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The name lamay still suggests dis-

Massachusetta speaks tomorrow nd everyone is listening.

New Hampshire is still a grand eld state, Stendy, Managehusetts,

Mr. Bryan's latest joke in Ollie James for democratic presidential

Paraguay has resumed civil war. filed to know conditions are again

A wise man may try to persuade woman, but never will he attempt o convince her.

You can always tell a belle by her Oh, oh, there's a hot one.

"I am a democrat," said David B, Hill. But Mr. Hill died without telling us what a democrat is,

A New York girl was arrested for ticket, stealing a pair of silk stocking. Caught with the goods on?

London papers say the Titunic incetigating committee is not seeking facts; it is hunting for a scapegoat.

Bah!

making commencement addresses. Generally speaking, they are quite arrested," we have the following:

Poorer ships than the Titanio are made unsinkable by the proper pre-rules of safety.

Revolution have gone on record as for all these arrests by the police and down, opposed to the third term. And they are fighters, too,

"Our city will have good government when we run it. It will have the police in our cities and in Omaha, bad government if the other fellows run it." Same old story.

old school reader, which we used to declaim, of which the refrain for each verse was, "We are seven."

to eastney the living lyre." Had he China, who might be called the father criminal cases? been a politician instead of a poet he of the reform government, has called

would have written it "liar." smoking. The great amount of smoke

cinct suggests a good deal of fire. The New York World declares that Champ Clark's nomination would be whose father was a Presbyterian mindemocratic suicide. Yes, but whose later and publisher in Hawaii and

What's this, the United States does not draw Wu Ting-fang after all as China's new ambassador? We are almost ready to declare war on the

new republic.

The university professor who announced that not one of the bodies do in this mighty undertaking of the an inefficient crew and a lack of proper of the Titanic victims would ever social regeneration of South China. return to the surface is not doing a great deal of talking just now.

may be for them to nominate him at years in our country, imbibling our oc-Chloago. If so, would the democrats cidental modernism and educating nominate the colonel at Baltimore?

Omaha could not see the magnificent mutualy helpful to both countries and that proves valueless and in judgment versity, for only by such observation done and are doing. American influcould they realize and appreciate the ence, therefore, through native ple as it seems in the shadow of the awational institution is doing right lies large at the very roots of repre-

Clark and Cleveland Democrats.

If any old-time Cleveland demomust be awaiting with much Impatience the opportunity to support Champ Clark's candidacy for president. Collier's does Colonel Clark Chief Boomer Hearst and his other posters the timely favor of gently ecalling that Champ Clark once said that there were just two names in history with which Grover Cleveland's deserved to be linked-Judas Iscariot and Benedict Arnold.

Of course, the Champ Clark demorats have forgotten this, but it is a matter of history, just the same. It is really a political service to call it to mind at this time. When Champ made the statement he, of course, had in mind Mr. Cleveland's refusal to become a party to the famous Wilson-Gorman tariff bill. It will be well to remember that the Cleveland perfidy, as his detractors have made it out, was only to a part of one political party and that as time goes on the name of Grover Cleveland grows much broader dimensions than the names of any contemporary democratic statesman.

to support the loquacous Missourian. tion. Champ Clark probably had not intended reverting to his denunciation likely be telling us that he merely meant it as a joke.

An Omaha Nominee,

Out of our recent Nebraska primary comes one exceptional result giving us an Omaha nominee on the of this city and at present identified with the German-American Life Insurance company as one of its officers. Mr. Howard not only received a gratifying majority here in his home county, where he is best known, but ran ahead all over the state, thus demonstrating his popularity away business in addition to the accounting and checking of the institutions expending money appropriated by the legislature. Mr. Howard's special men were also seeking the nominanot fail to strengthen the republican

The Auto and the Police.

The annual report of the chief of police, just out in printed form, discloses new ramifications of the revolution that has been wrought by the frauds. advent of the automobile. In the tabular exhibits accompanying the re-Governor Aldrich is seen to begin port, under the classification of charges preferred against persons Violating auto number ordinance......

Refusing to pay auto hire

probably quite a few more for offenses forbidden under other names. One of the penalties of a progressive while adding to the work we have been actually decreasing the number It reminds us of the poem in the of police expected to do the increased work.

American Influence in China. Dr. Sun Yat Sen, former provi-Thomas Gray spoke of "To awake sional president of the republic of contradictions on the witness stand in for the home of Mr. Carson's brother upon Hin Wong, a Chinese student at Columbia university, to come over to Zion City continues its fight on the homeland and help out in the social regeneration of South China. chancellar of Germany overlooked the curling up from that sanctified pre- This might be regarded somewhat as fact that there are also increased facilia modern edition of a Macedonian ties for denouncing militarism and

Mr. Wong is a native of China nomination would not be democratic there young Wong received his elementary schooling. He was gradu- The preliminary enthusiasm will get you ated later from the Missouri uni- out into the open air and induce you to versity school of journalism and then do a lot of work that you wouldn't other-west to Colombia to take ment to the ment to colombia to take ment to colombia to co went to Columbia to take a course in whole system. consular service to fit him for usefulness, both to his native China and the United States in the orient. But Sun finds a larger work for him to ent that the Titanic was sent to sea with

reat deal of talking just now.

China, including Dr. Sun, himself, are jeopardize #18.00,000 worth of property by many Americanized Chinese; in fact, such careless proceedings? There is likely to be a change in the management of the White Star company. way out for the republicans men, for the most part, spent several themselves in our schools and colthemselves in our schools and col-leges. The best evidence that their have been avoided. It is the old pain-It is too bad that every one in experience and influence have been ful story of implicit faith in experience sentative government in this oldest dence complete

of monarchies and, indeed, history will have to give American influence crais remain in the country-and credit for a vital share in the revoluthere were a few as late as 1908—they tion which made ancient Confusianism over into republican China.

Men of less penetrating visions might ave accepted the Boxer idemnity as Thirty Years Agoing it back to China with the proviso attached to the agreement that ts youth to American institutions to be converted into Americans, for that is what it amounts to

Money Trust Probe Well-Timed.

Money Trust Probe Well-Timed.

The house has ordered a "sweeping being about like the meeting of two great investigation" of the so-called money steamers in midocean. trust. But congress will adjourn before any "sweeping investigation" jority really is in earnest? Why, when the matter was up six weeks in the public mind, having attained vestigation? Could it have been because the democrats did not desire to offend the money interests on the eve of a great national election? It It must make the men who believed seems that this order has been very in Cleveland and who have come now well timed, for in the natural course to revere his leadership and memory of events no finding and report is post- General Steridan to have the Third feel most zealous in their eagerness sible until after the presidential elec-

of Cleveland as one of his campaign lar standing committee on banking consisting of sixty-eight voices. Among could not be relied upon to make a five bars. genuine effort to uncover the facts. Mr. Bryan insisted upon a special committee for the investigation. Did will henceforth do Mr. Bryan know what he was talking title of James Waish & Co. republican ticket for a state executive about? It begins to seem as if he office. The successful candidate among the republican contestants for and the lines of battle are really north on Seventeenth street near Webauditor of public accounts is William drawn, it will be interesting to see ster, a reckless safety bicycle rider B. Howard, for many years a resident how much of an asset this probe dashed around the corner and into her proves to be for the fat friers for the horse, which became unmanageable and democratic campaign.

Omaha taxpayers will have saved more than \$500,000 through depreciation of the water plant in the six from home as well. The position of praiser's report was handed down. If vania. auditor is a most important and responsible one, carrying with it, as it may yet get the plant for the original does, supervision of all insurance \$3,000,000, which we were assured would buy it.

Notwithstanding the length of the taken under advisement. ballot, it is to be hoped that the vote let the successful delegates get their it challenged the dairymen. tion, Mr. Howard's nomination canventions are called to order.

Well, well, well! We thought the sheriff last year and his induction into office had put an end completely year. to this annually recurring talk about illegal registration and election

And to think that only a few months ago our old and esteemed friend, Edgar Howard, put Champ Clark clear out of the running and happened that John L. Webster, attor chalked him up as a political im- ney for the street railway company, apo possibility.

Both our candidates for United The Daughters of the American auto-vehicle has furnished the cause Lincoln. That is worth marking America's representative to the curona-

> An Impressive Epitaph Pittsburgh Dispatch. 'Tell my wife in New York that have done my best in doing my duty." was the message sent by Benjamin Gug-genheim. There could hardly be a

stronger or better epitaph. Vagaries of Human Minds. Pittsburgh Dupatch. Incidentally after reading all those widely differing and often flatly contradictory stories of survivors as to what as far as the yard.

d, can we wonder at the frequent

Agitation Good and Bad. New York World. In saying there is greater danger than of war because of "increased facilties for fanning agitation," the imperia jingo policies.

Toning Up the System.

Pittsburgh Post. It is a fairly good plan to start a gar-

In a Natshell.

As the facts come out it is made appar-Among the new leaders of New subjected, was it not poor husiness to

Placing the Responsibility.

Looking Backward This Day in Omaha COMPILED FROM BEE FILES

April 29.

or wrongs inflicted, instead of turn- of Fifteenth and Farnam to inaugurate the new Hanscom street car line just nue. The party, under escort of General obliged China to send, for a certain Manager Marsh, included Hon. A. J. period of years, many of the best of Hanscom, Hon. Chris Hartman and Hon John R. Manchester. The appearance of the cur and the distinguished party creates the simost excitement all along the route. As the car was passing W. J. Connell's residence on the return it met the outgoing car and passed on a siding

Lieutenant Charles E. Kilbourne of the Second cavairy, inspector in the signal service, arrived on his way east from a will be concluded. Why has action tour of inspection covering all the sta-been delayed if the democratic ma-The new Millard hotel will open June 15

Internal revenue collections in Nebraska ago, did it not order the sweeping in-vestigation? Could it have been be-Oscar Wilde's celebrated ivory-handled cane arrived by express today. He left it

> The contest belt for the fifteen-ball nonnext Friday night.

him up.

The house's order places this investigation in the hands of the reguof Cleveland as one of his campaign are standing committee on banding co servient to Wall street influence and is now at work drilling his people on the

The popular wholesale liquer house on the corner of Douglas and Fourteenth streets, known as W. J. Murphy & Co.

ran, throwing Mrs. Arnold out of the buggy. Her head struck the pavement and she was taken to her home, 1723 If the master's report sticks, Cuming street, unconscious. The cycle rider rode off as fast as he could. Billy Hettrick, an employe in Swift a

Co.'s South Omaha fertilizer department received word that he had inherite years that has elapsed since the ap- \$16,000 from a relative back in Pennsyl-

The Board of Public Works received bids for paying Leavenworth street from Sixteenth to Twenty-ninth. Hugh Murfor Slogz Falls granite; J. E. Riley, \$1.47% for vitrifled brick. The bids wer

Milkmen were stiffening up to fight or qualifications for this work will not be questioned. While other capable

Hank O'Day was in the box for Colum bus, which beat Omaha 5 to 3 in a good The Danish Ladies' Relief society,

Well, well, well! We thought the whose annual report was made through triumph of the reform democratic Mrs. William Nevs, secretary, showed a

Ten Years Ago— The regular session of the city council failed of a quorum because five members. who had stood as one on corporation as sessments, had gone to the home of D T. Mount for a quiet little session. The five were Mount, Hascall, Trostler, Whitehorn and President Karr. It just R. S. Hail, for the Omaha Water comsession did not vote to boost corporation

He was returning from the Pacific coast

James E. Woodard, a Creighton unb as Nebraska's representative in the interstate oratorical contest, acco by his father, Assistant Postmaster J. I. Woodard; D. J. Hurley as the committee teeman from Creighton, and Pred J. Kerr as delegate from Bellevue college. Burglars deprived H. K. Burket of F. which he had in the family sugar bowl

They also took some lowers and clothing W. A. Carson and his son, Dexter, left

near Madison, Wis., where he would rest. a few weeks. Ak-Sar-flen governors meet and fix ber 24 to October 4.

People Talked About

Now is the accepted time for planting the free seeds of congressmen. If the seeds fall, plant the congressman in the

Women's big hats are useful if not or namental. In a street car smashup in Brooklyn the big brims saved the wearers' faces from flying glass.

Dr. Cook writes from Paris to the Chi ing energy and postage. Let him come hundred thousand dollars, though the fee home and apply his musterful talent as system is generally so irresponsible nome and apply his manter in the fas-no very close estimate can be made of the cinating history of the Ananias club. sting history of the Ananias club. Mrs. Sarah Elimonds Seelye of La Porte, Tex., is the only woman member of the Grand Army of the Republic. In 1861 she donned male attire and enlisted in the Second Michigan infantry. She in the Second Michigan infantry. She in cases, and no accounting for the sums served as a private in the arregiment and in cases, and no accounting for the sums received was required. This will now be took part in the battle of Williamsburg. She was later appointed an orderly an New York Sun. served in that capacity at the battle of After the event the world knows that Fredericksburg, carrying messages be-

The appearance of former Senator The appearance of former Senator spent all of her time and energy for Beveridge of Indiana with his speech-making stunt in the Massachusetts camber son, Harry Thaw, from an insane group of graduates turned out by the to the world is to be found in present that was fallible. A thousand and a paign caused wide circulation of a cruel asylum. Whatever eight are the mental lives seem to have been wantonly seem to have jest plucked from the remarks of two of the case, this proves again that men who were discussing his eloquence, mothers, rich and poor, high and low. "A wonderful speaker," said one: "you allke are the most loyal friends God ever ought to hear him." "I have heard him." vouchsafed humanity. Fathers and said the other. "I listened to him for brothers, husbands and wives, sweet-



ing in the political world. When a half dozen men are going around over the that may well set all of us thinking executive, and it will be a disgrace to to paralyze them? renomination and election to go by de fault. Ex-President Roosevelt has made the mistake of his life in this business DANIEL DELL

Confirmed in His Conclusions. SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., April 25-To the Editor of The Bee: When I wrote to you a few days ago in regard to the Roosevelt-Taft fight, I did not expect that the letter would be published, but I have been astonished at the number of people who have commended me for that letter that I wrote when I was for Teddy in a deliberative body of high about asleep after serving on an election standing after due debate. They do board for over twenty-four hours. It is my as Roosevelt, La Follette and others would that if Roosevelt is nominated that he will be defeated next Nevember for the people of the United States are not ready for an empire and Mexican oligarchy just yet a while. The Roosevel people all turn out at the primaries be cause they have been worked up, while the Taft people have let the Roosevelt people walk all over them.

F A AGNEW.

Volunteers! Spontaneous Combustion OMAHA. April 27.—To the Editor of The Bee:My oldest son has had his field of labor for a number of years in Central America. He was mostly in Honduras and Gautemala. In their/many war he often happened into the firing line At such times his services were much in demand. His own work is entirely in the line of peace. Business people wanted him to be in their establishments. His presence saved them from the marauders for even the looters have respect for Uncle Sam. One of his boys in any bust At rebellious outbreaks he often sav

gangs of volunteers too-called there com-They (many of themy volunteered at the point of a gun. The dilemma before them was, "join the ranks or be shot." They joined; but lest they should change their minds on the way the preto a long rope-having trusted ones at each end. In this way the volunteers marched by squads to the place of rendez-vous. Fine, was it not?

A similar game is often played in a less dangerous line. A pastor was to leave a church for another. I didn't know the man. I knew some of his parishoners who told me the plan. The pastor himself wrote the resolution to be presented, at was to be surprised at that meeting with a gold watch to be given by his admiring friends. All this was in the plan and to guard against failure he himself wrote out a list of names, with amounts experced from each. He also appointed trusty collectors. The thing worked. Those in the secret were prudent. The real author of the plan was known to few. The dear man got his watch. The resolutions expressed sincere regrets that so efficiently and faithful a man couldn't stay indefinitely. The dilemma before the contributors was not: "The ranks or a builet. But pay or be counted meanly narrow." Their deeds were a spontaneous outflow of admiring love. If it hadn't been so, we'd call it a holdup of a

Such parting resolutions are often de ceptive. I had very few pastorates. My but was to stay a long time. I never, but lutions to mollify my feelings.

Omaha's Educational Opportunity. SPENCER, Neb., April 3.—To the Editor of The Bee: As a fellow martyr to the ingratitude of republics, allow me a few words on the permanent interests of Nebraska people,

Insofar as my candidacy for superin-tendent stood for anything, it was a protest against the wasted years of school

meet again in Omaha. They are much more interested in the doing of things more interested in the doing of things than the talking of them. Farmers are swarming to town to educate their chil-dren. Why not to Omaha?

Why not start a crusade for a high school polytechnic in Omaha? The machine shops, the smelter, pack-

I think textiles, aluminum, carborundum. Portland cement and chemicals could be produced commercially, but, of course, not profitably, in a great building given up to high school pupils By attending the technical part of the time and the regular literary school part

of the time, such pupils would need fewer high school buildings.

Federal Court Clerks' Pees. There is said to be a good prospect for

the passage of a bill by this congress offices of clerks of the United States discago Post lamenting the cynical attitude of the paper in treating the doctor's litterly by salaries instead. It is believed erary achievements. The doctor is wast-that this will effect a saving of several to the bill, no salary can be over \$5,000, though under the present method clerks have reaped harvests several times as large as that. In many instances judges have permitted them to be made masters

Most Loyal of Friends.

It is said that Mrs. Mary C. Thaw has two hours one night." "What did he hearts and friends may fail one, but talk about?" "I don't know," was the mothers stick through thick and thin, and they go down with the ship,

New York Sun: The eclipse of the Hon.

Boles Penrose and the radiant rise of the Hon. William Film as republican boss of Pennsglvania fills the sons of Belial with Kidder-He's not. He makes out statements for the sons of righteousness with hope. New York Sun: The eclipse of the Hon.

BEATRICE. Neb., April 27.—To the Editor of The Bee: As a natunch republican, I cannot refrain from commenting state of the present constant refrain from comments and the present constant refrain from comme lican, I cannot refrain from commenting stal government under the present conton the deplorable conditions now existter ago, a bit of statistical information

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: Both in Neamong the people as that is really what brasks and in Oregon more republicans amounts to, it is time to call a halt than demograts turned out to the priand go back to the old time methods of maries. What is the cause of the apathy among democrats? In the face of the a square deal which is his due. I defys possibility of a party victory is the anyone to say he has not made a good recollection of the early 90s coming back

St. Louis Republic: It is a sorry fresk of fortune that afflicts Robert M. La Foliette, a man with a good deal to say that is worth hearing, with a disorder of the throat. Some Americans who talk Journal. all of the time and may nothing have never discovered that they had a larynx or an epigiottis.

Philadelphia Record: By a vote of 87 to 45 the Ohio constitutional convention for the recall of public officials as an amendment to the existing organic law of the state. This is a deliberate setting things differently in Oklahoma and Aribut the action of the Ohio con vention will commend itself to public opinion in more seasoned and settled

Where freedom broadens slowly down From precedent to precedent On Duty to the Cruel End.

Boston Transcript.

The musicians of the Titanic. played a requiem for the sinking ship and went down to their deaths with it, are the disaster. No more striking, more graphic incident is reported than that of the people on the lifeboats hearing the fainting melody of the band coming over the water to them. These musicians diat their posts, for doubtless in the bekeep up the courage of the pas and they played to the terrible end. Read stange of the music and the musician Girondists singing the Marseillaise at the foot of the scaffold the singers dimin

work until there was one voice only, and

Philadelphia Record.

A bill on the calendar of the hous with a fair prospect of passage in both houses before congress adjourns, does away with the fee system in the offices of the cierks of United States district courts, substituting salaries not to exceed \$5,000 per year. The effect of this change in the law would be to do away with some very snug resting places for political favorites, with a saving to the government of \$400,000 per year. fees of some of the cierks overtop the salaries of the judges and other more responsible officials.

GRINS AND GROAMS.

"Who was that man who was falking so loudly just now."
"Eh! den't you know him? Well, well!
Couldn't you tell by his talk, who he
was?"
"No, I couldn't tell whether he was a
puglisst or a politician."—Clareland Plain
Dealer.

"Now listen to me." /

"You are threatened with a nervous breakdown."
"I know it."
"You must out, worrying."
"I can't do it, doc, until after all the players are signed. It wouldn't be lovalty to the home keam."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

ARCHIE BUTT.

J. M. Lewis in Houston Post. Archibal, Archibald, Willingham Butt, You have somehow made us feel like mutt.

liways we've made you the butt of our Jokes, Always we've handed you giggles and pokes, Gibed at you, jeered at you, laughed at you, look A joy in just reaching for you with the hook; Now when we think of you language is Now

we sit here and with tears on our cheek, And a lump in our throat and a hurt in our breast— It was good-natured raillery—naught but d give the world could we only The gibes and the jeers and the giggles and all. grow pale, grow pale, at in hand with a smile, at

the gall he ship as it sunk, with a cheery goobye To those you had helped to the boats. In

like a man.

With a smile on your lips and a call o'er the foam.

"Remember nie, please, to the people hack home."

Oh, the years of the world have been many and wide.

In each age of the world have been heroes who've died.

For their fellows whose deaths were impressive and grand.

But you-faring death with your hat in your hand.

And a smile on your lips—oh, all lanyour hand
And a smile on your lips—oh, all lanquage is weak.
There a hurt in our heart and a tear
on our cheek.
God rest you, brave knight, in your God rest you, brave knight, in you sieep, neath the foam.
You're enshrined in the hearts of "people back home."

Coming Soon! The Great Annual Event Spring Cleaning

Once a Tragedy, Now a Comedy Will positively appear on date to

be announced later. You cannot avoid it. You cannot

miss it. You must be present. Special attention is called to the newest and most interesting addition to

the cast, viz: Miss Vacuum Cleaner. This is the young star who has lifted burdens from thousands of backs-who has made multitudes laugh-who has turned spring house cleaning from a tragedy to a comedy. She is a conscientions worker, a tireless performer, and withal her efforts are sweet and clean.

Miss Vacuum Cleaner has made it possible for the family to eat regularly during the great clean feast.

For further particulars as to prices ask any dealer in electric supplies. Omaha Electric Light & Power Co.

Texas Is as Beautiful in May as Ancient Greece

In the selection of dates for the 8th Annual Convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America, no better time in the entire year could have been chosen with the view of making this meeting not only a great success from the educational standpoint, but to give the delegates and visitors an unusual treat in the way of entertainment and pleasure; features will be tendered the big men of the advertising world not only at Dallas, where the business sessions will be held, but at all points covered by the circle tour of 1,000 miles through the heart of Texas, which will be both unique and extraordinary. Entire trip in Pullmans, \$75.00. It's cheaper than staying at home. Start 9 A. M. May 18th, 1912,

> Victor White Chas. C. Rosewater J. A. C. Kennedy R. B. Wallace