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WHEN OUT OF TOWN. Subscribers leaving the city temporarily should have The Bee mailed to them.

"Is Lincoln a village?" asks the Lincoln Star. What's the answer?

"Ireland," declares the Los Angeles Times, "has over 30,000 goats."

Massachusetts democrats are in an awful muddle, but the Hearst is yet to come.

Senator Forsaker's defense of the president must be set down as unnecessary effort.

Mr. Harriman may be organizing a new pool, but it is a safe wager that he will not allow Fish to win.

"What is graft?" asks the San Francisco Call. It is difficult to answer, except that it is not what it used to be.

Lillian Russell says divorce is a blessing. An impression prevails that she looks upon it merely as a convenience.

The Department of Agriculture has issued a pamphlet on "Ideal Milk." The country is more interested in real milk.

Cassie Chadwick is dead. The country is to be congratulated on the fact that she was the only one in her class.

Having agreed to marry Count Ladislav Szechenyi, Gladys Vanderbilt ought to tell us what she calls him for short.

The census bureau reports about 30,000,000 women over the age of 16 in the United States.

The Salt trust has boasted prices. The attention of the attorney general should be called to the fact that the Salt trust is getting too fresh.

"What does a dollar dinner amount to now, compared with 1896," asks the Richmond Times. It amounts to a dollar. The difference is in the dinner.

In brief, the president is determined that he will not send the navy to California overland just because some other power imagines it has a prior right to the use of the waters.

The new Nebraska primary law cuts the active work of the state campaign down to less than four weeks, but no serious protest against this curtailment has yet been registered.

All this talk about the awakening of China appears to have been premature. The old nation is showing signs of yawning a little and turning over for another nap of a century or two.

Lemuel Eli Quigg testifies that it cost \$500 to cause a "popular uprising" in Manhattan. He could organize a junta and overthrow a Latin-American government for less money.

Only one more day of registration. Canvass your friends and note down those who have yet to be registered, and then see to it that they do not neglect to perform this all important duty.

The man who aspires to judicial office ought above all things to be a man of his word. Resignations are due from the remaining republicans named on the democratic judicial nomination.

AMERICA'S PEACE VICTORY.

While the general public has been disposed, with some reason, to joke at the proceedings of The Hague peace conference, the fact remains that America has gained several distinct victories at the conference.

Mr. Choate, former American ambassador to England, secured the adoption of his plan for a "permanent international high court of justice, court of arbitral justice, obligatory arbitration and universal arbitration."

As the net result of the adoption of this plan, disputes between Latin-American countries and foreign powers, which in the past have produced everything but open war, will hereafter be submitted to a general high court of arbitration.

The report of Dr. Wiley states that ninety-five of every hundred manufacturers are complying with the requirements of the federal pure food law.

HARDWOOD DISAPPEARING.

The forestry division of the Department of Agriculture has issued a circular that should appeal strongly to all American citizens.

Best estimates place the standing supply of hardwood in the nation at 400,000,000,000 feet.

The demand for hardwood shows an increase, although the supply is dwindling with every year.

The spirit which has hitherto been the key to success. Whenever anything comes up which promises to contribute to Omaha's prosperity.

Experience usually provides a remedy for every economic ill. The remedy in this case is the support of the president's forest reserve policy.

AWAY-FROM-HOME NEWS. A curious feature of the campaign that is certain to develop is that the Bryan side will have the support of the railroads.

The county comptroller elected this fall will have to organize this newly created office and initiate the system of checking the county's official records.

GOOD WORD FOR BANK CLERKS. Mighty Important Factor in Financial Affairs. One new thing proposed at the bankers' meetings had special reference to bank clerks.

Omaha and South Omaha are bound to be one city sooner or later, and in all probability very soon.

In a political address in Massachusetts Senator Lodge declared that the city administration of Boston is corrupt and the district attorney forthwith invited him before the grand jury to make his charges good.

Postmaster General Meyer has held up payment on a contract for stamped envelopes and newspaper wrappers.

PURE FOOD LAW RESULTS.

Dr. Wiley, head of the bureau of chemistry of the Department of Agriculture, and the most active agent in the enforcement of the federal pure food law, has made a report which must be gratifying to every consumer.

The late Dr. Merco's "rust streaks" evoked much mirth in Omaha once upon a time, but they proved to be the forerunner of our metropolitan street railway system.

Collecting old bank notes has become quite a fad, says a Washington dispatch. It may be a fad in Washington, but in this section the collection of old or new bank notes is a matter of business.

Those Jacksonians will have to blow themselves for their annual feast of "Old Hickory" next time if they want to get out from under the shadow of the forthcoming Dahlan Democracy dinner.

An English authoress just landed in New York avers that Englishmen are far superior to the American men.

The president says the war on the trusts must continue, and we all throw our hats and cheer the sentiment.

A Dash for the Cash.

Miss Gladys Vanderbilt is to marry Count Ladislav Szechenyi, a dashing Hungarian. Owing to the fact that the lady has a fortune of \$20,000,000, it is probable that the count will be able to keep right on dashing after the wedding.

The president of a western railroad is very gloomy over the prospect of hard times owing to the popular hysteria over railroads and corporations.

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OTHER LANDS THAN OURS.

When the Korean delegation of princes appeared before The Hague International Peace conference a few months ago and beseeched the representatives of the world to save the hermit kingdom from the clutch of Japan.

Statistics of alcoholic consumption obtained from the office of the British chancellor of the exchequer have enabled a London paper to make a per capita exhibit for various countries.

Italy comes next after France in wine drinking with 20 gallons per capita, and Spain next with 18 1/2 gallons—neither of these countries figuring in the beer and distilled spirits statistics.

A St. Petersburg correspondent, writing a London journal about the existing political situation in Russia, says: "Out of a total of 5,100 provincial electors in European Russia, who will choose 287 out of the 462 deputies of the third Duma, the land owners have been given 2,544—i. e., an absolute majority, or about twice as many as they should have on a property basis."

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POLITICAL DRIFT. Michigan's first constitutional convention since 1857 consisting of ninety-six delegates will meet at Lansing, October 23.

The boom of Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler for the democratic nomination for president is to be officially launched in Putnam county, New York, some time this month.

A Pittsburg paper speaks of "Knox's boom in a nutshell." As Senator Knox is a Pittsburger the local press must be credited with accuracy in measuring his boom.

General Greaveson of Ohio, now out of congress, has joined the ranks of those who think President Roosevelt will have to run again.

Without the mandate of law and simply to redeem his campaign pledge, the state treasurer of Illinois has turned into the treasury \$10,000, the interest received on state funds for nine months.

Alanson Canfield of New Milford, Conn., is the oldest voter in New England. Today he expects to cast his vote in his home town, at a local election, although he is 100 years old.

In a gathering of Virginia democrats a few days ago, an outspoken, plainspeaking gentleman introduced a resolution which dubbed Mr. Bryan as a "blower."

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