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A Fine Mess.

Probably, it is just as well that the promised expose of legislative investigating expense accounts was hushed up or squelched because an unsavory scandal might have resulted and no great public good would have been achieved.

It has been no secret to those on the inside that for years legislative committees have liked to visit New York and do their investigating in the Big City by day and take a peep at the White Way by night.

Moreover, the legislator who is used to good living at home cannot see the reason why he should be compelled to take up with a cheap hotel on the east side just because some cheap souled comptroller's auditor is satisfied to stay there or because some influential politician is interested in it.

If legislators assigned to investigating committees were responsible individually for their expense accounts within specified limitations there would be little fear of any scandal.

Finding Fault.

In a recent issue of "Lutheran Church Work" we find the following sample of editorial perspicacity: "One of the leading Roman Catholic papers of the country is authority for the statement that the late Archbishop Quigley of Chicago left an estate valued at \$75,000.

There is a difference between Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States and Woodrow Wilson, political candidate for the Presidency.

Beat It Again!

Senator Greiner, of Buffalo, has reintroduced his Bible reading bill of 1915 but in different form. This year he would have declared to the Regents a commission, non-partisan and non-political in its membership, who should work out a plan of scriptural reading and biblical selections which will improve the minds and morals of the school children and, if these selections receive the unanimous approval of the Board of Regents they may be used in the public schools.

We see no great advantage or merit in the new Greiner bill of 1915. Senator Greiner is to have all the credit for the 1916 legislation. Mr. Tallett wishes the Buffalo Senator to have all the credit or discredit therefor.

When he first appeared in the Senate at Albany we looked upon Senator Greiner as an unsophisticated buccolic statesman. Looking him over today we set him

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As an old editor was wont to remark: "Barring these trifling cartoons,

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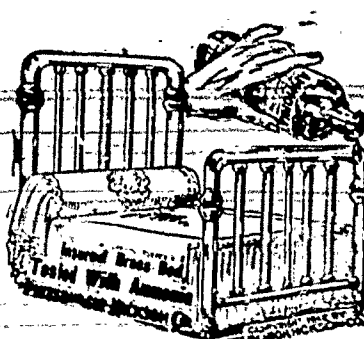
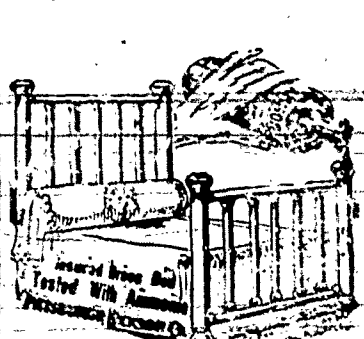
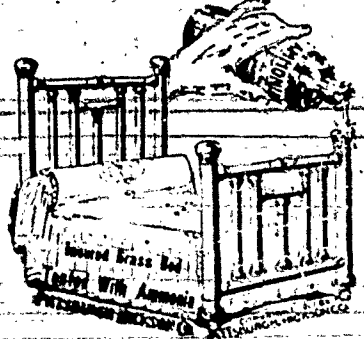
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errors, the Lutheran papers article is all right, except that the Catholic doctrine implies a just God and freedom from the stain of original sin before a soul is fit to appear before its Maker."

Well and truly says the "Catholic Transcript": "Whoever plots against the rights of an American citizen is the enemy of the State and deserves and should receive civic proscription."

Fourth Degree Ball.

The annual ball of the Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus assembly was held Wednesday evening, at the Rochester Club.

Lyman Howe Pictures at Armory. A world-wide excursion starting from the Armory on Feb. 7th and 8th and returning in two and a half hours will be made, of course, via Lyman H. Howe's Travel Festival since that is the only medium before the public whereby such a comprehensive trip may be made in so short a time.

St. John the Evangelist. Sunday, February 6th, a Rosary Society will be organized and the first meeting will be held at 3:30 in the afternoon.

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