

A young man in St. Louis has been fined \$1,000 for flirting. It might have cost him more if the little affair had wound up in marriage. When women cease to be afraid of nice and become immune to the subtle bribery of flattery, then they will be able to make a better plea for the ballot. THAT Massachusetts man, the father of 50 children, who deserted his family upon the appearance of twins, must have been figuring up his Christmas liabilities. With Roosevelt a senator from New York, Bryan a senator from Nebraska, and Keira a senator from Indiana, a new name would be necessary for the "American house of lords."

It is the duty and privilege of every person to do all the good he can in passing through this world. How extensive that good may be no one can tell, but it is sure to enlarge by practice. Now that the Emperor William has practically given up the doctrine of divine right, the Czar of Russia and Mr. Baer, the railway and coal magnate, are about the only ones left to claim it.

CHICAGO'S Mayor complains that he is unable to get a day's work out of the city employees. Yet he was nominated and elected as "Freddie" the strongest Proposition ever offered the windy city. When prompted to "scare" his youthful hangers-on, an Alabama youth called himself with a pistol he was comically flourishing at the moment. It was a narrow escape for the gel. In several respects, it appears.

THAT grafting dies hard wherever it exists and that it does not hesitate to resort to violence is constantly seen. The recent tragedy in San Francisco is the latest proof of this. It is this which offers an excuse for timid men bear the unequalled stigma of fighting it. To destroy this evil courage, determination and constant vigilance must be displayed. Evils must be killed not scolded if the body politic is to be purified.

MR. CANNON objected to being put down as one of those disappearing guns. The "voodoo" murder test has the New York method of trial by experts beaten to a standstill. BUT what is a mere \$10,000,000 increase in freight rates, so long as the railroads are happy.

IT cost over a million and a half but no doubt Mr. Taft thinks the campaign was worth the money. MR. BRYAN at least has the satisfaction of knowing that the only cost his friends \$620,000 this time.

"The divinity that doth hedge a king" is having a few of his hinges knocked into him Germany. Good sign. NOW we are to have cobble corn, but they have always been using that kind in the "moonshine" districts.

SENATOR PLATT needs to go to the trouble of resigning. It looks as if they were just going to root him out. As she is only allowed \$25,000 a year it looks as if Mrs. Howard Gould would have to cut out the trimmings.

IT will be a great relief when travelers abroad can cable home for money at the rate of only 2 cents a word.

THE Illinois man who captured a bride on an election bet will have a long time to figure out whether he really won or lost. SUCH terms as "landslide," "straw vote" and "whirlwind campaign" are now put into cold storage for the next four years.

CAREFUL readers of the recent cable news from Germany can readily understand the Kaiser's earnest desire for a long airship trip. SINCE Mr. Morse soaked John W. Gates and Charlie Schwab it is not surprising to learn that burglars have recently cleaned out Bill Devery.

THERE seems to be far more slaughter in football than in a war between two Central American countries. The list of casualties steadily grows. DELINQUENT subscribers are to be severely dealt within the " Outlook," henceforth. The man who would "beat" his subscription is an undesirable citizen.

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