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SOMETHING DUE CASTRO. President Castro, of the diminutive government of Venezuela, is inviting trouble. He is becoming annoying...

WOMEN, DOGS AND WALNUT TREES. It is fashionable just now to revive the old proverbs and prologues that are concentrated falsehood instead of truth...

Even Nature Helps Taft Vote. The Blade's Marion O. correspondent publishes the following pastoral-political item of interest...

Pulling the American Eagle's Tail. Army and Navy Life. I know an Indian, Yellow Eagle, who in order to get his coup feather, dug a hole in the ground on the open prairie...

Sherlock Holmes Up to Date. Detective Sergeant John Drabell went to the home of Joseph Lipman, at 213 Main street to investigate the supposed robbery of a set of furs valued at \$25...

Anti-Free Pass Hurts Democrats. Washington (D. C.) Herald. The Denver hotels have fixed a rate of \$14 per day for delegates to the Democratic convention...

A Difference in Night-caps. Indianapolis News. A Sunday-school in Jamestown, Kan., gave a night-cap social at which 300 night-caps were sold at \$1 each...

Financial Drop in Billard Balls. Detroit News. The farm at Youngstown, Ohio, won a \$1 bill by putting a billiard ball in his mouth, but as a physician charged him \$5 to remove it...

An Industrious Name, Anyhow. Baltimore News. An employee of the Oklahoma Senate who has been accused of being too busy purchasing supplies, is named Han Bee.

HER YEARS OF ACCIDENTS. One Woman's Unique Record of Narrow Escapes From Death. Escapes From Death. New York Tribune.

COMMON SCHOOLS AND UNIVERSITY. Every State Makes Provision for Instruction of Higher Learning. PORTLAND, Or., April 16.—(To the Editor.)—Much has been said about the relation of the State University to the public school system...

Advertising Talks. No. 11. If It FITS You Wear This Cap. By HERBERT KAUFMAN. Advertising isn't a creature with which lazy, bigoted and incapable merchants can turn incompetency into success...

ROOSEVELT AND THE NEGRO. His Appointments and Office Based on Merit and Fitness. New York Age. While some are advising the negro voters to bolt the Republican party and support a Democrat at the coming Presidential election...

Millennium to Be Here in 1914. Baltimore Sun April 11. Seriously believing that in October, 1914, or in the year following, the millennium will come, the editor of a little weekly will come the editor of a little weekly...

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Bolt Strikes Horses, Misses Driver. New Orleans World. Lightning struck a buggy near Americus, Ga., killing the two horses and shattering one wheel, but the driver, a farmer, escaped serious injury.

honest ringsters has been effected. San Francisco can look back upon the period of her adversity with the reflection that out of the evil has come nothing but good.

DESTROYING A GOOD NAME. Julia Marlowe, one of the finest actresses on the American stage, an ornament to her profession and a woman against whom the breath of scandal has never before been directed, has been promptly cleared of a criminal charge placed against her by an insanely jealous woman...

THE WONDERFUL RAIN. The rain is a wonderful thing—that is, in Oregon. It comes just in time to save the sprouting seeds and plants from being thirsty. It goes away when the flood threatens the decrepit Madison bridge. It releases latent heat from northern the south wind blows. It splashes the ballots of the people in those new-fangled election tents of the Multnomah County Court, but dampens not their spirit...

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