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mailed to them. Address will be changed as often as requested.

It looks as if our own Mr. Mercury Climbers' club.

coin to set off his wide-open gubernatorial boom.

The lid closing law goes up to the supreme court. It all depends now on whether one of the supreme judges has an opener.

So polite in our local coal dealers to select this particular time for announcing what the price of our next winter's supply of anthracite will be.

King Menelik's health is reported again? His young heir must be a fine life insurance risk on his family history.

One Omaha man has drawn a numbetter dream book.

cans at the primary.

Senator Lodge assures the land from Boston to Nahant that not a single Massachusetts industry was injured by the tariff. Why waste time in illustrating the obvious?

General Manderson says that we are just getting into "the good roads era." General Mauderson only reeantly gave up riding in a private car to take to riding in automobiles.

Judge Estelle, sitting on the district bench, has overruled the federal ones on them. district court, but, then, "Little Bismarck," sitting as justice of the peace, once overruled the supreme court.

pened if Mr. Harriman had staid on of the votes discloses the fact that have about the same look, whichever powers. this side and looked after business.

involve international complications. manifested a fair degree of interest, among the ablest democrats in New The north shore of Lake Superior be- our democratic friends will immedi- York. What does he mean when he longs to the railroads and the steel ately proclaim that they voted in the says that the republicans have a great other.

When Colonel Bryan mentions General Kelfer in terms of eulogy, ancient and bearded democrats take a momen! to weep for John G. Carlisle, Sunset Cox and Dan Voorhees. Alas, the days of yore!

ture when the country is full of lassitude about politics. When the country gets to wanting a tax and a commission the democrats will be chewing on some other bone.

Heinie? These mixed marriages have and sale of power, has no right to mall polyglot hitches, but in case of use the streets for that purpose. derstanding mere talk.

flourish in public meetings.

For Supreme Judge.

in the selection next Tuesday of three power. the official ballot at a regular election.

experience as judges on the supreme given by their own greedy quarrel. bench, where they have served creditably. Judge Barnes is acting chief justice, having been elected six years ago and now completing his first full bench as an appointee of Governor Sheldon to fill one of the judgeships created by the recently adopted constitutional amendment. Judge Fawcett's ability was also recognized by 910 Governor Shallenberger by his appointment when he claimed the right to fill the place on the enlarged bench. Judge Fawcett had previously served as supreme court commissioner and on the district bench. Judge Sedgwick is 320 the third candidate with a record of dents and cashiers. The comptroller service on the supreme bench, to which 623 he was elected eight years ago, failing of renomination two years ago.

Of the remaining candidates, two have had experience as supreme court commissioners, namely, Judge Calkins and Judge Duffle. Judge Calkins was once elected a member of the Board of University Regents. Judge Duffie once ran for congress in this district on the democratic ticket and was a candidate for the republican nomination for supreme judge four years ago when Judge Letton was nominated.

The three candidates who complete had also perfected membership in the the fist are Judge Hamer, once on the district bench, but best known as an aggressive general practitioner, figur-Bearding the lion in his den isn't ing largely in important criminal in it with Mayor "Jim" going to Lin- cases; J. E. Cobbey, who compiles Cobbey's Annotated Statutes, and John

O. Yeiser, who needs no introduction. With this enumeration the ordinary voter, without personal acquaintance with the candidates, will, at least, have something for a guide. If a record of actual service on the bench is to control he will have only three names to consider. If service as a supreme court commissioner is regarded as equivalent to service as supreme judge he will have two more added names. precarlous. Must this old hero die the bench gives no advantage over practice at the bar for this position. he will have all eight to pick from.

Forehanded.

The self-boasted scheme of local ber in the Flathead Indian reserva- democrats to cross over at the coming tion lottery, but the big prize seems primary into the republican column to have gone to somebody who had a on the wide open ballot and undertake to nominate weak men to be beaten in the subsequent election, is worthy is to be held in this county next Tues-Presumably it is that nonpartisan of its source. We have no doubt that day, at which people are to be given plank in the democratic state platform the democrats would, if they could, an opportunity to choose their own that is inciting the scheme to have pick the nominees on the republican candidates for office by direct vote, democrats vote to nominate republi- ticket with a view of putting up the lack of interest and excitement most incompetent or vulnerable in would indicate that there is no widethe list, in order to strengthen the spread dissatisfaction with the officers chances of the democratic nominees. who are seeking re-election and who This is quite in line with the demo- will make up nine-tenths of the repubcratic pretense of nonpartisanship and lican ticket. Not only has no one their bunco talk about voting for the cared to risk going against them in in their desire to sink partisanship is taken later at the November elecand support the best men, they would cross over in the primary, if at all, for the purpose of helping the republicans

only a handful of democrats have par- way they are going. ticipated in the primary, while by Fort William dock strikers do not comparison the republicans have cratic votes.

see through.

Irony.

The irony of fate is again characteristically illustrated by the decision Democrats are solid on a tax com- of Judge Estelle on the district bench mission and an income tax at the junc- in favor of the contention of the street railway company that it has the Wrong again. That's not the brand right to use the streets for transmission and sale of electric power, even club rooms. though it has no franchise for that purpose. This decision is in sharp contrast to the ruling of Judge Mun-Don Jamie is to marry a German ger of the federal court that the elecprincess. When he gives her his name tric lighting company, having no will it be Hymie or is it too much like franchise covering the transmission

real love it does not matter about un- If this were purely a fight between land than New York, Pennsylvania and tance to the country. They are necessary started it, and the street rallway That man who threatened the power company, which has opposed, it would seemed to call for a revision when the cuperation such as is now going forward forestall. ite region with a worse fate than that attract no public interest, because conference committee was in session. on every hand has been checked by the of Johnstown, and all because he has neither of them are entitled to popudeas on the dam subject, needs atten- lar sympathy. The electric lighting tion. Thaw's trips to Matteawan company undertook to shut out the blonde type cannot endure the sun and stance is likely to intervene this year. All the and hopeful political will. "Our mon

candidates for supreme judge on the 'It goes without saying that these sunlight. republican ticket. For these three two conflicting decisions can hardly places eight candidates have been en- stand as they are, and that the street worthy. We say this is a supreme test porations have been illegally using the ent to get our pioneers on straight. because in the present campaign the streets without a franchise can give candidates have appealed to the voters them no prescriptive rights which choice once for all at the election in tric power they should make applica- waste a cent. November, and if they do not exercise tion for a franchise for that purpose, well their privilege in the impending under stipulated conditions and terms, primary it will not argue for their and go through the regular form of ability to choose among a list of names submitting the same for ratification without distinguishing designation on as the charter requires. It behooves the city to assert its rights against Of the eight candidates for the re- both of these corporations through the publican nomination, three have had opening which they themselves have

Bank Directors. Comptroller Murray has classified the replies received from the 50,000 term. Judge Fawcett is sitting on the directors of national banks to whom he recently addressed inquiries regarding what they knew of the loans and discounts made by bank officers, the signatures and collateral of borrowers and the habits of employes. As he facilities are insufficient for its movements. knew beforehand they would, many of the answers show a lamentable lack of close information on these vitally important points. The answers of many directors show that they leave Canada, the crop expected this year, accord- cludes, something should be done to offall details of management to presiwill make two classes of banks, the alone. "good" and the "mismanaged" banks. The former will be subject to two examinations a year and the latter to four. As soon as the "mismanaged"

> Comptroller Murray's action will ac- and give the government a surplus instead complish good results, but an unin- of a deficit. formed public might exaggerate the danger of the carelessness of a considerable proportion of directors, who are not, though possibly they should be, expert bank officers. There is a York and the other very large cities the weather signs are propitious. loans are made almost exclusively on collateral. The quality of judgment required is that affecting the value of the property represented by the securities. It is a different kind of judgclass and the valuation is that of the lar job to pass along such follies. solvency and habits of individuals. In all cases the bulk of hourly transactions must be carried on by the cashier or his assistants. No regulations can enable a good bank to dispense with Stockholders will always have the customary reasons for choosing directors capital, influence on loans, capacity to attract accounts and so forth.

While all this is true, every improvevelopment of deposits and the enlargement of available capital.

Considering that a primary election tion.

struggle the relations between the sec-

whom the people believe to be sincere? ular democrat.

The Lincoln Journal thinks the Dahlmanites were inspired to endorse

things which an airship can do wrong.

Alaska has more good agricultural tics are correct, no doubt, but they which now seems to be in sight

power only to find its own rights Roosevelt coloring or the near-red and swift

challenged and its bluff called by the style of Mr. Taft. Scandinavia and The supreme test of the state-wide decision denying that its franchise in- Scotia are spread too widely in Amerdirect primary in Nebraska will come cluded the right to distribute and sell ica to fade out without a bitter struggle for a right to sport red hair in the

Alaska has trouble at Lovett Gulch. tered, and to vindicate the direct railway company has no more claim To avoid danger of historical errancy primary it will devolve upon the rank to a power franchise in the streets let us have an expert to ascertain who ries his nerve with him in Lonand file of the party to choose the of Omaha than has the electric light- was Mr. Lovett and what he was doing three who are best qualified and most ing company. Because these two cor- with a gulch. No time like the pres-

Was it King Edward or Emperor individually and without combination would be equivalent to a franchise. William who made a million in a steel study American public sentiment some disamong themselves. Under the so-called If either, or both of them, want to stock deal? The reports have it both tance beyond New York, Newport and nonpartisan law, now defunct, the use the streets of Omaha for the pur- ways. Not that it matters, for both voters would have had to make this pose of transmitting and selling elec- need the money and neither would

Significance of lows's Fing. Washington Post.

flag to the mast. Discarding an Old Reliable.

Chicago News.

What will the oldest inhabitant, who

makes accurate forecasts on the weather

with the aid of his rheumatism, say when he learns that the weather bureau is shelving its forecasters who are over 60? Preparing for the Best Ever. Indianapolis News.

The freedom with which the railroads are buying supplies and equipment nowa-

days should leave returning prosperity no cause for complaint that the transportation Overrated Wheat Field Boston Transcript. In spite of all that has been said of the

The Real Tariff Test. The test of tariff legislation, after all. is its effect on business, and all the indicabanks comply with the requirements tions in that respect are that the Payne they will be placed in the "good" class. law is going to promote general prosperity

Sailing Serene Waters.

Baltimore American, The ship of state will sail the deeps, there den storms. The whole government is are brilliant with caricatures of the deposed material difference in ways of doing taking its vacation. The pilot is within tyrant. Christian priests walk through the banking business. For example, in New hall and the crew is still aboard, and all city with a new air. Above the snarling of

Passing Along the Jolly.

Indianapolis News. In taking his departure Baron Takahira declares that he is gratified with his experiences in Washington since his arrival a year and a half ago, which, of course, ment from that salled upon when the is strictly in accordance with the rules, it everywhere. From all parts of the pany, headed by Robert E. Strahorn, of loans are of the ordinary commercial being a part of a Japanese diplomat's regu-

Power that Moves Things. Chicago Record-Herald.

The farmer's abundantly earned profits the personal equation of the cashier's tories. The farmer is an ultimate con- that we can walk with upright heads: that not less than \$50,000,000 will be added department. A first-rate cashier makes sumer of lots of commodities made by Thank God that Abdul Hamid is powerless?' to that amount as soon as the present If among these competitors service on a good bank in nine cases out of ten. Wageworkers. The crop reports furnish There is a sense of brotherhood in the air work is completed.

President Taft's Reform Plans. Springfield Republican.

President Taft's reform efforts will next be turned apparently to the Sherman antiment the comptroller can make will trust act and the railroad rate law. He has various plans for increasing the national Walla, Wash.; Pittsburg and Gillmour be for the good of banking, the de- asked Attorney-General Wickersham, Secretaries Ballinger and Nagel, Commissioner idea is said to be the conversion of the will be affected, when all the new taxing Interstate Commerce commission into a regulations are in force, is yet to be deinvestigation functions to the commissioner ing on panic over increased prices of cofof corporations. What the president wants fee, tea, beer, cigars, gas lamps and done with the anti-trust law has not been matches. The first consequence of the new disclosed. He is now engaged in reaching the trust question through the taxing

Growing National Expenses.

Washington Post. man and not the label. If the demo- the primary, but this very fact fore- period of a decade or more in which the (from 2½ cents to 7½ cents), has been so poration tax amendment will usher in a of which will rise from 10 to 30 pfennigs crats were really honest and sincere shadows their retention when the vote problem of increasing taxation will be one of the paramount matters before congress. No matter how strenuous or thoruoghgoing may be the efforts toward retrenchment and economy in national expenditures, Former Commander Nevius assured the coming years are bound to see an enornominate their strongest candidates the Grand Army that if it were not mous increase in the annual budgets for instead of trying to foist the worst for persons who never were in the legitimate purposes to which the government is already pledged, and for other federal activities which in all probability will The democratic cross-over scheme is tions would be cordially amicable. be adopted. A return to the old conditions forehanded in still another direction. There is not much except cordial rela- is an impossibility. The \$5,000,000 con-It is notorious that there is no inter- tions, anyhow. It would be a clever gress is only around the corner if governest on the democratic side of the man who could detect a fighting difwith the nation's growth. The balancing of putting up their prices the defeat of the defeat of the ference. But the putting up their prices will have to pay more the war because the defeat of the ference. If Union Pacific goes to 210 with primary, because the defeat of the ference between Birmingham and the budget will soon become an acute prob-Mr. Harriman still sojourning in democratic ticket is practically con- Pittsburg or between the Savannah lem in American administration, as it is Europe, wonder what would have hap- ceded in advance. When the counting and the Delaware. The railroad trains now in the government of all European

BOUNTEOUS HARVESTS.

Judge Morgan J. O'Brien is classed Cheering Assurances Stimulate Trade Currents.

New York Tribune. Better than all the cheering assurances of financiers that prosperity is again at trust. Let them pay damage to each republican column and that this is advantage in having such leaders as hand, better than the reports of great the reason for the dearth of demo. Taft and Hughes, men of great ability, activity in steel and iron and the optimistic indications regarding other indus-A great scheme, but not hard to The judge's views are sound, but his bumper crop of corn and a bumper crop tries is the government crop report. A innuendo needs specifications for a reg- of oats-record-breakers both-are promised, and the wheat crop is to be not merely larger than was expected, but larger than that of last year. Concerning winter wheat this is the final report. Nothing can now materially affect that their favorite for police judge be- crop, and the indicated yield is unexpectcause he bears the name "Anheuser." edly heavy. Perhaps the government's figures are too hopeful, but they are borne they serve in the Dahlman Democracy Mr. Patten of Chicago has turned bear, because of the prospective abundance Spring wheat may still deteriorate, but General Fred Grant foresees that every day of continued fine weather the next war will be decided by air- strengthens the expectation of a total ships. All the same, most of us who than that of last year. And it is needed. wheat crop many million bushels greater volunteer will ask for places in the for the supply to be carried over will land forces. There are too many be exceptionally small. Corn and oats are now so far advanced that the prospect of an enormous yield of both is fairly certain to be realized. Big crops this year are of great impor-

the electric lighting company, which New England combined. The statis- to that complete restoration of prosperity than once in the history of panics re- condition which China foresees but cannot failure of the harvests, and a period of Dr. Woodruff's prediction that the depression has thus been extended to sevteach nothing if this kind of talk is to street railway company from selling will disappear does not explain the conditions conspire to make recovery easy archy." wrote the father of the present pre-

In Other Lands

Side Lights on What is Trans. piring Among the Hear and 'Par Mations of the Barth.

Medili McCormick of Chicago cardon. He carried a message, too, and delivered it through the columns of the London Mail. The provocation for the message is not apparent. Probably it bothered his system and had to come out. Its purport is a suggestion to London editors to Coney Island if they would acquaint their reader with the merits of the real article. Mr. McCormick says English journalists overlook the extreme nationalism of American opinion, which cherishes only a perfunctory sentiment for England of today, whatever feeling there may be about a Iowa republicans in the reception tendered common interest in Shakespeare, the Bible Senator Cummins have nailed the insurgent and Magna Charta. He forgets also the bitterness induced in a raw, self-conscious community by years of condescension and dislike on the part of the English. 'In short, we scarcely realize ourselves that, paradoxically, American's like the Englishman, but frequently do not like England." The writer proceeds to discuss the increasing Teutonic influence on the United to men. The king does not die. When you States. "We not only exchange professors shall see me no longer at your head, you with German universities," he says, "we will continue, as though I were alive, to import historians, psychologists and chem- acclaim the legitimate and traditional Spanists for our best chairs. Whereas a gen- ish king. * * * If a true king were to suspended, a waggish telegraph operator eration ago we looked to Oxford and Cambridge for inspiration, now we turn to Heidelberg and Lelpzig. We have Germans on the bench, in business, in the law, in office, and seeking it. English tions, then this people in a brief period with a German accent is more familiar to would be able to realize a policy the aim our ears than English with an English of which would be to revive the old Spain accent." If American support is of any of the Catholic kings and Charles V." development of the wheat lands of western value to England, Mr. McCormick coning to a Winnipeg dispatch, is only 130,000,- set the Teutonic influence. "Otherwise, 000 bushels. This is considerably less than Cecil Rhoades will have created his trust are wasting their time and ink on us, but German audacity will compel our admiration and his Bismarckian sharp practice amuse us."

t that under the new Turkish dispensabullet holes made by the army that took Abdul Hamid from his palace and sent sunken reefs or being tossed by any sud- windows in the winding streets of Stamboul the homeless dogs-there are 1,200,000 in Constantinople, and a German company has offered to pay 6 cents apiece for them and turn their hides into gloves- rises the cry of men and boys selling newspapers that dare to denounce tyranny and preach liberty for the first time in Turkish his- and Puget Sound, the Harriman system. tory. The fat new sultan's portrait is and the mysterious North Coast comempire comes messages of congratu- Spokane, are waging a competitive camthe mountains of Armenia, and the Montana, and North Dakota, which gives will be shared with other useful producers. God!' It is the spontaneous utterance of expenditure of almost \$45,000,000 have been Upon the yield of the fields depends the Christian, Jew and Moslem alike. Thank awarded or scheduled in the last three yield of the railroads, the mills and fac- God that the reign of terror is over and months, and there is information at hand wageworkers. The crop reports furnish glad tidings for country stores, jobbers, central markets, bankers and importers.

There is a sense of brotherhood in the air work is completed.

Work is completed.

Work is completed.

Among the contracts already awarded please.—Cleveland Leader.

There is a sense of brotherhood in the air today unknown to Turkey during his nevertoebe-forgotten reign, a spirit of neighbor-liness between Moslem, Christian and Jew ciffe. 127,750,000: Harrison and Jew that makes his criminal career all the more dreadful by contrast,

revenue can sympathize with Berliners in valley, \$2,500,000. the subject and report to him next fall. His To just what extent the necessaries of life northwestern states. judicial body to pass upon rates, trans- termined, but at present householder and and eastern Washington. The Hill people ferring the commission's administrative and retailer are in a state of agitation borderlaws has been a nenormous temporary demand for these articles. For days the good housewives of Berlin have been loading up with advance supplies of the commodities on which the tax falls most heavily. The The passage of the tariff bill and the cor- demand for matches, for instance, the price great that the shops are unable to supply it, in spite of the fact that more than 100 carloads of matches have been shipped into there will be. Men capable of making a Berlin in the last few days. At the shops winning run for a seat in congress are not of tea and coffee dealers the police in some going to crouch and cower forever under cases had to be called on to pacify the mob the lash of a tyrant. of anxious customers, some of whom came | The removal of several leading members with handcarts to get a sufficient supply. of the house from the chcairmanships they The problem growing out of the new laws have held is viewed everywhere as is a particularly difficult one for restaura- punishment to these men for having opteurs, who are anxiously considering posed the re-election of the speaker. Mr. whether they shall meet the issue by re- Cannon thus emphasizes the objections to ducing the quality of their wares or by his speakership rule in the house, and sumers will have to pay more. The war pect if they oppose the speaker's will or game costs money and the people must pay the speaker's interests. the price.

China, which Japan ended by proceeding or to be put to bed if they are bad. They China's protests, revolved around the Jap- have been sent to Washington, not to obey railroad out of the narrow guage military try. The punishment of members for doing necting link between Japan and the trans- sible. Siberia system. Its value from a military | Speaker Cannon forfeited his right to a standpoint was demonstrated only partially defense for fairness when he packed the during the war between Japan and Russia | conference committee of the house in the As an avenue of trade this 180 miles of interest of high duties. gauge track over the mountains of the Liaotung peninsula stands today practically worthless. By standardizing the track, lowering the grades and putting the road on a workable basis, the Japanese will find themselves in direct communication with the whole interior of Manchuria and Russia itself, for the completion of this link for practical railroad use would bring Tokio within three days ride of Mukden and nearer St. Petersburg by almost a week. Antung is the distributing center for all the interior Liaotung country although the shallowness of the river as this point does not make the port an important one in foreign trade. The conversion of the present military road connecting at Antung with the main Corean line by a new steel bridge would overcome the disadvantages suffered by Antung as a porand enable the Japanese to throw into the country beyond all their manufactures brought direct by rail with only the twelve hour water passage across the straits of Shimonoseki. The reconstructed road will More tend to clinch Japan's grip on Manchuria, a

The farewell manifesto of the late Don Carlos to his following breathes the proud tender to the throne of Spain. "Is superto

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undertake to apply these principles, relying on the Spanish soldier, who is the first in broke." the world, and on this giant people, superior to all by their courage, their contempt of death and all material considera-

A Zurich correspondent reports that an exhibition has been opened there demon- and the cashier of her father's safe facstrating the conditions under which the tory. the output of Minnesota and the Dakotas to no purpose. The English journalists Swiss poorer classes work and the wages they earn, with special reference to the "sweating" at home. These people, who work in their own homes, number 120,000, four days, Dr. Hayhurst, who was in her dren. Their earnings are shockingly lowin some cases as little as 4 centimes an We have the word of James Credman for hour are paid to straw workers; while the average pay in other industries is: Silk ing wounds of the heart was received as tion, life in Constantinople is one grand weavers, 7 centimes an hour; linen wgavers, a joke. Dr. Rehn of Germany, in 1897, got round of gaiety. "How the bands play!" Il centimes; glove makers, 12 centimes; the first recovery from heart would be exclaims in a letter from the spot; "and wood carving, 31 centimes; watchmakers, 58 together there have been sixteen such operations, with seven amazing recoveries. how gay the crowds are in the brilliant centimes. The exhibition also contains erations, with seven amazing recoveries. sunshine! The people swarm to see the models of the homes in which these people work, showing the unhealthy conditions to be the guest of a Fat Men's club at is a reasonable hope, without striking any him a prisoner to Macedonia. The shop dently expect that the exhibition will stop the sweating and put the law in motion.

BIG SYSTEMS IN NORTHWEST. Railroads Struggle for Supremacy in

Five States. Spokane Dispatch to New York World, Railroad builders representing the Northern Pacific, the Chicago, Milwaukee lation, even from sacred Mecca, from paign in Washington, Idaho, Oregon,

ancient villages and towns of Mes- every promise of attracting world-wide opotamia. Thank God! oh, thank attention. Contracts calling for a total Journal.

445,000; Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound, \$5,450,000; (North Coast, \$3,500,000, exclusive of \$2,000,000 for terminals in Americans who viewed with alarm the Spokane, North Yakima, and Walla In addition the Miltheir zeal to shift the burden of increased wankee road is planning to expend \$25,mission and one or two others to look into taxes on the patient, perspiring consumer. 000,000 on branch line construction in the

The chief battles wil be fought in central Oregon, north and central Idaho. are forcing matters by sending construction crews into so-called Harriman territory in central Oregon, which is now without adequate transportation facilities, and the completion of one or two lines there will open a rich district and provide homes for thousands.

DISCIPLINING INSURGENTS.

Speaker Cannon Shows His Hand in Committee Assignments. Minneapolis Journal.

The more Speaker Cannon tries to dis cipline the insurgents, the more insurgents

Ordinarily, this might have the desired

effect, but the members of the house are The railroad dispute between Japan and not children, to get jam if they are good. with work on its plans, regardless of are representatives of constituencies. They anese project of making a standard guage the speaker, but to legislate for the counroad from Antung to Mukden. Commer- their duty conscientiously will react on the cially the railroad is invaluable as a con- system that makes such punishment pos-

PERSONAL NOTES.

The initials V. D. B. on the Lincoln pen nies, the issue of which has now been suggests, might stand for "Virtually dead

State Food and Dairy Commissioner Wright of Iowa proposes an exhibit and demonstration of impure foods in place of the pure food shows that have been popular for several years.

Miss Mary Baum of Cincinnati swam out and rescued a man bather taken with cramps. It turns out she is also a society belle, a leader among women "turners"

Dr. Susan Hayhurst, a ploneer among eighty-ninth year, came of an old Quaker family.

Dr. Roberts' suggestion, in 1881, of new-

President Taft has accepted an invitation Portland, Me. There are 400 of the heftles. citizens of New England members of the organization. Precautions are being taken to prevent Portland slipping Into Casco Bay when that aggregation gets togeth. with Mr. Taft.

CHEERY CHAFF.

"Dear me, Amelia, don't show your ig-"How do you mean?"
"Bon't say 'garage' like it rhymed with carriage." If you do, the chefonyear will augh at you."—Baltimore American.

"The boss called me in consultation to-ay," declared the office boy.

day," u. "G'wan!" "Fact. He had a dispute with the juntor partner as to who wus leadin' the league just now in battin."—Louisville Courier-

Barber-Massage? Victim-No. Barber-Tonic?

Barber-You ought to have something on

an intense yearning for the unattainable?
Miss Plainly—Yes, indeed. I've longed to have the end seat on an open car many a time—Boston Transcript.

"Did she refuse him? "Practically; she said she would not marry him until he arrived at years of dis-cretion—Brooklyn Life.

Author-I'll bet you looked at the last age of my story to see how it came out. Reader—I did not. I read it through and hen looked for the name of the publisher, and even then I couldn't figure how it then looked for the name of And even then I couldn't came out.—Cleveland Leader.

"I believe you said you had some stocks on a margin."
"Yes," answered the hard luck expert.
"But that wasn't a margin. It was a
ragged ecge."—Washington Star.

"FEELIN' FINE.

J. W. Foley in New York Times. "Feelin' fine," he used t' say, Come a clear or cloudy day: Wave his hand an' spill a smile, Kespin' sunny all th' while; Never let no bugbears grim Git a wrastle-holt on him. Kep' a smilin', rain or shine Tell you he was "feelin' fine."

"Feelin' fine," he used t' say. Wave his hand an' go his way; Never had no time t' lose, So he said, in fightin' blues; Had a twinkle in his eye Always when a goin by, Sort o' smile up into mine, Tell me he was "feelin' fine."

"Feelin' fine?" he'd allus say An' the sunshine seemed 'to s Close by him, or else he shone With some sunshine of his own; Didn't seem no clouds could dim Any happiness for him. Alfus seemed t' have a line Out for gladness—"feelin' fine."

"Feelin' fine," I've heard him say Half a dozen times a day, An' as many times I knowed He was bearin' up a load; But he never let no grim Troubles git much holt on him Kep' his spirits jest like win. Bubblin' up an' "feelin' fine.

"Feelin' fine-" I hope he'll stay Lettin' his demeanor be Sech as you could have, or me Ef we tried, an' went along. Spillin' little drops o' song, Lettin' rosebuds sort o' twine O'er th' thorns—an' "feelin' fine."

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