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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.

Congressman Dalzell's tariff views need revision. The grand jury is long on recom-

mendations, but short on indictments. The present congress seems to be

laboring hard to achieve the distinction of indistinction. The frightful incident at Chicago is

another reminder that the life of a chief of police is not a bed of roses. Strange how some people get sick so far away from home just when they

are wanted to face serious charges in

ourt. Colonel Bryan says the democratic party was in hard luck before he took charge of it. And the luck hasn't

changed. Champ Clark admits that he would like to be speaker of the house. He has been the talker of the house for a

long time. Senator Dick of Ohio says he prefers to be silent on political affairs. The occasionally.

now stands 5 to 4 on whiskers. That's about the close of his first term. the usual division.

A noiseless automobile or a noiseless would come nearer filling a long felt want than the newly invented noiseless pistol.

Among the other questions to which Wu Ting-fang has never had a satisfactory answer is, Why do the American newspapers seldom get his name right?

Evidently the Washington correspondents look upon the election next November as settled. They are now picking the members of Mr. Taft's cabinet.

New York women are planning a more restaurant dish water instead of pledges. against it.

Johnny." The country always feels ation of the chief of police of Chicago sorely grieved every time "Coal Oil rivet attention anew on the vexed ques-Johnny" dies.

The St. Paul Pioneer Press an-

Ralph Burton of Kansas has joined the Denver priest was a fanatic, crazed democratic party. Luck has been with hate of the clericals, and an effort against the democrats in Kansas for a is already being made to show that the good many years.

A local minister declares, "All of us have to labor, even the preachers." Wonder how the strange delusion got abroad that the preachers occupied a particularly soft berth.

A man who looks like Tom Johnson has been arrested in Cleveland for passing bogus checks. He ought to be released. If he looks like Tom Johnson his punishment is sufficient.

There are still 32,000 vacancies in the army. The pay is \$15 a month army of the unemployed.

THE NINE-HOUR LAW.

should be published on the same day with announcements that railroads throughout the country are dismissing lists are listed and marked, just as prograph offices and small stations and adopting a general policy of retrenchment. The nine-hour law is to become those who later become avowed an- or accept. effective today.

Under the provisions of the new law, the Interstate Commerce commission was given authority to extend the authorities of such countries. The time for its application in any given naturalized citizen who becomes an case in which valid reasons were as- avowed anarchist should have his citisigned. No attempt was made by the railroad companies to present such rea- ment, it is believed, would solve the sons until the time had almost arrived problem so far as imported anarchy is for the law to go into effect. Then concerned, and so far as it is most of the big companies presented out in the open, secret oatharguments alleging either that it was bound anarchism is harder to comimpossible to secure the additional bat. Anarchism, however, is not an operators necessary for compliance American institution, and every possiwith the law or that traffic conditions | ble precaution should be taken against did not warrant the additional expense. 36,760 16...... 38,100 The Interstate Commerce commission law of self-preservation justifies so-36,930 has decided that neither of these argu- ciety in employing, to protect itself tending the time.

8. 36,030 23...... 35,500 opportune time to impose new burdens which our republic is founded. on the transportation companies of the 36,490 country, the fact remains that the rail-38,560 road companies could and should have 14..... 36,100 29,...... 36,850 prepared for the emergency, just as they could have complied with the law definiteness in pointing out the abuses 9,437 pliances and the other law requiring is weak in its positive recommenda-Net total 1,039,113 them to dispose of their coal properties, tions for regulation. It says plainly 35,831 if they had gone to work in earnest at that certain features of the social evil the outset.

> ing telegraph offices and closing pendent tenants as contrasted with determination to make the burden of windows, the intrusion of boys within that the railways still have an er- women. serve human life.

CHARGES AGAINST JEROME.

become a national character, largely saders through the attention he attracted by his spectacular campaign for re-election apt to be misconstrued, being that part one in Asia and the other in Central and and by his participation in the Nan referring to the exorbitant rents these men to keep the government advised Patterson, Harry Thaw and Abe Hum- charged in the proscribed district and of commercial opportunities in all parts of mel trials. But a short time ago he declaring that they "cannot help be- the world. They are to keep in touch with was looked upon as a popular favorite, ing a temptation to those inclined to conditions in the trade centers of the var with a hold on the people of New York accept bribes and graft." There is al- for trade expansion. It is proposed to have that could not be shaken by assaults of ways talk about graft where there is at hand at all times data concerning actual the combined organizations of all of a possibility of it, but this very grand conditions in the prominent markets and to the political parties. In his campaign jury, like all others which have presenator finds himself in a popular role for re-election he had behind him ceded it, although especially instructed of openings as they occur. These trade nearly every newspaper in the city, his to hunt down every rumor of graft, scouts, it is expected, will enable Uncle Sam support being based on his promise to has been unable to find anything to to occupy a new commercial field before Mr. Justice Moody has shaved off prosecute vigorously the men responsi- justify a single indictment. That his mustache and the supreme court ble for the insurance frauds exposed does not mean absolute freedom from case of adapting business tactics to a world-

clamoring most loudly for his re- which has fattened upon these forms Estimate of the Man Who Retires in street car or a noiseless politician election are now demanding his re- of vice in other cities, moval by Governor Hughes. He was of the insurance frauds and prosecute it to say that the charges against him come either inactive or faced the other | the rest of the state. way, he has fallen from his pedestal crusade against restaurant dish water, because awakened public conscience The agitation should be in favor of now demands redemption of campaign

THE ANARCHIST PROBLEM.

The atrocious murder of Father Leo nounces the death of "Coal Oil at Denver and the attempted assassintion, What shall we do with the anarchists? It has been proved rather Former United States Senator J. conclusively that the assassin of the man who attempted to kfll Chief Shippy was a monomaniac on the subject of police officials. These claims, if true, offer no excuse, in face of the further established facts that both murderers were either pronounced anarchists or in close close communion with anarchists. Their insanity or fanaticism must have been excited, if not created, by their teachings and by the work of their organization, which has its hand set

against order throughout the world. It is admitted that great difficulty attends the problem of dealing with anarchists, at least before they become with clothes and board. A man out of murderers, in a country where free work can join and still belong to the thought and free speech are constitutional guarantees. But the error is too December. often made of failing to take cogni-The school board is transferring sance of the difference between liberty more money from the general fund to and license. While freedom of speech the Victor school building fund. We is guaranteed society is under no obli- slate fixed up for the democratic state thought we voted bonds last fall to gation of law or conscience or mercy convention at the Bryan love feast

law limiting the hours of telegraph would likely view it-of not having impertinent questions. operators and signal men to nine hours | been selected to carry out the murder plans of his order.

In the European countries anarchpolice. Those who come to this country archists are promptly listed. These undesirable citizens should be deported whence they came, with due notice to zenship papers annulled. Such treattransporting it to American soil. The methods that do not destroy the price-While this is unquestionably an in- less heritage of individual liberty upon

GRAND JURY ON SOCIAL EVIL. The report of the grand jury on the social evil has, at least, the merit of as prevail here are objectionable and some of the leading roads, in abandon- is known as the "crib system" of indesmaller stations indicates an evident so-called "houses," the soliciting from the new law fall upon the public. If so, the proscribed area and the parasitical

roneous idea of the attitude of public | There is no question but that all opinion. The traveling public has a these features are objectionable, alkeen interest in putting the nine-hour though some of them can be abated law into effect, as a measure of safety, much easier than others. It is easy with as little delay as possible. Aside enough to close the "cribs" if such from the general sentiment that nine policy is agreed upon, less easy to little formalities to be gone through with which has been sacrificed in the failures hours are fully as much continuous stop soliciting and keep boys away, labor as should be imposed upon rail- and almost impossible to eradicate the way telegraph operators, the main male parasites, especially where the motive for the legislation is the pre- women are willing victims. The povention of accidents, and no plea of lice board is to be commended for takhard times or difficulty in securing ing prompt action along the lines of operators will warrant indulgence in the grand jury's recommendations. In enforcement of a law calculated to pre- giving a month's time for the "crib" Beckham, both now and in the next camthan ordering more midnight raids the board has shown that it is animated William Travers Jerome, the dis- by a desire to correct evils rather than trict attorney of New York county, has by the cruel frenzy of brass-band cru-

instances of petty extortion, but it does | wide business proposition. Charges have now been filed against | mean that Omaha has been free from Jerome and the people who were the systematic machinery of graft

So far as the problems arising out chosen because of his declarations that of the social evil here are concerned, he would ferret out the parties guilty Omaha must solve them for itself. The suggestion of the grand jury that the them to the limit of the law. However legislature be asked to give the city conscientious he may have been, the authorities wider latitude for the regfact remains that he has not made good ulation and control of a proscribed on this promise. He has failed to do the district is not likely to come to anyvery essential things which the people thing. Seven-eighths of the members who elected him expected him to do, of the legislature represent rural disout his pledges is not known; suffice made to recognize the need for any material difference in the laws on this are that he has not tried. Having be- subject as between the large cities and

Senator Foraker is going to deliver a three days' speech on the Brownsville incident. The unfortunate part of the thing is that he is going to deliver it in the senate chamber, when the senate would much rather go on with the consideration of live business. The Brownsville case is as dead as the Foraker presidential boom.

The newly appointed collector of internal revenue for Nebraska says he will make no changes for the present the office. Inasmuch as every job there is nailed down under civil service rules, that is a superfluous announcement.

The grand jury just adjourned recommends a workhouse for city prisoners. That is something The Bee has been urging for years. A stiff sentence at hard labor is the only thing feared by professional police court offenders.

The Omaha Woman's club has formally condemned the use of the Christmas tree as unnecessarily destructive of our forests. A resolution denouncing the Fourth of July firecracker may be expected about next

Wooster with a protest against the pay for building this Vinton school. to give free rein to men who openly held fast January. He wants to know moider.

proclaim war on society and law and why, if it is all settled in advance, the Evidently it is more than mere co- who adopt methods worse than sav- democrats throughout the different ncidence that the decision of the Inter- agery in carrying on their warfare. No counties of Nebraska have been put to state Commerce commission denying credit belongs to the rabid anarchist the trouble and expense of holding the request of the railway companies who is not a murderer. The fact that primaries and conventions just to ratfor an extension of time within which his hands are not bloodstained is due ify a ready-made combination. Wooster to comply with the provisions of the to his fortune-or misfortune, as he should know enough not to ask such

Hoke Smith of Georgia says he would not accept the democratic presidential nomination. Unless Mr. Bryan many employes, closing up many tele- fessional criminals are known to the has changed his mind in the last few high ranking officer of the militia. It is minutes it is a safe wager that Hoke are usually known to our police and won't get the chance either to refuse

> "Nine-tenths of the democratic editors throughout the country are opposed to Bryan's nomination," says the Los Angeles Times. That is offset by the fact that ten-tenths of the republican editors are in favor of it.

It will not do to place too much credence in the report that E. H. Harvention for the purpose of trying to start a third term stampede to President Roosevelt.

"Johnson of Minnesota would beat Fairbanks," says Collier's Weekly. The statement will have to go unchallenged, as Johnson and Fairbanks 19...... 36,730 ments furnish sufficient reason for exagainst such avowed enemies, any will hardly have the chance to settle the question.

> In Nautical Terms. Baltimore American. Taft's boom is forward; the others a

Bully for Billy. New York World. "Bill" Bryan's bolstering of Beckham was bully" for "Bill" Bradley,

Helps Some.

Washington Star. Criticisms of banking methods as sharp as those of W. J. Bryan ought to diver The retrenchment policy adopted by should be stopped, among them what some of the fire of financial complaint from the president.

In the Wildest East.

Baltimore News. In the vicinity of Huntingdon, Pa., bears wildcats and catamounts have become so feroclous that they are attacking people. this is a mistaken policy and indicates men who live off the earnings of the Now, if Mr. Roosevelt just had the time to get up there!

Not a Closed Incident.

Indianapolis News. The supreme court of Texas has also de was properly ousted and owes the common-

Marse Henry is Reconciled.

closed.

Louisville Courier Journal. The Senator-elect is an old-line, thorough-going republican, and regrettable as it is that a sound exponent of democracy could not be elected, the elimination of privilege to officers, although it is found to Representative Gardner of Massachusetts inmates to re-adjust themselves rather paign, clears the way for the party to kick the remnants of the shattered machine out of its path and come into its own again.

Advance Agent of Commerce.

St. Paul Moneer Press. Secretary Root has recommended to con gress the employment of four commercial One part of the grand jury report is attaches, two to be stationed in Europe, jous nations and to watch for possibilities be in a position to enable American manufacturers and merchants to take advantage his competitors wake up to the fact that there is a field. It seems to be a plain

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT. One Year.

Denver Republican A year from new President Roosevelt will be prepared to step from the highest public office that can be held by any individual to the ranks of the private citizen after having done his work as it was given him to do and to the best of his abilities But that work, notable as it has been up progress in the year to come, will not have been finished. If he shall have less official responsibility he will have greater freedom to do. Individuals and influences expect that his passing from the White

House will have ended all. Some people have been bothering worrying themselves about a place for the know that a man like him makes a position for himself by displacement if necessary. But the president has answered the anxious inquirers in that memorable address delivered on Wednesday to the delegates to the National Educational associa tion. In private life he will be a factor to be reckoned with. He will be free to criticise and to aid, to demand that the policies inaugurated by him shall be carried forward to their logical end. There can be no faltering and no falling back.

Whatever public duties may come to cititen Roosevelt he will be prepared to accept; but his place and his part will depend upon conditions or circumstances as they may arise. In time of peril he will e to the forefront-a leader in his rightin the personnel of his subordinates in ful place; in times of peace he will be near with admonition and teaching. time of prosperity the warning hand will

President Roosevelt will have a position new to the republic. He will retire in the prime of his intellectual and physical vigor. He will step aside of his own volition, in the knowledge that a sign from him would have meant his retention-a man of tremendous force who has had and will have the public with him Woe betide the public official, be he president or congressman who proves untrue to his trust! The mar who originated the "big stick" will b there with a prong. He will be as a shield and a buckler to the republic. We question whether there can be found a procedent to the position that remains for Roosevelt to hold. That he is fitted to be an educator in the true sense is again made the nation which contains the philosophy of the ages with the inherent practicability to be found in the American who knows and appreciates the worth of this young nation of freemen. He does not disdain And now comes the redoubtable the college as does the modern utilitarian whose alm is millions and he does no believe that learning alone can make max or nation. Character is what counts after all, and the public school is the great

NEWS FOR THE ARMY.

Note and Comment on Recent Movements and Orders. Army and Navy Register.

Representative Slayden during the curent debate on the army appropriation bill was led the other day to express some apprehension lest the new militia division attached to the office of the assistant secretary of war, and now under the competent charge of Lieutenant Colonel E. M. Weaver of the coast artillery corps, was a step toward creating an independent bureau which would some day be under a authoritatively appounced that there is no such plan in contemplation and that the office which has been established with special reference to the interests of the organized militia derives its value to the militia from the fact that it will have at its head an officer of the regular estab imbment, who will promote the joint in terests of the militia and the regular army. It is recalled that at one time some of the National guard people had a project which contemplated a militia branch of the War department, which would be under a brigadier general of the National guard. This gave promise of a fixture for which scant favor was shown riman wants to go to the Chicago con- by the War department officials. The present militia division of the office of the assistant secretary of war has no relation to the former scheme. The object of that division can only be fully realized by having at its head an army officer who is familiar with the needs of the militia and desirous of promoting the efficiency of the state troops as the ally of the regular forces.

> The War department is deluged with let ters from those who served in the war with Spain and who are not now in the military service, asking for campaign badges. There can be no exception to the rule that only those who were in the regu lar army on January II. 1905, or subsequently, are entitled to the badges. A bill has been introduced this week which extends the law to all those who served in the regulars and volunteers in Cuba. Porte Rico and the Philippines, and probably those who remained in camp during the war with Spain.

Army officers who have had some ex-

ing or closing their doors believe that he couldn't pay the taxes. the present conditions justify a revival of the proposition to enact legislation permitting army officers to deposit their money with paymasters. A correspondent of the Army and Navy Register says that "fully three-fourths of the officers situated in and around San Francisco lost all of their hard earned savings in the California Savings Deposit and Trust Company's fallure." Some of them lost personal funds and others are responsible for the company funds which cannot be recovered. Most of the officers who cided that the Waters-Pierce Oil company have any such savings have taken this prudent step in anticipation of orders wealth \$1,600,000; but there are still a few for a change of station, and it is this before the incident can be regarded as of the San Francisco banks. An effort has been made in other years to obtain legislation which would authorize army officers to deposit their savings with the paymasters at rates of interest which should accrue when a deposit has remained undisturbed for a given period of time Congress did not seem willing to extend be of decided advantage in the case of enlisted men who are encouraged to save during the bitter political campaign o their money. It is doubtful if the question 1836. is brought up again by the War department at this session of congress, but there is every reason why it should engage legislative attention for the benefit of those officers who wish to avail then paymasters.

The plans for the homeward trip of the army transport McClellan, which left Manila on February 22 for New York by way of Suez, contemplates a visit to a number of ports enroute. The arrival of the yeasel at Singapore is reported. The other ports which will be visited are Aden. Suez. Malta and Gibraltar, whence the McCleilan will proceed directly to New York. Among the passengers on board the Mc-Cicilan are major general and Mrs. Leonard Wood. They will leave the transport at one of the ports and General Wood will avail himself of six months' leave of absence which he will spend in travel in transport is Brigadier General Harry H. Bandholtz, chief of the Philippine constabulary, who is coming to the United States on leave of absence. The transport should arrive in New York about April 2.

Some time ago the War department was advised of the arrest of a man who had presented himself at the army recruiting station at Montgomery, Ala., and obtained from the recruiting officer coffee money to this time with promise of more effectual and a railroad ticket for travel to Jefferson Barracks. He failed to make the trip and was arrested for embezzelment of government funds. At the preliminary hearing in the case in Montgomery on the Whether he found he could not carry tricts or small towns and cannot be that have thwarted his policies need not 22d instant, the defendant was discharged. there not being sufficient evidence to hold him for trial. The coffee money was recovered from the defendant after the hearing, but the railway ticket had disappeared president after next year. They ought to and the defendant claimed it was pulled from his pocket when other papers were taken therefrom. The incident leads to some special admonition for the guldance of officers on recruiting duty, that there may not be a repetition of this incident.

Major T. H. Slavens, of the quartermaster's department, on duty in the quartermaster general's office, has returned to Washington from an inspection trip which included a visit to Fort Barrancas, Fort McCree and Fort Pickens. It is proposed to carry out some important projects at those places at once, including construction of roads, walks, water supply system wharves, and railroad terminals, Slavens also visited Jackson Barracks, Fort Jackson and Fort St. Philip, in connection with the same class of work which will be executed at the earliest practicable date.

First Lieutenant F. A. Ramsay, U. S. Marine corps, on duty at the navy yard, Puget Sound, Wash., has devised an improved night signaling outfit and has submitted the same to the commandant of the marine corps for trial. The tests will be conducted at Washington, D. C. It is understood that the outfit possesses several improvements over those now in use.

First Lieutenant Charles L. Willard, of the signal corps, recently made an inspec tion of the section of the Alaskan military telegraph lines under his charge. This section lies between Fort St. Michael and Old Woman, and includes rough country which is particularly difficult to traverse in winter. Notwithstanding the extremely low clear from his address to the teachers of state of the temperature. Lieutenant Willard successfully accomplished the inspec-

Love's Labor Lost.

Washington Post. The New York World has completed its self-imposed task of naming sixteen democrats who could poll more votes than Mr Bryan, but the answer remains the same; They could, but they won't this year t Mr. Bryan knows himself.

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PERSONAL NOTES.

Ex-Governor Morrill of Kansas, now worth \$500,000, was once so hard-up that perience with banks which are either fail- he lost a quarter section of land because

Charles L. Beech, of the faculty of the University of Vermont, at Burlington, was recently elected president of the Connecticut Agricultural college at Storrs.

A literary sharp has come forward with the claim that he can prove the Japanese wrote limericks 1,000 years ago. But even that is no good reason why this country should go to war with them. William Scott Ferguson has been ap

pointed to the assistant professorship of history at Harvard for five years, beginning September 1, 1908. Prof. Ferguson has been on the faculty of the University of California. Prof. Max Farrand, now head of the department of history in Leland Stanford, ir.

university, has been called to a professor-

ship of history in Yale. Mr. Farrand has signified his intention to accept and will take up his work at Yale next fall. An ancient volume, entitled "Life of Martin Van Buren," was presented to President Roosevelt on Wednesday by The book was written by David Crockett

Alice Neilson, the opera singer, has been invited to sing the role of Zerlina in 'Don Glovanni" at the opening of the new Colon theater in Buenos Ayres in May. She will e only American singer to appear at the security of deposits with the army that inauguration. Mme. Tetrazzini and Mme. Melba will be among the singers

who will take part in the opening, Mrs. Caroline C. Furbush of West New ton, Mass., has presented to the Naval academy at Annapolis a valuable historical painting by Thomas Birch of the "Battle Between the Constitution and the Guerriere." Birch was one of the first designers of United States coins at the Philadelphia mint. He painted his naval battle picture in 1828.

When his daughter died nine years ago, Murray Carleton, St. Louis millionaire, adopted a little Chinese girl in China through Methodist missionaries. She was of his daughter's ago and took his daughter's name-Lexie Rust Carloton. She is Europe. Upon his arrival at New York he 19 now, and has nearly completed her will relieve Major General F. D. Grant of studies at the mission school in Sung the command of the Department of the Kong. Her American father is impatient East. Another passenger on board the to see her, and when she leaves school she will be ticketed through to St. Louis,

MIDWEEK SMILES.

"I hear," stated the real estate dealer, "that many farms in this vicinity have recently changed hands."
"Yep," responded old Farmer Coboss, "Hired men like to move about."—Kansas City Jourant.

"I had a mechanical multiplier put in my house yesterday."
"Do you think it will pay for itself?"
"No, I think I will pay for it myself; it's an electric meter."—Frouston Post.

Father-Why don't you study to be promoted? Johnny-I don't want to stir up class enmity.-New York Sun. Harold (sighing)—I have only one friend on earth—my dog. Evelyn—Why don't you get another dog?—Boston Record.

"Have you got a match?"
"Unfortunately, I have. She proposed to
be before I could get away."—St. Louis

Miffkins—I pride myself on the fact that have never yet broken my word, Biffkins—Too flexible, eh?—Chicago News.

"Do you believe the automobile will result eventually in the extinction of the hor "No, indeed. The more automobiles we have the more horses will be needed to tow e when they break down."-Kansas

"Shakespeare is said to have been a bad "I know that," answered Mr. Storming-

ton Barnes. "But I don't attach any im on Barnes. But I don't altach any in-portance to the assertion. Everybody who plays Shakespeare is sure to be referred to by somebody as a bad actor."—Washington Star.

"Yes; I'm setting up in business for my "You haven't had much experience, I take it, in hiring help?"
"No: but my wife will advise me. She has."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Mrs. Knicker-That little boy has such beautiful table manners.

Mrs. Bocker-Yes, his mother always feeds him at home before he is invited out.—New York Sun.

DOES MA WISH SHE WAS PAT

Wonan's Home Companion, "I wish I had a lot to cash."
Sez pa, one winter's night;
"I'd go down south and stay a while
Where days are warm and bright."
He set an watched the fire die
(Seemed lost in thoughtful daze). (Seemed lost in thoughtful Till ma brought in some fre An' made a cheerful blaze. ne fresh pine knots

"I wish I had a million shares
O' stock in Standard Oil,"
Sez pa; "I wouldn't do a thing,"
Ma made the kettle boil,
An' mixed hot biscuits, fried some ham
An' eggs (smelt good, you bet!)
Fetched cheese an' doughnuts, made the

Then pa-set down an' et!

"I wish I was a millionaire,"
Sez pa: "I'd have a snap."
Next from the lounge, we heard a snere;
Pa-at his ev'nin nap!
Ma did the dishes shook the cloth,
Brushed up, put things away,
An' fed the cat, then, started up
Her plans for bakin' day.

She washed an' put some beans to souk An set some bread to rise;
Unstrung dried apples, soaked 'em, too,
All ready for her pies;
She brought more wood, put out the cat,
Then darned four pairs 'o socks;
Pa woke, an' sez, "It's time for bed;
Ma, have you wound both clocks?"



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