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JOB PRINTING. The Job Department of the Press is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work.

Nearly every famous train in the country has a nickname, which, in the majority of instances, more adequately describes the train than does its official name.

The Philadelphia Record relates that a pigtail party was given in his studio the other night by an artist from the East.

Fournier's success comes from his nerve, says a Cincinnati observer. The average automobilist thinks he is in danger when he is going at a mile in two or three minutes.

It is said by a correspondent of the Baltimore Sun that West Virginia is rapidly becoming more and more the mecca of the negroes of the south.

I was interested a few days ago, says a writer for the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune, in an item from a German paper giving the result of the investigations upon the work done by the human heart.

The rather strenuous wife of a western congressman met Wu Ting-Fang at a dinner and eagerly sought to engage him in conversation.

TARIFF OF PHILIPPINES.

Provisions of the New Protective Measure That Will Probably Become a Law.

The house of representatives has acted with commendable promptness in regard to providing a tariff system for the Philippine islands.

The act passed is a simple but effective measure. It imposes the Dingley rates on goods entering the Philippines from the United States.

At least, such is the case as regards the majority. The bill was passed by a vote of 163 to 128.

The Philippine tariff bill now goes to the senate, and though equal celebrity is not to be anticipated there, it is reasonable to hope that the measure will pass that body and receive executive sanction not long after the re-assembling of congress in January.

Democrats Might Try It. Andrew Lang seems to have inoculated London society with the virus of a new fad, which the same is crystal-gazing.

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PRESS OPINIONS.

The Ohio democrats will earnestly hope that any misunderstanding between Mr. Foraker and Mr. Hanna will be war to the knife this time.

Peru has deserted the silver standard and the agitation for the gold standard in Mexico is growing.

The democrats appear to be afraid that President Roosevelt will not get into a fight with Senator Hanna.

It may be remarked to those democrats who are denouncing the Kansas City platform that it is the latest and therefore the binding expression of democratic principles.

Secretary Gage's retirement from the cabinet will give the "I told you so" fraternity a chance to gloat.

GAGE'S RETIREMENT.

Effective Work of the Secretary of the Treasury by President McKinley's Appointment.

The retirement of Secretary Gage from the cabinet, which seems to have been decided upon, will be a distinct loss to the country.

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BRYAN'S CONTRIBUTION.

Opinion of the Late Leader as to What Constitutes a Democrat.

In a late issue of the Commoner Mr. Bryan makes a contribution of some little value to the extremely meager information bearing on the question: "What is a democrat?"

Another paper which attracted special attention was that read before the meeting of the Bacteriological society by Prof. F. G. Novy, of the University of Michigan, who made public for the first time the result of his struggle to find a perfect germicide.

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A YEAR OF BIG THINGS.

Record of 1901 for Development of American Manufactures Never Has Been Equaled.

New York, Jan. 1.—Dun's Review will say on January 4: Most marvelous of all the phenomenal evidences of advancement in business during the year was the progress made in manufacturing.

All records of output for hard and soft coal were surpassed during 1901, despite the scarcity of cars that retarded operation.

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TO DEFEAT MERGER.

Officials of Seven States Meet at Helena, Mont.

They Decide to Begin Proceedings in the Courts in Minnesota to Prevent the Proposed Consolidation of Three Great Railway Systems.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 1.—A definite plan of action to defeat the proposed consolidation of the Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Burlington railway systems was unanimously agreed upon yesterday by the governors and attorneys general of seven northwestern states.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 1.—Judge William Lochren, of the United States circuit court, yesterday dissolved the temporary injunction issued in the case of Peter Power against the Northern Pacific Railroad Co. by Judge Elliott, of the district court of Hennepin county, on Monday.

It also restrained the Northern Pacific and its managers from entering into any agreement by which the road would be consolidated or merged, through the medium of the Northern Securities Co., with the Great Northern or the Burlington, or either of them.

Mr. Power's attorneys authorized the statement that the fight had just commenced and that they will appeal to the United States supreme court.

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LARGER SCHOOL BUILDINGS REQUIRED.

Owing to the recent large influx of population into Western Canada it has become absolutely necessary in many parts of Manitoba, Assiniboia, Saskatchewan and Alberta to increase the school accommodation.

The free homestead laws and the cheap railway lands offer great inducements, which are opening up the new settlements.

TELEPHONE BUSINESS.

The Electrical Review gives data on the telephone business in the United States, showing that including all companies there are 4,311 exchanges in operation with 2,378,717 telephones in use.

FORCE OF HABIT.

He had worked for many years in a dry goods store, but fate placed him behind the counter in a coal office, and that was the cause of his undoing.

THE HANDSOMEST CALENDAR.

Of the season (in ten colors) six beautiful heads (on six sheets, 10x12 inches), reproductions of paintings by Moran, issued by General Passenger Department, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, will be sent on receipt of twenty-five cents.

IT WASN'T SNAIPIPOX.

One of the colored porters on the Hannibal & St. Joe was quarantined in Kansas City because of the smallpox.

BEST FOR THE BOWELS.

No matter what ails you, headache to a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right.

WHEN HE FORGETS.

When a young lover figures on whether he can support a wife, he counts in everything except the rent, butcher and grocery, clothes, and incidentals.

WHEN YOU ORDER.

Baker's Chocolate or Baker's Cocoa examine the package you receive and make sure that it bears the well-known trademark of the chocolate firm.

NECESSARILY.

She—Really, my husband is quite a philosopher. Her Aunt—Well, a man might as well bow to the inevitable—when he's married to it!

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure.

WHEN THE SUN HAS CEASED ITS WATCH TO KEEP.

Sweat or fruit acids will not discolor goods dyed with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES.

TAXES COME HIGH, BUT WE MUST HAVE THEM.

Chicago Daily News.

ST. JACOBS OIL POSITIVELY CURES Rheumatism Neuralgia Backache Headache Feetache All Bodily Aches AND CONQUERS PAIN.