney declares that he and other expended by me in that campaign for in his next epistle, even at the risk of members of the Civic Federation expect my being stigmatized as a liar four or me to attack them and libel them because of their efforts on behalf of de the party in this state shows concluman of Mr. Mahoney's pretensions to According to a well-defined rumor, Mr. cent government. I venture to assert member of the Civic Federation, and I exing sham battles from behind masked entrenchments, but fighting in the open a condition of my support or that of single instance where I have slandered arena on lines suggested by practical exany of my reputable neighbors or perience in other cities as well as in Mr. Mahoney wants to know why I libelled any honest man or woman in Omaha. In the performance of this task I will not attempt to smirch repuwith him as county attorney? Why did maliciously and knowingly, Mr. Ma- tations nor blackwash the city of Omaha I not pitchfork him when he failed to honey responds that when I pay the by the circulation of unfounded rumors have gained for this government a com- ago. To pretend that this reflects the prosecute gamblers and keepers of dis- judgment of \$2,500 that was but re- fabricated for partisan and factional

E. ROSEWATER.

NEWSPAPER CONTRASTS.

Clouds Frequently Obscure the Sunshine of Life.

Philadelphia Press. In the nature of the case the news paper deals with the unusual, in which the accidental, the scandalous, the criminal and the tragic play a large part. These things are "news;" the countless lives that are contentedly living their daily round, breaking no laws, suffering no ex-"news. festo making the specific declaration A newspaper cannot "feature" the hosts of merry, healthy children who are now making hills and fields and shore ring with the joyous music of their voices ness. They will go through the motions las county during his four years' term, edge, Mr. Mahoney declares that the There is something deeper and better than "news" in the myriads of glad homes which dot the earth's surface, where husband and wife live in mutual love and respect, and children grow up learning life's great lessons of honor, truthfulness, love and industry.

Even such a startling catastrophe that which the newspapers have just recorded should not shock men and women out of their optimism. This world is not a vale of tears, despite its much weeping. There is more laughter than crying, more pleasure than suffering. us not forget the burdened and suffering. to withdraw from whom would be to harden our, hearts. But let us remember also the strong, the rejoicing, the blessed. They have messages no less true than their neighbors who sit in the ashes of sor row.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Now it is General Stakelberg. The Japs seem to have no favorites among the Rus sian commanders. Indian Territory's delegates to the deocratic national convention are for Bis

Chief Man-afraid-of-his-tongue. Lake Michigan comes to the fore rather early with a bunch of sea serpents. One of the peculiarities of the big pond is the way it enables tourists to see things. Fifteen hundred teachers will be em ployed in the aummer schools of New York City, thus giving a chance to thousands otherwise educationally unprovided

Sir Thomas Lipton will visit this country again this year, according to J. Keithley Crother, his manager, who has arrived in New York. . While it is still the Irish baronet's ambition to lift the cup, his visit will have nothing to do with this matter. Sir Thomas wants to see the St. Louis

Sir Thomas wants to see the St. Louis fair.

The plans for a memorial to the late Francis Wayland, dean of the Yale law school, have been approved by President Hadley of the university. It will take the shape of a fund of \$75,000 for the law school library and the faculty has contributed \$3,000 on condition that \$30,000 for the main fund shall be raised.

Full many men are dead and gone who died for want of breath.

And many who while still on earth have taked themselves to death;

More sharper than a serpent's tooth is man's own reckless tongue when hung inside an open face and all too library and the faculty has contributed \$3,000 on condition that \$30,000 for the main fund shall be raised. the main fund shall be raised.

David Lee of Zanesville, O., consulting engineer of the Baltimore & Ohio rall-road, has given over fifty years of his life to work for the road named, and now, nearly To years old, he is still vigorous and enjoys good health. Some years ago he was general superintendent at Baltimore and later master of transportation.

In public life's few lower rounds are some who chew the rag.

And some from dewy morn till night sall in and punch the bag life in and punch the bag.

Because they like the sound of it; but list awhile, you'll find.

The louder is the noise it makes the more it's filled with wind.

Be good and hush and you will get a great reward, you will:

Throw out your chest and smile, or frown, but—first keep still. David Lee of Zanesville. O., consulting and later master of transportation.

WORDS OF APPRECIATION.

OMAHA, June 19, 1904.-To the Editor of The Bee: Accept my hearty congratulations for yourself and The Bee. I read the first issue of The Bee, and I have read the latest. What a marvelous transformation! From the small 10x12 "dodger" to the great metropolitan paper, containing the freshest and most reliable news of the world. Its high literary merit, established by its corps of able editors, contributors and correspondents, places it in the foremost rank of American newspapers. Truly, the progress of The Bee is the exponent of Nebraska's greatness and grandeur. Indeed, the latter are the result of influences such as The Bee has wielded during the last generation. I trust that its founder will live many years to enjoy the fruits of his great labors, untiring energy and unswerving devotion to the public weal. JOHN RUSH.

POINTED PLEASANTRIES.

School Census Man—What is the name of the family here?
Householder—Lidgoff.
School Census Man—Nationality, please,
Russian or New York City?—Chicago Trib-

"Didn't you say you had all the com-forts of home?" asked the indignant guest. "Well," answered Farmer Corntossel, "after you folks are gone we do have 'em. That's what we take boarders for."—Wash-ington Star.

Mrs. Benham—Do you think a Mormon who has ten wives can be really happy? Benham—Well, he has ten chances to my one.—Cleveland Plain Dealer. "I maintain," she deciared, "that women are better speakers than men." "But sometimes quantity is mistaken for quality," he pointed out,—Town Topics.

"Glad to meet you," said the polite cannibal chief to the new missionary. "I shall expect to see more of you tomorrow. We dine at high noon."
"Er-thanks, awfully, I shall be delighted..."
"Not at all. The pleasure will be all mine, I assure you."—Philadelphia Press.

Every man ought to have a hobby. A good hobby for a married man to have is doing everything that his wife wants him to.—Somerville Journal.

"Have you ever done anything about those charges against you?"
"No," answered Senator Sorghum; "I haven't cone anything. Those charges are the other fellow's business and I don't see why I should advertise it."—Washington Star.

Photographer-I would suggest that you relax the features a little and assume a

more pleasing expression.

Mrs. Vick-Benn-I suppose I can do it if you insist, but I can tell you right now it won't look like me.—Chicago Tribune.

Blowyer-No, sir, our hard-working la-boring men don't even yet get the half of what they deserve. Quietcus-Well, I notice that our multi-millionaires don't usually get half what they deserve. either.—Town Topics. MAN WHO CAN HOLD HIS TONGUE.

The man who speaks a dozen tongues, when all is said and done.

Don't hold a match to him who knows how to keep still in one:

The talker cops some good things here.

The talker cops some good things here, things much to be desired.
The silent man cops these and more, and deem't make folk tired;
Oh, you can have life's good things brought right to you if you will;
Throw out your chest, put on a frown, and just keep still. The man who's known as "sliver-tongued"
may fool folk for a spell.

Some few may take him at his word, believe all he may tell
About himself for fust a while; but soon
he'll make a slip
And he'll be nicely put away, knocked out
by his own lip;
Oh, you'll get money in the bank and deilars in your till
If you'll put on a thoughtful look, and just

If you'll put on a thoughtful look, and just keep still. Full many men are dead and gone who died

In public life's few lower rounds are some

Throw out your chest and smile, or frown but—just keep still.

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