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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 Nebraska farmer is getting tunity to do so. ready to make a hoise like assured prosperity.

An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of liniment in Fourth of July preparations.

These scorching days seem to be an incentive to the automobile scorcher. Slow down.

Tom Lawson wants it understood that he will not wear a muzzle, no matter how hot the weather gets.

The Gray presidential boom is about exciting enough to demand the atten-Cry.

It will be interesting to observe how

FOUNDED BY EDWARD ROSEWATER lieve, feel that they were satisfactor- and state institutions also have more ily represented by their defegation at money on deposit than ever before in the Chicago convention. Having been their history. This is due to the fact an order prohibiting the transmission the first to take an open stand for the that since last October the country of anarchistic matter through the candidacy of Mr. Taft, Nebraska was banks have shown a disposition to mails. Looks like a personal thrust recognized everywhere as occupying a keep their deposits at home, instead at Tom Lawson.

NEBRASKA AT CHICAGO.

strong station near the head of the of following the usual plan of sending Taft column and Nebraska's sixteen them east to get interest from the big votes went on the presidential nomi- banks. Conservative banks of the west nation just where they were counted and south have expressed the opinion from the outset and where the repub- that there will be little call this year more especially the brief but eloquent licans of Nebraska wanted them to go. upon the east for money to aid in the sequel to it.

The loyal devotion of Nebraska to the crop movement. Taft movement secured for Nebraska's As a result of these conditions, pargovernor serious consideration as a ticularly in the west, there has been possibility for the second place on the a complete jull in the organization of ticket, although finally the delega- national currency associations for istion's votes were divided for the vice suing the new emergency currency. It street cars to turn in perfect quiet. presidency between Mr. Sherman and is generally admitted that few or no currency associations will be organ-Governor Guild.

On the various platform proposi- ized and the New York banks that tions separately voted the Nebrasks made preliminary arrangements for of beef goes down, the decline never gets in question, says the Baltimore Sun, a delegation is recorded as upholding such organizations have postponed past the retail dealer, but the frequent leading democratic paper; some of the more advanced positions further action for the present. The taken from time to time in our state eastern banks are so well supplied platforms notwithstanding the fact with funds that three of the big na-

throughout the nation. Popular elec- pay the 1 per cent interest now re- loaded with brains than cash. The reception of United States senators, for ex- quired by the government, and all tion tendered Dr. Hill by the kaiser Indipreference vote permitted by our state ing funds for all legitimate business

Nebraska republican purposes. legislatures have repeatedly adopted resolutions calling upon congress to MISSIONARIES AND COMMERCE submit an amendment to the federal In a rather notable address at the constitution to this end and Nebraska commencement exercises of the Unirepublicans have gone as far as they versity of Illinois, Minister Wu Tingcan in this direction in providing for fang adroitly pointed the way by which the nomination of candidates for the American missionaries now labor-United State senator by direct primary ing in China may be of greatest value vote. The rejection by the convention

of the plank for popular election of senators does not discredit Nebraska sionary methods and made no critirepublicans, but shows that the Necism of the desire of zealous Christians braska plan put into effect by republican legislation is the most advanced that was centuries old when Chris- disease of the soul. step toward the election of United tianity was born, but he did propose a States senators by direct vote practiplan by which much of the energy now cable under existing conditions. If expended in purely religious lines the democrats in Nebraska undertake might be made more effective if the to attack this position they will find work of the missionaries were placed themselves in the awkward dilemma of on a more commercial basis better rehaving refused more than once to

sults would follow. make a nomination for senator against The Chinese minister's suggestion the republican candidate to appeal to was contained in a picture of the wonthe people when they had an opporderful potentialities of the Chinese Outside of the membership of the been developed and its people elevated

delegation Nebraska was fully in evito a higher standard of living than dence at Chicago and visitors from they have yet attained. In his opin-Nebraska, as compared with visitors ion the regeneration of China and the from the other states, were unusually advancement of its people is to come well provided for. Not only this, but through the betterment of living con-Nebraskans who participated in the Chicago convention are all coming home with refreshed republican inpreachers, which, in effect, is the point

Following close upon the agreement that the need in China is for better spite of his platform.

between the United States and Great houses, more sanitary conditions of Britain for reduction of letter postage homes and cities, the adoption of westbetween the two countries to 2 cents. ern modes in clothing, conveyance and tion of the sporting editor of the War Postmaster General Meyer announces domestic economy, the improvement of retarding effects upon business conditions. of vice president is equally happy, the rea new convention by which merchan-

piration enlisted for the campaign.

PARCELS POST AGREEMENT.

a new convention by which merchan-dise up to eleven pounds may be sent adoption of the standard of living com-ndoption of the standard of living com-November. But the tremendous crops are work done at Chicago. by parcels post between the United mon in the United States. The adop- sure to bring more contentment, States and Italy at the rate of 12 tion of this standard by the 400,000,- movement of cars, more income to the tween this date and the election Mr. Taft cents a pound. The rate in this coun- 000 people in China would create a railroads, more business for the merchant, will become better known to his countrytry is 16 cents per pound, with a four- Chinese import trade which, as Mr. and an easier condition of affairs generally. revelations made by the fierce light that While a same Fourth of July will pound weight limit. The convention Wu expressed it, "would reach figures For these reasons the farmers are not the suit the rest of the country, Denver is just made with Italy is similar to that surpassing the prognostications of the only ones to be congratulated. hoping for a same July from the 7th already in force with Great Britain, most optimistic statisticians." It France, China, Germany and other would mean a demand for the products parties to the international postal of the farms and factories of the Large Administrative Experience of

moved, the bank holdings are exceptibe was really defeated in the race for Nebraska republicans will, we be- tionally large and the private banks mayor of New York in 1905.

The postmaster general has issued

Motto and Sequel. Chicago Inter-Ocean.

The democrats should bear in mind the ancient motto, "Pike's Peak or Bust," and

Where Invention Lags. Minneapolis Journal

Hiram Percy Maxim has just invented a noiseless gun, for which achievement he is executive in the trying period of a busireceiving encomlums-whatever those are. He should have invented a silent curve for

Marked Difference in Speed Kansas City Journal.

In those rare instances when the price advances made by the trust reach the consumer without a moment's delay.

Brains Above Bullion. Philadelphia Record.

It was really a compliment to Germany to send an ambassador to Berlin more cates his appreciation of the situation.

Safe and Sane Methods San Francisco Chronicle

A whirlwind campaign may be a good says: "In respect to brains and character, thing in its way, but sensible discussion which are fundamentals of fitness, he is and a proper weighing of arguments will eminent. * * * It is very high praise, be more becoming to the American peo- and just praise, to say that he has atple, who are getting the reputation of tempted a multitude of great tasks and being too emotional to remain practical has failed in none." It thus concludes:

The Roosevelt Demonstration. Brooklyn Eagle (Ind. dom.)

The demonstration was magnificent. As feet of Mr. Cleveland and has never been a tribute, it was extraordinary and merited. quite reconciled to any other public man to this country and to the Chinese As a proof of the admiration of Americans since the last democratic president is the people. Mr. Wu did not belittle mis- for the qualities of their president. It was highest possible praise. The New York World is so impressed

unprecedented and deserved. with his strength that it calls him "Pres-Those who regard the demonstration as arranged from Washington are the victims ident Taft" at once without waiting for to win the Chinese from a religion of malice or a malignity that a veritable the election, which it regards as a useless formality when Bryan runs. He has, it

the office.

High and Unbiased Testimony. Baltimore American.

Ambassador Bryce, who speaks with end only in a republican victory." The authority, having made a thorough study Springfield Republican, independent, with of our system of government, says that radical democratic leanings, says that the American political convention ex- 'his personal fitness is universally conpresses the wishes and rights of the ceded," and it thinks that he will make

We are rather inclined to depreciate and Brooklyn Eagle puts the prevailing imcriticise our own institutions. This praise pression regarding Mr. Taft with great from a high and unbilased authority ought felicity: "At the outset of presidential to make us realize the advantage of nomination the republican party never ration when its resources shall have our political system as compared with named a candidate apparently so well those of other nations.

La Follette and Taft. Springfield Republican.

received by Secretary Taft from his recent it." opponents, the one from Senator La Follette was of peculiar interest. The differditions. In a former address, Minister ence between La Follette and Bryan is so Wu remarked that China stood in microscopic that the speaker for the Wisgreater need of plumbers than of consin delegation was more than once invited to move on to Denver. The senator, however, assures the republican candidate he urged in his commencement day of his warm support on the ground that fidence of the party, both as to his charaddress. He sought to make it plain he considers the candidate satisfactory in acter and his availability. There is uni-

Politics and Business.

Chicago Tribune. The presidential campaign will have its able and experienced man. If their choice

THE REPUBLICAN NOMINEE. Praise of Taft's Qualifications by Independent and Democratic Papers. DAINTY pastries, pies and New York Tribune (rep.)

The reception of Mr. Taft's nomination by the independent and the democratic newspapers furnishes striking evidence of the unusual strength of the republican candidate. They almost vie with the republican press in their praise of his qualications in ability, experience and character for the presidency; in fact, no other man could have been named for the office who would have been so universally conceded to measure up to its requirements. They, dwell upon his remarkable record as an efficient administrator in various branches

of the public service, his possession of that breadth of mind and "judicial temperament" which will be called for in the ness revival, his independence and courage -in fact, not a word is said in disparagement of the republican candidate, and

he is universally recognized as one of the big men of the country, whose fitness in every respect for the highest office in the nation is not for a moment to be called

All that the American people know of Mr. Taft the man is to his credit. He is big of brain as well as of body, an honest, wholesome, likable American, who has all all the qualities which inspire respect and confidence as between man and man. The Philadelphia Record, which, how-

ever, expects a democratic victory, calls him "a man of the highest character and PROTEST ON FARNAM RAISE fine abilities. "He is a good man-for a republican," it concludes. The New York Times expresses "the general and real satisfaction felt over the nomination

of Mr. Taft." Of his qualifications it Representatives of Business Consider

FULL

Victor Rosewater Appears by Request "William H. Taft is a man of the Grover of Board Chairman and Expresses Cleveland type." That from a journal Satisfaction with Increase which has for years been sitting at the

> Twenty-five men representing real estate on Farnam street between Fifteenth and

Twentieth, the assessment on which has been increased \$800,000 by the County Board of Equalization, appeared before the board Monday to protest against the action. The increase of valuations in a single district declares, 'conspicuous qualifications" for

of the city was objected to as unjust to "With Mr. Bryan as Mr. Taft's that part of the city. After a running disopponent," it predicts," "the campaign can cussion lasting over an hour the matter was deferred until Friday morning at 10 o'clock, by which time the board expects to have made raises in other parts of the

retail district. They will all be taken up Attorneys and real estate men arguing against the radical increase of the board declared it was unjust to raise values in one district and not over the entire county; that the speculative value of the property should not be used as a basis of value for assessment purposes and that the general

Among the telegrams of congratulation a career of progressive tutelage toward the board. Agents declared their monied clients would be afraid to invest more money in Omaha improvement if it were to go out that valuations in this district have been increased from 50 to 100 per

cent. Some of the speakers referred to the present rise in seal estate valus as a flurry and they declared values might drop The vote of the Chicago convention is before the end of the four-year period for evidence that Mr. Taft has the entire conwhich the real estate assessment is made. Among these who spoke were Henry F. Wyman, W. F. Smith, Charles George, versal pleasure in the party over his nomi-

George Barker, W. T. Graham, L. F. Cronation, and it begins the campaign with foot, Thomas McCague, John A. Scott, F. courage and confidence, knowing that it A. Brogan, Edgar M. Moraman, T. F has at the head of the ticket a popular, Hall, F. T. Ransom, Edgar F. Scott and Victor Rosewater.

Mr. Rosewater spoke at the request of Chairman Trainor of the board. He said he did not agree with some of the speakers who feared a collapse of real estate values.

\$175,000 to \$122,000, the high figures represent-

PERSONAL NOTES.

sugarcoat the pill by terming himself nor

prove. It is thought he will be able to

T. J. O'Brien of Grand Rapids, Mich.

American ambassador to Japan, and preat

dent J. L. Snyder of the Michigan Agricul

of LL. D. by the University of Michigan.

tural college, have been given the degree

R. F. Wilson of Baggs, Colo., will live

on a piece of ground on which is now lo-

cated the Baggs' cemetery. The land be-

longs to the government. Wilson will, as

soon as he acquires title to the land, turn

it over to the city. This will be the first

time on record, it is said, where a man

leave his bed in a few days.

ing the assessor's returns.

cinct was too low.

fifty-four states, territories and dependencles represented in the republican national convention only one, Indiana, failed

Sixty-six

Years

of

Superiority

to give him all or part of its vote.

SUNNY GEMS.

Cab

desserts-delicious, attrac-

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Confidential Friend-But look at the pos-sibilities of the vice presidential position. Eminent Statesman-Possabilities: Look at Tafil Did you ever see a man as ag-gressively healthy as he is?--Ohicago Trib-HEARING ON FRIDAY

She (eying the refreshment booth)-Dear-est, while we are waiting for the train, don't you think it would be a good idea to take something? He-Yes, darling; and since it is such a beautiful night, let's take a walk.-Baiti-more American

more American. "People say that you are a tool of the

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum, "you've got to take your choice between being called that or a demagogue."-Wash-ington Star.

"Ahl my love," sighed the ardent love," "If you only knew how beautiful you

"You mustn't speak of it." protested the modest girl; "I don't want to know." "Why not?" "Because," she said, "It would make me too conceited." - Catholic Standard and Times.

Tommy-Faw, what is "Roosevelt luck?" Mr. Tucker-Roosevelt luck, my son, is the rare faculty of knowing how to make things come your way.-Chicago Tribune.

"Suppose women should vote. What would be the result?" "Oh, I don't know," answered Mr. Sirius Barker, petulanity. "Perhaps we'd have hand-painted ballots."-Washington Star.

Mrs. Bacon-This paper says that man's hair turn gray about five years earlier than a woman's. Mr. Bacon-That is because a man wears his hair all the time.-Yonkers Statesman.

Reporter-The burglar got \$45 in cash and \$100 worth of jeweiry, did he? I sup-pose, of course, he missed a whole lot more by not going into the next room? Victim-You bet he did! If he'd gone into the next room and waked the baby I'd have given him the worst thrashing he ever had in his life.-Chicago Tribune.

"I don't know her, but I mean to know her before the day is over." "Beware. You are on thin ice." "Then it will be all the easier to break it."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

"I never met such a dyed-in-the-wool pessimist as Bangs." "Is he so bad as all that?" "Why, he is worrying over the forestry question because he is afraid that the de-pletion of our woods will leave us in the near future without svallable presidential timber or lumber for good platform He said he thought probably the values planks."-Baltimore American May-O! yes, she's crazy about the men; he's a girl of single idea-Jack-Of course; every single girl has a -Of course; every single girl has a idea and that is to remain single no than is absolutely necessary.-Philasingle nger delphia Press.

people better than in any other country, a strong appeal to indepent voters. The together. equipped by great duties for the greatest duty as Mr. Taft has been. * * * His antecendent record suggests the presi- welfare of the city demanded a reduction dency itself as but the natural climax of of valuations below the figures fixed by

The Party's Strongest Man. Washington Post (ind.).

The republican party has nominated strongest man.

Kentucky gets along without the customary periodical trials of Caleb Powers.

to the 11th.

The Russian Douma has declined to union. approve'a loan of \$100,000,000 negonew Douma

have been even better if he had refused to invent it.

The Tafts are winners.

Fortunately for King Corn, there are vastly more uplands in Nebraska than lowlands, and the uplands always serve him as an umbrella.

As a matter of fact, it was hardly to be expected that any platform promulgated by the republicans at Chicago would suit Colonel Bryan.

King Ak-Sar-Ben's initiations not work to their disadvantage and to the a rich man. only go right along irrespective of special benefit of the mall-order the big shows pulled off by politicians, houses in the large cities. At existing but suffer no detraction by compari- rates the Postoffice department for the new court house building is tion in all its main policies. son.

casions.

The manager of the Taft prelim- with a vast and exclusive source of inary campaign and "the only democratic congressman from Nebraska" are of the same name, but entirely different, composition.

Tom Lawson offers to raise a campaign fund of \$1,000,000 for the democratic ticket if Bryan will take second place at Denver. The news should be the country furnish reasonable assursent to T. Fortune Ryan who may want to raise the limit.

Chairman James T. Lloyd of the country safely through the crop-movdemocratic congressional committee, ing season. The reports show an unhas asked that contributions to the usually large accumulation of reserves campaign fund be sent direct to him in all the reserve citles and what at Washington. Mayor "Jim" and amounts almost to a glut of money in Brother-in-law Allen will please take the interior banks. While the law innotice.

threatened with expulsion because per cent, not only in New York, where at Washington will probably be able they borrowed a book from one of the reserves for the last year have to make a parcels post pact with the the library collections in violation of been often below the minimum rethe rules. As the book was not an quirements, but throughout the counathletic guide the misconduct of the try.

young men can not be understood or palliated.

world. In return, the minister prom-Each agreement of this kind emised the development of a coal supply tlated by the czar for the construction phasizes the exasperating difficulty of in China sufficient to supply the world of a new navy. Now look out for a securing a readjustment of domestic long after the sources now being parcels post rates. It is possible now drawn upon shall have been exhausted. In the confederate army. He is one of the

to send a parcel weighing four pounds Wisely refraining from discussing Inventor Maxim refuses to put his to Rome or Shanghai for 48 cents, the work of missionaries from any annoiseless gun on the market. It would while 64 cents would be charged for tagonistic viewpoint, Mr. Wu leaves sending the same parcel through the the inference that the advancement of made himself mayor of the town and took mails from Omaha to Council Bluffs the missionary aims would be best charge of all the relief measures, showing or to Lincoln. While the parcel for served by effort looking first to the

Robert Taft has won a prize in Council Bluffs or Lincoln must not improvement of the physical and mamathematics at Yale and Miss Taft weigh more than four pounds, one terial betterment of the Chinese peohas won a scholarship at Bryn Mawr. weighing eleven pounds may be sent to ple. Italy, China or almost any foreign

country.

vided with the postoffice.

CURRENCY AND CROP MOVING.

Postmaster General Meyer has press agent, the Bryan ticket in 1896 troducing into Memphis the hygienic measurged congress to enlarge the parcels was "weighted down with a rich man model health cities of the world. He was had a most important part. Weighty pubpost system in this country and it is at the end." That must refer to appointed by President McKinley as one believed that such action will be Sewall and ignore Tom Watson. The of the Philippine commission, and enjoyed taken at the short session this winter, only inference is that Watson, al- President McKinley's heartiest confidence, Opposition to the measure proposed though as much a tail to the Bryan has come from the express companies kite as Sewall, was ignored in that tration. Under President Roosevelt he was and from rural merchants who profess campaign by Mr. Bryan and his dem- promoted first to be vice governor and then to believe that a parcels post would ocratic managers because he was not governor of the Philippines, and was after-

charges more than do the express com- the first essential step toward actual panies for the transportation of pack- construction. No one will question

The editor of The Bee pleads guilty ages weighing four pounds. The ex- the competency or the ability of the to the heinous offense of possessing press charge on a four-pound package architect selected and if he will now a silk hat and also a dress suit, and from Omaha to Chicago rarely ex- get busy with his plans and specificasometimes wearing them on proper oc- ceeds 25 to 40 cents, while the postage tions the initial work may be excharge is 64 cents. The obvious result pected to proceed before the present

is to furnish the express companies building season closes. revenue that would otherwise be di-The fact that, according to the pro-

real estate assessment made this year is to stand for four years should cau-Reports just compiled by the comptroller of the currency on the condiit is right. An injustice repeated four tion of the national banks throughout times, whether by making an assessance that resort to emergency curmore aggravated. rency authorized by the recent con-

gress will not be required to carry the The Nebraska headquarters at Chicago did not cost anywhere near \$1,500, but yet filled the bill just as ters at Denver, for which our demo- bore. cratic friends are to blow themselves.

sists on the retention of 25 per cent Postmaster General Møyer has made Two young men at Harvard are holdings now average more than 30 In the course of time the government

"Hearst is gaining slowly in the re-

In the west and in the south, from count," says a New York paper. Yes, which sections the crops will be he is slowly gaining the conviction that that it is to be short.

COMING SECRETARY OF WAR.

Taft's Successor.

Army and Navy Register. Hon. Luke E. Wright of Tennessee will war. As a young man he was a captain

leading lawyers of the entire south. He first definitely established his reputation in the terrible days of the yellow fever epidemic at Memphis, when he practically what may justly be called heroic devotion to duty and indifference to his own life.

successful administrator in a great crisis. He was himself struck down by the plague he was fighting, but lived to see it

According to Mr. Bryan's personal stamped out and himself take part in inwho were in sympathy with his adminis-In all positions he served with signal fidel-

ity and ability, and has been in hearty and The engagement of the architect outspoken agreement with the administra-

BRAINS AND BREVITY.

Essentials for the Making of Convention Speeches. Chicago Record-Herald.

There is, however, a lesson to be learned brevity. Think what Ingersoil did with his never been elected to anything, it is a long visions of the revenue law, the new eulogy of the "plumed knight." There was time since Mr. Bryan suffered anything the very model of an appeal based on the but defcat. While not notable as an orapersonality of the candidate, and it took tor, Mr. Taft has qualities of mind and but few words. Bryan's famous speech at body that should enable him to inspire tion the County Board of Equaliza- the Chicago convention of 1896 was not popular enthusiasm to a considerable extion to go slowly and make sure that drawn out with endiess details, but was a tent and bring him into close touch with notable example of impassioned eloquence the masses of the electorate. His camin behalf of a principle. Above all things paign speeches are sure to be clear and the orator must not be tedious, and the simple in thought, and forcibly expressed. ment too high or too low, is all the best way to escape the danger is to take

up as little time as possible. The chance of making a reputation is atually thcreased. The epoch-making man will find that it serves his purpose; the man who wants to

make an epoch, but who couldn't under any strong man, of declared convictions and circumstances, is saved the humiliation of with the courage to support them, and well as will the Nebraska headquar- being reminded that he is an insufferable certain if elected to the highest office un-We emphasize the lesson not as a justi-

fication of rudeness in the audience, which certainly deserves the sternest reproof.

Thousands at the conventions feel the sense of the deposits in reserve banks, the a parcels post agreement with Italy. of shame over the discourtesy to which speakers are subjected." It is a sure sign of ill breading and reflects on the people

> in the crowd, and the orators must accept conditions as they find them. Let them came Roger Sherman, a signer of the learn wisdom from the deep and sincere Declaration of Independence, William M. joy that is exhibited when a speech has Evarts and George F. Hoar. The Sherfor its preface the crisp announcement mans appear to have a special aptitude for public affairs.

During the four months intervening beproposed by the board were a little too high in some instances, but he had no objection to an increase over the assessor's figures provided the increase was equalized beats upon a presidential nominee. The over the other real estate. country will like him better as it knows The discussion was brought to a close by him better. It will find in him a well rounded, self-poised, clear-headed and a motion from Kennard to lay the matter over until Friday morning, when other in clean-hearted American, qualified by excreases will be taken up. perience on the bench and in executive po-

The board has made some substantial sitions to fill the great office for which reductions on elevator property. Merriam he has been nominated. Republicans will & Holmquist was reduced from \$60,000 t be glad to note in him the qualities that succeed Mr. Taft on July 1 as secretary of are most admired in public men, and demo-\$25,009 on one elevator and from \$40,000 to \$30,000 on another. The Nye-Schneidercrats will find little in him to criticise. Fowler Grain company was reduced from

Qualities of Leadership. Washington Herald (ind.).

The expected has happened. William Howard Taft is the republican nominee for president of the United States,

A man of clean personal life, of demon strated capacity for doing things, and a full-blooded American, his worthiness to together with the masterful qualities of a carry the standard of his party in the coming quadrennial campaign is not to be disputed in any quarter.

men.

He is of presidential size. The great office is not belittled in his nomination. In the past decade, so rich in achieve ment and so notable for progress, he has partisan. lic duties falling to his official lot have been performed with signal intelligence, patriotism and ability. And so, regardless of issues involved in his candidacy, he justly commands the respect of his country-

The Test to Come.

Springfield (Mass.) Republican (ind.), The popular strength of the republican andidate, however, will not depend entiretirely upon superior administrative qualifications, nor upon that poiss of temperament which makes him attractive to conservative interests. Mr. Taft's capacity as getter of votes must remain a mere surmise until November, for he has never be-

homesicaded a graveyard. fore been a candidate for an elective office. Signora Duse, the famous Italian actress Yet so far as personal prestige in this is peculiarly nervous. When she is not al respect is concerned, he should not be at rehearsals or acting she spends her time rom experience that may improve condi- a disadvantage compared with an opponent in perfect rest. She has a lady companion tions somewhat, and it is a lesson for the of whom it might be said that he is diswho arranges her journeys and engages her orators. Great convention speeches have tinguished, like the asronaut, in having rooms in the hotels. This lady sees that not been inordinately long, and some of twice failen from the akles and in being Signora Duse's rooms, if possible, look out them have been distinguished by their still in some measure alive. If Mr. Taft has on a garden. She cannot bear street

> sounds or sights. Dr. William H. Tolman, director of the American Museum of Safety Devices, has been appointed American delegate to the eighth International Congress for the Prevention of Accidents, which will meet next October in Rome. Dr. Tolman, while in Europe, will also make a study of the methods employed by the municipalities which have adopted measures for beauti-

der the government to give the people an

transportation the law's requirement that they shall confine themselves to that is a kind of anarchy that recells the famous definition of heterodoxy.

> Indiana's Unique Lonesomeness. New York Tribune.

Pittsburg Dispatch

As the railroads are organized

The universality of Secretary Taft's popularity as a candidate was strikingly demonstrated by the fact that of the

A HUNDRED YEARS FROM NOW.

Sarah Noble-Ives in July St. Nicholas. There's a picture in the window Of a little shop I know, With boys and girls dressed as they were A hundred years ago. And since 1 saw it. I have thought, And keep on thinking how The children, maybe, will be dressed A hundred years from now.

Will girls wear caps or farthingales, The board of equalization Monday after-noon ordered a reinspection of all the im-provements on real state in Union precinct. This was done because it was believed the assessment on improvements in this pre-cinct was too low.

What do you think the girls and boys Will eat in those far days? Will they be fed on breakfast foods In many sorts of ways? Governor Chamberlain of Oregon, the democrat who expects to be elected to the senate by republican votes, is trying to sugarcoat the pill by terming himself non-

Will children's books have pictures then Senator Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, who is in New York recovering from a serious operation on his throat, continues to im-But when I think of those I have, I truly don't see how They can be any prettier They can be any prettier A hundred years from now.

The Optimist-That was a fine fly! The Pessimist-Any bird could do better.

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