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SHORT, SHARP AND SNAPPY.
S Senate's physical end urance the partment.
Keep your head skinned for the job in that scheme to annex the Territory of Lower Oalifornia to the United States. If we are not wistaken that alleged English-Amerioan syndicate,
whieh elaims to have bought the Which elaims to have bought the
property, is merely a blind. property, is merely a blind.
The Ohoctaw Indians ahould now be considered thoronghly eivilized, heir treasurer having "skippad" eaving a shortage of something like 8100,000 Considering the amonnt he had to handle no Chicago or New York raan could have made a heavier
haul.
Kaiser Billy is now making faces at the Berlin town council. It had the nurve to refuse to provide at public expense a playground tor his royal
"kinds." slude."
Insurance risks on cotton gins are not considered guilt edged business
jugt now.
The prineipal reason why hazing is atill practiced in co:lege anthorities how it works.
If oompromise is such a very undes irable thing as some people are now trying to make it appaar to be in bont the $U$ \& Consticutiona and every amendment added ther represents a compromise between conflieting interests.
October is the month of hunters, and in the neighborhood of our elties hunter's outfits that it would be diffienit to properly elassify.
He who has never been tempted has little right to boast of his honor or his honesty
'I he man who didn't know exaetly how the yacht race would turn out money did it by betting againgt their jadgment. What a curious animal man is, anyway.
Seoretary Morton seems to have a s member of the eabinet to duty of by recent events in Nebraska politics

Boss Orocker evidently wants Bourke Cochran to realize that it is better to be born hamble than elon

The Ohio campaign is being made
uat as exciting as though the resuit jast as exciting as though the result
was in doubt.
The politicians view of the Van Alen nonifnation was eminently practical. They sald in effect to the senate: You tarn this man down and we'll get. See?" Tha contributions Ambassedor Van Alen makes his entre apon the stage of diplomacy.
If Senator Blaekburn has the pro that the European banking house of United States at a loss, for the pur pose of forcing a panice and infline ing legislation he should lose no time in produeing it.
The son in law of the late Ton Pis ambition largely overbalances hls good sense.
If that Jersey
Idea of "organizing,
Ohristian vote" should become pop. Ohristian vote" should become pop-
ularomes politiolanain might find themfilves hunting for a job.

## What percentage of the p.ople is

 after all representedAfter his pulling Van Alen through the senate no one ean doabt the
strength of ex-Searetary Whitnas's "pall."
Ex-Senator Platt, of New York, seems to have been ' oat of polities only in the newspapers.
It is a cas of the "kettle calling the por black" for either politica party io New York to refer to the late state convention as boss ridden nffeirs.
Of all the fool dispates those that oceur on religion are the most useless; they convinee nobody and prov
nothing, except that man should con trol his propensity to dispute. There is a disposition in some
quarters to mistake ball headedness for statemanship.

## WHAT THEY WANTED.

I was doing some business in a bank in a new town out west when about thirty man came crowding into the poiotad spokesman, and when the proprietor of the bank asked what the trouble was this man replied: "It's jist this, Jim -we can't make out that monthly statement you got out yesterday."
What's wrong with it?
"Bhe says deposits amount to $\$ 7$,500 and eash on hand $\$ 9,000$.
"Well, that's correct, and I can't "ee where you have any falt to find," - Yhe preisident.

Yes, but the boys don't go mach on figgers. Figgere kin be twisted all around, you know. Hev you got thew ere ${ }^{89,000}$ handy by?"
"I have."
"Wasl, won't you jest atand upon a a few times and let the boys see the color of its Don't want to put you to any special trouble, you know, but he crowd kinder wants to feel sure about it."
The banker got the money from tke safe and followed the suggestion and asked if they wero satisfied. "That's all right," replied the spokerman "Ain't much on figgers,
but we know moner when we see it. Them deposits is $\$ 7,000$, and you've ot $\$ 9,000$ to pay 'em. That's ehunk "and no discount."
"Anything else."
"Just one little trifle. It's kinder got around town that you are goin over to Yanktown tomorrow. Before you start just count them $\$ 9,000$ into drum and then call in two or the a the boys to watch 'er while yon'r gone. We ain't showin' any lack of confidence, but we is givin' you s pinter on how to ran a bank in thi
town without gettin' yer neek into slip knot!"-M Quad.

THE BILLVILLE BANNER.
The recent eyclone caught us on he road, half-way between Ohicago portation the rest of the way.
We learn that the president make a daily prayer. This bears out our
atstement, made three weeks before the election, that a politician can get religion. We regret that we csn't name any all the youns ones born in Cliseland. tion arg boys and bor ain't on tion s.
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