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M. B. HUNGATE, Notary Public, WHEN OUT OF TOWN. Subscribers leaving the city tem-

changed as often as required. Should the duplex inquests disagree, who would then decide?

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mailed to them. Address will be

The Duke of Devenshire seems to be the George William Curtis of British

politics.

Col. Bryan's advance letter of acceptance is subject to revision after

the convention speaks. After all the labors of Governor Folk the seeds of graft seem not yet completely eradicated from the St. Louis city council. La

If the employes of the government printing office are to be believed the spirit of "Madana" now resides in the office of the engrossing clerk,

idea of a representative ministry for Russia tends to show that even the Black Hundreds are wavering in their

It will be noticed that the Pennsylvania road commands its employes to seil their stock in coal companies, but not to return them to the sources

whence they came. The democratic mayor and democratic council are still jockeying for place as pie counter distributers. Each one wants to get the credit for hand-

It seems so difficult to find places for all the brigadier generals that some reformer may yet suggest that the grade be suspended until war makes such officers necessary.

ing out the plums.

Historians in Germany will be forced to become eulogists in spite of facts if the Saxon courts order that criticism of the ancestors of ruling princes is lese majeste be recognized as law.

That 33 per cent increase in building permits for Omaha for the month of June over the corresponding month of last year is a pretty good reflection of the city's general growth and pros-

The woman who swallowed the diamond will have five years in the penitentiary to digest her breakfast, and what is worse, will have to put up with ordinary prison prevender during the

The release of political prisoners in Venezuela indicates that President Castro feels that his recall to the presidency was not merely formal and | that the foreign concessionaires are no in the near future may be overlooked longer a political issue.

August Rosenberg, the alleged Seattle anarchist, says he returned to Eqtope to spend the remainder of his the growth that is to come. In the for others who may be caught in the days. If all the charges against him short period of fifty years Omaha has same predicament. The point is well are established he may be saved the run the gamut from a townsite map taken and deserves the attention of the expense of living during that time.

libel and burglary have been charged 000. This growth is destined to go against the plaintiff and his associates; on at a more or less rapid rate and the in the Hartje divorce case it is prob- needs of a city of 250,000 to 300,000 able that the end has not been reached, people must be constantly kept in of legislation is in the enforcement. but the developments so far should mind in the planning of public and satisfy even a Pittsburg millionaire's private improvements. craving for notoriety.

reached its end, but the railroads will present with cheap-John buildings and the few, wait till he comes home with a basis of mutual agreement. What streets whose removal it would take Omaha insists on is that, whatever set- years to accomplish. If immediate tlement is made, the grain market here profit and quick returns are permitted

reported to have done, merely adjusts tage. congress is to so great an extent in ac- a large scale. cordance with the sims and program of his administration is the strongest possible basis for appeal for popular

two years of his term. this must be the essence of the re- which represents the people as a whole, has been put forth so far this year, the business use of that wealth brings and it is safe to predict that no state it within the reach of the federal govor district convention will be held in ernment." If there were not abundant which the point will not likewise be other proofs, this declaration, made in pushed to the front. But the crucial the manner and tone in which some of not in type here until more than twenty-22,000 be mainly influenced, will be the char- nouncements have been put forth, certhe republican nominating conven- regards the work of securing national strange that no one, either in the quiet tions. The cry of "Stand by Roose- control over powerful individuals and cathedral town or in a metropolis which velt" will have significance and force corporations within its jurisdiction as

There can indeed be no choice as to by Roosevelt" battle cry.

REBATING DEVICES. which the effect of rebating has been find him lagging behind. secured by the carrier companies and favored shippers in collusion. A great variety of such devices have been em- county convention on the list is to be article superior in quality to farm butter, ployed to get around the laws long on the statute books and perpetuate under weeks in advance of the meeting of attempted beginning of an agricultural other names the prohibited rebate the state convention. This gives ample trust, but as long as it is true that capital abuse. But lately the courts have put time to verify credentials and to make enough to buy a cow or two and a churn the seal of condemnation upon all such up the roll call by temporary adjust- will suffice on any farm to start an oppodevices as one after another has been ment of contests. Here in Nebraska oly in this direction will be rather slow. the subject of prosecution.

Burlington at Kansas City, and now rule that delegates to national convenprinted on a schedule filed with the time limit of the same kind, requiring interstate commerce commission and at least a week to intervene between exhibited on the walls of a railway the choosing of delegates and the meetstation," but "the net cost to the shipper, the net amount the carrier re ceives from the shipper and retains," which amount must be the same to all shippers and must be exactly shown on the schedule. Any deviation from the rate, the purpose and effect of pers, is a rebate within the meaning of

It is noteworthy that all these decisions and convictions have been secured under the old interstate commerce law through the policy of robust prosecution. The new law soon to go into effect will immensely strengthen the arm of public authority by explicit provisions against many of the rebate devices and evasions which have been extensively practiced, by severer penalties and by many other means. Thus fortified the courts and prosecuting officers can make rebating in any form or device at once unprofit able from a financial point of view and exceedingly dangerous to the offender.

BUILD FOR THE FUTURE.

The builders of Omaha must look to the future as well as to the present. There is too much danger that in responding to the immediate demands of enlarged business and population, the still larger demands sure to come and neglected.

Our people must realize that the marvelous growth of the past is in plastered on an uninhabited prairie to authorities. a metropolitan city with a population. Inasmuch as only forgery, slander, including its suburbs, exceeding 150,-

The Omaha of the future must measure up to other cities of its class. The grain rate controversy has not It must not be loaded down in the probably get together before long on a eye sore structures on its principal get a square deal as compared with to become the ruling factor, not only other points competing for the grain is the city sure to be disfigured and

uals responsible for it are likely to be from force of habit, probably for the pur-The republican congressional cam- disappointed and injured in the long pose of picking his teeth or trimming his paign committee, by adopting for its run. Temporary advantage will be slogan, "Stand by Roosevelt," as it is followed only by permanent disadvan- a pecket knife.

itself to the logic of the situation. The The founders of Omaha were broadpeople are overwhelmingly with the gauged and far-sighted and the buildpresident, and the fact that the legis- ers of the new Omaha must likewise demonstrated the truth of the saying that lation enacted during the late session of look ahead and work out big plans on the republican party is the party that

A SIGNIFICANT DECLARATION. One deeply significant part of the support in the coming congressional president's Fourth of July address. district and state elections. It was in- which is only just now beginning to redeed because this result was foreseen ceive the attention its importance merthat the successful embodiment in law its, is as follows: "This year in conof so much of the Roosevelt program gress our chief task has been to carry ing on behalf of the people as a whole, There is no possible question that through the national government publican argument on the stump and to exercise a measure of supervision, through the press. It has already been control and restraint over the indiadopted as the paramount feature in viduals, and especially over the corevery republican state platform that porations, of great wealth, in so far as test, after all, by which the voters will the president's most important anaccording as it is verified by candi- by no means completed. Indeed, he be of interest to the United States. dates known beyond a peradventure to characterizes what has been done as be men who in the house and in the "a fair amount" of accomplishment in senate will actually stand by Roose- extending federal control and regula-

tion over such interests. The president's language at least the battle cry, the campaign argument implies determination to employ the have failed to receive the attention they or the platform, and accordingly aspirants who are unknown or doubtful, new legislation and to make national the matchless worth of William Neison or whose special interests and politi- control a real and vital factor. His Cromwell, who has "lost his job" as councal records are at variance with the words, too, would easily cover resolute set for the Panama canal commission. This whole spirit and purpose of the presi- effort for further progressive legisla- spectacular result must be credited to Sensdent, are likely to be loudest in profession of loyalty. It is therefore up of the rate control, meat inspection out of William Nelson on the witness to republicans to put on guard none and pure food measures. Whether the stand, it appears that the president got but leaders whose characters and rec- surmise that he has in mind to press two words out of him after the examinaords indubitably make good the "Stand upon congress at its next session a bill whispered "I resign." It was none too embodying the idea of federal licenses soon. to corporations whose products enter into interstate commerce or who are The conviction of the Chicago & engaged in it be correct or not, it may Alton railroad and two of its high offi- be taken as certain that the president products company has been organized uncers on charges of rebating is another during the remainder of his term pro- der the laws of New Jersey with such winning by over two to one. Rosewater's notable case in the rapidly lengthen- poses to labor as unceasingly as he ing list in which the federal courts are has hitherto to promote positive and others back of it. It starts with a nombringing to naught and punishing vari- aggressive policies on vital issues, and inal capitalization of \$19,000,000, and aims ous attempted evasions and devices by that advancing public opinion will not to absorb the principal concerns of the

it has come to be the custom to hold This line of decisions now prac- county conventions right up to the eve of the state convent effect of which is essentially that of a county conventions have been slated rebate. This was the point in the re- for as late as August 20. The repubholds that "by the word 'rate' is not days in advance and our republican ing of the state convention.

ordering the city hall building put in a state of good repair for fear the expense might cut into the current funds too heavily. This valuable piece of which is discrimination between ship- property should be looked after, at least as well as it would be if it belonged to a private citizen or corporation. There should be no question of spending a few thousand dollars to protect an investment of half a mil-

The canvass of votes cast at the reent Douglas county primary election involves the checking of approximately 400,000 tallies. Over 500 names were on the return sheets, and if each one received one or more votes in each of he eighty voting districts there would e 40,000 numerical items to add in the tabulation. The extreme of price and dictating their own hours. ridiculousness involved in the "rotation" ballot proposition could not be more strikingly illustrated.

The World-Herald has suddenly disovered that the primary election vote in Bouglas county indicates that the republicans did not care who won out. Had the two to one majority for Mr. Rosewater's delegation been reversed the democratic organ would be singing a different tune.

One "who was soaked" during a rain at one of our parks makes a plea all probability to be overshadowed by to the Park board to furnish shelter

> Proof of the Pudding. Milwaukee Sentinel The session of congress just closed turned out an exceptionally important and pop-

> Cooling Off. New York Sun. money power" than he used to be. He admits that "the great majority of business

uprehensive" remedy Whittling a Point. Chicago Tribune.

tive Bartlett of Georgia when he says he

would have drawn something larger than

Party that Does Things. Kansas City Journal A republican congress has once again does things. Some mistakes have been

made at the session just ended, but as a whole the session was a most fruitful and useful one. The Lonesomeness of Cleveland. Cincinnati Enquirer. will probably be some timidity about inviting Grover Cleveland outright to

onel Bryan. Mr. Cleveland has now reached that age and degree of retirement in which he is in danger of being lonesome occasionally. He may not find any companionship but that of the Bryan

New York Tribune. Nothing relating to the wreck at Salisbury has caused more comment among newspaper men than the fact that the already. p. m. on Saturday, New York time, was four hours later. Modern journalism is and England. The delay was due to the has no regular hours for sleep, bethought himself that such a piece of news might

The Passing of Cromwell.

Minneapolis Journal. In the excitement of parting with a seamatters whose fate it indirectly influenced, tion, and those two little words were a

What is called the American farm capitalists as Levi P. Morton, Thomas F. Ryan, H. P. Whitney, Anthony Brady and his home county. country handling dairy products. It will give attention particularly to buying and refining butter under pretended processes Over in Iowa the last republican which, it is claimed, produce a genuine held July 14, which is more than two which is to be a raw material in the comsition butter plant, the progress of monop-

Misleading Computations.

hold as a rebate any transaction or period in between to arrange prelimi- of dollars which American tourists spend in series of transactions, no matter how naries. The state convention this year, Europe in a season are now in order. It is indirect, complicated and subtile, the for example, is to meet August 22 and probable that a bundred thousand firstclass passengers leave on the other side more money than a million European immigrants bring to this country with them. liberty of moving about as they please, the latter that he is still in the field. letting the fiscal effects take care of them-

LABOR'S OPPORTUNITY.

in a Season of Plenty Prepare for a Shortage.

Portland Oregonian Never before in the history of the great west and northwest has there been such a loud and insistent demand for labor as is heard at the present time. From the harvest fields of Kansas to the railroad camps of Oregon and Washington; through the mining camps of Colorado and Montana, and out on the stock ranges of the great plateau; taxing the force of craftsmen, carpenters, electricians, plumbers, painters and others to the utmost, and speeding men through all classes of comnercial and mercantile life, this demand insistent, earnest, even appealing, is heard. Wages keep pace with the laborer's opportunity, the men literally fixing their own The pertinent questions here are: labor rising in an earnest, honorable, effective way to meet its opportunity?. Does

t lay hold upon its opportunity gladly, cheerfully and with the purpose to give nonest service for a generous wage? Are workingmen as a class bousing themselves from possible Industrial disaster a few years hence in their own homes? Are they adding a sum weekly to their savings account in order that industrial depression incident to financial disaster, may not find them empty-handed? A glad day, indeed, be for the workingmen of the United States if these questions could be answered affirmatively, and a glad day for their employers as well. It is frequently said, and unfortunately all too ruly, that laboring men as a class work by the clock. The chief desire-the open urpose of many of them-is to "put in time" for the sole purpose of drawing their pay. To the extent that this is true the word "honesty" is not in the labor code. There are exceptions, but the rule remains and has wide application.

Every employer recognizes this fact and for the sake of the laborer who fails to rise to his opportunity. Every laborer recognizes it, and many excuse and even giory in it. It is a sad commentary upon the short-sightedness of human nature that this condition exists, and the saddest feature is found in the moral obtuseness that underlies it.

"Seest thou a man diligent in business, said the wise man. "He shall stand among kings; he shall not stand among The opportunity is offered in the great wave of industrial prosperity that is now sweeping the country for every man

NEBRASKA SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN

lt Looks Pretty Good. Wakefield Republican (rep.) Douglas county will send a solid Rosewater delegation to the state convention.

Home Delegation in Safe Harbor. Beatrice Sun (ind.).

water's candidacy for the senate.

be understood when it is stated that it get into the Bryan charlot, but there will took the district judge, who decided upon

Table Rock Argus (rep.). won out over Crounse and the Fontanelles more than the highest of the opposition candidates. This practically insures Mr. Rosewater a solid delegation from Douglas date now, as he has 100 elected delegates

Evidence of Strong Determination,

Tekamah Journal (rep.). Douglas county republicans registered a trong preference for Edward Rosewater Rosewater receives is all the stronger besented so strongly the determination of the Douglas county republicans to give sion of congress which did things, some him the delegation, notwithstanding the bitter antagonism of the Fontanelle club.

> Still on Top in Omaha. Hastings Republican. Rosewater is still on top-in Omaha.

> > Hy a Large Majority.

Burchard Times (rep.). As the Times predicted a month ago, Edward Rosewater carried the Omaha primaries by a large majority, and the big delegation will go to the state convention

of The Bee for United States senator. Gives a Tremendous Boost. O'Neill Frontier (rep.). The Fontanelles were overwhelmingly defeated at the primaries in Douglas county Tuesday, the entire Rosewater delegation

Stronger Today Than Ever. Hastings Tribune (rep.) Edward Rosewater has won the first round in the fight for senatorial honors. At the Douglas county republican primaries the entire Rosewater delegation won out over the Fontanelle ticket with hands down-the lowest man on the Rosewater ticket running more than 800 ahead of the Crounse ticket. By securing such an overwhelming victory from the Fontanelle ticket Mr. Rosewater has demonstrated to the major portion of the republicans of Nebraska that he is much stronger politically and personally today than ever

Victory is Most Decisive.

Lincoln Journal (rep.). The full extent of Edward Rosewater's victory in Douglas county is now plain. He will appear in the republican state convention with the solid delegation, eightythree votes, behind him to help make him cent rebate prosecutions against the lican national committee lays down the as their total possessions. But the two the republican nominee for United States comic currents are not exactly on a senator. The Rosewater ticket carried In the Alton case at Chicago the court tions must be chosen at least thirty par; the immigrant becomes a wealth- every ward in Omaha and has about 2,500 producing machine here, liaving been taken | total votes against half that for the Fontacare of during the years when he was nelle ticket. This decisive Rosewater vicmeant merely a figure or figures state organization ought to fix some not a wealth producer by the country which tory disposes of some things, not all. It his name, with a series of pageantries and loses him. It is unlikely that the "See disposes of any effective candidacy from America First' movement will prove any Omaha except Rosewater. John L. Webmore effective in averting this flow of ster and Charley Greene faded a long time our gold to the other side than are the ago from the stage setting of the senaefforts of European countries to keep their torial drama. They will now be followed The Hudson memorial bridge across the own populations from emigrating. People by Lorenzo Crounse and Joseph H. Mil-The mayor and council are delaying of all classes find a way in this age of lard, notwithstanding the announcement by the field he may be, but certainly not in the race. The possession of eighty-three votes which can be handled solidly in making combinations with candidates for other places on the state ticket gives Mr. Rosewater an advantage in the state convention which it is not wise to underrate.

Natural and Legitimate Result.

York Times (rep.). Mr. Rosewater's victory in Douglas ounty is more sweeping than even the most sanguine anticipations, being about two to one. His entire delegation eighty-three are elected by about that amount. There has not been such unanimity in that county since the county was organized. It is what we anticipated and predicted, only more so, and the same sentiment pervades the state with the exception of a few counties. It could not well be otherwise. All this agitation against corporations points with unerring finger to the man who has been the head and front of it for thirty years, who has consistently and insistently made the fight through good report and ill report, and nostly ill report. The State Journal, which exerts considerable influence in the South Platte country, has declared to Mr. Rosewater and The Omaha Bee, "You have been right all these thirty years and we have been wrong; while we have in fact been a willing tool of corporations you have bravely and consistently fought the batties of the common people, sometimes al most alone. You have been maligned, aboused, beaten and your life attempted while we were fighting on the other side. You were right and we were wrong. This is the virtual admission of the Jour nal and its followers. They are strong enough to raise the storm, but all too weak to guide or control it. The people see the point. It is a wave of Rosewater ism, pure and simple, and if it prevails the state will sweep him into the United States senate. It is the natural and only legitimate result.

Will Be on the Ticket. Springfield Monitor (dem.).

The opponents of Rosewater were again knocked out at the primaries in Douglas county by a vote of two to one Tuesday, which gives Rosewater a big leverage in the state convention. With the other coun ties that have expressed a preference for the editor of The Bee there can be little question but what his name will be on the ticket for United States senator.

A Decided Moral Effect.

Edward Rosewater's candidacy for United States senator received a hig boost when his to make for himself a place among kings | delegates from Douglas county were chosen -i. e., the upright, honorable men of the by a vote of almost two to one in the re nation. If he fails to do this and is found publican primaries. The result in Douglas is the city sure to be disfigured and had no intention of using his pocket knife among 'mean men," the fault will be his county cannot fail to have a decided moral lits growth retarded, but the individ
lits growth retarded, but the individ
ment the other day—he drew it merely and now.

ROUND ABOUT NEW YORK.

Ripples on the Current of Life in the Metropolis.

The frequency of blow-holes in the East and North rivers, due to escaping air from This looks pretty good for Mr. Rose tunnel works, are surface indications of serious trouble in the river beds. Work on the Pennsylvania double-tube tunnels between New York and New Jersey has light, baby carriages, nail making machines come to a standstill. A strike of the tun-The old man at the helm appears to nel diggers, locally known as sand hogs, have plicted the Rosewater delegation to for fewer hours and more wages, is the a safe harbor. Netwithstanding the com- announced cause of the delay. The facts plication of the ballot that was presented are, according to the Times, that the tubes in the hope of confusion, the lowest man are too near the surface of the river bed, on the Rosewater ticket received 800 more necessitating unusual air pressure to keep votes than the highest man on the oppo- out water, and men working under the air sition. The complexity of the ballot may pressure are said to be exhausted in two hours. Their workday is six hours in two three-hour shifts. They insist on a rebe a place for him if he comes, and he the intentions of the legislature and who duction to two shifts of two hours each. will be permitted to speak occasionally if had given the law and the ballot consider- The Pennsylvania's East river tunnel was plea can be made on the ground of sustaining the president during the last come—that is, in the direction of such contract for the Pennsylvania's East river tunnel argued that even if they did strike At the primaries is Omaha Rosewater through the river bed, they would be able to construct a new or false river bed by by a two for one vote, the lowest Rose- sinking bags of clay and cement. They water candidate getting about 1,000 votes had taken this course in tunneling under

the Thames, they said. American engineers pointed out that the tide in the Thames could not be compared county and makes him the leading candi- with that in the East river. They said the East river tide was much stronger than the tide of the Thames, so that bags of clay and cement would be swept away from the points where they were sunk. Consequently it would be impossible to

create a false river bed. This proved to be the case when the for United States senator at Tuesday's first "blowout" occurred. The compressed 31,940 acter of the candidates presented by tainly warrants the inference that he newspaperless English Sunday, but it seems primaries. The primary ticket was a cumbersoms affair, and the endorsement Mr. of the tunnel through the bed of the river out to the water, where it made the water cause of the manner in which his eighty- bubble like a caldron. Bags of cement three delegates had to be elected. Could were dumped into the river in Ferry Slip they have bunched them all under a Rose- 4, where the first leak was discovered. water heading the majority would have But as fast as the bags were thrown from been greater, but it wouldn't have repre- a barge in the ferry slip they were carried away by the tide.

> The mystery which has long given Chinatown its chief charm has been dissipated, the great secret has been laid bare ruthlessly. Chop Sucy is not edible. This is the decision handed down by the custom house authorities. Many had suspected it; a few had openly affirmed it. But as long as the "rubber neck wagons" brought the daily recruits, whose chief delight it was to prod away at the weird mixtures in the china bowls with "those cute little sticks," the Chinese restaurant keeper dwelt secure and prospered. Only the cook knew what the chop sucy was made of, and he could be trusted not to tell. The question as to just what a chop sucy is was brought about by the collector of the port, who assessed the syricle at 40 are contact. to work for the nomination of the editor Only the cook knew what the chop sucy article at 40 per cent ad valorem duty. The collector held it was a sauce, but this view was disputed by the importers of the stuff. Voluminous testimony was candidacy received a tremendous boost in taken and merchants and manufacturers of chop suey were brought here to testify as to the edible properties of the dainty.
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> Last week the decision was announced and, not being edible, chop suey in future will be admitted to this country under a will be admitted to this country under a duty of only 20 per cent. But it would have been cheap at any price to have kept the secret inviolate.

> > The federal authorities have begun as investigation into the genuineness of the naturalisation papers held by certain members of the New York police department and into the methods with which these members obtained their places on the force The disclosures made thus far are said to be little short of startling. From the cases that have already come to the notice of the authorities it is said that onethird of the policemen are neither entitled to citizenship nor a place on the force. It is generally conceded that many who are on the force and some who have been made sergeants and even captains obtained their citizenship papers upon their arrival in this country. It is believed by many that some of the policemen now on the force were "made" before they left their native land New York proposes to celebrate the year 1909, which is the tercentenary of Henry

Hudson's entrance of the river which bear observances which should attract the world with their unusual interest. Hen tember of that year will see the comple tion of several monumental enterprises Hudson will be opened, and also the me morial viaduct across Dyckmann stree valley, which will commemorate the intro ductory trip of Fulton's steamboat, the Clermont, up the Hudson. Then also, it is hoped, a fine new park on Inwood Hill, in which Riverside Drive will meet the Hudson bridge, will be opened and also the state parks farther up the Hudson at Ver plank's Point and Hook Mountain. To lend interest to this occasion reproductions of Hudson's Half Moon, from Holland and of Fulton's Clermont will ascend the river; and land and water parades in which no doubt, half the world will be represented, with the United States, Great Brit ain and The Netherlands leading the march will add to the brilliancy and distinction of the occasion. New York owes the country and the world a first class celebration of some kind and this proposed one is of very good kind.

The dome of the federal building is genuine old curiosity shop such as it would delight the heart of any thoroughgoing antiquarian to rummage in. Around the walls of the dusty old room under the curved roof are heaped records of the federal courts running away back to the year

1789, the year when the federal government was set a-going. Even more interesting legal battles once famous, now almost forgotten, are the ranks and piles and heaped shelves of patent exhibits. Here are duplicates of every invention of note made during the ninetsenth century. Howe's sewing machine, the Edison inchndescent -these and nearly every other mechanical invention of importance have been the subject of litigation in the local federal courts until the patent rights of one or the other claimant have been established. As the suits were brought exhibits, copies of the original inventious, were filed with the court and ended here, contributing to one of the most varied, extensive and interesting collections of antique objects in New York city.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Warsaw police are killed if they don't resign and arrested if they do. In either case they sustain the theory that a policeman's life is not a bappy one

John Sharp Williams, democratic leader in the house of representatives, has a rose garden, tended by himself, which he declares is "the finest in the state of Missis-

Over in New York a woman accused a man of stealing \$5,000 from her. Then she visited him in jail and they were married. Evidently she has some deep-laid plan to wreak vengeance herself.

Henry C. Frick's new home, which has been in course of construction at Pride's Crossing, Mass., for the past two years, is about ready for occupancy. Among other remarkable things it contains a large swimming pool connected directly with the Atlantic ocean, so that the bather merely has to turn a stopcock to obtain the

pleasures of a swim in the sea without leaving the house. After making a thorough search for the past six months for a capable head to the index bureau of the State department, Secretary Root has finally appointed John R. Buck of Maine to the place, with the understanding that he is to bring the methods of that important bureau into line with the War department system, as modified by the peculiar requirements of the State department.

MERRY JINGLES.

Mrs. Knox-Mrs. Stuffens is getting aw-fully stout. I've heard of people spoken of as "round," but I never saw any one as round as she.
Mr. Knox-Oh, I don't know. There's her husband; he's a rounder.-Philadelphia

"Yes, he is our oldest letter carrier. Just

"'Casionally," said Uncle Eben, "you'l run across a man dat 'ud rather walk de floor worryin' dan do half de amount o' pedestrianizin' lookin' foh work."—Wash-

"And did she marry the swimmer who so gallantly rescued her?"
"Marry him? I should say not. Why, the man already has a wife and seven children!"—St. Louis Republic. Fresh Guest-Yours seems to be a favorite

resort for summer girls.

Landford—You bet! Over there is a couple of 'em that's been coming here for ten or fifteen summers.—Chicago Tribune. "Flying machines costing but \$1,000 each are to be put on the market by a Philadel-

"Are they warranted to go up?"
"Yes."
"I suppose they will come down without
any warrant."—Cleveland Pinin Dealer.

TANTALAS. A. Daily in Philadelphia (Standard.)
Some circumstances justify
The creed of "Might is right!"
And he is but a living ile
Who strives to be polite.

Twas a public drinking fountain
Stood in the city square,
And many thirsty mortals
Were congregated there.
Within a marble basin
The water bubbled up,
And anchored by a cable
Was one small drinking cup.
I, mindful of my manners,
Gave way to "Ladies first,"
Although my very pulate Gave way to "Ladies first,"
Although my very palate
Was burning up with thirst.
The lady took the dipper
Nor even glanced at me,
But raised the dripping cupful
To taunt my agony.
She drank with maddening slowness,
And then when she was through,
Up spake another lady;
"Yes, thank you, after you."
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And cach assumed the dipper
As soon as she was done.
Then she did wet her 'kerchief
Within the drinking place.
And used the cup for cleansing
The youngster's hands and face.
Then came a brutish fellow,
To my exceeding pain.
Who seized the cup, remarking.
Through all this weary waiting
I stood as one accurst,
My rery soul was sweating,
My mouth was black with thirst.
Still, now my turn was coming.
But thereupon, alas!
A thing of awful horror
Did quietly come to pass.
Up waiked an ancient matron,
Attended by a crew
Of orphans from a foundling home,
All waiking two by two.
And each of these was thirsty—
I swooned into a trance.
And someone kindly summoned
The blessed ambulance.
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The creed of "Might is right!"
And he is but a living He
Who strives to be polite.

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