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Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, 1908. (Seal.) ROBERT HUNTER, Notary Public,

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

"Is it easy to spend \$1,000,000 a year?" asks a reader. - Never tried it.

Mr. Harriman says freight rates Magoon's large experience with the will have to be changed. He's right. Latin-Americans, both in Cuba and They are too high.

and the bouquets, but the soldiers have at Washington has every confidence sleeping car at Utica, N. Y., at mid- alone." had their pay raised.

Irrigation will not be required in the immediate vicinity of Omaha for a few days, at least.

"Fighting Bob" found out that storms at sea may be very closely imiftated by storms ashore.

The authorities at Panama have demonarchy of Austria and Hungary, cided to kill all the rats in the canal the sixtleth anniversary of whose zone-if they can catch them.

reign is being celebrated this week. Few men are properly judged by their

for a couple of months, to Panama for stifling their ambitions and waiting. Is the capital. It is on such surroundthe purpose of settling the disputes They care enough for him to join in a ings that the greatness of Omaha is duct some experiments at Fort Leaventhat have arisen between the republic determination to allow him to end his founded. and Colombia throws a light on the days in peace. No greater tribute

THE TROUBLE OF PANAMA.

situation which has been more or less could be paid to him. befogged in the public mind. It in-FOWERS OF THE POLICE BUARD. dicates that Panama is about in the

Dally Ees (including Sunday), per week.100 Dally Bee (without Sunday), per week.100 Evening Bee (without Sunday), per week .100 Evening Bee (without Sunday), per week .100 Address all complaints of irregularities in delivery to City Chroulation Department. OFFICES: necessary for this country to send an- brought to the front at various times,

other army of occupation to take and so many varying decisions have charge and save the island from an- been rendered on one point or another by the courts, that the misunderstandother revolution.

The trouble, it must be remem- ings are only natural. During the last bered, has no connection with the af- few years a more determined effort to fairs of the Panama canal zone, but define the exact powers of the board is confined entirely to the Panama re- has been made, with the result that a

public, which was created in a night better understanding is rapidly being

seceded from Colombia and set up a It was long ago settled that the po- occurrence now and attention is called in every way in order to re-arm troops in time for use of the rifles during the curgovernment of their own and elected lice board is not the body to prose- to this merely to emphasize the fact rent target season. About 150,000 rifles a president who has been unusually cute. The police board may under that Omaha is going ahead steadily were required for this purpose. In addihappy in his management of the af- certain conditions, through the police regardless of the conditions elsewhere. fairs of the toy republic. Recently, force, institute inquiries and may prehowever, President Amador announced sent the result of such inquiries to the that he would not be a candidate for proper authorities, but further than only to ignore it and it will cease to rate of about 300,000 rounds per day. This . 36,950 re-election when his term expires in this the board cannot go. The ma- exist," says a new thought disciple. necessitated considerable increase in the 37,140 November of this year. His with- chinery of the law for the prosecu- That may be a good motto for a drawal has resulted in the creation of tion of criminals provides for other 36,920 a series of factional parties and it is hands to carry on the work after the be paid that way. 36,460 freely predicted that the election, how- state of facts has been ascertained. ever it may result, will simply be the In assuming this to be the correct 38,550 signal for a revolution to be started attitude the Omaha police board and 38,600 by the losers at the polls. To add its subordinates, the Omaha police

to the complications, each of the force, are not shirking any duty or re-..... 36,990 parties is accusing the administration sponsibility, but are merely carrying Totals 1,108,520 to the other, and it is to be Governor law. Commissioner John L. Kennedy

> has no interest in the contest other llc should take into consideration the than to see that order is observed and facts when forming conclusions as to

peace preserved. the attitude of the board. Certain The United States was bound by the over-zealous or interested persons are terms of the Platt amendment to take trying to make it appear that the popart in Cuban affairs when the in- lice board and the chief of police are throne has been named as a colonel in surgents arose against the Palma ad-

ministration. No such obligation rests on the government in the case erally admitted to be the correct ex- service. of Panama, but the American interests on the canal zone are too great to position of the law as to the power and authority of the police board in be imperiled by allowing any insurdealing with crime and criminals.

rection in Panama or any conflict between Panama and Colombia. Gov-"ARRESTED ON SUSPICION." Unfortunately, under the laws of never undergo a similar strain. most of the states and the general rul-Panama, gives him special fitness for the diplomatic mission to which he has lings of the courts in police cases, the The sallors are getting the applause been assigned, and the administration two women who were dragged from a that he will be able to avert the po- night and locked in jail, just because litical crisis which appears to be una traveling salesman, a sort of an ama-

teur sleuth, though one of them resembled Mrs. Guinness, the Indiana murderess, has no redress for the outrage perpetrated upon them. They The future historian will be comwere promptly released, after they had pelled to give a prominent place in satisfied the police of their identity, the list of the world's really great men and were allowed to proceed on their to Francis Joseph, emperor of the dual journey. Under the law the police

have authority, as a rule, to arrest and

hold for a limited time any person

"suspected" of being guilty of a crime.

says both were dressed in mourning.

traveling sleuth says the women

seemed to be trying to escape obser-

vation and retired to their berth at

follow when he surrenders the throne. section is immediately tributary to The announcement that Governor The people respect him and the hostile Omaha and will-become part of the Magoon of Cuon is to be transferred, races composing his kingdom are only commercial empire of which this city

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Idaho republicans refused to send

with the voters of Idaho.

Congressman Francis Burton Harrion of New York is being urged as a other qualifications for the nomination the California Crocker's millions.

"If a thing is disagreeable, we have "Don't Worry" club, but bills cannot

It is announced that Judge Parker's "friends" are seriously considering the at Denver. No man who will under-Judge Parker.

The computation of population ize retired officers to be placed upon ful new city directory is very flattering, divergence there is between "book are forbidden to receive their full pay and country. In 1898 the cost of fire, including count" and "range count."

The 1-year-old heir to the Spanish endeavoring to avoid their duty. It the army. Rather rapid promotion. officers. was for this reason that Mr. Kennedy in view of the fact that he has served so plainly announced what is now gen- but a year in the infantry arm of the

> Mr. Bryan declines to give the result of his ride on the same train with abilities are that the same car will

Slogan of Shady Crowd. Chicago Record-Herald.

Some Patriot Will Be Found. Pittsburg Dispatch.

We violate no confidence in saying that candidates will be found somewhere for the vice presidency.

A Jumping Standpatter. Fhiladelphia Press.

Many things are coming Speaker Cannon's way, but he feels it necessary to dodge most of them.

Frenk Reform.

ARMY GOSSIP IN WAHINGTON. Current Events Gleaned from the Army and Navy Register.

The army signal corps officers will comworth with a new field wire. The present wire is an II-strand steel wire highly insulated for laying on the ground to provide communication with mobile armor either of the United States senators It is believed that an improved wire is of from that state to the national conven- fered by a patented copper-clad article tion at Chicago. The speeches of which has the advantage of being cheaper Borah and Heyburn denouncing the and of higher conductivity and higher tensile strength than the present wire. Samadministration's forestry policy do not ples of the new field wire have been made seem to have made the expected hit up in different ways and sent to Fort Leavenworth.

The re-armament of the army and militia with the new Springfield rifle, model for use with the sharp-pointed bullet, has been candidate for the vice presidential able achievement on the part of the ordinomination at Denver. Among his nance department, as all rifles in the hands of troops designed for use with the round pointed bullet had to accommodate is the fact that he is a son-in-law to the sharp pointed ammunition. The new ammunition was not adopted until last summer, and the manufacturer of rifles Another new factory is being built at the Springfield armory and Rock in Omaha. Such things are of daily Island arsenal had to be expedited in every way in order to re-arm troops in

> tion to this, the problem of manufacturing he sharp-pointed ammunition presented itself. This manufacture has been accomplished at the Frankfort arsenal at the capacity of the plant and a large addition o the number of employes. Manufacture of the rifles and ammunition is being continued at the same rate for the purpose of accumulating a reserve supply.

The secretary of war has decided that s advisability of trying to nominate him retired army efficer who was on duty at the time of his death as profesoar of mill tary science, etc., at one of the universitake such a job is a real friend of thes was not in active service at the date of his death. It is conceded that it would be within the power of congress to author-

based on the number of names in the active duty-that is, to occupy precisely the Waste that Could Be Prevented by same status as officers on the active listbut it has never done so. While assigned but old cattlemen know what a wide to active duty, and especially when they allowances, they would seem to be engaged,

> which differs in some of its material incl- was over \$500,000,000. In the same year the dents from active service and which is not building operations of the leading efficient

The War department has decided that the M. Wilson of the national geological surstate which has in its possession certain vey says on this point:

"This fire tax exceeds the total annua may exchange it for an equal amount of value of gold, silver and coal production ammunition which will be suitable for the The annual fire loss in the United States new magazine rifle which is to be issued is, according to the National Board of Fir-Johnson and Fairbanks, but the prob- to the militia. This is an important ques- Underwriters, \$2.47 per capita, while the tion which has been brought up by the average annual loss in six large European

militia authorities in Ohio, and it opens countries is only .33 per capita, or one up a big question of the extent to which a eighth that of the United States. The state may be reimbursed for uscless pow- greater part of this immense waste coulder purchased out of state funds or out be prevented by proper construction c of the allottment of federal funds made in houses, factories and husiness buildings Platform of the Night Riders: "Let us behalf of the militia. The War depart- Such construction would not only cost liment has decided that the exchange may ile more than the prevalent combustible take place, and the general application of buildings in the first place, but also would the decision is awaited with much interest, result in real economy in the long run.

The same excuse will be given for this The War department is renewing its efpoor showing, as compared with our fort to stop the illegal traffic in soldiers' neighbors abroad, that is given for the uniforms. There have been in the last fact that mining accidents, railroad acciyear many cases of conviction of dealers dents and homicides are several times in clothing who have purchased equipment more numerous per capita in this country from enlisted men of the army. For a than in the most enlightened countries o

time the department encountered much dif- Europe, and that our architecture is less ficulty in accomplishing this, for the rea- attractive, namely, that we are a "young son that the clothing was held to be an nation." But railroad building began in allowance of the soldier, who was entitled this country at the same time that it did to do what he pleased with something is- abroad; most of the mines that are worked

dispensable in the preparation of our daily food, must be free from noxious ingredients Complete purity and wholesomeness are the unquestioned characteristics of

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OUR LOSSES BY FIRE. SMILING LINES.

Oldschool (pompously)-Oratory, sir, par-ticularly in the political field, is a great engine of progress and power. Youngblood (irreverently)-Yes, especially if it is a hot-air engine.-Baltimore Amer-Too many buildings burn down in this

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"Burroughs has a happy faculty of makg new friends wherever he goes." "He has to. He owes all the old ones."--Houston Post.

Coakley-There's nothing like plenty of exercises to reduce one's weight. Joakley-But there's Skorcher; the more vercise he takes the more he runs into

"Speaking of tornadoos, observed the ovarder with the high forchead, "If the ne that visited Oklahoma the other day ad happened slong a few months sconer here would have been a provision in the tale constitution abolishing tornadoes. That's about the only thing they overoked."-Chicago Tribune.

"I beg pardon," said the new arrival, but it seems to me it's excessively warm

BALLAD OF PHOEBUS CARAMEL.

New York Times. Of all the dandies whose array Deserved the name of swell, Not one was quite so recherche As Phoebus Caramel.

No other dude could raise his hat And bow to passing bell With elegance approaching that Of Phoebus Caramei.

For Phoebus Caramel.

He disappeared; the lady wept;

But once, when, flawlessly arrayed,

I pon his knees he flopped, and spoke of marriage to a maid, She laughed until she dropped.

Two years elapsed; two more, (Don't be alarmed; her age has crept Not quite to twenty-four.)

At last one day she gave a whoop,

And lo! he told of toil and strife,

Observe my trousers, please, And note the gas-balloon effect They cause around my knees.

She answered slowly: "I f possible, I like you less, O Phoebus Caramel?"

Of hardship-hunger-hell! Which, he averred, had been the life Of Phoebus Caramel.

He cried: "My ragged coat inspect;

'How do you like me now?-confess!" She answered slowly: "Well,

A happy, girlish yell, or bodily striding up the stoop Was-Phoebus Caramel!

His check was tanned, his beard unkempt, His boots were rimmed with nails. His coat was quite beneath contempt, His trousers flapped like sails.

"I'll wed," cried she, "ne tailored doir, "So, pray, your ardor quell!" Ye gods-that was a thunderto:!t

ammunition which is no longer of any use

Brooklyn Eagle. Old Soldiers' honies can't have any money from the government this year, if they keep beer on the premiers. The plan he was fully entitled with sil the effect of a proprietary possession. In some recent cases which be and to which he was fully possession. In some recent cases which the some recent cases which

In some recent cases

it is held, in an authorized employment the maintenance of fire departments, etc. inconsistent with their status as retired amounted to about \$550,000,000. On the fact

Proper Construction.

New York Mail.

of it 80 per cent of the new building construction was offset by fire cost. Herbert

not only property destroyed, but insurance,

Coakley-What exercise does he take? Joakley-Motoring,-Philadelphia Press.

"Speaking of tornadoes," observed the

here." "Eh! what?" snorted Satan, "evidently you forget where you are. This place is meant to be warm." "Quite so, but there's such a thing as overdoing it."-Baltimore American.

"I tell you," said the promoter, "that mine can be made to give up money," "I suppose it can," said the small stock-holder. "How about the officers of the company?"-Washington Star.

Mrs. Guinness apparently was guilty of about all the crimes in the calendar except wearing a Merrywidowhat.

Pa Rourke might find it to his advantage to send the weather man a season pass to the base ball games.

Governor Johnson and Colonel Bryan traveled to Washington in the same sleeper. Both are claiming the upper berth.

Sailors of the American fleet will throne, when the fires of revolution shrink from no danger that may face were blazing on every Hungarian hill them in the future. They have met and the people were at each other's and vanquished the apricot pie of San throats, clamoring for blood of the Francisco.

If the drainage congress can only devise means whereby the waters from swamp lands can be transferred to the arid district its mission will be one of other at times except when they real service.

Admiral Evans says we need more warships and fewer statesmen. The admiral has been at sea so much that he probably does not know how few statesmen we have.

The Hearst party's national convention will be held in Chicago on July 27. Present indications are that Mr. Hearst will have the support of a majority of the delegates.

Of course the San Francisco paper the other, both anxious to extend their that referred to Congressman Hobson power, harassed and annoyed the new as the "Spanish Was Hero" will place monarch until the nation was forced conspirator, the proofreader.

Out in Washington the school other defeat for the Austria-Hungary a greater share than Bellevue college. should earn their own living.

A Sloux City importer has presented an argument to the Treasury department to prove that eggs are live stock and should be admitted free of duty. He must deal only in ripe eggs.

"Fighting Bob" has retired from the navy and may never fight again, but his demand for forty-eight battleships indicates that he would like to be prepared in event he is called upon.

"There is no reason why a sober gun.

Members of a Chicago church have dices, arising naturally from the union help. asked President Roosevelt to aid in of so many elements. In spite of all look to him for advice and help

contemporaries, but the people who are at all familiar with the affairs of Austria-Hungary must give their meed

pleasantly near at Panama.

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THE RULE OF FRANCIS JUSEPH.

of praise to the determined old man whose ability has held the empire together and kept it on the upward move for more than half a century, during which the map of Europe has been changed several times. His con-

tinued power and success appear the more remarkable in view of the conditions which existed when he gained the

7 o'clock in the evening. Could anyrulers and the redivision of the empire thing be more conclusive of their into distinct, if petty, principalities. guilt? No trained police official would When Francis Joseph became emperor of the dual kingdom in 1848 the woman who seemed to shrink from Slavs and the Huns were fighting each the stare of men passengers in a sleeping car, and who sought the seclusion ceased hostilities long enough to join of her berth as early as 7 o'clock in in common warfare against the Gerthe evening. If the women had been man element that was gaining supreinnocent they doubtless would have macy in Austria. Insurrection was gone into the smoking department. running at flood tide over all Europe. swapped a few yarns with the drum-Austria and Hungary were torn to dis-

mer and had a cigarette or two before sension and practically open rebellion retiring for the night. by the efforts of the dominating ele-

The ends of justice doubtless warments to Germanize the Slavs, the rant the arrest of persons on suspi-Croatians, the Czechs and all that conglomerate of peoples that composed the population of the two countries. France on the one hand and Italy on to the Syracuse authorities by the sap-

headed salesman. the blame on the printer and his co- into a disastrous war with France, in such havoc in the vicinity of Omaha 1859. Eight years lafer came a war naturally excites great sympathy for with Prussia, which resulted in an- all the sufferers, but none will receive

boards are refusing to employ married empire and threatened its dissolution. This institution has been slowly buildwomen as teachers, probably on the but the willy Bismarck, instead of as- ing itself up in the face of much vig- these prices? theory that the men of the state suming control of the vanquished na- orous competition and was steadily tion, became an ally of Francis Joseph winning its way to success. Its presand aided him in bringing order out ent misfortune will be but a tempo-

of chaos. The defeat by Prussia rary setback, for the energy that has really proved a blessing in disguise by brought Bellevue college to its present uniting the warring factions of Aus- importance among the educational intria-Hungary and inspiring them with stitutions of the west is not going to the spirit of national pride which has be daunted because of storm wreck. grown steadily, under the wise en- The spirit of the institution will find the since he was last on the institution a time to relax the efforts to secure strong While most of the old spirit of dis- the debris left by the tornado Bellevne and dredging machines are brought to whether industrial, commercial or financial,

content has been eliminated, the em- college will rise brighter and stronger pire still has serious economic trou- than ever. Dr. Wadsworth and his bles. Once a great agricultural coun- associates are already active on plans try, Austria-Hungary has fallen into for the rehabilitation of the school, man should carry a gun," says the the clutch of landlordism, the rich and in these will find encouragement Boston Journal. By the same token owners having a control of nearly all and assistance from all our citizens.

there is every reason why a drunken the tillable land of the empire. The To the individuals who have suffered man should not be allowed to carry a people are miserable and are giving through the death of relatives or loss more and more time to the cultivation of property the same sympathy is exof their religious and racial preju- tended and they will receive all needed

ameliorating the condition of the this abundant supply of material for Turning water into the Big Horn Poles. The president is fond of the antagonism, Francis Joseph has re- canal means that another large area big stick and deeply interested in for- mained in power and kept his empire of heretofore idle land is to be made est preservation, so the Poles naturally intact. He is now 80 years of age and productive. The feature of chief init is admitted that troublous times will tcrest is that this new crop producing for this if for no other reason.

It is equally unfortunate that some they keep beer on the premises. That's way is not provided for the punish- the decision of congress. Consequently, ment of the fresh traveling man who the old soldier will go down to the corner partment the purchasers of these uniforms a great deal oftener than is good for either caused the arrest of the woman. He his morals or his health. has made an explanation, in which he

Couldn't "Let Him Alone." Chicago Record-Herald.

Mrs. Guinness always dressed in black. A young man has been expelled from the The younger woman looked like the has occurred to the military authorities. New York Produce exchange because he newspaper pictures of Mrs. Guinness. that it would be well to have this situation advertised that he would guarantee profits fully known, and it has been decided to Yellow journals are never at a loss for of more than 50 per cent to people who communicate with the police authorities of pictures of "the woman in the case." would let him speculate with their money. the leading cities and of the towns situated Add another to the list of people who think They keep a stock of assorted pictures it is a shame that they can't be let in the neighborhood of army posts, in order for that purpose. Then, again, the alone." that dealers in second hand clothing and

> Not Inconsistent. Minneapolis Journal

cuting cases of this class. an abrogation of the duty on wood pulp while they uphold protection for other in-MIXED PROSPERITY APPEAL.

The press has very generally demanded that all the tariff schedules be revised. This is not an attack upon protection but

un assault upon duties which, in addition combinations which are in themselves il-

A Foolish Move. Springfield Republican.

is that the president may, if he will, con-The scheme to improve the finances of the railroads by advancing freight rates is tribute largely to the restoration of connot having smooth sailing. Some important fidence by his attitude toward industrial cion, but the privilege should be exer- lines question the advisability of such a enterprise

Yet the memorial addressed to Mr. Roosecleed with caution and never used step. The shippers are also to be heard elt completely exonerates him from responupon such filmsy clues as those offered from, and they promise to make trouble. sibility for the recent depression, which Then, too, the pesky question presents itself of how traffic is to be increased by is attributed to "gross violation of the law

inaking it more expensive. Only among by some corporations and grafting by some railroad managers apparently does the public officials and a defective currency The terrible storm that wrought theory have much if any footing that low system." What the president has done is prices have no effect in stimulating con- approved. The laws he has been influential in having enacted are upheld. Yet sumption or high prices of reducing conthe association "feels that the time has sumption. The Steel trust is arousing a lot now come to take stock, to call a halt on of criticism by its policy of maintaining the old prices for rails and the like. What radical, hasty and experimental legislation, then would be said if it should increase

TAFT AND THE PANAMA CANAL.

An Achievement to the Credit of the War Secretary.

St. Louis Times (dem.) The secretary of war is now in the canal zone, looking over the big work that is beof his department of the cabinet offices. he said that whatever the real purposes of expression in new buildings and out of He will seek to see that the steam shovels and sound regulation of corporations

> end that new records may be made. If Judge Taft is nominated by his party, way to clean house is to clean house and and this now beems among the certainties keep on until order is restored. It is well of politics, the republican organization will have in the canal project a fine argument for his election. The biggest public work ever undertaken by this government is the by the agents of the trusts and with the Panama Canal enterprise. The hest work senate showing subservience to corporate that has been done in digging the ditch has followed the transfer of the undertaking to the War department. It will be argued, and with reason, that the man who

has the job in hand should be allowed to complete it

On the theory that there should be no changing of horses' in the middle of a character are to be the prevailing style in stream a great many Americans who be- men's clothing for the coming season may lieve in the importance of the Panama ease the minds of those who see a possicanal will vote for Taft if he is nominated, billity of being compelled to wear them

have come to the attention of the War de- nearly all of modern crection-of later date than the brownstones of Murray Hill-and with more wealth, collectively and individor equipment presented the defense of not ually, than any other nation, presumably knowing that their act was filegal. In sevwe have the means to build well and safely. eral instances the soldiers had pawned the Whether it is a young nation or not,

articles, and it was understood by those there are several respects in which this who accepted them that the goods were owned by the person presenting them. It country is old enough to know better.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Attention of the Syracuse police is repectfully called to the fact that there are still at large several women middle-aged and fat.

What constitutes a gentleman? In a letpawnbrokers who would be likely to purer to the New York Sun we read: "Cooked chase this clothing may be made fully systers are for those who ice their wine. acquainted with the situation. There is Gentlemen know better." decreasing amount of these transactions,

E. H. Harriman, if he so willed, might owing to the energy and determination start today at Savannah, Ga., and walk to San Francisco without stepping off his own property or property that he controls. G. K. Holmes, chief of the division of foreign markets of the Department of Agri-

culture, has found that the automobile has St. Louis Boosters Get Their Wires replaced about 60,000 horses in this country up to the present time.

Joseph Taylor Robinson represents the The National Prosperity association has made an extraordinary appeal to the presi- Sixth district of Arkansas in the house, ties for the control of prices by trusts and dent. This association claims to have facil- and has had that honor for two previous ities for the interchange of ideas among congresses, though he isn't yet quite 36 years old. His primary education was rehundreds of thousands of business men. ceived in the common schools, and the and its object is to restore confidence. To finishing touches were put on at the Arthis end it asks the co-operation of the kansas university. president, and the purport of the appeal

It is related that in passing through her husband's library recently the attention of the empress of Japan was attracted by a ecultar-looking machine. On learning that t was a typewriter and having it explained to her, she became interested and began to hit the keys. Now she does a good deal

of correspondence for the emperor. Dr. A. H. Doty, health officer of New York, who recently returned from Cuba after an inspection of its scaports, said that there is no real need of establishing a strict quarantine on passengers arriving a New York from Havana. He said that there was not one chance in 10,000 for an epidemic of yellow fever to occur in the United States.

designed to regulate industry." But why make this appeal to the president, whose policy has been approved in this same memorial? This seems to be a case of walving criti-

Crossed.

Kansas City Times.

clam in the hope of securing a change of policy on the part of the national administration. If the president has done well, and if his well doing has had no part in the recent depression, why should he be ing conducted under the general direction asked to change his policy? It should even a higher state of efficiency, to the so far as the operation of these corporations infringes on the rights of the people. The enough for this and other associations to endeavor to counteract irresponsible agitation, but with the house gagged and bound gread, the country is not ready to see the national administration take a backward course.

> A Soothing Reflection. Washington Po

The report that stripes of a conspicuous with the sanction of the law.







The newspapers of the country are accused of inconsistency in demanding a reduction of the duty on print paper and shown by the military authorities in prosehesitate a moment before arresting a dustrica. The charge does not successfully lie.