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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.

The weather man has earned a place on street cleaning pay roll.

diana fiction.

Admiral Schley promises to be a good press agent for Omaha when he returns to the east.

A New York man swallowed a watch spring and an administrator is now winding up his affairs.

Republican delegates are showing a disposition to be for any candidate, so long as the candidate is Taft.

Democrats have already decided Roosevelt. Eryan will carry Ohio always dora, in the summer months,

clers are shouting, "Let us alone!" It allow an advance in freight rates, in

Mr. Bryan says he has learned to feel at home in New York. He is now anxious to learn to feel at home in

"Nelson W. Aldrich is the only candid republican leader," says Colonel Watterson. The colonel means canned instead of candid.

cised for speaking of "My people," but he has never been guilty of referring rather than to an increase in them. to "My congress."

his countrymen to obey their wives, it with the intimation that the com-He wants to see the Chinese become mission has found nothing in the rep- well. The United Railways and Elecmore like Americans.

Russia has bought five new battleships and will begin to feel like a naval power as soon as it can buy some good commanders and sailors.

The crop-killer is meeting all kinds of difficulties in Nebraska this year. Nature is apparently taking pleasure in killing the crop-killer.

Speaker Cannon is said to have forgotten all about a recent birthday anniversary. The speaker is infringing on a feminine prerogative.

caused by a cup of coffee. That's a them, to join in an advance of rates pay car fare, reversal from the usual form where at this time. While the railroads have coffee furnishes grounds for divorce.

Statistics show that 33,000,000 drinks were sold in Washington last sufferers from that cause than are

Senator "Jeff" Davis should take notice that physicians have discovered freight rates would only make matters a method of removing the venom from the tongues of certain dangerous

A proposition to build a wall along the boundary line between the United States and Canada should not be encouraged. The tariff wall answers the

Mr. Bryan may not go to the Denver a trusty friend telephone to him fre-Judge Parker are doing.

bought thirty hats in one day from a ness burdens. What the railroads a few years. The managers of public part of congress and every state legisla- it fair in the face. The thing was of Parisian milliner.

Mr. Taft's commanding lead and the certainty of his nomination. Repub- business. The dull days in the translican conventions will be held this portation industry will pass more week in Louisiana, Idaho, Michigan, quickly if rates are kept at their pres-North Dakota, Montana, California, ent level, or even lowered. Oregon, Washington, Texas and Georgia. These-states will add 138 delegates to the list and Mr. Taft will receive practically all of the delegates, with the exception of those from Louisiana and Georgia. The Georgia delegation will probably go uninstructed. The California delegates may be directed to vote for the renomination of President Roosevelt, with Mr. Taft as the unanimous second choice.

month illustrate the drift of repubnominate. Eliminating all the uninstructed not known to be favorable to terfeiting. Mr. Taft, the conventions of the week to his candidacy in the convention on 30...... 36,970 thusiastic, the hopelessness of the opposition uniting on any other candicast their votes for Mr. Taft. It is ad-

will go to the Chicago convention as tected and respected. the presidential nominee, supported by

INCREASING RAILROAD RATES. It would seem hardly necessary for "What will be the result of the the president to be called upon to deny Chronicle. Headaches, for a starter. Commerce commission, the administra-The railroad kings and high finan- railroad presidents of the country to sustained during the recent industrial and business depression. The assercharge was silly, because the entire of the laws for the public good. President Roosevelt has been criti- policy of the president had been directed to a reduction of freight rates, the Interstate Commerce commission, street railway company with a view Minister Wu Ting-fang is advising has also denied the report and coupled to getting in closer touch with the

advancing freight rates. for placing the new rates into effect. tween the public and the company. They estimate that the increased rate will add about \$200,000,000 a year to ation has taken up in detail the taxes the railroad revenues and they insist and other payments which it makes that they must have this additional in- for the support of government in order come or cut wages or go into the to show that it is bearing its full share hands of receivers. It will be difficult of tax burdens. to convince the shippers that it is not a mistaken policy for the railroads of question and undertaken to prove the struggle nor its causes. suffered losses from the depression zation account with comparisons of its industrial circles, they are no greater similar companies in other cities. congress has not been doing anything. the laboring men who have been more, emphasizing the part the street tempt to secure relief by advancing better housing conditions. activity instead of encouraging it. uninterrupted service in stress emer-The surest way to relieve the business gencies. depression is to have its burdens shared as equally as possible, instead of the "shyster" lawyer and false

and the consumer. Railroads have already reduced ex- transportation in a large city. penditures by laying off workmen, deferring improvement plans and by the company and the traveling public convention, but he will doubtless have other methods and they must continue could be mutually benefited and has this policy, instead of increasing invited suggestions, criticisms and quently as to what Roger Sullivan and charges, which would be the surest complaints. way to continue the depression and retard the return to normal conditions. publicity campaign is the different at-Speaking of the signs of returning There is no place in the whole network titude it discloses on the part of great fire losses and fatalities a similar margin such a rate that Evans decided to mustake prosperity, a Paris cable announces of business where an increase of prices public service corporations than was against this country is seen. A spirit of that Mrs. James Stillman of New York will afford relief from existing busi- taken by them as a whole up to within

The work of selecting delegates to roads must look for their profitable vertising publicity.

FEDERAL SECRET SERVICE. Overzealous democratic politicians in congress are making much fuss over the appropriations by congress of money for the secret service work of the government. It has been customary for the different executive departments to borrow secret service men from the treasury department. from time to time, as their services for special work were required. A pro-The political developments of a vision incorporated in the sundry civil appropriation bill, now pending in congress, prohibits this loaning of the Taft. The statement issued by the services of the secret service men and managers of Mr. Taft's campaign on has opened the way for a general on-April 11 showed 231 delegates pledged slaught against what the democratic to Mr. Taft. The statement issued on orators denounce as "a spy system." May 9 shows that Mr. Taft has 417 They contend that the government has directly pledged, with a total of 554 no need of a secret service force, exdepartment for the detection of coun-

Sentiment in this country is unques- himself in the minority. will place him with considerably more tionably overwhelming against a sethan 500 delegates absolutely pledged cret service system that would, or 36,760 June 16. Even if the war secretary's in Russia and some of the older coun- a speech from the house gallery. He geon. following was not so large and en- tries, for political espionage or for must have been crazy to try to make date would make his nomination cer- new found opposition to the secret Cannon. tain. Some of the states that have service system is based on other instructed their delegates for favorite grounds. Within the last few years, sons will, after the preliminary ballot, the administration has been using semitted that perhaps a majority of the ment of laws that have been long dor-Taft, after a complimentary vote for painful to some of the violators of the Sun. Governor Hughes, who is no longer laws. For the fiscal year ending with seriously considered as a candidate for last June, the government paid \$66,539 the presidential nomination, having for civil service men in the Department practically decided to continue his of Justice alone. These men, sixtywork as governor of New York for three in number, were employed in seanother term. The Illinois delegates, curing the evidence which resulted in now pledged to Mr. Cannon, will prob- the exposure of the land frauds in the ably be found voting for Mr. Taft west, the Standard oil rebate cases, La Porte is furnishing facts more early in the balloting. It is certain, the beef trust investigation and in strange than the regular output of In- at least, that they can not be trans- other important cases that attracted ferred to the support of any other the attention of the country and the prosecution of which has done so much One fact, reassuring to the party, to abolish rebating and bring the big is that the contest for the different corporations and syndicates of the state delegations has developed but country to an appreciation of the fact very little bitterness, and Mr. Taft, that the federal laws are to be en- the automobilists are taking too many according to all present indications, forced and the public interests pro-

a party that is united on its policies the Department of Justice, the De- bile show held in the police court. and ready to do battle for the triumph partment of State has had seven secret of the party, under the leadership of service men, engaged in diplomatic chiefly in immigration work; the War and determination. department has used four men and the graveyard proves it. Navy department three. The Interior department has employed a number flect's visit," asks the San Francisco the report that, through the Interstate of special inspectors and secret service agents. It is openly charged in white ink. It would be appropriate tion has agreed to the proposal of the Washington that the agitation against for the Commoner to try the experithe use of these agencies of the government has its support and origin is an old cry with violators of the law. order to reimburse the railroads for among those who have been most the losses they are alleged to have keenly affected by the administration's activity in detecting and punishing violators of the law. A government tion was made in the United States espionage system is wholly repugnant senate that such an agreement had to the American spirit, but there been reached and even Senator For- should be great hesitancy on the part aker, who cannot be accused of being of congress in reducing the appropriaa defender of the president or his pol- tions or placing restrictions on the use icies, took occasion to remark that the of a secret service for the enforcement

The publicity campaign started Mr. Franklin K. Lane, a member of right here in Omaha by our local resentations of the railroad kings to tric company of Baltimore has just justify their plea for the privilege of concluded a remarkable series of ten bulletins, which have been printed as The railroad presidents appear, how- advertisements in the Baltimore paever, to have decided to increase pers, discussing for the benefit of its are, unfortunately, a large number of perfreight rates about 10 per cent, al- patrons many of the problems of street though no time has been announced railway traffic and the relations be-

The Baltimore public service corpor-

It has discussed the free transfer In Philadelphia a marriage was the country, or any important part of value of this concession to those who It has exhibited in full its capitali-

> that has prevailed in commercial and own mileage investment and that of It has analyzed in detail the popula-

> thrown out of employment. An at- railway has played in bringing about

It has uncovered the shady business of throwing them all on the shipper claimants, who endeavor corruptly to profit by the inherent difficulties of

Finally, it has tried to indicate how

What is the most striking about this might gain by an advance of freight service corporations are gradually re- tura

pers and consumers and against gen- by taking the public into their confithe republican national convention at eral business recovery. Every addence than by bidding defiance and re-Chicago will be ended with Saturday vance in rates will serve to further re- sisting every public demand, right or of this week, under the rules adopted strict the buying capacity of the pub- wrong, and they are also realizing that in the United States navy than rear ad-Entered at Omaha Postoffice as second- by the national convention. The result to date eliminates all question of upon the increase of which the rail- patrons and public is by judicious ad-

elect no one," says the Louisville surrender in his career of forty-five years Courier-Journal. "Mr. Bryan cannot be elected," says the New York World. New York World, "Bryan will be beaten before the polling places are opened," says the Brooklyn Eagle, tered the naval academy in 1860. When the have a very keen appreciation of the political situation.

bia should file its claim against Wil-

assured, while but 491 are required to cept those employed by the treasury He scraped through by a majority of

A man has been adjudged insane in could, be used as such systems are used Washington because he tried to make personal profit by high officials, but a speech from the gallery or the floor there is a strong suspicion that this without getting permission from Mr.

cret service officials to secure enforce- says a Boston lecturer, who seems to New York delegates will go to Mr. mant and the results have been very writing editorials for the New York fell into the hands of his friends. For this

> The Methodist general conference at Baltimore will consider the "time limit" on pastors The question refers to the length of the parson's stay at a church and not to the length of

> made for the care and treatment of convicts. Provision for the better care and treatment of the wives and children of convicts would also help.

In spite of ordinances and warnings risks of maiming pedestrians on the crowded streets. Plans are apparently would do the work, and I am happy to In addition to the men employed by being laid for having the next automo-

The pastor of a church at La Porte,

print newspapers on black paper, using ment in its issue just after election.

A census report shows that wages are higher in Nebraska and other of the Alleghanies. Come west, young man, and grow up with the pay check.

Where, Oh Wheret Indianapolls News.

Only a few days ago the news came that we were to have a bumper winter wheat crop and now New York has jumped the price 3 cents because the crop is short. Where do we get off?

John Await Him.

Washington Herald. As strenuous as Mr. Roosevelt has bee in the last few years it is as nothing to what he will have to be if he does everything he is credited with an intention to do immediately after he retires from the presidency.

Lures to Pass By. Persons of sound mind and a bit of ex-

sons yet on earth who are lured by this cheap type of dangerous fakery. The Spirit of Pence. Baltimore American, In the celebrations of Memorial day in

details of battles of the civil war. course is to be commended. After all, it is the spirit of peace and rest, of which Memorial day is commemorative, of those who transferred his flag to the Iowa, which gave up their lives in the struggle, not the

Jeff as a Lightning Calculator.

Springfield Republican. It is always well to be exact in matters of fact. Senator Jeff Davis meets this requirement without flinching in his calculation that the monopoly plutocrats have 000-mere trillions these are-within the year. Still, some folks contend that the manufacturers and merchants and tion, distribution and growth of Balti- memory of living men. Jeff's method of town authorities that if his sallors were It has explained the difficulties of 50,000 other years to have completed his ish the official language in h-1 for the next worse and would retard the revival of rush-hour traffic and the obstacles to task." Really, Jeff's closing curse, begin-"Go, damnable imps of pelf and ning: greed!" didn't do justice to the subject.

Reckless Waste of Life.

St. Louis Globe Democrat. In the last seventeen years over 23,000 men have lost their lives in American a human pillar of fire. In addition to Belgium and France each less than 1 per profanity that took Bob almost off his cent. even worse. Proportionately six times as quaintance with burning words, but the many persons are killed on American rall- variety and picturesqueness of the skipreads as on those of Europe. It is esti- per's profanity convinced Evans that h United States are injured annually, New York City alone the average of vio- skipper gave an imitation of an Indian lent deaths has reached 3,400 a year. In war dance. The man continued to yell at recklessness exists in these matters that both hands a huge blubber fish that lay demands investigation and action on the on the deck and slapped the Canadian with

rates would be at the expense of ship- alizing that they can accomplish more "FIGHTING BOB" EVANS CAREER Last of the Civil War Officers to Step Axide.

There is no more interesting personality from Hampton Roads to San Francisco When his flag was lowered from the peak "If we cannot elect Bryan, we can of the Connecticut last Friday, the first render to an enemy, unless we put Father Time in that class. Singularly befitting Bryan, if nominated at Denver, is his record is the fact that it began with scheduled for certain defeat," says the a fight and ended with a grand frolic in the Golden Gate.

These democratic newspapers seem to war broke out his family, being Virginians endeavored to end his schooling at the academy in order that he might enter the confederate service. His mother went so far as to tender his resignation, but, Colombia wants \$10,000,000 dam- later, it was withdrawn and the young ages because, it alleges, Uncle Sam midshipman graduated ahead of his time aided the Panama revolution. Colom- in 1863. He at once entered the service of the union and fought gallantly to the close of the war. The writer saw him liam Nelson Cromwell and the three at the naval review in New York in 1893. members of the junta who "arose as and was particularly struck with his pugone man" and cast off the Colombian nacity of countenance and the balt in his walk. The former does not debar one from service in the navy, but an impediment in the limbs usually means retire-Senator Bailey boasted that he ment from the service. Admiral Evans is would carry Texas by 100,000 as a vin- an exception to the general rule. The dication of his record and leadership, injuries which resulted in a misshapen leg less than 16,000. A few more vindi- 1863, and the combined attack on Fort cations of that kind and he will find Fisher in January, 1865. He was an ensign on one of the ships attacking Fort Sumter and had charge of two guns. shell came through the porthole, cut a trench in the deck and broke his knee until the fight was over. Conspicuous gallantry marked his action at Fort Fisher By the toss of a coin he won the leadership of an attacking party of 100. He was the first to mount the scaling ladder "Our whole system of government and reach the parapet, only to receive a is antiquated and utterly inadequate,", bullet in the knes and three other wounds. and fell inside the fort desparately in jured and a prisoner. The following day be out of his element. He should be the fort was captured and Ensign Evans action congress awarded him a gold medal, and a little later paid him the rare honor of continuing him on the active list and exempted him from physical examination nadian British flug and all into the water. as to disability.

Admiral Evans was for several years an instructor in seamanship in the naval hauled aboard all his defiance of Bob academy. Many of the younger officers of the navy were under his tutelage at that institution and upon practice cruises. Chicago is to have a conference of While he was always strict and often sarreformers who want better provisions castic in his remarks to the youngsters, he was at the same time zealous to make good officers out of them. An officer who was a midshipman under Evans says that one day at seamanship drill he, as a royal-yardsman, made an error in sendng down yards. Evans from the quarterdeck ordered him to "lay fown from aloft and comb the hayseed out of his hair." "It was a pretty severe rebuke," said the officer. "He thought that his rebuke say that it did."

Admiral Evans was placed in command of the gunboat Yorktown in 1891. The vessel entered the harbor of Valparaiso the logical successor of President affairs; the Department of Commerce Ind., recently commended Mrs. Guin- when the relations between Chill and the and Labor has had three, employed ness as "a woman of great courage United States were strained. It was here the admiral achieved the sobriquet of "Fighting Bob." The Yorktown was small and carried but few guns, but what she lacked in armament her commander made A proposition has been made to up in nerve. The Yorktown was anchored directly in front of one of the water batteries, a shot from any one of which would have sunk her. Shortly after the arrival of the vessel the Chilians had torpedo practice. They had a number of small poats fitted with long arms on which the torpodoes were placed, and, as the only vessel in the harbor was the Yorktown they made her the point of attack, much to states in the west than they are east the displeasure of Admiral Evans. He stood on the deck for some time watching the maneuvers of the small vessels until he could stand it no longer. He then ordered the ship cleared for action and the guns were loaded. His cutter was right on doing business. ordered away, and he visited the commanding general of the city. He lost no ime in saying that he wanted the torpedo boats taken out of the harbor within half an hour, and his request was granted.

Later on the Yorktown became the asylum of several political refugees who were wanted by the Chillan authorities. A demand was made for them and refused. Then the Chilians induced the commander of one of the European ships to inform Captain Evans that unless the refugees were surrendered three Chilian cruisers would follow the Yorktown to sea and secure them forcibly if necessary. Captain Evans consulted with the refugees, telling them if they wished to remain he would defend them while his ship was affoat. perience take these matrimony notices for what they are worth and pass on, but there They decided to remain. Captain Evans informed the messenger of the decision, adding this characteristic postscript: "Say to the officer commanding the Chilian squadron that while my little ship might not last more than thirty minutes it will make a h-l of a lot of trouble while it is afloat." Next day the Yorktown, cleared Philadelphia public schools the orators will for action, steamed out of the harbor, with be cautioned against reviewing the gory the refugees on board, but the Chil an cruis-This ers did not follow

From 1833 until the Spanish war, Evans was captain of the Indiana. In 1893 he he commanded in Cuban water and drove the battleship into the thick of the fight at Santiago. Shortly after the conclusion of peace he was advanced to the rank of rear admiral, and for five or more years held command of the Atlantic fleet,

Evans is credited with being the author of several sayings of pictueresque pro robbed the American people of \$29,423,600,000,- fanity current in the navy. While at Valparaiso he is said to have informed the calculation was thus expressed: "Adam, molested he would "make h-l smell of garindeed, had he survived till this day had lic." In discussing the Chillan embraglio computed \$1,000 every minute since his ex- later with Secretary Herbert he said it pulsion from Paradise, must have lived would please him greatly to "make Spanfive years.

Early in 1892 he rounded up a particularly clusive Canadian poscher in Bering sea. Boarding the sloop Evans found the skipper wrapped with the British flag and flery red whiskers. The spectacle startled Evans and he concluded he had run against The rate is 3.40 per cent in the the luminous color scheme the skipper United States, in Great Britain 1.29, and in opened his battery and let go a volley of The showing on the railroads is feet. Now, Bob has a pretty extensive acnated that 272,000 factory employes in the | was a novice by comparison. To give addi-In tional emphasis to his denunciations, the him. Suddenly stooping he seized with about the consistence and pastiness of a

What You Eat-If you don't care what you eat-if don't care whether it is clean or not-if you don't care whether it contains any real nutriment or not-there's no use trying to interest you in Shredded Wheat It contains the greatest amount of body-building material in a form that is easy to digest. Try it for breakfast. For breakfast heat the Biscuit in oven, pour milk over it (hot milk in winter) and a little cream. If you like the Biscuit for breakfast you will like toasted TRISCUIT (the Shredded Wheat wafer) for luncheon or any meal with butter, cheese or marmalade. At your grocers.

jellyfish, but the blow had enough force revertheless to knock the hysterical Ca A moment later, he arose, full of brine, sputtering and breathless to the surface By the time he had been fished out and Evans had disappeared. Worse yet, he had lost his British colors, and was quite content to listen to what the Yankee com mander had to say.

WHY RATES WERE NOT RAISED Railroad Presidents Feared Oppost-

tion of Shippers. New York Evening Post, May 9. In well informed quarters two reason were given today for the decision reached by eastern railway officials at yesterday's meeting to postpone the proposed increase in freight rates until after the presidential election-first, the opposition of shippers, and, second, the arguments presented by representatives of some of the roads that the step would hurt rather than help busi-

It was declared that there was no truth in the stories that the increase was post-poned until October or November because of the work attached to getting up new listen to 'em." Washington Star.

While railway officials admitted that there was no signs of immediate recovery in earnings, the consensus of opinion was that by November the necessity for increasing freight rates will have disappeared. An increase in earnings and a further reduction in expenses is expected to bring about the desired results. conditions are favorable it is believed that a readjustment of rates in some cases will be effected.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Secretary Taft is at Colon. There he may be expected to make a full stop. Harriman is asking for a loan of such size as indicated that he intends to keep

Dr. Robert Koch, the famous German bacteriologist, is in San Francisco, enroute for Hawali and Japan, where he is to pursue scienticle studies.

Andrew Carnegie has given \$200,000 to the Mechanics and Tradesmen's association of New York City. This sum is to be added to the endowment fund of the organization. Mr. Carnegie has long been a patron of the association, which carries on

an extensive educational work. Wayne, Ind., but they don't know it. Mr.
Foster is the president of a national bank, a life insurance company, a hospital association, an investment company, a large knitting mill and a heavy stockholder in All women love Samuel M. Foster of Fort knitting mill and a heavy stockholder in many of Indiana's leading enterprises. He is a Yale graduate, a brilliant after-dinner speaker and a good many other things. But it is for none of these that he is so popular. Why, then? Listen: He invented the shirtwaist.

Senator Henry C. Hansbrough of North Dakota and Second Assistant Postmaster General McCleary, formerly chairman of the house library committee, were presented with a set of engrossed resolutions at a dinner tendered them the other even ing in Washington by a delegation of the Knights of Columbus of New York. The presentation was in recognition of their efforts to secure the appropriation by the government of \$100,000 for the erection of statue of Columbus in the plaza facing the new Union passenger station in WashingLINES TO A LAUGH.

If You Don't Care

"So you are going to run a strictly par-isan publication?" "I sm."
"What will its motto be?"
"What will its motto to fit."—Philadelphia

e minister.
"Because they always have such nice,

irty hands," said the small boy who ob-erved things.—Detroit Free Press. "Professor," said the student of psy-chology, "how do you explain 'the gift of tongues' some people say they have?" "Some people lie," responded the profes-sor briefly.—Philadelphia Ledger.

"Did you ask that man why he paid rent instead of owning his own home?" asked one real estate agent. "Yes," answered the other. "He said he didn't. He kept moving."—Chicago Record-

"George, you'd better speak to father tonight."
"Why, dearest?"
"He's feeling unusually cheerful. The
conductor forgot to ask him for his fare."—
Cleveland Piain Dealer.

"Old skinflint bit the dust last night."
"Why, bow'd it happen?"
"I owed him twenty and paid it in gold;
bit it to see if it was good."—Houston

Mr. Singerly-Do you know that new tune ust haunts me. Mrs. Singerly-No wonder-after the way rou've murdered it.-Smart Set

"I knew of a tired, old brain worker who vent to a photographer instead of a doc

"What did he do that for?" "Because he heard the photographer had a good head rest."—Baltimore American.

"Your friend Grigsby is a very queer ad very inconsistent sort of a man, "How so, dear?"
"At the base ball game today the crowd yelled to kill the umpire, and when I asked Mr. Grigsby why they wanted to kill the man, he replied because the umpire was a dead one."—Baltimore American.

WHEN MAN IS USELESS.

A man is handy round the house Most every day, as you'll agree:
Most every day, as you'll agree:
He's bandy at housecleaning time,
At any rate he ought to be.
At canning time he seals the jars,
He's useful summer, spring and fall;
But on the day the seamstress comes,
Then man is of no use at all. A man is never in the way

And man is of no use at all. Ah, yes, a useless thing is man
When there is sewing to be done:
There's not a corner in the home
That he may call his own—not one.
No place for him to sit and smoke,
Upstairs or downstairs in the hall;
He's ust a common nuisance then,

He's just a common nulsance And is no earthly use at all. The woman folks are glad to see
Him grab his hat and rush away!
When he is near they always act
Afraid that he is going to stay.
They tell him not to come for lunch,
Nor even call them on the 'phone;
When there's a seamstress in the hot
Man has to live his life alone.

Just let a seamstress enter there And man is insignificant;
He cuts no figure—not as much
As does the family rubber plant.
They do not want to see him round.
They tell him he is in the way;
He is a useless thing unit—
Until the seamstress wants her pay.

