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

The month of March, this year, has none the better of the month of April.

Having finished blasting ice at Niagara, it will be the turn of the ice man next.

The Western league season has opened and it didn't wait until the next day to snow.

There may be some satisfaction in the fact the weather man is not handing us the worst he has in stock.

Judging from the statements of the Omaha banks, there is no need of the services of a financial doctor here.

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The latest is "Rain Day." If this thing keeps up people will soon be compelled to set aside a day to work.

Two San Francisco club men have been called upon to explain the disappearance of \$70,000.

Because the Wisconsin legislature refused to grant any dam franchises is no proof that there was no swearing in the corporation camp.

Governor Shallenberger is said to have played Hamlet once upon a time.

When an incoming ship at New York used the wireless to summon the police, presumably it was a "fly cop" who was detailed to answer.

A Texas man fell three stories while asleep, but for some unaccountable reason the telegraphic dispatch fails to state whether the fall woke him up.

A Camden girl has been fined for hugging and kissing a lawyer.

Casual reading of our amiable democratic contemporary will convince anyone that the editor of The Bee is again running for office on the ticket.

If it be true that Luther Burbank has evolved a plant which will produce both alcohol and sugar, what a bonanza his discovery will prove in dry towns.

Omaha a Money Center.

An analysis of the latest national bank statements cannot but be gratifying to those concerned in the growth and progress of Omaha.

It has been estimated, for example, that to build a filtering plant alone would take from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000.

Colorado's Election Experiment. The legislature of Colorado, which recently adjourned, embarked in a new field in dealing with elections.

Prosperity Straws. The steel trust and all the large independent producers, who together hold the key to the steel market, have announced an advance in price.

Where America Leads. The farmer in America has been notoriously behind the farmer in Europe in making the most of his opportunities.

Where the Money Goes. OMAHA, April 29, 1909.—To the Editor of The Bee: It is being talked around Labor Temple that if we vote the water bonds and pay over \$2,500,000 for water works...

Shining Unnamed. St. Louis Times. Take due notice that among the spellbinders of the United States senate a new star has arisen from the west.

Perpetual Motion. Washington Herald. Even if we should change our canal plans and make it a sea-level affair, it probably would not stop Mr. Bunau-Varilla's mouth.

Downfall of a Standpatter. Chicago Record-Herald. Abdul Hamid has found out that the standpat and let-us-alone policies are not always winners.

Getting Close to the People. Boston Herald. President Taft is writing good precedent in his desire to learn more of the country and its people by travel west and south.

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A Milwaukee lecturer declares that any man who works hard is a fool.

In Other Lands

Side Lights on What is Transpiring Among the Near and Far Nations of the Earth.

The swift change of rulers and scenes in Turkey during the last ten days opens up a riveting vein of diplomatic speculation.

An official announcement from the French minister of justice shows that the liquidation of church property in France, taken over under the supervision of the church and state, has resulted in a sum of nearly \$100,000,000.

Greenleaf for City Clerk. The republican nominee for city clerk, Sam K. Greenleaf, is conceded to be entirely competent to fill the place.

German emigration for 1908 fell to the lowest figure in thirty years, the total being 19,900.

Party Lines Somewhat Shaken by Tariff Revision. Washington Post. In a democratic house of representatives—largely democratic in 1884, Samuel J. Randall, of imperious will and consummate leadership, could master but forty-two of his party to vote to strike out the onerous clause of the American bill of the Forty-eighth congress.

Sydney Brooks, London correspondent of American papers, has taken to task a number of editors from New York to San Francisco, who are prone to scoff at the "blessings of English rule in India."

An English newspaper bewails the fact that there are no great poets, either in that country or in America.

And now we are assured that Mayor "Jim" did a lot of hard pioneer work on the frontier.

Texas has forbidden the traffic in a bean from which a liquor is made which acts like a mixture of whisky and cocaine.

An admirable representative of a "proud and fearless race" is E. T. Bethel, pug-nacious British overlord at Seoul, Korea.

That Old Red Barn

E. L. Sabin in Judge. I've wandered to the homestead, Jim; I've seen the old red barn.

There ain't no Prince nor Whiter, lad; There ain't no bloomin' stalls; There ain't no harness, good and bad.

There ain't no hay up in the mow; There ain't no straw in the now; They keep their gasoline there now—I'm sorry, Jim, I went.

There ain't no place to romp and hide; It ain't a barn no more; It's a garage, all slicked inside.

Where Jed, the hired man, clumped round; With fork or broom or comb; An olly, tink'rin' char I found; Had made it self to home.

He looked so strange, where Jed had been; A leather suit he wore; And carried off the blame machine; A-lyin' on that floor!

It's changed, old pard. They've cleaned it up; Of cobwebs, hoos, and hay; It ain't a spot where boy nor pup; Nor yet a mouse can play!

I wonder how those kids who live Where a such a bleak corner; Can get alone; and what they'd give To have an old red barn.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER. The grape illustration is to remind the reader of the fact that this healthful fruit gives to Royal its active and chief ingredient. From the grape.

make a comparison over a ten years' interval as far as possible we will average three years as the beginning and end of the period.

Some Texans are wondering what they will do with all that oil money.

The recall mayor of Los Angeles is in danger of getting his neck in the recall halter.

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POINTED PLEASANTRIES. "How did Binis celebrate his purchase of a new auto?" "Why he had a big blowout." "Yale Record."

"Do you think that doctor is giving you wealthy uncle the proper treatment?" "Yes, the old man's getting weaker all the time." "Houston Post."

"English is a funny language, after all, isn't it?" "Why so?" "I heard a man, talking of a political candidate the other day, say, 'If he only takes this stand when he runs, he'll have a walk-over.'" "Baltimore American."

"Do you think the tariff would be raised upward or downward?" "Well, answered Senator Sorghum, 'they think they are, but most of them are writing for disappointments.'" "Washington Star."

"Mrs. Chugwater-Joshua, this paper says Colonel Pribbles is a competent speaker." "What does that mean?" "Mr. Chugwater—it means that he compels you to go to sleep. I've heard Pribbles—Chicago Tribune."

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"How did that politician of yours manage to raise the wind this time?" "He sent to his father in his usual way for a draft." "Baltimore American."

The fiery Young Turk was endeavoring to arouse the stolid Mohammedans. "He shouted, 'that he is our best and greatest friend. He describes himself as a fountain of faith and a river of charity. He told me, my brothers, that while he has been a river of charity he's no Boss-for-us!'" "Whereupon, with a wild shriek of horror, the rabble turned and rushed toward the Yildiz palace." "Cleveland Plain Dealer."

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