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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 requested.

Chicago piano makers are on a strike. The piano players, however, never strike.

The Daughters of the Annual Revolution have completed their work in Washington without the assistance of the police.

Disaffected heirs are preparing to make a big noise over the distribution of the \$75,000,000 estate of the late "Silent" Smith of New York.

Harry Thaw wants to be his own lawyer hereafter. The man who is his own lawyer generally has the Harry Thaw kind of a client.

That suggestion of Governor Hughes of New York as a running mate for Bryan is subject to a peremptory veto from William Randolph Hearst.

The Agricultural department's report that there is no indication of chinch bug activity in the wheat belt blasts another democratic hope.

Chancellor Day of the Syracuse university announces that he has cured himself of the habit of smoking. His habit of talking, however, is incurable.

That kindling wood famine reported from Kansas is all the more severe, as it comes at a season when the Congressional Record is taking a vacation.

Walter Wellman now has an idea that the North Pole is surrounded by a body of water. Why not look for it in Wall street, then, instead of in the Arctic circle?

Mr. Carnegie gives President Roosevelt credit for saving The Hague peace parliament from the boycott of European powers. It is now up to The Hague to show that it was worth saving.

The prohibition law is being enforced so rigidly in Kansas just now that in some towns of the state drinks are not sold in more than three buildings out of five on the principal streets.

The horde of office-seekers who have applications on file for appointments from Governor Sheldon must be speculating as to what extent the April snowstorm nipped the buds on the political plum tree.

William Randolph Hearst says that he and his followers represent the real democratic party of the country. That breaks even the record of republican spellbinders in saying mean things about the democratic party.

The Pennsylvania legislature has defeated a bill providing for the election of United States senators by popular vote. United States senators from Pennsylvania will accordingly continue to remain unpopular.

Former Chief Engineer Stevens figures that it will take between six and seven years to complete the Panama canal. He modestly fails to state whether he has lengthened or shortened his estimate because of his own retirement from the construction work.

Mr. Roosevelt's failure to enthuse over the proffered support of John Temple Graves of Georgia may be due to his recollection of the fact that Mr. Graves was until recently a most ardent supporter of Hearst. Mr. Graves has not yet learned to stand hitched until the polls close.

PUBLICITY FOR RAILROAD ACCIDENTS

The Railway Age, a publication friendly to railway managers and often used to present inspired articles on railway topics, has taken an editorial position on the subject of publicity in connection with railway accidents that is radically opposed to the policy long persistently pursued by nearly all the railroads of the country.

RUSSIA'S APPALLING SITUATION. Two statements from unquestioned sources throw a light upon conditions in Russia which show that the czar and his imperial advisers are facing problems more serious than those produced during the war with Japan when Russia was meeting daily defeats in the field and on the sea and was torn by mutiny, treason and insurrections at home.

UNIVERSITY STUDENT STATISTICS. The statistical table showing enrollment of students at the leading American universities, printed on another page, will afford suggestive material for people interested in higher education to ponder over.

A CALAMITY EXTRAORDINARY. Virginia, that state from which no news but bad news comes, has furnished a vindication for the pessimists who have been insisting for months that our national prosperity was too good to last.

DISEASE AND DIRTY STREETS. Discomfort is the basis of the bulk of the complaints against dirty streets, but, according to the opinion of eminent physicians who have made special study of the subject, that is a minor matter compared with the diseases originating in the foul condition of crowded city thoroughfares.

FOR THE SAKE OF APPEARANCES. In the face of aroused sentiment against overcapitalization of corporations, it is officially announced that the Standard Oil company proposes to increase its capital stock from \$100,000,000 to \$500,000,000.

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where the disease used to be as common as measles among American school children.

The results from a sanitary standpoint of American work in street cleaning at Panama and Havana may well be investigated and emulated by municipal authorities in charge of the streets in our American cities.

ADRAWBACK OF EXCESSIVE WEALTH. The chief incentive to the accumulation of large fortunes has often been found to be the desire to provide comfort and luxury for children and make sure that no want of theirs need go unsatisfied.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE. By a great effort the peace conference managed to keep the peace to the end. Three Irishmen and a Turk together applied for naturalization in a New York City court and presented an aggregate of twenty-five feet in stature.

The Propensity for Kicking. Colonel Harvey, in his address at the Jefferson club dinner in New York, compared the restlessness of today to the restlessness of Chicago's cow which kicked over Mrs. O'Leary's barn in De Koven street on the night of the great wind.

Telegraph Secrecy in China. Secrecy in the transmission of telegraph dispatches in China is to be insured in the future by a provision for the decapitation of all offenders revealing the contents of important messages in transit.

Just Like Old Times. England is experiencing a good deal of a sensation in seeing Dr. Jameson, whom said precipitated the Boer war, and General Botha, of the Transvaal, associated in the conference of colonial premiers.

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SERMONS BOILED DOWN.

Triumph is a matter of simply trying again. The heights never are scaled by the toplofty. The overtime sermon makes the slothful wait.

SECULAR SHOTS AT THE PULPIT. Baltimore American: One minister in Baltimore says that war is necessary and another that the millennium is coming.

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