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THE DAILY GRIND. My son, when you speak of the work you do, there's something to keep in mind;

As soon as you say it's a grind, that moment you hate your work, That moment the imp of indolence shows you how you will may shirk;

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY. Two men looked out from prison bars, One saw mud, the other stars.

NEWS FORECAST OF THE WEEK. A busy week is in prospect for President Taft. After making a number of short stops in Missouri and Kansas, he will arrive at Kansas City in time to address the National Conservation congress this evening.

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DOCTOR'S STORY BELIEVED TRUE. Detectives See No Other Way to Explain Killing of the Man. CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—Detectives who have investigated the mysterious shooting of Emil Rignos by Dr. Wm. H. Falkner, a wealthy physician, declare they are convinced the physician's story of the shooting was true.

THE CASE BROUGHT TO TEST THE MOON LAW has been advanced on the calendar of the supreme court. Iowa cities should soon learn whether it is legal to grant permits for saloons in excess of one for each 1,000 inhabitants.

KEOKUK AND MADAME NORDICA. The appearance in Keokuk on next Friday evening of Madame Nordica, America's greatest singer, is in keeping with the new and greater career upon which this city is about to enter.

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BRIDGING THE REPUBLICAN CHASM. St. Louis Globe-Democrat: In defeating reciprocity Canada did a good turn for the Republican party. The only issue in which there was any serious division among the Republicans has now been removed from politics.

CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY. The Iowa Children's Home Society makes a fine showing of progress in the good work in which it is engaged. This is the organization in which the late H. Scott Howell of this city took such a deep and abiding interest for many years and whose welfare he did so much to promote.

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which trade has suffered for the past half a year. Had the defeat come a few months earlier business would be in a much better condition in the United States than it finds itself in at this moment. Now there will be a closing of the lines in the Republican party. The insurgents opposed reciprocity, and were backed in their attitude by a powerful element of their constituents.

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