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Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this ist day of May, 1905. M. B. HUNGATE, (Seal) Notary Public.

The owners of private car lines seem shop" idea.

That municipal asphalt paving plant will have to work overtime to catch up when it once gets into action.

Ibsen declares he cannot find pleasure in children, and no one doubts full reci- islate on this subject to load up with stacles to the construction of a pipe line the job he most desires, find out from die done up in anything from the size of little ones.

If all the states make live pigeon shooting a crime, contraband birds may as needed and the probability is that The distance between Omaha and have to sail under another name on the menu cards.

After taking possession of that Mexican land it will devolve upon "Elijah" rain come on demand.

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One necessary factor in the upbuild-

advertised is to support the local news-

papers that are day in and day out call-

vantages for homeseekers and investors

More than 300 Neoraska lumber deal

ers will start shortly on a junketing

tour to the red shingle region. A low

estimate of their transportation and re-

freshment expenses would be \$100 per

man, or \$30,000 in the aggregate, but

The main object of the charter pro-

rision requiring Omaha to be redis-

merely to increase the number of coun-

Heading Off Deficits.

Washington Post.

Hemenway will have difficulty in refut-

ing his assertion that one way to reduce

federal expenses is to guit spending so

Symptoms of Progress.

St. Louis Republic.

China seems to be affected at last with

he mania called civilization. It declares its

purpose to boycott American goods. And

there can hardly be any question that re-

taliation is one of the evidences of a ca-

His Time to Laugh.

Baltimore American.

Sizing Up the Pumps.

A western railroad is having the heads

o determine each one's peculiar abilities.

Appaling Waste of Fire.

One thousand million dollars, said Presi-

New York World.

Philadelphia Press.

pacity to assimilate and progress.

much money.

that very point.

Jones will have to pay the hoo-hoo.

tury. There has been a large growth in says so itself. It would open its col-THE PANAMA POLICE-It appears from statements which manufacturing and commerce and a umus just as wide to any other bunch may be accepted as authentic that the great increase in wealth. But the men of common criminals, provided only they first reports regarding the policy to be of affairs there appear to have become were attacking some one by the name pursued in purchasing material and convinced that something more needs to of Rosewater. supplies for the isthmian canal were

be done to further promote the material welfare of the southern states and they From the noise raised over the alleged will tell at the parliament what they theft of \$90,000 in jewels in New York it deem to be essential for the accomplishwould appear that money is the only ment of this. Addresses will be delive thing which can be stolen without comered by the secretaries of agricultury ment in Gotham and that to be really

and of commerce and labor, the staple in- safe the deed should be committed on dustries of the south will receive atten- Wall street. tion, and not the least important matter to be discussed is immigration. The southern producing and manufacturing ing of Omaha is thorough advertising.

countries beyond such as may be reinterests have become thoroughly and the way to get the city thoroughly quired for immediate use. It is exaroused to the necessity of securing more plained that it never was the intention white labor and efforts are being made of the administration to go into the to induce Italian immigrants especially ing attention to Omaha's superior admarkets of the world for canal materials unless there was a tendency on the to go to that section. Therefore this subject will command perhaps greater inter-

part of home manufacturers to combine est in the parliament, since it is second to force the prices of supplies to exto none in importance to the industrial future of the south. The movement A Washington report to the Philadel-

which this assemblage of practical southphia Ledger quotes an official as saying ern men, earnestly and patriotically dethat the Intimations recently given out voted to the advancement of their secby Secretary Taft, with the full aption, is intended to inaugurate cannot proval of the president, were admonifall to have good results. tory rather than declaratory, being intended to admonish American material

EXTEND THE PIPE LINE TO OMAHA. The announcement is made by the canal must be furnished at the prevail- Standard Oll company that within ten

cilmen, but also to safeguard the intering market price, otherwise recourse will days its system of pipe lines from the ests of the city against jobbery by posbe had to foreign markets. It was not Kansas oil fields will extend across onesible council combines. intended to declare that the policy will half of the continent to its Atiantic seabe to seek foreign markets in quest of board outlet in New Jersey. It is also cheap material, but that foreign mar- announced that the pipe lines of the kets will be resorted to rather than sub- Standard Oil company from the Kansas Even the political opponents of Senator

mit to unjust combinations made to com- oil fields will be completed to Kansas pel the payment of exorbitant prices. City during the present week. Natural gas has been piped to Kansas aspect, and, if a correct statement of the City for manufacturing and illuminating intention of the administration, will be purposes for several months past and

entirely satisfactory to the country. It the city on the Kaw is in position to was not conceivable that the president compete with Pittsburg, Cleveland and and secretary of war would favor any other industrial centers that have been discrimination against American manu- built up within the past quarter of a facturers, being as friendly as any of century by the almost unlimited supply our citizens to home industries, but it of cheap fuel and cheap illuminants.

While there is no doubt that Omaha government is protected against com- will, in the no distant future, be able It is an ancient rule that every letter binations to force up prices. This the to secure pipe line connection with the policy announced will undoubtedly ac- Wyoming oil fields, there is every incomplish. Indeed it is said that already centive to the Standard Oil company and from the Steel trust and other combines tion of a pipe line direct between Omaha

that they have no intention of holding and the Kansas natural gas and petroleum fields. The distance between Of course there was no foundation Omaha and the Kansas oil fields is not

for the report that the president or sec- very much greater than the distance retary of war would take advantage of from the oil fields to Kansas City, but the fact that congress had failed to leg- even if there were insurmountable obof congress, which it is expected will fields, there certainly would be no such corresponds to it, bump his head in that

spot and butt in. be in October. On the contrary the obstacles encountered in the laying of a commission will merely make purchases pipe line from Kansas City to Omaha.

most of these will be made in this coun- Kansas City by rail is 200 miles or try. The understanding is that the thereabouts, and the capital required for president believes congress should pass the construction of such a line would a law explicitly defining the conditions not be half as large as the estimated upon which contracts should be placed cost of the Platte river power canal. Dowie to prove his title by making the and whether they should be restricted A pipe line from Omaha to Kansas City

eigners should be given an opportunity the construction of the Platte river or houses of small value burned. It does not pot, a wooden spoon. Japanese laborers have gone on a in certain contingencies to compete. Loup river canal projects. On the con-fully cover the losses of household goods

SENTIMENT ON RATE REGULATION.

Over One Million Expected to Land This Year.

HIGH TIDE OF IMMIGRATION.

One million immigrants will be added to stands pat on insisting upon railroad reguthe population of the United States this lation. He will still further onhance his year, if the calculations of the New York popularity among the masses if he will Herald are verified. There is every reason speedily give Secretary Morton his walking

to believe that they will be, judging from papers. the records of months, and the demands Kearney Hub: There is a class of shippers made upon steamships for accommodations. in this country that has enjoyed specia Steamship companies are taxed to the ut- privileges at the hands of the railroads. termost to accommodate the hordes of These privileges have enabled them to drive peasants pouring into the great European out competition and fortify themselves at ports scrambling for the privilege of buy- the expense of the public. Very naturally ing berths in the crowded steerage quite they "view with alarm" a threatened

as strenuously as the native born Amer- change in existing conditions and have Ican woman is wont to scramble at a Mon- gloomy forebodings as to what will happen day's bargain counter. So great is the de- if the elimination of discrimination removes mand for passage that the steamship comthese profitable privileges.

panies could afford to exercise the most Kearney Democrat. The man who is a arbitrary process of selection and rejection. cavy shipper is not necossarily a heavy so that the fortunate ones were of an exfreight payer. The man who actually pays ceptionally high average intelligence and the freight is the man who raises hogs and good health. cattle on the farm. The cost of freight is

taken from the price paid for his stock. The high water mark of the year's im-The other man who buys the bacon and migration always occurs in April, says the hams that are shipped back to the con-Herald, and the month just passed has sumer again has the cost of freight added broken its own record. In one single day to his purchase. The next man who pays of that month there walked through the the freight is he who buys lumber for his gate at Ellis island almost 12,000 people. To house, coal to burn, flour to eat and sugar be explicit, the precise number was 11,955, and salt to use. The man who ships these and had the barge office been able to accommodities into the town or city to sell to

ommodate all those who sought admission his customers does not pay a dollar of the that day these figures would have been freight on these articles excepting so much swelled to a little more than 13,000. As of them as he and his family consume. He it was, the overflow were obliged to re- simply advances the freight on his shipmain on board their ships until the immi- ments and the man who consumes pays tricted into twelve wards was not gration commissioner and his army of 460 the freight. The interstate commerce comassistants had disposed of a sufficient num- mittee ought to talk with the actual freight ber of the earlier arrivals to make room payers.

for those left on shipboard. Columbus Telegram: The calling of such Whatever may be his prejudices pro or men as Jansen, Hord, Miller and Gilcrest on regarding the wisdom of admitting to give testimony regarding the sentiment these alien hordes, it is difficult to imagine of Nebraska people would be amusing, any American citizen worthy the name were it not almost criminally ridiculous. who must not feel a certain compassion. If this shall serve as a fair sample of the and in that compassion a strangely new manner in which the national senate is thrill of patriotism, at the spectacle which probing into railroad rate conditions, then these picturesque peoples present as they the result of the probing must be readily pass through the various processes preknown in advance of any action the con Iminary to their admission to the country. mittee or the senate may take. The Tele-Russians, Hungarians, Finns, Lithuanians, gram does not presume to call in question Greeks, Germans, Magyars, Italians, Turks the integrity of the witnesses above named. -they pass from the barges in one long. We simply call attention to the railroad continuous and altogether splendid procesconnections of each witness. Each of these sion, which might well be taken as a model witnesses is the every day recipient of by any sculptor who wished to reproduce railroad favors. Each has a personal inone of those commemorative friezes with terest in winning the favoring smile of which the ancient Greeks and Romans the railroad officials. If all the witnesses ornamented the triumphal arches through before the senate committee shall be of the which their general passed coming home type furnished by Nebraska, then we shall of rates by the government. from barbarian wars. not be surprised if the senate, acting upon the evidence, shall give the railroads

Every day of the week one may see for coat of whitewash as white as any railroad issue in congress, from which there can be deserves a response. Therefore Secretary himself the remarkable transformations attorney ever mixed. Taft can afford to laugh at those members which a short residence within the pur-Silver rCeek Sand: T. B. Hord of Cenof congress who are now criticising him lieus of democratic civilization is capable trai City, the largest shipper of live stock fas as eliciting information to assist in the to be the latest champions of the "closed the president has received assurances even local capitalists for the construc- for his Panama policy, as they refused to of performing upon these people. When in the country and also a large dealer in

notice his letter requesting information on the immigrant lands at Ellis island and is grain, told the senate committee on intershut off in the particular "pen" to which state commerce that the present rates on he is assigned until such time as he shall cattle shipments were not extortional and not to speak of its work as farcical. be properly "passed through" to the rela- that the shippers wanted no change. He tives or friends who stand as his sponsers let the cat out of the bag when he said: he is for the most part an outlandish look-"We have the railroad officers among us

of its clerks examined by a phrenologist ing object-outlandish as no stage clown in close touch with conditions, and we ever was outlandish. Invariably he has want conditions unchanged, because we are a bundle and his wife has a bundle-a bun- prospering." This 'sounds well, but Mr. Hord should have specified who are the supplies between now and the meeting between Omaha and the Kansas oil phrenologist data what part of his brain a pocket handkerchief to a large table-"we." It is absolutely true that he does ingly. cloth. If the bundle is a small one they not want conditions changed, and there are carry it in the hand or slung across a stick a few other big cattle shippers who com over the shoulder; if it is a large bundle pose the "we," but that little word does the woman ties it across her back, leaving her hand free to balance, perhaps, a small paper trunk on her head with one hand, and with the other to drag a load of "we" that get the benefit of unfair rates. dent Washburn of the board of fire under- and with the other to drag a load of "we" that get the benefit of unfair rates. writers at its meeting in this city, is the precious and archaic pots and pans to He and his fellow conspirators are in the ountry's loss by fire in six years. The loss which she has clung like grim death since same category as the Standard Oil, the for 1904 surpassed all previous records, the eventful day when she left her hovel

large fruit shippers, the Beef trust and reaching \$229,000,000, of which \$50,000,000 dis- far behind. The children, or such of them other favored monopolies or "big fellows." appeared in the Baltimore blaze. But that as are not babes at the breast, follow in They all belong to the "we's" that do not is not the real total of destruction. It does line, each bearing his own little memento to the American market or whether for- would not, however, block or antagonize not include all ionely, uninsured farm- of old world housekeeping-a tea kettle, a want conditions changed.

PERSONAL NOTES. Mrs. Chadwick's Cleveland home has been

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LINES TO A LAUGH. "I am of the opinion," remarked the fat boarder at the bleakinst table, "that procedings anould be commenced against this way so?' inquired the landlady, giar-Because," answered the fat boarder, "it retuses to settle."-Aillwaukee Sentinei.

A MATTER OF HEALTH

POWDER

Absolutely Pure

ENGENDERING SUSPICION.

Partiality of the Senate Rate Inquiry

Pittsburg Dispatch.

Becoming Apparent.

There is a suggestion of insincerity in the

uestions put to some of the witnesses be-

fore the senate committee on interstate

ommerce at the session yesterday. It

savors of a desire to show that those most

Interested do not demand government regu-

lation of freight rates, but the domand

comes from sources entirely foreign to the

The suspicion has been growing for some

time that the committee was not mani-

festing commendable eagerness to obtain

the facts for each side of the contention

in equal proportion, but rather steered its

course toward information that would be

of value in a campaign against government

ions were plainly put to more than one

regulation of rates. Friday, however, ques-

witness that leave no doubt of the purpose

of the committee in the minds of those

who have followed its course from the be-

ginning. These questions were of the sort

calculated to bring out what the committee

desired, and in every instance the answer

was an argument against the regulation

Whether this policy will be of conse-

quence when the question appears as an

no retreat, can only be told by time, but

the fact is fairly well established that so

guidance of the men who are expected to

vestigation has been something of failure,

settle rate regulation on its merits the i

shipper.

IS NO SUBSTITUTE

"I wouldn't have supposed that the Well-

Judge-One month in jail. Prisoner-But, judge. I run a summer notel and the season is about to open. Judge-Eight months!-Puck.

Bashful Suitor-You are my sole aim in life, Miss Margery. Coy Maid-Well, you won't make a hit unless you get closer to the target.--Puck.

"Graft is surprisingly common," said the apprehensive citizen. "That is where you are wrong," answered Senator Sorghum. "A real good graft is getting to be one of the scarcest things in our once proud and luxurious civilization." -Washington Star. orderly as Chicago.

Wahoo New Era: President Roosevelt is ot disappointing our confidence in him. He

in Hawaii and troops have been Speaker Cannon is said to favor the trary, it would tend toward its promocalled out. The "boycott" at South Omaha may now be raised.

official family fully in sympathy with his body early in its opening session. ideas of the "square deal."

Russia is again showing signs of awakening and appears to begin to realize that something more than Cossack brutality is necessary to win battles in the present day.

Mr. Her is now ambitious to make the elevators in his projected hotel mount up twelve stories, but Omaha at the tenth.

ezar is continuing the war.

President Shea of the Teamsters' union members voted them down.

tions speak louder than words.

Omaha built its Auditorium with a tional organizations. The thing now is loss of life, necessitating the services of to capture a few of the conventions.

By the time South Omaha has plas- and commercial interest of Chicago is tered itself over with mortgages for the suffering loss, to the detriment of all special benefit of grafters and real es. classes of labor, and the vast business of tate speculators, it will be ready to yield that great city is thrown into demoralizato the inevitable merger with Greater tion at a time when it should be most Omaha.

Since the passage of the bill for the on a just and equitable basis and put an sale of the Philadelphia gas franchise end to the most unfortunate and disasthere is not so high an opinion of the trous situation, every day of the existpower of the press in that city. All of ence of which is pregnant with dangerthe newspapers opposed the deal-or ous possibilities.

steal-as they termed it.

AN INDUSTRIAL PARLIAMENT. decision of the Presbyterian The What is termed the Southern Induschurch of the northern states to permit trial Parliament will meet in Washingseparate presbyteries for negroes may be ton city today and be in session three to display a smile. their advancement and for the more

rapid development of that section com-The people who expressed pleasure mercially and industrially. A large at-

when they believed inbor for the Panama | tendance of manufacturers, planters, canal would be purchased in the cheap- merchants, bankers and others from the tie with the "yellow peril" on the Isth- the market for bonds has become tempora est market do not approve the idea of south is assured and the deliberations of mus of Panama, and our "white man's buying supplies according to the same the body will be of national interest, burden" may resolve itself into the prob- of the collateral behind them are a little rule. It may be that congress can be since the entire country is concerned in lein of making the natives of the tropics prevailed upon to satisfy the champions the material progress and prosperity of keep clean. of both American labor and American the south.

manufactures, but in this case another

passage of a law which shall specifically tion. The pipe line from the petroleum

best.

take place this year President Roosevelt by congress and it will undoubtedly mand for cheap power would in turn other civilized nation knows such an apwill have no excuse for not securing an have prominence in the attention of that stimulate capitalists to investing in the power canal. In any event, a pipe line into the

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not altogether accurate. It is now

stated that no foreign-built ships will

be purchased at present for use in con-

nection with the work on the canal, but

such ships may be chartered if Amer-

can vessels of the required capacity

cannot be secured. It is further au-

nounced that no materials for the canal

construction will be bought in foreign

men that all supplies wanted by the

government in constructing the isthmian

This gives the matter a quite different

is plainly their duty also to see that the

up the government.

orbitant figures.

THE CHICAGO STRIKE.

imperative for Omaha's industrial ex-There appears to be no prospect of an pansion. early ending of the Chicago strike, though efforts to bring about peace are still being made. A few days ago it seemed that a conclusion of the conflict

was near, but the refusal of the express companies to restore striking drivers changed the situation and yesterday it will be content with elevators stopping became more serious than ever, so far as the number of men involved is con-

cerned. There has been less manifesta-Now that a Japanese statesman has tion of the spirit of violence for a week expressed himself as to the terms of past, a result in some degree due, it is peace to be insisted upon by that country not to be doubted, to what President Russia may obtain a fair idea of why the Roosevelt said to the labor leaders in deprecation of that spirit and the cer-

tainty that it would not be permitted to triumph, but the determination of the has demonstrated that the trouble at Chi- strikers appears to be as firm as ever, cago is not continued by the "leaders." | while there is no indication of any abate-The leaders were ready to quit, but the ment of purpose on the part of the employers to fight it out.

Under such circumstances, with neither South Omaha's tax commissioner is side disposed to make any material consaid to be talking about a \$20,000,000 cession or enter into any compromise, it is predicted that an appeal will be valuation for the 1905 city assessment. the plea for peace by those who deplore taken to the United States supreme This talk has been beard before. Ac- the wasteful and dangerous conflict excourt, the attorney general of Michigan erts little influence and efforts in that evidently expects the decision of the direction are necessarily futile. Of circuit court to be affirmed. That the course the issue will be settled sooner or final decision in the Michigan tax case purpose to provide a hall in which to later, but before this is accomplished will have a direct bearing upon the Neentertain great conventions of big na- there may be recurrence of violence and braska railroad tax case will be con-

> a military force to restore and preserve order. In the meantime every industrial

The difference between the credit of a city of 115,000 and a city of 25,000 population is strikingly shown in recent sales

active and prosperous. There ought to be a way found to settle the controversy

tleal.

cent interest, brought only \$900 premium. In other words, at the end of twenty years Omaha will have paid \$74,000 interest on \$100,000 of bonds, deducting the premium, while South Omaha would have paid \$98,750 on a

with its present credit.

The world is watching America's bat-

That section has made a notable ad-Of course the World-Herald is not estimate of expense may be necessary. vance within the last quarter of a cen- championing the Algoe blackmatiers. It have been quick absorption.

n general less adequately insured than buildings. It takes no note of forest fires, the most irreparable of all calamities. The limit purchases to the American mar- and natural gas fields would stimu- figures might almost be doubled without ket. The question is manifestly of such late the manufacturing industries in exaggeration. The true annual fire tax of If all of the rumored cabinet changes great importance as to require action Omaha and the creation of a larger de- the nation is doubtless \$25 per family. No palling waste.

Where Lawmaking Fails. Leavenworth Times

As one result of Folk's campaign in Missouri the papers published at Leaven-worth, in the prohibition state of Kansas, are demanding that joints of that place be closed—on Sunday.—Omaha Bee. Mins In treating the prohibitory statute the

In the first round between the rail-Times does not beat about the bush. As for the application of the law to Leavenroads and the state of Michigan, the worth county and to thirteen other counstate of Michigan has come out first ties in the state, it is impossible and impractical. Despite any attempt to close the saloons in these districts, joints or saloons will exist and their patronage will be such as to endourage them to a continued violation of the law. The prohibivalorem tax, namely, a tax on the actual tory statute is not the form of treatment value of the property, based on capital- of the liquor problem that is needed or ization. This change doubled the in- that suffices in this state. Iowa, another neighbor of Nebraska, found this statute unsatisfactory and substituted the form of "license by permission of the voters." Kansas needs local option and high license. power of the federal courts and secured Where a community favors the open saloon they should have it, with power to fully regulate it. Where they are opposed to t they should have the constant co-operation of the law to keep it out. Saloons United States circuit court dismissed the will continue to exist in Leavenworth. The Times does not favor the dramshop, but bill of complaint filed by the railroad it admits this fact. But though they will corporations, thus affirming the right of exist, they may be closed on one day in the state to levy the taxes, which for the week. One day in the week is somethe year 1904 exceed \$4,000,000. While thing, and so the Times is urging it.

ENORMOUS NEW BOND ISSUE.

Four Hundred Millions Since the First of January.

New York Journal of Commerce New bond issues since January 1 have een enormously heavy. A careful compilation made by this journal shows that the gross amount issued since that date, ceded. The principle involved is idena period of four and one-half months, is \$628.578.000. Of this sum about \$235,924.000

was for refunding, or merger purposes, leaving the net amount of bonds representing new capital issued during that period at the unusual sum of \$392,654,000. Details are not available of previous years, but the probabilities are that the above are record-

of Omaha bonds and of South Omaha breaking figures. bonds. Although Omaha has an aggre-Of the gross issues, \$628,575,883, no less gate bonded debt of nearly \$5,000,000, a than \$497,666,000 were railroad issues and block of twenty-year 4 per cent refund- \$130,912,833 industrial bonds. To explain the magnitude of the bond issues during ing bouds amounting to \$100,000 was the four and one-half months of the pres disposed of at a premium of nearly ent year it should be remarked that for \$6,000, while a block of \$70,000 of South railroads alone the total was \$37,000,000 Omaha city hall bonds, bearing 5 per larger than for the entire twelve months ended December 31, 1904, when the issues aggregated \$460,000,000. As was said in these columns last December, the revival of busi ness prosperity has been taken advantage of for floating new issues, many of then for refunding purposes or the taking up of notes. A much larger proportion, how the first real step to a consolidation of days. The purpose of the parliament is \$100,000 5 per cent loan, deducting bonus. for betterments and improvements. While the northern and southern branches, but to consider industrial conditions in the In round figures. Omaha can borrow it is impossible to absolutely differentiate Governor Vardaman may be permitted southern states and discuss methods for \$100,000 for twenty years at \$23,250 less in each issue the amount for refunding purposes and that for new work, a very close than South Omaha an a 5 per cent loan, approximation has been reached

Although the bond market has shown remarkable absorbing powers within the past month, there have been indications that rily glutted, particularly for issues no strictly first-class. Bonds which because more than stock, and issues made by less

well known roads for new construction. have not found ready buyers. In some cases bonds have been offered at too high

a rate preventing what might otherwise

They see nothing to be ashamed of in sold at auction for \$35,009. all this-on the contrary, they are inor-The people of Warsaw are said to wonder dinately proud of this public parade of their worldy possessions, and it is hard how any city can be so riotous and dis-

for them to understand the shame and mortification which their gaucherie causes their James Henry Smith, the New York loving and eager friends who have come millionaire, talks so little either at busito welcome them. If the Americanized ness or in society that he is generally friend is a woman, especially if she be a known as "Silent Jim."

young woman, one may depend upon it New Jersey has a law forbidding the sale that her unsophisticated countrywomen has of its water to another state, but it puts got to be amazingly "prinked up" before no obstacle in the way of the sale of its they set off together. Not infrequently a applejack or Jersey lightning. "lady friend" gifted with forethought will Richard Croker's handsome mansion near

have brought with her an entire new ward-Dublin will soon be ready for occupation robe all a la mode for the newcomer, and It commands a magnificent view of Dublin it is a common occurrence to see one of bay and the Hill of Howth and is quite these ambitious kinswomen literally forcing close to the famous Leopardstown race her dazed peasant friend to lay aside her course.

picturesque kirtle and bodice, her gav Dr. William Royal Stokes and Dr. John headdress, her long pendant earrings-be-S. Fulton, of the Maryland State Board of loved treasures-and don in their stead, in such privacy, as can be secured in the careful and painstaking investigation, disdoorways of the long exit corridors, cheap overed what they believe to be ascurative and tawdry black skirts and a white shirtwaist and a picture hat laden with flowers and feathers.

In a few months the peasant girl becomes habitated to wearing corsets about her of pounds that must have been destroyed strong young waist and she blushes to

by hungry and uninformed humanity. think of the sight she must have been Henry Cook Boynton of Cambridge, when she landed with a bundle on her back, Mass., who has been awarded the Carnegie and when she in turn goes to meet some research scholarship of \$500 by the Iron and one of her friends it is difficult to realize Steel institute of London, is one of the how radical has been the transformation. younger instructors in mining and metail. Probably the most important function of urgy at Harvard. He is 30 years of age. all the routine through which the poor ima native of Plymouth and entered Harvard migrant has to pass-the most important, in 1896.

the tussle.

that is, to him-is that which has to do with his provender. On shipboard he has the first skirmish for the United States invariably been more or less "off his feed," senatorship will come off in April, owing to seasickness, inferiority of food or when the people will express their preferother cause. When he steps on to Ellis ence by ballot. Only two men now are island a joyous surprise is in store for looked on as positive candidates for the him. Lo and behold* he sits down to a position-Senator Shelby M. Cullom, feast such as he had imagined only kings ncumbent, and former Governor Richard

and nobles were ever privileged to more than smell-meat and white bread and soup and beans and potatoes and stewed fruit and butter and coffee or tea or milk, as he chooses. All these delectable luxuries at one and the same sitting and all for the ridiculously low price of 14 cents. If it be his misfortune to be obliged to remain over night on the island, as ten to one it will be, he sits down to a supper hardly less surprising to his unsophisticated notions of what constitutes luxurious living.

Assorted according to the countries whence it was drawn, the immigration for the last two years presents the following 1908. 1904.

Italy and south Europe

Italy and south Europe	622 193,296]
Austria-Hungary	011 177,158
Russia and Finland	092 145.141
Sweden	228 27.763
German empire 40,	088 46.380
Ireland 35.	310 36.142
England 26,	219 38.626
Norway	461 23.808
Japan 19,	968 14.264
Greeca 14.	090 11.845
Portugal	817 6.715
Roumania 9.	310 7.087
West Indies 8.	170 10,198
Denmark	168 8.525
	118 6,235
Scotland 6.	143 11.092
France	578 9,406
Netherlands 8.	968 4.916
Switzerland 8.	983 5.023
Belgium	450 8,976
China 2.	209 4.109
	080 8,993
	761 1,825
	529 4,344
Wales compression L	275 1,730
	058 2,837
	150 1,461
Central America	597 605
South America	589 1.667
Continent of Asia	577 2.117
Mexico	528 1,009
Africa	176 686
Philippine Islands	122 501

India British Hondura South Sea Islands All other countrie Europe, not specified Totals 857.046 813,870

Jack-Koin is awfully economical.

Bess-In what way? Jack-Well, when he has the rheumatism he doesn't get his prescription filled until his wife gets the rheumatism, too.-New York News.

Patience-Will says roses are \$2 a dozen. Patrice-That won't hurt his pocketbook ny. He only throws bouquets at himself. Yonkers Statesman

A SORROWFUL STORY.

New Orleans Times-Democrat. bachelor of 40 grew tired of single life; te looked around a little and then an-He looked

nexed a wife. She was of a type that's common, was very S. Fulton, of the Maryland State Board of nice and prim, Health, have, after nearly four years of And filled with an ambition to have things nice for him

And so, soon after marriage, he found his

Serum for typhold fever, Six million pounds of adulterated foods are said to have been destroyed during the past year by the New York health depart-ment. But just think of the other millions of pounds that must have been destroyed

Upon his varied garments the buttons

soon appeared, And with a frequent dusting his diverse hats were cheered.

were to tell you the whole' twould Oh, if take an age. And make these simple verses jut o'er the seventh page!

the

Yates. Both are actively organizing for

But did the man enjoy it? Ah, na! I grieve to say. He peaked and pined most plainly, was very far from gay. The strange, unheard-of neatness so so wrought upon his mind. Under the new primary law of Illinois The He died at 6 one evening and left it all be-1906. hind

But ere he died he murmured to parties standing near, vant this short inscription, and want it chiseled clear: had a wife whose goodneas 'twas very er.

'He h

hard to match, And yet she killed her husband with neat-ness-and dispatch" "



Two years ago the Michigan legfslature enacted a law whereby the assessment of railroads was changed from a percentage on gross earnings to an ad-

come of the state from railroad taxation and the twenty-three railway corporations affected by the law invoked the a temporary injunction restraining the state from collecting the taxes levied. Last Saturday Judge Wanty of the

Kansas oll fields is feasible and almost