### THE OMAHA DAILY BEE.

EARTHQUAKE AT VALPARAISO.

nections, raises the strong presump- the New World is no longer subject

tion of grave earthquake and fire dis- to colonization, but also that con-

isolated district yet agree in the point of creditors being no longer tolerated.

that severe shocks occurred and that Secretary Root's Buenos Ayres pro-

that the worst construction is natur- a virtual commitment to it, although

nous stories that have come out to the and time of reaching it.

the greatest seaport city on the South ours.

American coast, has a far smaller pop-

ulation than San Francisco, but shocks

the latter place would cause great de-

there is no reason to expect less fre-

quency in destructive convulsions of

quarter of the world they may occur

will be immensely mitigated through

now have a thousand means for quick

effect that were unknown only a few

TWO-CENT FARE EXPERIENCE.

longer distances to trade.

This, however, is sure, that while

struction and suffering.

generations ago.

ally put upon the first vague and omi- reserving discretion as to the means

and has more than once been the donce of the southern peoples and

scene of disaster. Valparaiso, though more strongly link their interest with

nature than there has been in the in the convention as in favor of nominating

past, their consequences in whatever a senator by the convention. He ad-

the sympathy and help of civilized no action, and voted for it in committee

mankind, whose benevolent impulses and in convention. It's a small matter, but

senger receipts on a much larger scale railroad plan and was proposed

Ohio that it will be larger than under lican convention. While the scheme

the old high rate. Free transporta- had its inception in the railroad offices

tion was prohibited by the same law, and its promulgation through Senator

-World-Herald.

Under the conditions no other pos-

KEEP THE RECORD STRAIGHT.

The democrats of Nebraska, in spite of the remonstrance of G. M. Hitchcock, have declared in favor of the nomination of a United States senator by the state conven-tion, and have made good that declaration by the nomination of William H. Thomp-son.-Omaha Bee.

G. M. Hitchcock is on record in the World-

vocated the referendum plan of direct nom-

ination as first choice, but always sup-

ported the convention plan as better than

the record might as well be kept straight.

through. In the first place, it is noto-

While about it the record might as

#### E ROSEWATER, EDITOR.

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WHEN OUT OF TOWN. Subscribers leaving the city temporarily should have The Bee mailed to them. Address will be changed as often as required.

The real fight will come when the "Iowa idea" meets the "Cannon boom" in neutral territory.

That New York court which refuses to allow federal inspectors to examine its divorce records will goon learn that states' rights end where federal law begins.

At all events, there will be no dearth of legislative timber for the Douglas county voters to choose from in making their party nominations next month.

Now that "anarchy" is officially proclaimed to exist in northern Santo Domingo, Secretary Bonaparte has an opportunity to test the soundness of his theories.

Luther Burbank would make hit with Nebraska farmers he will invent a wheat which can be harvested any old time while waiting for the corn to ripen.

munications and trade, the time is not NEBRASKA SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN The news, although still incomplete far distant when the Old World will because of interrupted telegraph con- be served with notice, not only that

Hartington Herald (rep.). The republican state convention meets next week and while there is no certainty terest the dividends and absorptions of E. aster at Valparaiso and other places troversies as to contractual relations as to what the personnel of the ticket will H. Harriman is the road projected by Jo-be, one thing is practically assured and that seph Ramsey, which will cut 106 miles of United States senator is such that those sey will be a busy man for several days opposed will hardly venture to raise an ob- to come. jection and the Herald hopes that Edward Rosewater will receive the endorsement.

While there is no question but that there The locality, the same as San Fran- sible act could be so effectual for the for this place, we believe that Mr. Rosecisco, is one peculiarly liable to such purpose of the secretary's mission, water more than any other man is, under disturbances of greater or less violence which is at once to secure the confi- the present conditions, the proper man for Nebraska to send to the senate. He is the premier of Nebraska republicanism and line through Pennsylvania, but it will cross carried the burden of reform when there the summit of the Allegheny mountains 400 were few to give him assistance. In the feet lower than the Pennsylvania, and will United States senate he would be an influ- have very easy curves and remarkably low enntial assistant to President Roosevelt in grades for a mountain line. . It is declared helping to secure the many reforms the president is laboring for in national affairs.

#### More Politics Than Religion. Tilden Citizen (rep.).

A great religious society belittles itself

into absolute contempt when, as at Lincoln Herald, in the committee on platform and a few days ago, the Epworth league permitted itself to be imposed upon by political lawless element." Men of acknowledged integrity who have

and one of exemplary personal character. rious and susceptible of proof that nor tobacco in any form-and the whole by the Temple Iron company and the other The 2-cent fare rate, under the law the alleged referendum plan advo- state of Nebraska knows, except perhaps passed by the Ohio legislature last cated by Mr. Hitchcock, to have the a few members of the Epworth league, winter, although it has been in actual names of senatorial aspirants put on his time in gambling or other vices. That effect only a few months, is already the ballot by petition did not originate such a man should be villined and mallsurpassing the expectations of its au- with Mr. Hitchcock at all. Instead of clously slandered by an organization prethors. The returns show gross pas- being Mr. Hitchcock's plan, it is the tending to be following in the footsteps of Christ, is a shame to the league and a than under the old 3-cent rate. It is through Senator Millard long before act the league invites the scorn of all disgrace to the state. By this inexcusable Wabash into that city. As the fight was the belief that it is satisfied. admitted in railroad circles that local Mr. Hitchcock dreamed of it. The rail- fair-minded persons and lays itself open a long and bitter one, Gould became disheartened after spending \$20,000,000, and he travel between points within the state road politicians have figured that to the charge of bombastic hypocrisy not and Ramsey fell out. Surveyors have has been greatly stimulated by the re- by its adoption they could get the elec- excelled by the despicable character in the been busy in and around Williamsport. duction. The effect has even been tion of United States senator thrown That the Epworth league is composed in Pottsville, Allentown and other places in the senator thrown that the Epworth league is composed in Pottsville, Allentown and other places in the senator thrown that the Epworth league is composed in Pottsville, Allentown and the places in the senator thrown the the terms of the senator thrown the terms of terms of the terms of terms such that the electric roads have expe- back to the legislature, where it could the main of Christian people, earnestly Pennsylvania for some months. It is now

terest of Ramsey's proposed road. quoted resolution receiving, as it did, the endorsement of the society, places upon the

#### Another Case of Boomerang. O'Neill Frontier (rep.).

and this provision is being rigidly en- Millard and Mr. Hitchcock, its sole away the trade of their friendly rival, it The Argus has already expressed its is believed in certain quarters that the forced by the roads. The free pass purpose is to deprive the people of preference of Edward Rosewater for sen-Vanderbilts have backed Ramsey, or, abuse in Ohio had reached immense any effective voice in the choice of ator. We prefer Mr. Rosewater, not berather, have seen that he got the necescause of our partiality to the man, but besary capital to make a new road. They cause he alone of all the candidates has can thus covertly get the trade from the lived the life of independent, strenuous en- Pennsylvania and yet appear to be friendly deavor, crowned with success won by his to Cassatt. It is noted that as soon as The Lincoln Star explains the decut in net earnings that would natur-ally have been expected, at least tem-feat of Congressman McCarthy for re-support. We are tired of the great men mate with the Vanderbilts and received ally have been expected, at least tem-porarily, from the reduction of one-nomination as retribution for "one of porarily, from the reduction of onehas suffered long from a host of little men Joseph Ramsey's first work in railroad ing was as a member of an engineering corps on the Pittsburg, Cincinnati & St. Louis railroad. There he had an opportunity to show the stuff of which he was made. He did his work so well that suspected absence of individuality. No- in four months he was advanced. He body, for a moment, classes Mr. Rosethen became assistant engineer of the water with the politicians and statesmen Cincinnati & Muskegon Valley railwhose opinions are manufactured for them road, which position he acceptably filled. by others. He is a man with whom we Ramsey progressed right along in Mr. are more often disagreeing than agreeing. various positions. In 1879 he was made designates Monday, September 3, next, But we recognize in this very fact his chief engineer and superintendent of the as a general holiday and reads us all a competency and independence. It is the Pittsburg & Southern, From there he men whose real sentiments are never homily upon the dignity of labor and was transferred to the Pittsburg, Charknown whom we dislike to see in places of the duty the country owes to those public trust. Better, far better, have a gineer and general manager, where he man who thinks in his own right, who remained until August, 1883. During that endeavors to lead rather than follow and time he also filled the position of general manager and chief engineer of two other goes in directions we think wrong, than roads, having charge of three lines of one of these time-servers. We trust that raliway. Nebraska will never be disgraced by an The Spanish claims commission has Allison or a Cullom who have held their The next change that Mr. Ramsey made was in August, 1883, when he went to Ohio as chief engineer of the Cincinnati, were never uttered until they had become

# CONDITION OF LABORING MEN.

Wages and Hours of Work. Brooklyn Engle.

A situation of vast economic interest is disclosed by the report of the bureau of ob or near the Pacific coast in Chile. Widely varying rumors and reports as exclusively within the sovereignty of to a progressive state platform. The temper labor, representing the results of a recent to the extent of the earthquake dam- the American republic concerned, of the representatives of the party in that between these centers of population and and hours of work. The investigation was age in that remote and suddenly European military coercion on behalf convention will be such that they will not wealth, and will, to quote the advance no- necessarily limited to the more important tolerate any equivocation or trimming on tics, "throw its dust on the headlights of industries, and hence cannot be regarded the main questions now before the people. rival lines." The plans of the road on as complete; but it is sufficiently compre-It will be just such a convention as the paper call for an expenditure of \$350,000,000 hensive to make the figures and conclu extensive damage was caused. The nouncement was evidently intended by South Dakota republicans and the Iowa for construction and right-of-way and three sions a fair index of the whole labor situ San Francisco horror, from like con-ditions and cause, is so fresh in mind sion of sympathy with that aim and as eraged 1.6 per cent higher than in 1904, that the average hours of labor were not increased and that the total number of em-

ployes was greater by 6.3 per cent than in Ramsey road will be known, will traverse 1904. So, with no expansion of the hours are many other men able and fully qualified the important bituminous coal fields of of work, labor, in 1905, had expanded in central Pennsylvania, now controlled by volume as well as in the earning capacity the Pennsylvania railroad, and will also of its units. The bureau finds that the agpierce the anthracite region throughout its gregate increase in wages received was per cent in all the establishments brought within the scope of its investigation.

Another feature of the report which i esesentially worth noting is the relation be tween the purchasing values of money and the increase in wages. It is true that in that it will be a low-grade line, at no place 1905 the prices of staple commodities had having a fall of more than 20 feet to the advanced 0.6 per cent over the prices of 1904. But the increase in wages was so much in excess of the increase in the cos

> of food that in 1906 the average wages of the workingman would buy 1 per cent more food than the average wages could have

purchased in 1904. The report states this for the further information of the general public: "The averages of wages an hour in 1905 were 18.9 per cent higher than the average for the ten-year period from 1890 to discriminated against by the Pennsylvania 1899, inclusive. The number of employee and not being able to get their product was 33.5 per cent greater and the average hours of labor a week were 4.1 per cent from 1890 to 1898. The aggregate weekly amount of the payrolls-were 52.3 per cent higher in 1906 than the average during the

ten-year period named." From all these facts it would appear that

organized labor, which is mainly concerned for an entrance of one of the western Pennsylvania roads so that it could get with the results of the bureau's research. into Pittsburg. He has had his eye on has every reason to be satisfied with its the trade of that city for years, and it was condition and prospect. And the absence he who induced George Gould to take his of any widespread disturbance strengthens

#### PERSONAL NOTES.

An international association of inventors for mutual protection and advancement has been organized, with headquarters at Rochester, N. Y. Official announcement believed they were prospecting in the inof the fact says "It is the only general organization for inventtors." George F.

Gallagher is president and Ralph T. Olcott There is a suspicion that away back of secretary and treasurer.

this scheme are Vanderbilt interests. The Revolting against being any longer con-Vanderbilts and Cassatt have long been sidered an infant prodigy, Mischa Elman, on most friendly terms, but at the same the boy violinist, has insisted on discarding time the New York Central, through the the sallor suit he has been wont to appear Beech Creek and other lines, has been in and has donned trousers. He is now 14 reaching deep into the virgin coal fields of and feels that it is about time he began Clearfield, Centre, Indiana and Westmoreto wear the regulation masculine attire. land counties, Pennsylvania. The Vander-Rev. Wesley Borders of Harrison townbilts have gone as far as they dared withship, Pulaski county, Ind., has the honor of out incurring a break in their relations being one of the oldest republican voters with Cassatt. In order to cover up their in that state. He is 100 years old. He cast tracks and not appear as trying to steal his first vote for John Quincy Adams in 1828 and from the time of Fremont until the last presidential year he has cast his ballot for the republican candidates.

Vice President Fairbanks, Senators Long and Warren and Governors Folk and Hoch will deliver addresses as Osawatomie. Kan., on August 30, when will be celebrated the fiftleth Anniversary of the battle fought there when John Brown was one of the leaders. Troops from Fort Leavenworth

will reproduce, as nearly as possible, the

MONTANA'S TUNEFUL VOICE.

Interesting Results of Inquiry Into Concord of Sweet Sounds as the Dollars Hit the Slot. New York Sun.

"Lawk, sirs, we keeps a poet." Hon. James Schoolcraft Sherman's hand has smitten the trembling chords of a beautiful heart in Montana, and a concord of sweet sounds pours forth. We do a genuine service to literature by reproducing this touching poem, which is in the form of a letter to Mr. Sherman:

The other night I read out Your campaign letter to the clan, I heard the very youngest shout: "Pa, give my dollar to the man!"

The toddler's footsteps wandered To the corner that they knew, And, from the bank unsquandered, His savings slowly drew.

The chubby hands grew tighter, Then quickly threw his bank away; His bank and heart were lighter For that good deed today.

"Here, papa, send it to the man, Perhaps he's got a boy or two-Each one a stanch republican Like mamma, and me and you.

"Bay Mr. Sherman, I can't vote, But I can give an honest dollar And a transparency can tote And make a mighty holler!"

Maybe there are other boys To raise a dollar can. Who'll go without their toys To be a good republican.

A dollar well spent, is an axiom old, And charity's mantle will cover The sins of this dear little man When his cares in life are over. THOMAS MURRAY SPENCER. P. O. Box 535, Butte, Mont.

The young republicans of the west have been touched. When a toddler will break into his savings bank for the sake of subscribing to the campaign fund, what is to be expected from republicans of older growth and larger means? There are other boys to raise a dollar can. There are other toddlers whose wandering footsteps can draw their unsquandered savings from the

bank. PASSING PLEASANTRIES.

"Doctor, isn't it a good deal of trouble to get up a sermon in such depressing wet weather as this?" "No, young man; the only trouble I have is getting up a congregation."-Chicago Tribune is getu Tribune.

"Dear," said the physician's wife, "when can you let me have \$107" "Well," repiled the medical man, "I hope to cash a draft shortly." "Cash a draft? What draft?" "The one I saw old Mr. Jenkins sitting in this morning."-Cleveland Leader.

"Why have you and Harry ceased to be friends?" "He wanted to begin economizing the minute we became engaged."-Chicago Rec-ord-Herald.

"Young man, I wan't an explanation from you. Why did you kiss my daughter in the parlor last night?" "Because I knew you were hiding in the hall, sir."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Doesn't it sound ridiculous to say "the hand that rocks the cradie is the hand that rules the world?" What does that mean, anyway?" "Well, the hand usually belongs to a

nurse or servant girl, and you know how servant girls boss things."-Philadelphia Press.

Miss Jenks-Have you really broken off your engagement to him? Miss Flytle-Oh, yes, I just had to. He was getting too sentimental-began to talk to me about matrimony.-Philadelphia Ledger.

Bachelor Uncle-Kitty, it doesn't seem Bachelor Uncle-Kitty, it doesn't seem just the consistent thing, somehow, for you to take your horseback rides man fashion. Miss Kitty-Why not, Uncle Richard? Good gracious, can't a girl-Bachelor Uncle-There you go again! That's why. You ride like a man, but you swear like a woman.-Chicago Tribuie.

"Madame." politely began the man be-hind, "your hat obstructs my view of the stage. I wish you would remove.". "O!" she snapped. "I guess you're seeam indeed, madame. I only paid for this seat and I observe for ing more than your money's tag on your hat that it's worth \$3.95. Philadelphia Press.

rienced some diversion of passengers be manipulated by the usual induce- striving to live righteous and godly lives, to the steam railroads. The cities and ments to the advantage of the present is not to be questioned, but the above larger towns particularly are gratified incumbent, who could not hope to seby a marked tendency of people to cure an outright endorsement direct whole organization in the state of Nebraska come in greater numbers and from from the people. As part of their plan the stigma of malevolent untruthfulness, the railroad wire pullers thought that insincerity and disreputable political intrigue. Sufficient time has not yet elapsed if they could get Hitchcock to procure for an explicit showing of the effect its acceptance by the democratic state

on the net profit from passenger convention it would make it easier for traffic, but no doubt is entertained in them to saddle it upon the repub-

Those Epworth League resolutions turned out to be a boomerang.

Competency and Independence. Red Cloud Argus (rep.).

mile. Complete surveys have already been made, and it is expected that work preliminary to actual grading and construction next spring will begin this fall.

five years, and who are strongly opposed to diana, Clearfield and Centre counties. It lower. The average earnings a week in his election to the United States senate, all is to this section of the state that Ram- 1903 were 14 per cent higher than the avwell be kept straight all the way agree that he is a most abstemious man. sey's road would give relief. It is hardly erage earnings a week during the ten years expected that he would get much, if any, One, in fact, who neither uses intoxicants hard coal, as the mines are all controlled earnings of all employes-that is, the total corporations of the great American trust. Some weeks ago Ramsey made a deal

#### JOE RAMSEY'S SHORT CUT. Premier of Sebraska Republicanism. Projected Air Line From Chicago

# to New York. A railroad event rivaling in public in-

The new Keystone Air Line, as the new

length. It will not only be the shortest

At present there is more soft coal being mined than the Pennsylvania and New nondescripts within its organization, who York Central or Vanderbilt lines can carry introduced a resolution charging Edward to tidewater from the Pennsylvania fields.

Rosewater with being "an enemy of tem- The suits in the courts of the Keystone perance and the friend of the immoral and state tell of great coal companies being personally known Mr. Rosewater for thirty- to market. This applies to mines in In-

With no trouble reported from the found to result also in relieving them out, the situation would be greatly anthracite coal fields this year, the in- of a world of annoyance and work on simplified. ability of the railroads to supply cars account of the importunities of passwill have to be the reason for high seekers, all of which amounted to a prices during the coming winter.

If the report from india to the effect that the sultan of Turkey is starting a crusade on the Sunnites is correct he will scarcely be able to maintain his restrictions upon his non-Moslem subjects.

Calling each other suspicious looking names is harmless pastime for members of the Central Labor union. but if any one has any charges to make, why not make them outright of the doctrine that debts, public and control in Cuba from the beginning of and get at the facts?

With more gold coming from American territory in Alaska than from the British Northwest, London financiers will refuse to forgive the present boundary lines.

Colonel Byyan is first to plant his feet navy for the collection of debts con- to avoid it. on American soil; then let the whistles tracted by governments or private inshrick and the horns toot.

For a hot weather week Omaha's following the line of interest in this bank clearings show up very well in country is decidedly in the direction the comparative report, where it is of the Drago doctrine as applied to placed on the increase side of the both the American continents. We ledger, as against the figures for the have, in fact, stood absolutely for it corresponding week of a year ago.

Now that the suggestion for the internationi anti-war treaty has been should not have gone to war for it. traced to Grover Cleveland's admin- It iles, in fact, at the basis of national istration, some democrats will be permitted to question the soundness of developing becomes logically a corol-Mr. Bryan's ideas on the subject.

If the Union Pacific has gotten to the point where it can pay 10 per cent dividends on its common stock, perhaps we may hope to see that long promised headquarters building in Omaha some of these fine days after

It will not be surprising if there ceeding more cautiously in its stateshould be sharp competition for places ments and action, because upon it on the Water board. The Water board job has come to be known us the easi- taining by force the Drago doctrine if est sinecure on the city pay roll. Get- it were explicitly proclaimed the same ting money from home is not a cir- as in the case of the Monroe doctrine. cumstance to it.

The International Brotherhood of through unsettled social conditions Stationary Firemen will keep its offi- that must in prudence on our part be cial headquarters in Omaha, notwith- guarded against. standing efforts of other cities to take it away. Omsha is steadily gaining in southern republics in industry and orprestige with national organizations der, with the construction of the Panand coclusies generally.

third in the fare. the most monumental sins-ingrati-Probably the most significant cir- tude." If all the politicians who are distinguished only by the offices they have cumstance which is reliably reported seeking preferment at the hands of been incompetent to fill. Nebraska has is the increasing satisfaction of rail- Nebraska republicans right now and suffered from a piethora of alleged statesroad officials themselves with their ex- who are steeped in the monumental machines because of their known or susperience under the new law, which is sin of ingratitude were to be barred pected subserviency, and their known or

proportions, representing a corre- senator.

sponding cost and loss to the roads.

Its abolition goes far to countervail the

cut in net earnings that would natur-

Governor Mickey is out already with serious element of cost in railroad his Labor day proclamation, which

SECRETARY ROOT'S CLIMAX.

management.

dividuals."

would be devolved the duty of main-

And there are even yet some countries

in which complications might arise

The consummate skill with which who toil with their hands. The procla-Elihu Root has carried out his immation is a beautiful piece of literary portant mission in South America came workmanship that reflects great credit trim; and whos in his leading sometimes to a climax in the notable Buenos on its real author.

Ayres banquet, presided over by Senor Drago, former minister of foreign affairs for the Argentine republic, whose decided one case adversely to the high offices so long, only because nobody name is associated with statement claimants, holding that Spain had no could well object to their opinions, which

Keep the record straight.

private, are not a proper subject for the insurrection. Captain General forcible collection by foreign govern- Weyler will now have another excuse ments. Secretary Root, who for diplo- for breaking into print, and General adopted them. He assists in the creation Louis road, and in March of the same matic reasons is not able formally to Funston, too, is again justified.

commit our government at this time The reduction of grain rates to that doctrine to the extent in which by government which consented to the it is favored by public sentiment in Minnesota railroads on the eve of the South America, had adroitly reserved investigation of the subject by the for that appropriate time and place state railway commission may cause Just wait until that special train the significant statement that "the the commission to suspend the hearbearing the Nebraska reception com- United States had never employed and ing, but a strict investigation might the individual publisher.

The dollar donation campaign fund

idea is to be worked out by the demo-Undoubtedly the trend of opinion, crats in the First Nebraska district, in game. Its next transformation may be expected to be an invitation to bring in a sack of potatoes or a load of could accomplish these results is an intel-

cordwood as applied to ourselves from the moment we became a nation, and within The promulgation of the democratic a century there has been no time we platform at Lincoln was followed almost immediately by a severe earthquake at South America. It will take independence, and as conditions are a scientific investigation, however, to

discover if there is any relation of lary of the Monroe doctrine. Numercause and effect between the two ous threats and actual use of force by events. European governments to collect debts in Central and South American repub-The alleged "uprising" in Cuba lics have naturally produced there a would indicate that the campaign for feeling which is the more passionate because their weakness has been taken

advantage of. Naturally and properly strenuous to make more trouble than the United States government is prois now threatened among the demo- is to gather in those who have gone astray crats of Illinois.

> Reviving Ancient Solutation. Washington Post. The assembled audience at the Bryan reception may as well prepare to be introduced to "the next president of the United States," as usual.

Prayer Precedes Fusion. Kansas City Star. After an all-night session, pondering the

matter in deep meditation and prayer, the mocrats of Nebraska decided to fuse with But with the rapid advance of the the populists "for Bryan's sake." Of course, the slogan would not be likely to do much God's words saying this is a christian act, liked his voice. ama canal and the extension of com- for the Lord's sake, anyway.

tion he held for four years. In 1890 he adopted by the public. Mr. Rosewater is a gentleman who prebecame assistant to the president of the sents his notions before the public has Cincinnati, Cleveland, Chicago & St. of public opinion and has never been con-

of public opinion and has never been con-tent with the simple ratification of a sen-Union railroad. The following year he timent which others have created for him. was elected vice president of the Cincin-He is the last of those great editors in nati, Wabash & Michigan, and in 1883 the north who have made their newspapers | was made general manager of the Cindistinctively personal organa . The Bee is cinnati, Cleveland, Chicago & St. Louis the only metropolitan paper in the state railroad and vice president and general which we now recall whose editorials and manager of the Dayton & Union road. journalist's course reflect the character of From April, 1898, to December, 1895, Mr. It is the only Ramsey was general manager of the Termittee is headed for the point where never would employ its army and show why the roads were so anxious paper also which, founded two score years minal railroad association of St. Louis. ago, is still in successful existence and In December, 1895, he became vice presi-

edited by its ploneer proprietor. When it dent and general manager of the Wahash was founded it was compelled to compete, system and several subsidiary companies. under great disadvantages, against the In July, 1901, he was made president of antagonism of the railroad and telegraphic the Wabash system, with headquarters corporations and the Associated Press, who in St. Louis. Last year, after a vigorous the form of a drop-a-penny-in-the-slot favored its competitors. It alone has contest between Mr. Gould and himself held its distinction and prospered in the for control of the Wabash, he was forced line marked out for it by its energetic out.

editor thirty-six years ago. The man who Getting the Wabash into Pittsburg was lectual giant compared with the pygmies one of Ramsey's hardest fights. The work is said to have cost \$20,000,000. Ramwho are seeking office that the office may sey was right in it from start to finish. exait them. . He will exait the office to and knew all the details. The best which he may be elected. answer to the criticisms directed against

#### him is that he made contracts with the Not in the Ten Commandments. great steel plants insuring tonnage suf-Calloway Queen (rep.). ficient for the Wabash to repair the ex-

The Epworth Assembly, which has just closed its session at Lincoln, in passing resolutions against the candidacy of Edward Rosewater for United States senator has done something it will be sorry for in

vance of the Wabash. years to come. As we understand it, this Ferhaps the happlest day in the life of assembly is held annually for the purpose Joseph Ramsey was when his car crossed of furthering the interests of religion, and over the bridge to the "forbidden city" the presidential election has started, is wholly a religious gathering. Religion, in July, 1904.

but the Cubans will have to become so we are taught, is to lead people in the At this time Mr. Gould said, looking path of right, to point out the way for over the work which had been accomthem, not collectively, but individually. It plished by Mr. Ramsey: "Ramsey, this is miraculous."

and help them to lead the life of right. Just a year ago Gould and Ramsey fell Yet in this case the assembly has done out and Ramsey was forced to retire from exactly the opposite. It has picked out an the Wabash management. individual, and instead of trying to help him, it has endorsed resolutions against his

candidacy for United States senator.

we do not know of it.

there is anything in the ten command-

name and character and heralded them to Baltimore American. the four winds. Instead of going to him Some persons are trying their best id and talking to him personally and trying to make Japan's silence appear ominous. It get him to do right according to its views. is hard to please those who are looking

It has denounced him, called him a traitor for trouble and are not happy unless they and other vile names from a public plat- find it. form, for the sole purpose of defeating his

Recognized the Note. New York World.

penditure in a remarkably short time.

The Pennsylvania railroad had

abiding place in Pittsburg for years, and

fought with all its vast power the ad-

Silly Senson Diversion.

The Italian nobility did not know what ments showing this to be right, we have any democrat who would detect sacrilege in never heard of it. If there is anything in Mr. Bryan was talking about, but they "It wa'n't exactly w'o 'e said, but the silvery w'y 's said it."

The last of the estates of the late Charles Stewart Parnell, which have been in the

Irish land courts since his death, has been disposed of by the sale of houses situated in St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. The Avondale house and demesne, the home of Mr. Par nell, are now the property of the govern ment and are used as a school of forestry by the Irish department of agriculture.

#### Galusha and the Amendment. Wayne Herald (rep.).

Secretary of State Gafusha, as clean and conscientious and capable an officer as ever occupied a place in the state house, is now being misrepresented and abused because the notice of the proposed constitutional amendments were not sent out in time for publication in the first issue of those weekly papers that have five publications in August. If weekly papers were dated on Mondays or Tuesdays there could

have been ground for complaint and still there could have been no more issues during the month, than there would be in papers published the last of the week, even ugh the latter omitted the notice from Hamilton & Dayton road, which posithe first issue in August. In any event there would be no less than four publications during the month and thirteen prior to the day of election. To justify the secretary, a supreme court decision involving a similar question has been found, holding in effect that the term "month" means four weeks. Thus validity of the amendment is not imperiled, and the suspicion expressed by a number of papers and politicians that the secretary designed to endanger the proposed change in the constitution, is mere twaddle and buncombe. The leader in the war against Galusha is the hypocritical newspapers, and their grievance lies in the fact that they have not been permitted of late years to absorb all the public printing in sight at their own

price.

"Did you ever hear Borely try to tell a funny story?" "Yes, and it's no joke."-Baltimore Amer-lcan.

## THE DEACON'S SUNDAY SHOES

Chicago News,

Chicago News. We all knew that the good deacon was a humble and a meek 'un, Most exceeding mild in manner, with the patience of a kaint-All his ways unostentatious, to all men benign and gracious; Of his simple, modest bearing there was never a complaint, He was always bright and cheerful; no one ever saw him fearful; Yet there something was about him that would give us all the blues, Something blatant and aggressive. It was simply the progressive. It was simply the progressive. And excessive dismal creaking of the deacon's Sunday shoes.

It would give us nervous twinges, like a gate on rusty hinges, It would wake the weary sinner from his slumberings profound; It's superfluous to mention that we had to

It's superfluous to mention that we had to pay attention—
That we couldn't feign abstraction when he passed the plate around.
I am not quite certain whether it was something in the leather.
Or if they were put together to arouse the drowsy pews.
But they certainly succeeded, and it's likely that we needed
Just that squeaky admonition of the deacon's Sunday shoes.

deacon's Sunday shoes. He is gone, that good old deacon-that bright, shining light and beacon. That fair pattern and example to a wicked, wayward flock. He is gone, we trust to glory, and we know that nevermore he Will with squawking walking footgear give our ragged nerves a shock. But our parson's fervent praying, that we sheep so prone to straying Would tread ever in his footsteps half its force was bound to lose; For a person that path treading would be likely to be dreading He might overtake the squeaking of the deacon's Sunday shoes.

Pale, Thin,

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