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less a disappointment to our friends on the day when we had for our dearest friend a boy whose father kept a candy store. A terrible blunder was made by an Atchison house at a dinner recently, she served green peas on blue dishes, and the guests had their artistic temperaments shocked.

JAPAN HAS BEST NAVY. Little Kingdom Could Defeat Russia in a Sea Contest. New York, March 28.—If the Japanese intend to rely largely on their available sea power in a contest with Russia, Japan is now not only equal but superior in force to Russia in Asiatic waters, says the Washington correspondent of the Times.

REESE HABEAS CORPUS. History of the Case and the Opinion of the Court. St. Louis, March 28.—In the courts of appeals today a decision was handed down sustaining the position of the United States circuit court in the case of John P. Reese, a member of the executive committee of the United Mine Workers of America who was imprisoned for alleged contempt of an injunctive order and subsequently released on a writ of habeas corpus.

NEW Y. M. C. A. BUILDING. Movement on Foot to Erect One by Railroad Branch. The railroad Y. M. C. A. of Topeka has started a movement for the erection of a new building at this place. The large number of railroad men who patronize the association and the present cramped quarters have forced the subject upon the officers of the organization.

SPRING MILLinery OPENING. The beautiful French, American and English Styles in Hats will be at home. Friday and Saturday. Not a small company—but nearly three hundred of them.

The sultan of Turkey, who is about to be deposed, can expect no sympathy from Uncle Sam unless he pays up.

The steady price of oil is attributed to the fact that Rockefeller has not made a donation to the Chicago university recently.

It must be that crows will be included among the prevailing styles this season. The King of Portugal has taken his out of pawn.

There is a suspicion that the Chicago Commercial club left home in order to escape the din and tumult of the municipal campaign.

Recent reports from the Philippines indicate that General Finston did not believe these stories about the numerous deaths of Aguinaldo.

Perhaps the young man who did the shooting in the Palace hotel recently was trying to engrave the customs of his own sunny south upon New York city.

Santa Fe securities reached the high mark in the re-formation in the New York market yesterday. The preferred stock was quoted at 85 1/2 and the common at 62.

Coldwater, Mich., boasts of a woman who is 111 years old. But may not habits formed by women in early life in connection with the subject of age cling to them in later years?

Pittsburg Dispatch: Three of the nine United States commissioners for the St. Louis exposition are stated to have known qualifications for the work. The other six got the positions because they were statesmen very recently out of jobs.

Up in Minnesota the rural free delivery system is regarded in the light of an injury to their business by the mail-carriers. The farmers tend to tower for what they want instead of coming in themselves.

In undertaking a swing around the country, perhaps the president is detestful of viewing at close range some of the prosperity for which he believes his administration of affairs is in large measure responsible.

The president is being criticized for selecting an attorney of the steel trust to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Griggs. But where is he to find a lawyer of prominence who has not been retained by some trust or big corporation?

Senator Hanna is reported to be in favor of the election of United States senator by popular vote. The New York World construes this as an announcement that he expects to return to private life at the end of his present term.

The Maryland census enumerators who are on the carpet for false enumeration in that state defend their action on the ground that they would not be counted. He said that when they saw him coming they would literally take to the woods, and he had to guess how many were living there.

The powers appear about to be called upon to settle another "eastern question" before they are through with the one upon which they are at present engaged. An upheaval has taken place in the dominion of the Turk, and the present sultan is about to be replaced by his brother. What would happen if all the powers should, at one time, combine to mind their own business, and let alone the affairs of their neighbors?

The new commonwealth of Australia has the peculiar feature about it that woman suffrage seems inevitable by its provisions. These state explicitly that suffrage laws already in force in each state shall not be restricted. They also demand a uniform suffrage law for the whole commonwealth.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS. [From the Chicago News.] A lean conscience makes a fat office.

Getting rich is one way to remove stains from the character.

When a woman's feelings are worked up she should order a fresh supply.

A woman puts a strange baby in about the same manner a man puts a strange dog.

It's a mean man who will deliberately walk between a woman and a milliner's window.

It doesn't matter much how a man lies when asleep just so he sticks to the truth when awake.

A Georgia jury recently brought in the following verdict: "We, the jury, find the prisoner almost guilty."

QUAKER REFLECTIONS. [From the Philadelphia Record.] A fortune teller—Bradstreet.

Straws show which way the mint julep goes.

In poker a great deal depends upon a good deal.

Even the bee in your bonnet may have a sting.

Life must be a weary grind to the street organ man.

The trouble with the spring poet is that he is all writ.

The people who want the earth are naturally the worldly people.

Hoax—"How is B Jones getting along in the water business?" Joax—"Oh, it's a fizzle."

The dyspeptic dramatic critic likes played in it, if they are not he is apt to roast them.

It may be a miracle to turn water into wine, but any bartender can turn beer into a pitcher.

Blobs—"They say Talknot is fond of shooting off his mouth." Slobbs—"Yes, I've heard the report."

Wigs—"I wish I could break myself of smoking." Wags—"Why don't you buy your wife some new curtains?"

Muggins—"She complains that she makes a bare living." Buggins—"What is she?" Muggins—"An artist's model."

Silliness—"Do you want to know Skinnum's honest opinion of you?" Cynicism—"Skinnum never had an honest opinion."

He had waited long years to marry her, waited until her rich old uncle's death had paved the way. "And do you think I'm a fool?" she asked anxiously. "My darling," he reassured her, "you are worth your weight in gold." Of course this was spoken, and consequently a fine distinction was not apparent to her.

JAYHAWKER JOTS. Books county has had four suicides in two years.

Books county has had money to throw at the birds but instead will start a bank.

Temperance Lecturer Tubbs of Salina quite naturally advocates the use of water only.

With a faith that is almost sublime a Harvey county man has started a small orange orchard.

St. George have been the March breezes in St. George county that scarcely a wind mill is left standing.

The Glen Elder Sentinel bravely discards its patent attachments and comes out all home free.

Newspaper Shakespearian club in order to keep in touch with the climatic conditions will take up "A Winter's Tale."

An original Stradivarius violin has been discovered at New Cambria. It is thought to be worth several thousand dollars.

Prairie dogs are so numerous in Haskell county that the Honorable Stephen Cave is compelled to occasionally sit up nights with his bill.

The Lansing convicts who complained of the quality of their food seem to have forgotten that calamity howling is an obsolete institution.

Both daily papers at Wichita are lauding a "wet" ticket with all the earnestness and enthusiasm of Tom Sawyer whitewashing the fence.

The postmasters of Elk county are working overtime passing out great quantities of complimentary envelopes which should have come by freight.

Rains falls alike on the just and the unjust but this doesn't seem to apply to lightning, a bolt of which wrecked a Johnson county church last week.

A certain active candidate for railroad commissioner declares that he will stick until the end and Copeland county politics to expect that in the end he will be stuck.

Some people are so stingy that they would kick if they had to pay taxes on a national holiday church last week. This has nothing to do with Atchison, rejecting Carnegie's library offer of course.

Now that the joints have been driven from the market and the boys saved from ruin the law and order citizens should devote attention to the dozens of young girls who parade the streets after dark.

The Clay Center "Goliath" who was severely drubbed by his wife in court will probably remember, hereafter, that a woman's private opinion and the business end of a wasp are two things that a wise man never meddles with.

We'll send you a bill to try, if you like. SCOTT & BOWN, 409 Pearl street, New York.

ANEMIA is little red in the blood. The red in the blood is the oxygen-carrier. Better to breathe with half of one lung than not have enough red in the blood.

The blood is full of digested food; but it can't build muscle and nerve and bone without oxygen.

Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil puts red in the blood: It is like building a railroad into a famine-stricken country.

War Department Forced to Change Plans for the Philippines. Washington, March 27.—The present plans of the war department contemplate the maintenance of an army of 50,000 men in the Philippines until order has been completely established.

M'COLLUM EXPLAINS. Makes Statement About Liquor in Hughes Building. Dr. A. E. McCollum, of 818 Kansas avenue, who is authority for the statement in the press, was in the J. W. F. Hughes building within two weeks, is considerably exercised because an effort is being made to discredit his statements.

LOCAL MENTION. Wiley G. Cook is in Cherryvale. J. Willis Gless will make a temperance lecture on Church Saturday night.

War Is Resumed Between Arbucks and Sugar Trust. Toledo, O., March 28.—The Arbucks Woolson coffee-sugar war has broken out anew. Papers filed in the circuit court here today by the Woolson Spice company show that an agreement between the two companies was drawn up on February 27, whereby the Woolson company would register the brand names of Woolson stock which the Arbucks hold, and the Arbucks were to be allowed such inspection of the Woolson books as did not harass the Toledo concern.

Another Barn Fire. The fire department was called at 2:30 p.m. for fire in the barn of Mr. Lee at Fifth and Horn streets. The barn was destroyed.

His Position Is Not Affected by Capture of Aguinaldo. Lincoln, Neb., March 28.—W. J. Bryan gave an expression to the following today in discussing the capture of Aguinaldo: "The report of the capture of Aguinaldo is apparently verified. While no one can predict with certainty the effect of his capture, it is possible, it may put an end to the war for the present, but the objection to imperialism is not removed by the surrender of those who have been opposing it in the Philippines."

Sixty Go by Default in District Court. This morning about 60 bonds in criminal cases were forfeited in the district court.

BONDS ARE FORFEITED. The district court adjourned for the January term just before noon and before the expiration of the term all persons on bond were expected to be on hand to renew their securities. Through the negligence of the attorneys the bonds were not renewed and were nominally forfeited.

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REDDEN BEGINS WORK. Assistant Attorney General Brings First Liquor Case. Sheriff Cook arrested Frank Crist shortly after one o'clock this afternoon on the charge of selling liquor on a warrant issued by Assistant Attorney General Redden, appointed for Shawnee county.

Sheriff Cook, Under Sheriff Williams and Deputy Woodhall walked into the place. There were half a dozen men there eating at the lunch counter. There was no bar. Crist was found there and arrested and taken to the county jail awaiting bond. A lot of empty bottles and jugs were found but only a couple of bottles of liquor. The Crist joint is known as "The Unique" and was the first that Mrs. Nation and her followers tried to break into one afternoon and were arrested and prevented by the police. This is the first move that Assistant Attorney General Redden has made against the joints. He has several other warrants ready to place in the hands of the sheriff.

After the engagement has been announced, and all avenues of retreat are cut off, the girl begins to show herself to him in her old wraps.

To indicate that she reads all the late historical novels, an Atchison girl says "Gad Zooks!" when she swears.

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Advertisement for Spring Millinery featuring a woman's portrait and text about hats and bonnets.