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PRESIDENT Roosevelt took a dip in the water Thursday. Looks as if there was something in those remarks of Quay and Platt that he is in the swim.

THE fact that a kid attempted to wreck a trolley car in Durham would indicate that the Jesse James style of books are still somewhat read in this community.

THAT New York woman who is suing for damages because her pet dog bit a neighbor's child and got the chicken-pox seems to be carrying S. P. C. A. principles rather far.

MARY MacLANE, the girl from Butte, who wrote that awful book full of swear words, says Chicago bores her. Well, well, Mary, there may be something to you after all.

THE Durham county democratic primaries will be on today two weeks. Then the activity of the candidates will cease—except with the fellows who get the nominations.

CAPTAIN HOBSON is making a brilliant success on the lecture platform. He seems to succeed at everything except inducing the navy department to give him up. Men like Hobson cannot well be spared.

A PROSPERITY which means high prices for food products, fuel and clothing, without correspondingly high prices for labor, may satisfy the capitalist but will not receive the support of the laboring man.

THE first country to recognize the political status of the United States by sending a minister to this country was Spain. In 1785 she appointed Diego de Gardoqui, minister Plenipotentiary to the United States.

THE appropriation for pensions during the past session of Congress aggregated \$139,842,350, and comparatively few of the claims for pensions due to the Spanish and Philippine war have been adjudicated.

FEARS are expressed by railroad authorities that a quantity of soft coal will ignite because it is so hot. Some of us in Durham get pretty hot when the railroads are burning soft coal—over not giving us a union depot.

THE four large naval vessels provided for by the recent naval bill will be named the Louisiana, Connecticut, Tennessee and Washington and the two gunboats will be named the Paducah and the Dubuque, respectively.

MR. WATTERSON has made up his mind to keep on whacking Grover Cleveland whether he be a candidate for president or not. As this makes Watterson happy and doesn't hurt Cleveland nobody has a right to object to it.

THE tally of the votes on instruction for Associate Justice shows that Judge Connor is in the lead. He will go into the convention with 605 so far. It now looks like he will be nominated by a hundred majority.

ONE of the most interesting modern inventions has just been submitted to the examiners of the Patent Office by Paul J. Gianati, of Buffalo. It is called a piano-typewriter, and when attached to an ordinary piano will record the notes played, in the usual musical notation. If perfect time is kept by the player the written notes will have each its proper time value. The invention promises to be a boon to compositors. We may look for the country to be flooded with new music.

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There is a striking difference of opinion between Estrada Palma and General Leonard Wood as to what is a proper salary for the president of Cuba. The former considers \$5,000 a year quite sufficient; the latter thought that \$20,000 was not enough.

WHEN it comes to voting the democrats in the Seventh Congressional district convention enjoyed this pleasure to a greater extent than any other convention held this year. On the twelve hundred and eighth ballot Robert N. Page, of Montgomery, was nominated. This was the first convention in the new Seventh.

AN educator at the big meeting of teachers at Minneapolis said in an address that it was a case of simple addition and multiplication that made J. J. Hill the greatest railway man in the world. We have always noticed, however, that if an outsider fools on Wall Street with any of the J. J. Hill stock he runs up against a minus sign.

AN employee of the government recently told a Congressman that his new chief signed every document that was put before him without noting its contents. The Congressman doubted the statement and a bet was made. The Congressman waited and, in a few minutes, the clerk brought him his chief's resignation, duly signed.

A. J. HENRY, of the United States Weather Bureau, reports that lightning fatalities in the United States do not exceed from 700 to 800 per annum. The loss of life is greatest in the Ohio Valley and the Middle Atlantic States, although density of population considered, it is greatest in the upper Missouri Valley and middle Rocky Mountain region.

Original Observations.
 A false heart bath a great store of masks.

Few bathers know the danger of the under-toe.
 The tree of truth is often backed by falsehood acts.

As it is now seasonable, we can say that summer at home and summer abroad.

The most attractive and best paying creature in life's museum is the humbug.

We call that good husbandry when a widower in clover weds a widow in her weeds.

How can a bride be expected to show self-possession when she is being given away?

A QUESTION.
 Can he forget the dewey eve
 In purple twilight soft and still,
 He bought ice cream for her he loved
 Instead of paying his washing bill.
 It is easy enough to be agreeable
 In society. All you have to do is
 listen while the other man talks.
 If the other man is a woman, you've
 got to listen anyway.
 And now the report comes that
 Noah's Ark has been found in Alaska.
 Just think of it! The next thing
 you know Noah will be found and
 he will tell us all about the flood.—
 Orange, (Va.) Observer.

Hot Days in Billville.
 It's one thing to sing about plowing and another thing to plow. But we still thank the Lord for red-headed watermelons and cool buttermilk.

Lightning struck the new church steeple the other day and demolished the building; and the whole town has taken to the woods and the joys of camping.

The fishermen are having glorious times in this month of July; but it must be uncomfortable for them to think of that other place where all liars shall have their portion.

The parson doesn't preach long sermons these days. He simply points to the thermometer and advises the congregation to think of the hereafter.—Atlanta Constitution.

The great secret of success in life is to be ready when your opportunity comes.

Summer complaint is unusually prevalent among children this season. A well developed case in the writer's family was cured last week by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy—one of the best patent medicines manufactured and which is always kept on hand at the home of every scribe. This is not intended for a free pull for the company, who do not advertise with us, but to be of little sufferers who may not be within easy access of a physician. No family should be without a bottle of this medicine in the house, especially in summer time.—Lansing, Iowa, Journal. For sale by W. M. Yearby.

INTERESTING TOPICS.

Brief Paragraphs Concerning a Variety of Matters.

United States Magnetic Observer, Fleming, stationed at Honolulu, has reported evidences of a serious magnetic storm at that station at an hour which corresponds with the eruption of Mt. Pelee.

The Hon. John Burns, M. P., asserts that Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan is "making socialists faster than any financial conjurer who has gone before him or who is contemporary with him."

A system of wireless telegraphy has been established between the Hawaiian Islands and has proven, entirely successful.

The news comes from the Philippines that indications of rich oil fields in the neighborhood of Cavite, and other localities, are most encouraging and numerous borings are being made.

Kansas, Missouri, Pennsylvania and Minnesota have all warmly endorsed President Roosevelt to succeed himself in 1902 and Senator Platt is authority for the statement that New York will do likewise.

The Italian Consul at Tien Tsai advises government that there is a considerable demand for bicycles at that point. Possibly American manufacturers will be pleased to supply the demand.

Labor Commissioner Carroll D. Wright estimates that the Coal Trust made a net profit out of the last strike of \$6,000,000. This was accomplished by advancing prices. How can the present strikers hope to win against such a monopoly?

Twenty-two thousand and twenty-two bills were introduced during the first session of the Fifty-Seventh Congress. Of this number but 1,503 became laws.

Ex Speaker Reed said recently that he had frequently seen 300 men on the verge of personal conflict and that in almost every instance such scenes occurred when the thermometer registered 100 in the shade.

Among other reforms which Secretary Moody has introduced in the Navy Department is an order discontinuing the supply of daily papers at government expenses. Hereafter, employees of that Department must supply their own papers and must refrain from reading them during office hours.

For some unexplained reason the National Board on Geographical Names has adopted "Kongo" as the proper spelling for the river and country of that name. In all literature the name is spelled Congo so that there is a difference in spelling between United States official documents and scientific and literary works.

The naturalist, J. G. Millais, records the peculiar fact that young water fowl, although immune to water under them in any quantity, are fatally affected by excessive rains and quickly succumb to much water on their backs.

The President gave to Senator Lodge the pen with which he signed the Philippine bill and later the Senator gave it to Senator Buencamino who begged him for it. When complimented on his generosity, by a newspaperman, the Senator said, sotto voce, "I was afraid he would weep if I didn't let him have it."

The United States army is the only one in the world which has a regular organized female corps. The nurses wear a prescribed uniform of white with the Geneva cross in green with gilt edges on the collar and left sleeve.

The Louisiana press announces the probable extinction of the mocking-birds in that state, in the near future. Cannot the Audubon Society do anything to prevent the destruction of these beautiful songsters?

The Bureau of Navigation reports the registry of 1,657 vessels last year as compared with 1,709 the year before. The decrease in tonnage amounts to 18,535 tons. The falling off is due to the fact that the Steel Trust charges the American ship-builder considerably more for steel than it charges the British ship-builder.

In a mine explosion at Johnstown, Pa., several hundred men are killed. The cause of the explosion is not known and owing to the fearful gases, it is impossible for rescue parties to do any good.

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