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The Job department of the PRESS is complete a fords facilities for doing the best class o ork. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAY RINTING. *RINTING. No paper will be discontinued until arrear-ages are paid, except at the option of the pub-lisher. Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

A subtle cause of unhappiness is

inability to give one's self wholly to the work in hand.

Whole-When we are in Heartedness. circumstances that

call for light heartedness, and for thorough entrance into the spirit of an occasion, our brows are clouded with business perplexities, or some unsolved problem starts up and engrosses our attention. Now you can never make yourself an agreeable companion, or be happy yourself in that double-minded fashion. There will always be a dark cloud hovering just over your head, and you will feel the gloom of it, and others will see the shadow. What is the use of going away on a pleasure jaunt if you have to take your cares and troubles with you? You might just as well nurse them at home if you are bound to go into the nursing business. The peculiar thing about these people, who can never quite enter whole-heartedly into the pleasures of life, is that they are not usu ally very efficient in their serious tasks. When they should be all attention to an important matter their wits are apt to be wool-gathering on some pleasure excursion. The truth is that we should resolutely give ourselves up to whatever we are doing; put all there is of us into the business in hand. Enter into the spirit of it, and when we are through with it enter into the spirit of something else. It is a matter of will, of self-control. The man who says that he cannot do it has not learned how to run the human machine.

People who live in cities and see the evidences of their enormous trade

seldom realize the Hens and Hens' Eggs. and manufacture extent and importance of the industries and commerce that are carried on outside of the cities. And, after all, the towns are but small factors in the world's work. It is the farmer, declares the Brooklyn Eagle, who is the support of everything. He does not cut a figure in the social or official world, but he is the world's mainstay, none the less. But while we have a notion of the value of the grain crop, and of hay and potatoes, it is startling to discover the value of poultry. Walking and ovate the hens of this nation added last year more than \$281,000,-000 to the national resources. We paid four dollars apiece, every man, woman and child of us, for fowls on eggs, or both, in a twelvemonth. Considering how many keep hens and do pride must have secured some votes not have to buy, this really means a for Jones as the chairman of the demnot keep them. And these industrious plicity in regard to trusts is the rock that wrecked him. the working season, and they occupied nearly 5,740,000 farms. Would anyone have supposed there were so many farms and eggs? It all proves what an industrious nation this is, for even the hens share in the fierce energy of the populace, and do their share toward warmly setting forth the breakfast tables of the republic.

Political Downfail of the Chairman of the Democratic National Committee,

Some facts originally presented by the Globe-Democrat have led to the defeat in his own state of Senator James K. Jones, of Arkansas. Mr. Jones has been condemned in a general primary of democratic voters in the state, a ma jority having been given his competitor, ex-Gov. James P. Clarke. Senator Jones' political downfall is the more notable because he is the chairman of the democratic national committee and held this position throughout the two Bryan campaigns. But opposition to Bryan, or a lurch toward the reorganization of the democratic party, is not the cause of the repudiation of Jones in Arkansas. He played false on the trust question. While he was a director and stockholder in the round cotton bale monopolistic company he was among the foremost in denouncing the trust system. The Globe-Democrat gave the plain facts in the case. Senator Jones denied them and resorted to abuse of this paper as the trump card of his campaign for another term as senator. But the democrats of Arkansas examined charges, perceived their truth and the double dealing of Jones, and have accordingly retired him as a public servant, states the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. No democratic platform in any

state has been more radically opposed to trusts than those adopted in Ar-

WHERE WORDS FAIL. JOMES S.SEN 0 0 6 6 362 0

BRYAN-Nope; I've nothing to say. - Minneapolis Journa'.

kansas, with the full cooperation of Jones. At the same time, Jones was one of the round cotton bale combination, composed of a consolidation of business interests, with many plants throughout the south, and so conduct-ed that competition in its particular line is driven to the wall. Jones has been trying to make the democrats believe that his particular trust is an innocent business expansion, and that, if objectionable, it ought to be pardoned because the Globe-Democrat ex posed it. The democrats of Arkansas do not see it in that light. They condemn a senator who runs with the hounds and holds with the hares. State larger figure, for the folks who do ocratic national committee, but his du-

A VERY POOR ISSUE. Mr. Watterson's View of the Main

Question for Consideration in the Campaign of 1904.

Editor Watterson wired his paper from Washington that the plan of dealing with the Philippines reported by the democrats of the senate committee "undoubtedly lays down the line on which the democratic party will stand and fight the next presidential stand and ngnt the next presidential battle." That is as the Journal pre-dicted. "Here or hereabouts," says Mr. Watterson, "we have the para-mount issue for 1904." This view, however, is subject to the important reservation suggested by the Journal that the democrats may be compelled by force of circumstances to abandon the plan before 1904. It is the misfortune of democratic statesmanship that it has no capacity for original action. Being built to float with the tide, it is apt to be left high and dry when the tide goes out. It never sails the high seas makes from port to port, as republican statesmanship does. In 1864, when the democrats declared in their national platform that the war for the union was a failure and demanded the immediate cessation of hostilities, they did not anticipate that decisive union victories would render their declaration obsolete and absurd before the election. The chances are a hundred to one that before the democratic national convention meets in 1904 the Philippine problem will have been so far solved by republican statesmanship and the Filipinos will have be-

A GIGANTIC TRUST. The Hardware Jobbing Inter

ests Combine.

ill Have a Capital of \$120,000,000 General Headquarters to be in St. Louis--Local Concerns to Make Their Own Selling Prices.

New York, April 10.—Authoritative announcement of a consolidation of the great hardware jobbing interests of the country in a combination capitalized at \$120,000,000 is made by the Iron Age in its issue to-day. The consolidation embraces the Simmons Consolidation embraces the simmons Hardware Co., of St. Louis; Bindley Hardware Co., of Pittsburg; William Bingham Co., of Cleveland; Supplee Hardware Co., of Philadelphia, and 6 other houses representing nearly Advances of the second rolled in the combination.

rolled in the combination. The Iron Age says: "The organi-zation not being technically com-pleted, there has been no formal choice of officers. The financing of the company is attended to by Moore & Schley, of New York, and George B. Hill & Co., of Pittsburg, Pa. It is in-tended to incorporate under the laws of New Jersey with a capital of \$120.of New Jersey with a capital of \$120,-000,000—\$40,000 preferred and \$80,000,000 common stock. The gen-eral headquarters for buying and selling and transportation of goods will be in St. Louis. The eastern headquarters will be in Naw York headquarters will be in New York

City. "The principle of home rule will be recognized in connection with the lo cal houses, who will make their own selling prices, except so far as this may interfere with the buying de-partment or the expressed wishes of the manufacturers, which it will be the policy of the company to respect. Each house will be held responsible

Each house will be held responsible for the results of **s**ts business and if these are not satisfactory, the house will be closed up. "As at present constituted, it is estimated by the company that they embrace something like two-thirds of the distributing efficiency of the hardware line. They are content that the other third should remain competitors, as it is not intended to competitors, as it is not intended to monopolize the jobbing business."

AN APPEAL.

Will Try to Raise \$5,000,000 for Rellef of Boer Women and Children, Chicago, April 10.—The Gov. Yates Boer relief fund committee yesterday issued the following appeal to the public: "The entire population of the two South African republics at the beginning of the war was less than one-tenth that of the popula-tion of Cook county, Ill. This hand-fu. of people have for 30 months been at war with soldiers gathered from all over the world by Great Britain. For more than one year the women and children have been herd d in re-concentrado camps, being thus deprived of all means of self-support. They are now totally dependent. One-haif of the children are dead, but there is still time to help the other half. The mortality among the women has also been frightful. ongst

"We desire to collect \$5,000,000 checks and drafts of one dollar each, from all parts of the United States, payable to Theodore Roosevelt, to be presented to him as a petition for such aid as he may be able to render these people, and as a practical and beneficat demonstration of the sym-pathy of the people of America for hese reconcentrado camp sufferers. These checks and drafts should be sent to Peter Van Vlissingen, 172 These sent in with the Almighty once in awhile it might hope to succeed. To propose

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Ferrible Tragedy in a Washington State Home. Everett, Wash., April 10.—A shock-ing tragedy occurred last evening, when Mrs. Shepard R. Bucey, wife of the assistant cashier of the American national bank, killed her husband, their 4-year-old son and herself in a fit of insanity. In the parlor lay the form of Mrs. Bucey, shot through the heart. By her side was her 4the heart. By her side was her 4-year-old boy, Eugene, with a builet hole through his head. In the dining room adjoining the parlor was Mr. Bucey's body with two builet holes behind the left ear. The most re-liable account of the tragedy is told by a servant Flizaheth McNultz who by a servant, Elizabeth McNulty, who said:

Down and Unt. "My daughter tells me," said old Mr. Lotsercoyne, "that you are anxious to make Lotsercoyne, "that you are anxious to make her happy." "Exactly so," replied the pompous Lord

"Exactly so," replied the pompous Lord Norox. "I'm glad to hear it," said the wise old gentleman. "I was afraid you wanted to marry her. Good day." — Philadelphia Press.

\$33.00 to Pacific Coast.

\$33.00 to Pacific Coast. Chicago & Northwestern R'y.; during the months of March and April \$30,00 from Chi-cago to Helena, Butte, Anaconda, Ogden and Salt Lake City; \$30.50 Spokane; \$33.00 Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Seat-tie, Tacoma, Vancouver, Victoria and a large number of other points. Tourist Eleeping Cars daily to the Pacific Coast. For maps and particulars apply to near-est ticket agent or address W. B. Kniskern, 22 Fifth avenue, Chicago, III.

Obliging. Guard-Now, then, miss, get in quick, please. The train is just going to start! Young Lady-But I want to give my sister

"Get in, I'll see to that."-Tit-Bits.

Do You Want a Home Out West? Fruit, agricultural and oil land, in 5 to 40 acre tracts for sale. Write for illustrated prospectus with map. The Exchange Oil and Refining Co., 450 Equitable Bldg., Den-ver, Col. Heliable Agents Wanted.

A Source of Sadness. "Our delusions are the sweetest things in life," said the gentle optimist. "How about the man who thinks he can sing?" asked the cynic.—Washington Star.

Earliest Russian Millet.

Will you be short of hay? If so plant a plenty of this prodigally prolific mille 5 TO 8 TOXS OF RICH HAY PER AGRE. Price 50 Ibs \$1.90; 100 Ibs, \$3.00, low freights John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis. ghts

Better unconscious egotism than self-con-scious humility.-Wellspring.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

The street car motorman is one of the ew men who is always ahead with his work. -Indianapolis News.

The objection to getting a run for our money is that it's frequently such a long walk back.—Puck.

Nothing unmans us more quickly than the ontagion of servility.—Edwin Markham, in uccess.

Method is the very hinge of business; and there is no method without punctual-ity.-Cecil. . .

Stillness of person and steadiness of fea-tures are signal marks of good breeding.—O. W. Holmes.

He that blows the coals in quarrels he has nothing to do with has no right to complain if the sparks fly in his face.—Franklin.

Instructor-"In what respect did the four. teenth and nineteenth centuries resemble each other?" De Grees—"The nineteenth century resembled the fourteenth in that both were a hundred years long.—Harvard Lampoon.

The quality of directness is characteris-tic of all men of great executive ability, be-cause they value too much to squander it in useless and meaningless conversation; it is an indispensable quality of the leader or manager of all large enterprises .- Success.

manager of all large enterprises.-Success. Smithson (the celebrated poet, novelist, playwright, etc.)--"But, my dear young lady, I really don't understand you. I haven't been winning any ping-pong tourna-ment. I don't play." Miss Brown-"Oh, but surely I beard our hostess say you were the Mr. Smithson."-Punch.

the Mr. Smithson. —Punch. Sweet Sympathy. — Mrs. Youngwed — "Yes, Mr. Youngwed didn't feel at all well this morning, so I just made him stay home from the office." Mrs. Naybor—"Indeed! I notice all your carpets are up, and your back slied's painted, and—" Mrs. Young-wed—"Yes, I got Mr. Youngwed to do all that while he was home to-day."—Philadel-blia Press. phia Press



From the Treasurer of the Young People's Christian Tem-perance Association, Elizabeth Caine, Fond du Lac, Wis.

'DEAR MRS. PINKHAM :- I want to tell you and all the young ladies of the country, how grateful I am to you for all the benefits I have received from using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-table Compound. I suffered for



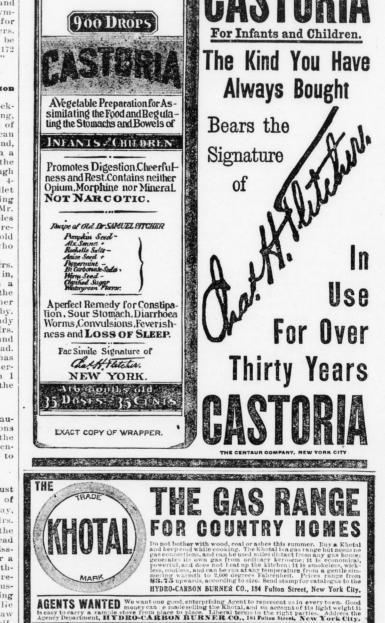
MISS ELIZABETH CAINE.

eight months from suppressed men-struation, and it effected my entire system until I became weak and debil-itated, and at times felt that I had a itated, and at times felt that I had a hundred aches in as many places. I only used the Compound for a few weeks, but it wrought a change in me which I felt from the very beginning. I have been very regular since, have no pains, and find that my entire body is as if it was renewed. I gladly recom-mend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-table Compound to everybody."-MISS ELIZABETH CAINE, 69 W. Division St., Fond du Lae, Wis-g5000 forfeit if

MISS ELIZABETH CAINE, 69 W. DIVISION St., Fond du Lac, Wis.—\$5000 forfeit if above testimonial is not genuine. At such a time the greatest aid to nature is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It prepares the young system for the coming change, and is the surest reliance for woman's ills of every nature. woman's ills of every nature.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all young women who are ill to write her for free advice. Address Lynn, Mass.





Two young women who played in the ping-pong tournament recently complained of a swelling and tenderness in their right wrists, and it troubled them so that they consulted a physician, reports the New York Telegram. "You've both got a case of ping-pong wrist," said the physi-"You'll have to wear a tight cian. bandage around the wrist for three or four days and apply some liniment that I'll give you. I've had a half a dozen cases of ping-pong wrist within the last week, and it begins to look as though we're going to have an epidemic of it."

Boston's former leading story paper, called Gleason's Pictorial, published the following item on July 2, 1853: "The Boston museum has been outraging decency by reviving a vulgar negro extravaganza, Uncle Tom's Cabin." Opinions change at the Hub as well as elsewhere.

The florist has grown independent of seasons. You have only to name a date on which you want a certain blossom, and he will have it ready for you. The art of retarding flowwas always curious, and now it has widened into very large dimensions.

Crooked politicians often raise a hue and cry against the agencies by which the truth about them is made known, but the people are not the plaything they imagine. Partisan bigotry is not, as Jones supposed, so strong in Aras Jones supposed, so strong in Ar-kansas that the people will condone double dealing. This form of political hypocrisy is worked to the limit by leading democrats in Missouri. They

try to meet a damaging fact by epi-thets bestowed upon the Globe-Demoerat for printing if. Democratic or-ators in Missouri wait for a round of applause when they denounce the jour-nal that has laid bare their record of government by the ring for the ring. They may get the superficial approval expected, but the silent verdict at the ballot box will be different, as Jon has discovered in Arkansas. The truth will prevail. Jones felt so secure in the assumed blind partisanship of his party in his own state that he thought he could safely go into the trusts against which he thundered on the stump. "Served him right" will be the judgment of the country.

DA few days ago a "Bryan dollar dinner" was given at Chattanooga Tenn., and Congressman Gaines, o that state, sent to his constituents this sentiment: "Our peerless leader, who has done nothing to forfeit our love except to die for us, crucified on a cross of gold." The same day Mr. Bryan moved into a \$3,000 brick barn which he had built on his Nebraska farm, seeking temporary shelter while his \$8,000 house was being completed. A \$500 Jersey cow occupied a distant part of the barn in which Mr. Bryan had domiciled himself and family.

cago Chronicle (Dem.).

put its hand and that implies the su-periority of Filipino to American methods-with this abortive essay at constructive statesmanship compare the republican plan of suppressing insur-rection, asserting American sovereignty, extending civil government, establishing schools and familiarizing the people with the blessings of constitutional liberty. All of the best peo-ple in the islands are now in full sympathy with the United States, and there is reason to believe that long before the democratic convention meets in 1904 the last vestige of the insurrection will have disappeared. By that time the American people would as soon think of giving up Alaska on Hawaii as the Philippines, and what Mr. Watterson now thinks a paramount is-sue will be recalled only to be laughed at.

come so quiet, contented and happy un-

der the American flag that democrats themselves will be glad to have it for-

gotten that they ever proposed that the United States should relinquish

its sovereignty and remit the islands to a condition of anarchy. The trou-

ble with the democratic party is that it is never in partnership with events. It

is forever trying to reverse the de-crees of Providence. It it would stand

the relinquishment of American sov-

the stars in their courses, says the In-

dianapolis Journal.

ereignty in the Philippines is fighting

With the unstatesmanlike and fan-

tastic democratic plan of dealing with the Philippines—a plan that assumes

the inability of the United States to

carry through a work to which it has

POLITICAL DRIFT.

TThe Arkansas democrats would not take Mr. Bryan's word for it that Senator Jones was no plutocrat.— Indianapolis News (Ind.).

Admirers of democratic simplicity are apprehensively asking what Mr. Bryan's house will be, if his barn is good enough for a dwelling.-Washington Star.

The war taxes have been repealed Another democratic issue smashed, and another hope that was cherished when the country was forced into a declaration of hostilities against Spain has gone glimmering, — Cleveland Leader.

Stranger things have happened than that Bryas should head a ticket in 1904 in opposition to the democrats Few plutocrats are better fixed that He accepted one nomination in 1900 Mr. Bryan is in his home affairs. His "erucifixion" is a beautiful myth.—Chi-vention was held.—St. Louis Globevention was held.-St. Louis Globe him approaching, she shot herself. Democrat.

"I was in the kitchen when Mrs Buceyfired the first shot. I started in, but seeing her approaching with a smoking revolver I returned to the kitchen, where Mr. Bucey's mother was with the 18-months-old baby. With the second shot the old lady ctarted into the room when Mrs. with the second shot the oid hady started into the room, when Mrs. Bucey ran up to her husband and fired two shots through his head. His mother cried out, 'oh, she has killed my boy.' She then killed her-self. There was no cause which I can imagine that would cause the can imagine that would cause the tragedy.'

Preparing for a "Drive,"

Pretoria, April 10.—The British au-thorities are making preparations for a great series of "drives" on the eral outlook for the Boers is said to be most disheartening.

Suicided in a Cemetery.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 10 .- Just as her husband entered the gates of St. Anthony's cemetery yesterday where she had summoned him, Mrs. Annie Schlosa, standing among the graves, fired a bullet into her head with fatal result. She had been missing since the evening before, after a quarrel with her mother, and nothing could be learned of her where-abouts until she telephoned her hushand at his place of business, asking him to meet her at the cemetery. He hastened to the place, and as she saw