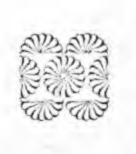
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Hoping to hear from each delinquent very soon, we remain yours truly.

GEO. NEARPASS

Sunday School Pienic.

On Wednesday, September 7, the Grace Reformed Sunday school, of this city, will hold a picnic in the grove just west of the Arlington, to WERDNER & LEFFERT, which everybody is most cordially invited. The Ladies' Missionary Society will have charge of the refreshment stand.

Card of Thanks.

We the undersigned in behalf of the members of the Christian church of Maxinkuckee, wish to extend our sincere thanks to Mrs. R. K. Lord for her kindness in furnishing transportation upon the magnificent steamer Peerless to those of Culver who attended our ice cream supper on the evening of the 25th inst., and also for favors rendered upon other Testing eyes and furnishing occasions, and hoping that her life may be filled with sunshine and that no dark cloud ever crosses the pathway of her existence,, we remain fraternally yours,

MRS. THOMAS BIGLEY,

" DANIEL MARKS, Com. JAMES WILSON,

Fall in, Comrades.

The Nickel Plate Road has authorized low rates to Cincinnati, Ohio, on the occasion of the National Encampment, Sept. 5th to 10th.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

L. C. Dillou is slowly improving. Mr. and Mrs. John Matthew were from Laporte to Michigan City. in Plymouth Monday.

Have you seen that beautiful line | Plymouth September 7th. of queensware at Meredith's?

A number of our citizens will visit St. Joseph next Sunday.

for an extended trip in the west.

A number of people from Logansport visited the lake Wednesday.

A company of old veterans held a that cold material. reunion in Green township Wednesday.

Keitzer, of Monterey, spent Sunday at the lake.

the house formerly occupied by E. orders at Bonacker's barber shop. M. Geller.

the past week.

W. S. DuPea started for Michigan Monday morning on his wheel enjoy a short vacation.

Oregon, is taking a much needed at the W. H. Fulton cottage. rest with his family at St. Joseph, Mich.

Mrs. J. L. Mosher and grandchildren, of Hibbard, enjoyed the cool breezes of old Maxenkuckee this week.

The new school house at Rutland is now in course of construction and when completed will be the finest country school house in the town-

Four trains brought excursionists to Culver last Sunday. The crowd, faction that they can read the news every though large, was well behaved week, year in and year out, without pay- and all seemed to enjoy themselves

> boss upon the Vandalia at this place the past two years, has sent in his resignation and will leave Culver in the near future.

> O. R. Porter and A. L. Porter, the auditor and deputy of this county, attended the meeting ad dressed by Hon. A. L. Brick last Saturday evening.

coming banker.

E. H. Mow was in the town over Sunday, leaving for home on the 8:36 p. m. train south. Enoch sold a car load of western Percheron Norman horses at Argos. The horses averaged \$53 each.

The relatives and friends of Rev Barber, who were his guests last week, left on the Nickel Plate, Sunday evening, for Payne, Ohio. Mr. John Houser, one of the number, took charge of the A grammar department of the Payne schools last Monday.

Mr. A. J. Smith, editor of the Ho bart Gazette was a visitor at the lake Sunday for the first time in the history of his existence and was greatly enthused over Lake Maxinkuckee and its surroundings. Like other Hoosiers, he never had any idea that the great state of Indiana and Marshall county in particular had such a gem of beauty within its borders. It is strange but true, that we have hundreds of people in this county who never saw the lake and thereby missed half of the real enjoyment of 3t their lives.

Mrs. D. A. Bradley is still in very poor health.

An electric railroad will be built

M. E. conference commences at

The Plymouth races commenced Wednesday and will close Friday. We would like a few bushels of

M. F. Mosher started Wednesday old corn on subscription, if delivered The Maxinkuckee Ice Company

> are very busy at present shipping A number of old veterans of this

section will attend the national en-F. Rinehold, Mike Buehrle and J. campment to be held at Cincinnatti

John Campbell the jeweler was in town Wednesday. If you need jew-D. G. Walter has moved into the elry or watches repaired, leave your

Thursday Prof. Wm. Matthews Miss Jessie Leland of Rutland closed his ice cream business at the spent a few days at L. C, Wiseman's lake. During the season he has sold hundreds of gallons of deliclous cream.

The Indiana State Association of Underwriters met in convention at Captain Clark, of the battleship the lake Tuesday, they were guests

> Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clifton are still very ill with typhoid fever, but under the skillful treatment of Dr. Rea, the symtoms are more favorable and it is thought that they will recover.

> Tuesday afternoon while racing with the Idlewild, the Iris attempted to cross the bow of the former boat but for lack of speed was compelled to drop in the rear thus giving her opponent the belt as being the fastest sailboat on the lake.

The Fulton county Teachers' Institute will be held at the academy of music, Rochester, Ind., Sept. 5, 6, Mike Boland, who has been section | 7, 8 and 9. Dr. Arnold Tomkins, Chair of Pedagogy, Illinois University, Dr. George T. Burroughs, President of Wabash College and Dr. D. T. Powers, Bleomington, Ind., will te present and instruct through the entire session.

Mrs. Wm. Knoebel and Miss Em. ma Schrimpf leave Saturday for Lawrenceburg, Ind., where they will John Osborn, of Logansport, came spend three or four weeks visiting ascended, was one to which his up Sunday morning to greet ac- friends and relatives. Wm. Knoequaintances and complete arrange- bel will leave for the same place ments with Mr. McCormick, our Wednesday where he will also visit relatives and friends.

> The Palmer House has been one of the successful hostelrys conducted at the lake this season, being extensively patronized by the bon ton society of the large cities. This is owing to its splendid location and the fact that genial Frank Lamson, the landlord knows just how to conduct the hotel business.

> Trustee Cromley has made arrangements with this paper to pubreceives help etc. This will be an item of interest and one that will be looked for with eagerness by the taxpayers. The report will be published quarterly.

at the Culver military academy, will aut day at the Lake Michigan city. occupied by Bradley at Kreuzberger leaves St. Joseph (dock station) at Park. The fact that Mr. Partee has 6:00 p. m. Fare, round trip, \$1. no peer when it comes to prepare those delicacies which pleases the palate of man, is well known. A billiard parlor will also be opened in connection and up to date sleepling appartments.

Clean Up the Streets and Lots.

It would be a good plan for the Board of Health, or those in authority, to order a general cleaning up. On every hand one can see filthy weeds growing, manure piles and other rubbish, all of which tends to breed disease. Not only this, but when such things are removed the edict goes forth that Culver citizens are up to date in their efforts to beautify and cleanse their town from disease breeding influences. Then the stranger, instead of commenting upon the filthy condition of the streets and city in general, will be loud in his praise of Culver and its people. Do not delay, but inaugwrate a system whereby the town will be cleaned up and all concerned will feel better. Who will start the ball rolling? X. Y. Z.

The War Tax Catches 'Em.

The fair associations must plank down \$100 as their share of the war tax, according to an opinion received from the internal revenue department at Washington. Every side show or exhibition on the grounds not managed by the association must pay a \$10 special license. If a man wants to give a comic song and dance and sell medicine the tax is \$10, and few, if any, amusements are permitted to escape the war tax.

Claude Matthews.

The death of ex Goy. Matthews, at an early hour Sunday morning was not a surprise to those who had made themselves familiar with the seriousness of his illness.

By it, Indiana's only ex-governor disappears from the stage of action. Every man elected as governor of Indiana since 1860, save the present occupant of the gubernatorial chair, is now numbered among the dead. Henry S. Lane, Oliver P. Morton, Conrad Baker, Thos. A. Hendricks, James D. Williams, Albert G. Porter, Isaac P. Gray, Alvin P. Hovey and now Claude Matthews have passed away, to be remembered, however, for years to come for the part taken by them in shaping the affairs of a great state.

His administration as governor, like that of the office from which he friends can point with pride and satisfaction. It was honest, clean and patriotic. His praise was in everybody's mouth. He had become famous as a model governor, a hardworking, painstaking, scrupulously honest chief executive.

At the Indiana Pension Agency,

The annual report of Pension Commissioner Evans, which has been presented to the secretary of the interior, shows that there were 67,712 persons draging pensions under all acts at the Indianapolis agency on June 30 last. The amount paid to lish the poor allowance, stating who | these pensioners during the past fiscal year was \$11,277,582.

> St. Joseph Excursion, Sunday, September 4, 1898.

The Vandalia line will run an excursion to St. Joseph, giving every-John Partee, formerly head chef body an opportunity to spend a pleasin the near future open a first class on the above date. Train leaves restaurant in the building formerly Culver at 8:02 a. m.; returning,

> Election day will occur this year on November Sth. Those who intend moving from one township to another should do so before September 8th. Otherwise they will not be eligible to yote in their new home,

HALF A MILLION LOSS.

DISASTRIOUS CONFLAGRATION AT NASHVILLE, TENN.

Many Buildings in Ashes-Great Damage by Fire and Water-Outrages Committed Upon Mexicans by Guatemalan Army Officers.

Scorching for Nashville.

Fire broke out in the fifth floor of the large establishment of the Phillips-Buttorff Company, dealers in stoves and tinware, on College street, Nashville, Tenn., and spread rapidly, destroying the building and those occupied by A. J. Warren, furniture dealer; Phillips & Stevenson, stoves and tinware, and the Davis Printing Company. The building occupied by the American National Bank was damaged by fire and water. The loss is estimated at \$500,000, and is covered by insurance. The loss sustained by the Phillips-Buttorff Manufacturing Company on stock and building is estimated at \$175,-000; A. J. Warren, loss on stock, \$25,000; loss on building, \$32,000; Phillips & Stevenson, loss on stock, \$25,000; American National Bank, loss on building, \$20,000; Davis Printing Company, loss on stock, \$4,000; J. M. Head, loss of Phillips & Stevenson building, \$20,000.

SERIOUS UPRISING IN CHINA.

Kwang-Si Insurgents Are Preparing

to Attack City of Canton. The Kwang-Si rebellion in China, which has been quiescent for some time, shows signs of serious recrudescence. The rebels are in great force fifty miles northwest of Canton and are preparing to attack the city. Tan, the viceroy of Lang-Kwang, protested against the surrender of Kwang-Chow to the French, and when the foreign office insisted upon the surrender Tan telegraphed his resignation to Pekin and handed his seals of office to the governor of Kwang-Tung. The viceroy of Canton, having failed to dispatch troops to suppress the rebellion in Hainan and protect the American missionaries, the United States consul at Canton has made strong representations to the acting viceroy reiterating his demand for the prompt suppression of the general disturbances.

OUTRAGES IN GUATEMALA,

People Robbing and Doing Personal Injury to Mexicans.

Many outrages have been perpetrated on Mexicans by Guatemalan army officers. The worst case is that of Trinidad Vo Guatemalans, that wanted by buy Guatemalans he accordingly crossed the horses to meet Gen. Barrilas, who seized his animals and had him beaten. This outrage caused much indignation. Other similar actions are reported and are under investigation. and due information will be given the Government of Mexico. The Guatemalans appear to be actuated by an intense hatred of Mexicans, taking every opportunity to insult and rob the humblest peo-

Standing of the Clubs. Following is the standing of the clubs in the National Baseball League:

	. L. W.	
Boston71	40 Pittsburg56	59
	43 Philadelphia. 52	
Baltimore67	40 Louisville46	68
	46 Brooklyn42	
	50 Washington, 40	
	49 St. Louis32	

Following is the standing of the clubs in the Western League: W. L.

Indianapolis. 71	45 St. Paul64	52
Milwaukee74	47 Detroit45	72
Kansas City.72	47 St. Joseph38	76
Columbus64	46 Minneapolis. 40	83

Smallpox in a Hotel.

For several days smallpox has existed at Put-in-Bay Island, Lake Erie, and thousands of people who have visited the island have been exposed and thousands more will be exposed by contact with the people who managed to escape the quarantine established there by the State Board of Health. The State Board of Health took the matter in hand and made the startling discovery that there had been two deaths and that there were now six cases of smallpox in an improvised pesthouse near the hotel.

Riots in the Barbadoes.

Advices received from the island of Barbadoes, belonging to Great Britain, report widespread potato riots. Riotous gangs of men have been looting the produce of the plantations during the night. Following the recent shooting of the speaker of the house of assembly, these demonstrations are considered to be of a serious nature and more troubles are anticipated.

Gen. Greely's Children Hurt. The carriage of Gen. A. W. Greely, oc-

cupied by the family nurse, Mary N. Lambert of Washington, D. C., and the general's two children, Adolphus and Gertrude, figured in an exciting runaway at Amesbury, Mass. Miss Lambert had a leg broken and the children received slight bruises.

Mad Dog Raids an Asylum.

A mad dog at the Ohio State hospital for the insane at Toledo bit a number of patients and tore a thumb from the hand of Dr. F. A. Todd, first assistant superintendent. The dog was killed after a desperate fight.

Little Queen Is of Age.

Queen Wilhelmina of Holland coming of age, the Queen Regent has issued a proclamation placing the Government in her daughter's hands.

TO LEAVE PORTO RICO.

Gen. Miles to Send Home All Troops Not Needed.

Orders have been issued directing Gen. Miles to send home from Porto Rico all troops not actually needed for service there. No point has been designated as yet for their disembarkation in the United States, but an examination of several sites is in progress. It is desired to secure a healthful camp and at the same time one where disembarkation can take place at once without any delay such as occurred at Montauk. The United States transport City of Macon arrived from Montauk Point. She left Santiago Aug. 15 with the Seventeenth infantry for Montauk Point. The transport Seneca, Captain Decker, also arrived from Montauk. The Seneca left Santiago Aug. 13, with the Fourth infantry, and arrived at Montauk the 18th.

BARRED BY HAYTI.

Permission to Establish American

Weather Station There Is Refused. Early in the summer steps were taken by the administration to establish a chain of weather bureau stations in the West Indian islands and Central America, so that the approach of hurricanes originating in those waters might be announced to shipping on the Southern coasts. This was the weakest point in the weather bureau service, as sufficient warning of the approach of these tropical storms could not be given, owing to lack of information. The various Governments within whose territory it was proposed to establish stations readily gave consent, with the single exception of Hayti. While the specific reason for her refusal is not given in the correspondence between Minister Powell and the Haytian foreign office, it is undoubtedly due to a fear on the part of Haytians that the establishment of the station at Mole St. Nicholas might be the beginning of territorial acquisition there by the United States.

HE BLAMES SHAFTER.

Castillo Gives Cuban Version of Dispute with Garcia.

Brig. Gen. Joaquin D. Castillo, who accompanied Gen. Shafter to Cuba as the representative of the Cuban army, returned a few days ago on one of the Government transports to Montauk Point, and has submitted his report to the Cuban junta in New York. Gen. Castillo made a statement concerning the disagreement at Santiago between Gen. Shafter and Gen. Calixto Garcia, in which he alleges that the American commander voluntarily promised to turn over the city to the Cubans when it was captured, and then broke that promise. He says that all the trouble could have been avoided if Gen. Shafter had been less brusque in his manner. Gen. Castillo makes a denial of all the charges that have been made against the Cubans.

MORE SHIPS FOR DEWEY.

Asiatic Squadron to Be Made Strong Enough for Emergency.

Admiral Dewey's squadron at Manila is to be re-enforced. At least three or four of the crack vessels of the North Atlantic fleet are to be sent to Manila in the near future. They will go by way of the Suez canal and will reach Asiatic waters in the early fall. The details of the eastern squadron have not yet been completed, but it is known that the battleship Oregon, the fast cruisers New York and Brooklyn, and, possibly, the battleship Indiana, are to be overhauled and put in shape for the trip. The ostensible reason for sending four big fighting vessels to the far east is that Admiral Dewey's ships, having been in commission so long, cannot be properly docked and cleaned for months.

LAY DOWN ARMS.

Followers of Aguinaldo Have Been Ordered to Begin Planting Rice.

Aguinaldo's adjutant, Infante, says that the insurgent leader has ordered his men to lay aside their arms and to plant rice for future war necessities. The situation growing out of the half hostile attitude of the insurgents to the Americans is improving. Aguinaldo, who had control of the city's water works, has permitted the use of the water without it being necessary to compel him to do so. Gen. Merritt has relinquished the military command at Manila to Gen. Otis and has assumed his duties as military governor.

SAN JUAN HARBOR OPEN.

Trade with the Capital City of Porto Rico Resumed.

The harbor of San Juan is now open, and foreign vessels may enter at any time. The ship sunk in the entrance of the channel to keep the Americans out has been partially removed, and a passageway 265 feet in width is left open. Preparations for the evacuation of the city are progressing rapidly, and the Spanish soldiers are anxious to return home. Merchants and manufacturers are anxious for the Americans to take possession of the city.

ARMY WILL AID CUBANS.

Miss Barton's Offer to Distribute Supplies Declined.

The Red Cross Society will not have charge of the distribution of relief supplies to the destitute Cubans, owing to the opposition of the subsistence department. The subsistence officers say that the law authorizing the distribution of food does not permit the work to be done by any person or organization outside of the army. The offer of Miss Clara Barton, therefore, has been declined.

Reducing Our Muxiliary Flee t. Our auxiliary fleet is to be immediately reduced to actual requirements. Some transports are to be sold, and others kept. The American liners St. Louis, St. Paul, Yale and Harvard are to be returned to the company owning them. The finest colliers will become a part of the navy. The revenue cutters will be returned to the Treasury Department.

DEWEY WOULD FIGHT

HE SO TOLD THE GERMANS AT MANILA BAY.

Plucky American Admiral Advised Meddlesome Germans that If They Wanted to Try Conclusions They Would Be Accommodated.

Shameful Proceedings.

Few realize the difficulties with which Admiral Dewey had to contend in the Philippines since the sinking of the Spanish fleet. Indeed, that feat was the least difficult of his many labors, says a correspondent of the New York Sun, writing prior to the capture of Manila. His chief trouble was occasioned by the Germans. The latter seemed to take special delight in violating moral proprieties and disregarding Admiral Dewey's regulations.

Admiral Dewey had ordered that there should be no movement of ships or boats about the bay at night without his knowledge and permission. That was necessary to an effective blockade, and in order to be legal, a blockade must be effective. The Germans began at once to disregard the regulation. They sent launches about after sundown as if there had been no such regulations. The launches were stopped by our patrol boats and some of them were turned back. The result was friction between the two admirals. Von Diedrichs protested. Dewey replied that his regulation must be observed.

The Germans kept up their work and Dewey's ships have watched the Germans at night with their searchlights. It is particularly offensive to one warship to be the target for another's searchlight, but that has happened to the Germans several times as the wheeling American lights examined the bay to see what



was going on. Von Diedrichs did not like it. Dewey sent word that he regretted the necessity of such work, but he was compelled to keep informed of what went on in the bay at night. He intimated that the Germans were acting as if they thought that they were blockading Manila instead of the Americans.

It is quite within his right as the blockader to do this, but Von Diedrichs protested. The German admiral twisted Dewey's contention and construed it as a claim of the right of search.

Dewey Willing to Fight.

Matters kept getting worse. German launches were stopped and sent to their ships. Permission to move in the night time was refused on some occasions, and finally Admiral Dewey took occasion to say to the German flag lieutenant that certain things meant war and the Germans were approaching dangerously near them. Then he added in substance that if the Germans wanted war they could have it now or at any other time, here or

at any other place. In reply to this Von Diedrichs took a pacificatory tone and disavowed any intention of violating proper usages or the

American admiral's blockade regulations. Then came the Subig bay incident. The insurgents were attacking Isla de Grande. They had captured a steamer from the Spanish and they sent her down to Subig with men. She came back one afternoon and reported to Dewey that the cruiser Irene had prevented her from attacking

Dewey sent the Raleigh and Concord there at once. They went in and cleared for action at 8:15 the next morning, ready for what might come, German or otherwise. As they went in on one side of the island, the Irene came out on the other at full steam. The two American ships took the island with 623 prisoners, nearly all Spanish soldiers, and 600 rifles. with an immense quantity of ammunition.

When the Irene came back the McCulloch spoke, but did not stop her. This brought a protest from both sides. Von Diedrichs objected to the hauling up of his ships. Dewey declared that the Germans were lending aid and comfort to our enemies, thereby making themselves openly Spain's allies. He sent a message to the German admiral, the substance of which was:

"Is there peace or war between our countries? If there is war I want to know it. If there is peace I want you to change your course. The way to make war is to clear up ship and go at it."

Von Diedrichs replied with an apology and then as if repenting he wrote to Admiral Dewey a note in which he misconstrued Dewey's contention about right to speak incoming ships, and said he would lay the matter before commanders-inchief now in the harbor. Since then Dewey has heard nothing from him, but he has heard what happened when Von Diedrichs called on Capt. Chichester of the Immortalite, the senior officer of the English squadron. The Englishman showed the German his instructions, by which he was ordered to do what Dewey had been contending that the Germans should do. There was not much ground left for Von Diedrichs after that.

UNCLE SAM WILL BE READY.

In Case of Hitch in Peace Negotiations with Spain. Washington special:

The order of the Navy Department for the drydocking and vepairs of the big ships in Admiral Sampson's fleet indicates that this Government will not be caught napping either by Spain or by any other nation which may seek to interfere with the accomplishment of its aims.

It is the intention of the department to put all the fighting vessels of the navy in the very best possible shape during the existence of the armistice. In the event that Great Britain should remain firm in her refusal to allow the ships of Admiral Dewey's fleet to dock at Hong Kong, arrangements will very likely be made to send a floating dock to the Philippines. This will certainly be done if Admiral Dewey recommends it.

The Navy Department will also see to it that all the ships of the navy are provided with smokeless powder during the armistice. While the ships are at the navy yards undergoing needed repairs the sailors who served their guns so gallantly at Santiago are to be given liberal shore leaves to compensate them for the hard service they have rendered. Some of them have not had any shore leave for seven months.

The War Department will take equal care to do everything possible to increase the efficiency of the land forces during the armistice. The troops in the field will be reduced, probably to 100,000. With only this number of soldiers to look after the War Department will be able to take care of all their wants promptly. They will all be armed with the Krag-Jorgensen rifles, and target practice will be taken up in all the camps. If Spain should core clude to continue the war after the peace commission has finished its work, or i. any of the powers of Europe should attempt to interfere with the administration's policy in the Philippines, the United States will be found in splendid shape to cope with the emergency. It is not expected, however, that there will be any more fighting and the measures to be taken by the War and Navy Departments are purely precautionary.

The administration is pleased with the condition of affairs in Porto Rico, where the Spanish commander, Gen. Macias, is showing a friendly spirit in co-operating with the Americans in making ready for the evacuation.

Condition of Things There Reported

as Horrible.

AWFUL SUFFERING IN HAVANA.

Reports from Havana picture the condition of things there as horrible. Provisions and other necessaries of life are very scarce, and prices continue high. The coionial government imposed the highest customs duties, which continue in force, making prices high and rendering the situation of the poor very painful. The free kitchens which have been established in Havana daily furnish about 30,000 persons with food, but owing to the great number of poor in the city who are without food of any sort, the amount of supplies handled by these kitchens is quite insufficient to relieve the distress to any great extent. Women and children lie about the streets, pale and emaciated, and looking more like corpses than living be-

FAVORS CESSION OF JAMAICA.

Neville Lubbock Thinks Island Should

Belong to America. Neville Lubbock, who was the expert adviser of the British delegates upon the occasion of the Brussels conference upon the question of sugar bounties, was interviewed in reference to the proposed action by the Jamaicans to petition the Queen for the cession of the island of Jamaica to the United States. Mr. Lubbock said that in his opinion the cession of the island to America would be of immense advantage to the people of the island. Almost all the products of the island, with the exception of rum, went to the United States, and there was a feeling that the British West Indies colonies had been shamefully treated by the mother coun-

SAMPSON CORRECTS GARCIA.

Denies that Cervera Surrendered to the Cubans.

Admiral Sampson said concerning the Grande Island and had forced her to haul report that Garcia claims that Cervera down her insurgent flag and raise a white | surrendered to the Cubans and was turn ed over to the navy, that it could not be true. There were no Cubans about, except a few on shore. These few employed themselves by shooting at the defenseless Spaniards. It is questionable if the Spaniards would have escaped alive, the admiral said, if it had not been for the American sailors. The admiral says Cervera was taken off his flagship by the Gloucester, and was afterward taken aboard the Iowa.

JAUDENES FORGOT TO SIGN.

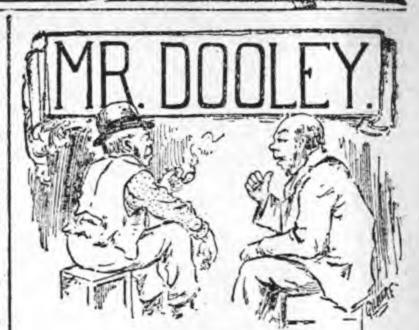
Spanish Commander at Manila Was Probably Excited.

The Spanish cabinet examined the terms of the capitulation of Manila as cabled by Gen. Tejeiro. They appear to apply to Manila only. The question of the repatriation of the Spanish troops is left to the decision of the American Government. Gen. Jaudenes, who succeeded Gen. Augusti in the military command at Manila, it was stated, had not sent a dispatch to the Government. The latest explanation of this is that the dispatch of Tejeiro really was sent by Jaudenes, but that the latter forgot to affix his signature.

WAR COST SPAIN \$600,000,000.

Must Pay \$10,000,000 More to Bring Her Troops Home.

A dispatch from Madrid says that the repatriation of all the Spanish troops in the Antilles will cost 50,000,000 pesetas (\$10,000,000). The total cost of the war has been 3,000,000,000 pesetas (\$600,000,-000). The collection of \$10,000,000 in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines toward the support of the army will shortly be attempted.



His Cousin George.

"If they don't catch up with him pretty soon," said Mr. Dooley, "he'll fight his way ar-round th' wurruld an' come out through Bar-saloona or Cades."

"Who's that?" asked Mr. Hennessy. "Me Cousin George, no less," said Mr. Dooley. "I suppose ye think th' war is over an' peace has rayturned jus' because Tiddy Rosenfelt is back home again an' th' sojers ar-re hungry in New York 'stead iv in Sandago. That's where ye're wrong, Hinnissy. That's where ye'er wrong, me bucko. Th' war is not over till Cousin George stops fightin'. Th' Spanyards have had enough, but among thrue fightin' men it don't make anny diff'rence what th' feelin's iv th' la-ad undherneath may be. 'Tis whin th' man on top has had his fill iv fightin' that th' throuble's over, an' be th' look iv things Cousin George has jus' begun to take tay.

"Whin me frind Mack con-cluded 'twas time f'r us to stop fightin' ye thought that ended it. So did Mack. He says, says he: 'Let us have peace,' he says. An' all th' deuces in th' deck begun to look like face car-rds again whin suddently there comes a message fr'm Cousin George. 'In pursocance iv ordhers that niver come,' he says, 'to-day th' squadhron undher my command knocked th' divyle out iv th' fortifications iv th' Ph'lippines, bombarded th' city, an' locked up th' insurgent gin'ral. The gov'nor got away be swimmin' aboord a Dutch ship an' th' Dutchman took him to Ding Dong. I'll attind to th' Dutchman some afthernoon whin I have nawthin' else to do. I'm settin' in the palace with me feet on th' pianny. Write soon. I won't get it. So no more at prisint fr'm ye'er ol' frind an' wellwisher, George Dooley.'

"How ar-re they goin' to stop him? How ar-re they goin' to stop him? There's Mack on th' shore, shoutin' ordhers. 'Come back,' he says. 'Come back, I command ye,' he says. 'George, come back,' he says. 'Th' war is over,' he says. 'We're at peace with th' wurruld,' he says. 'George,' he says, 'George, be a good fellow,' he says. 'Lave up on thim,' he says. 'Hivins an' earth, he's batin' that poor Spanyard with a pavin' block. George, George, ye break me hear-rt,' he says.

"But George Dooley, he gives th' wink to his frinds, an' says he, 'What's that man yellin' on th' shore about?' he says. 'Louder,' he says. 'I can't hear ye,' he says. 'Sing it,' he says. 'Write it to me on a postal ca-ard at Mahdrid,' he says. 'Don't stop me now,' he says. 'This is me busy day,' he says, an' away he goes with a piece iv lead pipe in wan hand an' a couplin' pin in th' other.

"What'n we do ta him? We can't catch up with him. He's goin' too fast. Mack's a week behind him iv'ry time he stops annywhere. He has sthrung a throlley acrost th' islands an' he's climbin' mountains with his fleet. Th' on'y thing I see, Hinnissy, that Mack can do is to go east an' meet him comin' r-round. If he hurries he'll sthrike him somewhere in Rooshia or Boohlgahria, an' say to him: 'George, th' war's over. Won't ye come home with me?' I think he'll listen to-

reason." "I think a man ought to stop fightin" whin th' war is ended," said Mr. Hen-

"I dinnaw about that," said Mr. Dooley. "He started without askin' our l'ave an' I don't see what we've got to do with th' way he finishes. 'Tis a tur-rble thing to be a man iv high sperrits, an' not to know whin th' other fellow's licked."-Chicago-

Grown in Hawaiian Islandi.

The soil of the Hawaiian islands is of a very rich volcanic nature and nearly all the plants and trees of the tropical and temperate zones may be grown on it, but only a small portion of the land is under cultivation. When irrigation is perfected there is scarcely a limit to the productive capabilities of the islands.

Citrus fruits, oranges, lemons, limes and grape fruits can be grown, ripening in time to supply the deficiency of the California market when that gives out. All vegetables, breadstuffs, mangoes, dates, figs, pomegranates, mulberries, strawberries, guavas and cocoanuts grow in profusion. There are hundreds of acres of land which might be used for cocoanut groves with great success. Thousands of acres are covered with guavas in the wild state, which are falling to the ground ungathered. The fruit makes a fine jelly and United States capital might makeguava jelly factories profitable.

Celery is grown if the proper soil isselected. That this vegetable thrives in a warm climate was proved in Southern California, where five years ago not enough was produced to supply the home market, but on the introduction of skilled methods from Michigan celery raising has become a. great industry. Dairying might be made a profitable business in the Hawalian islands, but at present is neglected.

New French Motor Car.

An extraordinary motor car has been patented in France. It is composed of two large wheels five feet in diameter, mounted on a common axle, the body being between the wheels. The motor revolves at high speed round a vertical axis, and, acting like a gyroscope, keeps. the vehicle from tipping over. The steering apparatus is very intricate.

Over the hills, where the sun went down

In a dying glory of red and gold, Was a swath of crimson, where death had mown

His grist in the chapparal-stiff and colu-

Grand physiques for the grave's dank mould-Ah, that the grave should such

enfold! The reaper hath reaped what the

sword hath sown, And will hold till the scroll of time

be rolled!

Over the hills that they stormed that day, Man and man like a solid wall,

Knowing no thought but the one, "opey," Following orders, that is all-

While the gaps close up as the heroes fall, And the black smoke curls like a

funeral pall Over the dead that shall live for aye, Though they sleep till the reveille's waking call.

Dotting the hills where the fight was won.

Poor rude mounds where the dead men sleep;

Hot is the glare of the tropic sun, But cold they lie in their slumber deep,

Knowing not of the ones who weep, Heedless of fame that their names shall reap,

Resting awhile after work is done, Till the sunbeams glint where the shadows creep.

-New York Sun.

How Bingham Missed His Chance

"You are working too hard, old man," said Jack Bingham's friends, one after another, as they saw his ruddy cheeks turn pale, his springy, elastic tread become dull and dragging, and heard less and less often his cheery if not exactly tuneful whistle.

But to all their good advice and earnest protests Jack turned a deaf ear, smiled a little, and kept at his tasks the steadier.

None of his friends properly appreciated Jack's unusual devotion to lamost argent adoration on his part.

Preserving a measure of clear-headedness even in his worship, Jack plainhousehold where economy was necessary his idol would prove a melanhe worked early and late, steadily and | made him what he was. hopefully. The copy he turned out was good in spite of its volume; his an astonishing figure.

him, be his motives what they may.

and blurs floated in them, and through | favoritism been any one else. them jumped pains that drew his head down on his folded arms in spite of to complain. Banquets and balls, re- ness to find a flood of pale-gold hair himself. His feet and hands grew ceptions and races, lectures, sermons covering his face, to feel the warm heavy, as if his blood had turned to and interviews, quickly cloyed the ap- kiss of full lips on his bloodless ones lead. Six months before he had gone petitie of the newspaper man who had up or down the office stairs in three jumps. Now they seemed to grow longer every day, and often he stopped half way with a queer little catch | it," Jack said to the city editor one in his side. Presently the pain that day. "I'm tired of this woman's work. months of bitter contempt had raised gnawed at the back of his eyeballs refused to yield even to sleep. Then Jack grew afraid, but did not let his stories once in a while." fear keep him from his work.

days, and adopted the precaution of reading over aloud whatever of importance he had written. One day it came about that as he read, his tongue seemed suddenly swollen and useless, and he could not utter the words his mind framed. He turned to his typewriter and placed, as he thought, the heading he desired on the article he had written but could not read.

When the foreman in the composing room saw "The Love of Ethel" introducing a column of interviews on the tariff, he laughed at first, and then, remembering Jack's looks of late, grew grave. Soon he made a pretext for consulting Jack-but not about the tariff article-and saw in a moment that the mischief was not caused

by whiskey. Soon the managing editor came and Jack was led away to a cab, babbling thickly about Ethel, his work and the money he had saved; money that that followed. For Jack was an or- out to you just as soon as possible.

phan, his friends were careless, happy They will report to you and you can go-lucky bohemians, and brain fever lay out the work for them. You know is an illness that demands the most what to do better than I can tell you. skillful of physicians and the most careful of nurses. So when Jack as much care of yourself as you can." came to himself again, very pale and cious store must be drained low.

compared with his torturing doubt of | tingling with that subtle elation of Ethel. Why did he not hear from conflict which newspaper men know her? Why did not she come to him as well as do soldiers on the verge of now that he was so much better? The battle and sportsmen in sight of big kindly doctor had noticed Jack's trouble; by a quiet inquiry had discovered as the nighthawk cab jolted and what probably lay at the bottom of it; jounced him over the stones to the and so had an answe ready for Jack | station, and when no other reporter apwhen the latter screwed up his courage to ask for Ethel. She had been train he even hummed a tune, someas ill as he, they told him, and like thing he had not done for months. him was now slowly but surely recovday.

price of her week's salary, and told sands. him that Ethel had sent them. When she saw how Jack buried his face in winter's night was as fascinating in the roses and kissed their petals lin- its wierd horror as was that of sumgeringly, as if they were Ethel's lips, mer in its vivid coloring. Out of a a wave of angry hate surged in the clouded sky the moon struggled in play with such a love, forget it and darkness. Upon the track and tumbled white hands that smoothed so deftly shrieks and screams sounded from the his thick, wavy hair.

Evans, the blunderer. When Jack dead. his usual ill luck plunged directly into ness. condolences. Jack did not quite uninvalid that Ethel had not been ill; ery of forture. but that, on the contrary, while the and had announced her engagement to another.

After that Jack went back into the valley of the shadow and knocked at bor, for none of them knew its incen- the very gates of death. But the doctive-that he was in love. She was a | tor and the nurse, working desperatedainty little thing, always admired by ly together, pulled him away and led men and rather looked down upon and him back into a gray sort of lightless at the same time envied by her own life. Whereat he was not so grateful sex; at home the pet of her parents as he ought to have been. And when and in society an imperious and ex- he found that he must get well, whethacting young belle. Just the kind of er he would or no, he announced that girl, in short, with whom it was the he was going back to work at once. height or fon Jack to be in love, The doctor remonstrated, commanded, and consequently the object of the begged, in vain, and the shy pleadings of the nurse had no effect.

Back he crept to his old haunts, a ly realized that as the head of a young fellows who were doing his death at the sound of his voice. In choly failure. Resolving, therefore, to selves: "Shall we, too, come to that?" came from all directions and slowly earn enough money to prevent her For they thought that work had a way of escape was opened. from worrying as to ways and means, caused his illness, and that illness had But the flames swept swiftly on,

the possession of another, but the pro- from her shricks of pain that tore the regular salary from his paper was in- prietor, when Jack asked for a place, hearts of those who heard them. creased, together with his duties; and gave orders at once that he should be Jack's feverish strength increased his income from outside work reached employed at whatever he was able to with each recurring cry, and he pulled Still, the money did not come fast dubiously, but recalling the brilliance his helpers and himself. enough to suit the impatient lover, that had once been his, turned him At last he reached her, held her in who thereupon began to worry and over to the city editor. And the city his arms for a single moment, then fret. Now the man who works with editor, whom Jack had had instructed passed her back to willing hands. On his brain sixteen hours a day, and in the rudiments, did not forget the the instant a piece of iron, its supworries and frets in addition, has not debt he owed, but placed "Bingham" ports burned away, dropped from the a long career of usefulness before opposite the easiest assignments in his overhanging pile and felled him in his book until the staff would have risen tracks. They thought he was dead Jack's eyes gave way first. Specks in open revolt had the object of this when, senseless, he was rescued. But

As it was, Jack himself was the first hospital, he came back to consciousbeen used to the strong meat of journalism for his daily diet.

"Give me something with blood in When I was on earth before they were not afraid to send me out after big

"It's for you we're afraid and not He was not sure of himself in those for the story, Jack, and you know it." expostulated the man on the city desk. "Even the Kid believes that no man he learned that the fault was not on the paper can work up a sensation Ethel's but her matchmaking mamwith you. But you're not strong enough yet for a rough job. Jack. Look in the glass and see for yourself. Just take it easy for a while longer, old man, and trust us to work you hard

> enough by-and-by to make up." The "story with blood in it" came sooner than any one expected. The very next night Jack chanced to be alone in the reporters' room when the city editor came to the door and cast a worried glance around.

"No one else here, Jack?" he asked. Then you will have to go. I hate to send you, for it's a hard trip, but we'll help you out all we can. They have just telephoned me from the union station that there's a big smash at Mad River. A wreck train will go out in ten minutes. Catch it on your life. Rush in a first story for an extra and then plan to do the introduction for proved a godsend in the long months the later editions. I'll get more men

There's a cab at the door. And take

Before the last words were out of thin and quiet, he knew that his pre- the city editor's mouth Jack was half way down the stairs, pulling on his That troubled him little, however, overcoat as he went. His nerves were game. He whistled under his breath peared to claim a place on the wreck

As the train rushed along through ering. And Jack must not worry the night Jack learned all that the about her in the least, for the doctor railroad men could tell him of the diswould bring him news from her every aster. An extra freight and a through express had collided on a curved em-So Jack kept obediently quiet among | bankment which skirted the banks of his pillows, listening intently for the a river. In the strong light of a sumdoctor's footsteps, and flushing like a mer day the landscape was a picture girl when the news was good, as, of beauty; the long sweep of the black somehow, it always was. One day tracks through the green valley and the brown-eyed nurse brought him a by their side the clear water of the great bunch of roses, bought at the stream rippling over bright, yellow

The scene Jack looked upon that nurse's heart for the girl who could vain to pierce the heavy, snow-laden forsake it. The wave, receding, left on either side engines and cars were its traces in the trembling of the cool piled in huge, formless heaps. Stifled his hot pillows and brushed so gently depths of the black masses. Here and there the gleaming lanterns of the But not a word escaped her lips, and trainmen darted like will-'o-the-wisps, Jack's evil day might have been put frequently converging upon one point, off indefinitely had it not been for where lay a torch-guarded row of the

grew well enough to see his friends | Suddenly, while Jack strained his for a few minutes at a time Evans eyes to pierce the gloom, a little was one of the first to call, and with tongue of flame leaped into the dark-

"The wreck's afire!" cried the railderstand at first, but Evans, flounder- road man at his side, and there came ing ahead, soon made it clear to the as if in answer from the chaos a shrill

The fire, leaping from point to point issue of his illness had been still licked greedily at the dry wood of the doubtful, she had thrown him over splintered cars, and again the piercing shriek made Jack shiver in spite of himself.

> Clambering over the mass of wreckage in the direction from which the screams seemed to come, he found, almost at the bottom of the great pile. a woman, saved from instant death by a freak of fate, but pinned down and cramped until movement was impossible. She had swooned at the crash of the collision, apparently, and had been brought back to consciousness by the heat of the advancing flames.

One glance and Jack knew the face. "Ethel!"

He recled as he cried the name and thin, pale ghost of his former self. The the woman shrank back even towards work looked at him with a pity that a moment the weakness passed and he was akin to fear and asked them attacked the imprisoning pile. Help

seorching the girl's delicate flesh, His old desk had long since been in charring her golden hair and dragging do. The managing editor, eyeing him and lifted with a power that amazed

presently, in an improvised farmhouse and to hear a sweet voice say .-

"Jack! My Jack! It is Ethel. Don't

you know me?" If Jack had been physically stronger perhaps the barriers which long would not have been so easily swept away. But as it was he whispered, "My darling," and raised one arm weakly to fold about her neck. Afterwards he was very glad that he did. for the truth came out little by little; ma's, and that in the girl's own heart he had never been supplanted.

It was some months later, when Jack returned, hale and hearty, and with new hope in his soul, to his work, that the city editor said,-

chance at the Mad River wreck, old man."

Jack, bewildered.

were the only newspaper man on the spot? If you hadn't got knocked out we should have had the scoop of the year."

"By Jove! That's so," said Jack, regretfully. "And I had quite forgotten it."

At about the same time the doctor was saying to the brown-eyed nurse,-"What a chance Bingham missed!"

"Chance for what?" she asked. "For getting even with that girl, of ly garments

course. Instead of forgiving and forgetting, he ought to have turned his back on her and married you. He owed a great deal to you and he knew

The nurse moved quickly away, but not until the doctor had seen that the brown eyes filled with tears at his words. He had learned what he wished to know, but there was a pain in his own heart because of it .-Waverley Magazine.

HOBSON'S SENSE OF DUTY.

Incidents in the Early Life of the Hero of Santiago.

Donaldson Caffrey, jr., son of the United States Senator, and District Attorney for his judicial district, was a classmate of Hobson's at the Academy of Annapolis.

"Hobson," said Caffrey the other day, "is one of the most exalted characters I have ever known. He had a will of iron. His religious tendencies somewhat associated him in my mind with Stonewall Jackson, it was so pronounced. He was a hard student, attended with the most scrupulous regularity to every detail of discipline and of duty, and in all his work at the academy never forgot his Bible.

"There is an unwritten law at Annapolis that the officer of the senior class in the last year shall not report small irregularities and infractions of discipline among his classmates, and, like everything at the Naval Academy, this law is rigid, and is always respected. Hobson, however, saw his duty in disregarding it, and made himself so unpopular with the boys that to a man they all cut him. This had not the slightest effect upon him, however, for he was doing what he conceived to be his duty, and nothing could ever deter him from the performance of duty. I only saw one variation from this rule of his, and I am inclined to believe it was in his conscience no variation at all. It was when we went out cruising. Those young tigers were on the alert for the slightest opportunity to haze, and the man who is so unfortunate as to give an opening, has a rocky time of it, indeed. I remember that inadvertently I threw myself down on the mess-table on the first day out. My comrades pounced on me, and, pretending this was a heinous offense, had some fun at my expense, which I shall never forget.

"You must know we have all the amiable traits of young savages and just about as much mercy. I wondered on this trip if Hobson would have the temerity to kneel and pray, There was not a man of the crowd, out of the many superb youngsters, who would have flinched in the mouth of the cannon, with the hardihood to kneel and pray before the boys. But Hobson quietly kneeled and prayed before turning in for the night. The boys succeeded in making that unbearable for him in time and he eventually quit it. I am convinced, however, that he desisted simply because he concluded the quiet of his bed would be better conducive to a religious frame of mind, and not because he had not the moral courage to kneel and pray before the whole body of us. However, a great many of us, I am sure, did the same thing."

The Value of the Army Cook.

The value of a good cook in camp is thus estimated by Lieutenant Henry J. Reilly, U. S. A .: "If the cooks know their business the rations are well cooked and palatable; the men are contented, the sick-report has but few names on it, and their duty is easily and readily done. If there are no good cooks in the company, underdone pork, soggy beans-covered with greasy water for soup-and miserable coffee cause discontent, a large sick-report, duty poorly done, with much grumbling, and finally a small company, which the men are anxious to leave, and to which they never return if they can help it. In active field service, when three and five days' rations have to be carried in the haversack on long marches, or when strong pickets are sent out and each man has to cook his own food, arises the greatest difficulty. Those who have some knowledge of cooking get along very well and utilize anything eatable they can find, while those who have not this knowledge, unless helped by their more fortunate comrades, generally fall out and their names soon appear on the sick-list."

Tree Climbing Fish.

India has fishes which climb trees and migrate from stream to stream in "Too bad you had to miss your dry season. Florida can match her with a great snail which climbs trees and feasts on the young birds, like "Chance? What chance?" asked his fellow robber, the blue crab. The shell of this snail is opaline, and al-"Why, don't you remember that you most as transparent as glass. Its shape is odd and handsome. This snail is edible and not unlike those found on the coast of France and which are so much in demand in the markets of Paris. In some places they are so abundant that a shake of a tree will bring down a bushel of them.

> Church processions are prohibited in Mexico. Even a priest cannot legally walk the streets in his church-

RECORD OF THE WEEK

INDIANA INCIDENTS TERSELY TOLD.

Methodists to Raise \$500,000 for De Pauw University-Double Tragedy in Columbus-Brakeman Leaps Fifty Feet to Escape Death.

Fixes Debt on Church,

At a council of presiding officers of the Methodist Church held at Anderson, it was decided to saddle an endowment of \$500,000 upon the churches of the State for maintaining De Pauw University. It is proposed to raise this fund during the years 1899 and 1900 and it is to be known as "the twentieth century gift of Indiana Methodism to the permanent endowment of De Pauw University." The demands are to be apportioned to the three Indiana conferences, about \$150,000 to each one. The university has been running in hard lines for the past year. The failure of the De Pauws crippled the institution to the extent of several hundred thousand dollars. During the past year it has been necessary to make a beggerly appeal to every source for revenue to carry on the work. It is proposed to put this \$500,000 out on interest and not touch the princi-

Elopes with a Mere Child.

Milo Wilson and Lula Hancock eloped from Monon and were married at St. Joseph, Mich. Wilson is 50 years old and the girl 13. A warrant was out for Wilson's arrest on the charge of decoying the girl from home, and they were arrested at Logansport. Wilson is the father of four children, one almost as old as the Hancock girl, who comes from an excellent family. Wilson had been paying her attention for several months, despite the protestation of her mother. Indignant citizens finally warned Wilson to cease paying the child attention and he promptly induced the girl to elope.

Wife and Husband Snicide.

Mrs. Ellen Hill of Columbus committed suicide by hanging herself in the barn. The cause of her death was due to the unsteady actions of her husband. Henson C. Hill, her husband, also committed suicide the next morning by taking strychnine. He was seized with horrible convulsions and died four hours after. Mr. Hill was a very prominent man in the vivinity, having served as city councilman for two successive terms, and was connected with a manufacturing company at Indianapolis. The death of his wife completely unmanned him and it was no doubt the immediate cause of his suicide.

Brakeman's Perilous Jump.

At Clinton, Albert Brown, a Chicago and Eastern Illinois brakeman, escaped a violent death by jumping from the railroad to the ground, a distance of fifty feet. Brown had gone out on the bridge to make a coupling when a car loaded with heavy timber struck him, causing him to lose his balance. It was either jump or be ground to pieces by the cars, and with wonderful presence of mind he leaped. He lit squarely on his feet, where he stood for a moment, and then fell unconscious to the ground. His injury is not regarded as serious.

Within Our Borders.

At South Bend, Mrs. August Schlemmel, aged 19, recently married, took rat poison and died.

At Martinsville, Hugh, the 17-year-old son of William Williamson, was drowned in White river.

The deadly disease anthrax has made its appearance among a herd of cattle belonging to Hamilton Like of Harrison township.

The young man who was killed by the train between Farmersburg and Pimento has been identified as Charles Watkins, aged 29, a grocer of Terre Haute.

While John Gardner of Clinton township and his young son were crossing the track in a wagon, they were struck by the Big Four express and both were instantly killed.

Some miscreant set fire to a number of stacks of wheat belonging to George G. Pell on a farm near Harmony. The fire spread rapidly and soon consumed his entire crop of over 600 bushels.

Norman Bovee, an engineer in the employ of the Michigan Central Railroad for the last eighteen years, committed suicide in the city park at Michigan City by shooting himself in the head. He has been in poor health for four months.

Willie Evans, aged 10, near Lake Mixinkuckee, was bitten by a rattlesnake and will probably die. He was cutting grass with the lawn mower and cut the reptile in two. In trying to remove some obstruction from the mower he was bitten on the end of the little finger.

Seven thousand people were assembled at the Newbern farmers' fair near Columbus in Deep Woods, when a violent storm came. The lightning and thunder were terrific and the rain poured down in a deluge. Trees were blown down, horses broke loose and ran away, children screamed, women fainted and general panic prevailed. Charles Hayman was struck by a falling limb and badly hurt; he will probably die. His wife and son were slightly injured. Mrs. Samuel Cooper was also struck by falling timber and badly hurt; will probably die.

Fire broke out in Frank Wright's restaurant at Pennville, destroying a block of buildings valued at \$25,000, and causing injuries to several persons. The injured are Mrs. Frank Wright, who jumped from the second story, dislocated hip and broken ankle, recovery doubtful: Frank Wright, burned while rescuing his children, not serious; infant child of Frank Wright and wife, badly burned, but will recover. The fire spread to the Pennville Gas Company's office, Dr. Mason's office, J. D. Smith & Sons' hardware and furniture store, the Lupton building, Mrs. Jenkins' block and residence, A. T. Place's grocery, Will Allman's barber shop and the Morrow barber shop, The buildings were all frame.

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The Klondikers.

Two Hoosier Boys Start Out To Seek Their Fortune.

By Perry Pickwick in Tri-County Gazette.

We were snow bound. There was no disputing that point. In fact we were located, settled, gone into winter quarters -- to stay, perhaps, until our bones bleach in the mild summer sunshine of the northern sunshine.

We had time now to take an inventory of the situation, to discover if possible where we were at, and to prognosticate where we would be some time in the future. As to our location, the reader who has followed us in our troubles thus far knows about as much as we do. We esti mated, by the time we had traveled, that we were between seventy five and one hundred miles below Fort McMurray, on the west bank of the Athabaska river. We don't, as yet, know much about the contour of the surrounding country except what we can see of the heavy pine forests in our immediate vicinity. We went into camp here November 1st; this is written Thursday, the 4th. We have plenty of time to write, but whether our scribblings will eyer see the daylight of civilization is a question now hard to answer. Notwithstanding our economy in the use of provisions, especially flour, our supply has become alarmingly low, con sidering the distance to market. Of course we have money in our pockets, but then we are in a similar predicament with the miser who starves to death while surrounded with his bags of gold. We realize that we made a mistake by not laying in a larger supply of flour, potatoes and a few of the staples of life while they were yet within reach. We now have only about fifteen pounds of flour, and our other supplies are correspondingly low except salt and sugar, of which we have an ample supply. Our bank account foots up \$318.35. My! what wouldn't we give now for the privilege of exchanging about one third of it for what it would purchase in an Indiana town?

writing last. We occupied a part army. The boys can lay down their of this time in shoveling a path all arms and return to their friends with the way to the river, and also for the satisfaction of work well done. some distance back into the forest, where we found an abundance of good fuel which we collected and stored by the side of our summer kitchen. This morning we find much of our road obliterated. Another snow storm, accompanied by some wind, drifted our walk completely full and filled every crevice about our tent, so that our outside appearance is nothing more than a snow mound, with a few stray branches sticking out. It's warmer this morning and the snow seems inclined to melt as it falls.

Saturday, November 13th, and we are still here. Several days of intense cold followed our last snow storm, and the surface of the snow has been frozen into a hard crust almost strong enough to bear the weight of a man. We have been amusing ourselves by digging tunnels under the crust for long distances, so that | now our quarters re-

semble the catacombs of Romeonly not so dark.

Wednesday, the 16th, we took a run on the surface of the snow. We tried our skates, but they made the crust break, but our Klondike boots covered sufficient territory to hold us up. We walked several miles back into the forest, but found nothing but snow-snow-snow and heavy timber, then we returned to the river. Here we found that the water had penetrated the snow to the surface and frozen very solid so that we could easily use our skates. This was a happy discovery, and we made a run of several miles down the river. Indeed, we did the foolish trick to go so far that it was after dark when we got back, and we had difficulty in finding our landing place. Our trip revealed nothing of importance to us and we found the banks of the river bordered with heavy timber and bluffs all the way. Our extraordinary exertion caused us to sleep late this morning, and today we are planning a more extended excursion to occupy all of tomorrow. We shall take our guns and a day's rations with us.

On Thursday morning we started early, fully equipped with guns, ammunition, hunting knives, etc., and went sailing down the river at a rapid speed. Our blood was made to flow still faster after we had gone a few miles by the discovery of marks made by the hoofs of a herd of deer on the frozen surface of the river. It was apparent that they had been made quite recently, and we quickened our pace in the hope of getting sight of them.

After following the trail for perhaps ten miles we were greatly surprised to discover the marks of two more pairs of skates which took up the chase ahead of us. Where did those skates come from? This question was now paramount to all others with us, and we immediately turned about face and took up the back track of the intruders. We soon found where they entered the river from the mouth of a small creek. Following this we soon came to a well-beaten path through the deep snow back into the forest for about half a mile, where we came upon the old lumber camp of which we had been told back at Ft. McMurray. We found two of the sportsmen at home and the other two were out "on a lark," as they expressed it; they didn't know where. We explained what we had seen of their tracks on the ice, and they told us they had captured one deer on the ice and their partners were anxious to be even with them.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Many of the troops will be mustered out at once; but about 100,000 will be held in reserve. Though all have not seen active service, yet vic-Well, four days have passed since tory rightfully belongs to the whole

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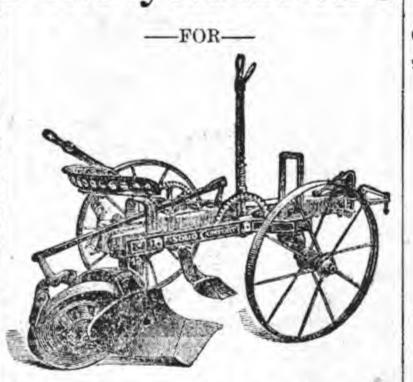
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ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS. Mrs. George Green is in town visiting

The corn crop will be simply in manage in this section.

McCoy and Corbett will fight at

Buffalo, October L. Messlames T. E. Slottery and Mrs. J.

A. Watson made Plymouth a visit Thursday.

Logansport, we visiting relatives in toon this week. Mrs. John A. Watson, of Chicago

is visiting her eister, Mrs. T. E. Slattery, this week. D. A. Smith & Co. are laying the

sione foundation for the new solved house at Rational.

J. K. Mawborter, while handling tin Monday, aecidentally out his thumb close to the bore.

Rev. Howard will preach his fareell sermon at Monterey nest Sun day morning and at Culver Sunday evening.

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Wim Grove Woods, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity the part o'x weeks, returned to her home in Newtown, this state, Thursday murning.

A gang of Western Union Telephone area were putting in new wire at this place Thursday. Culver new has direct communication with Indi-

Col. Studebaker's regiment v first to reach the front and will be the first to reach home. The 157th will reach Indianapolis in a few days to be inustated out of the service

A new effort is being made to re-cover the weak of the Chicora off the St. Jee burbon. It is said the half will yield between \$20,000 and \$40,000 to the man who Lods it.

Scott Heywood, au Indiana man, writes that he is coming out of Dan-son City with \$40,000, surned by algorism a normal in a theater in that

If you desire to vait St. Joseph, Michigan, you can do so next Sunday. The Vandalia ofters round trip tickets from Culver for only a dollar. Go

Prof. Irving Baba, who was at the head of the schools last year will be principal again this year. He is a conscientions teacher and a great worker in his line. He sad his amible wife will more to Culver some time this week

A good story is printed at the expense of "lich" Ingernol. The count was re-cently tailing with an oul colored second in Washington conversing retigrous and in Westington conserving response un-ters. "Do you really believe, unity," said be, "that people are made out of dust?" "Yes, sait; do Bible says day as, and so I b'lisess it." "Bit! what is done in wet weather when there is nothing but mod?" "Hen I 'spects say make infidels an' sich

Indiana will be largely represented by housian will be togety operation to the vicenas at the actional encapment at Cincimast, legistering seat Menday. Beadquarters for Indiana will be at the Grand Union heef, mar Union entries.

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Rey. M. II. Wood, of Newtown, is Man Guize Wood, who has recently been mining from the old, is sensiting from the old, is simplified with the old, is simplified with the old, is simplified with the old remain until conference sureting of the M. E. Chards of this district, which convenes mut were at Plyto

The picnic of the Twin Lake Sunday school, beld at the Twin Lake grounds last week, war a grand success. People from far and oear went enrig with well filled backets prepared by an enjoyable day. The Physically band furnished succlient. ir and everyloody was emption with bestende which was furnished by the ob- Everyloody left hoping they might he able to go upain next year.

The State Fair managers have for an interesting night program the fair. Pain, the great fireworks long. will present the interesting features of the program, the Battle of Manila, as well a a great display of fireworks. The haid ings will be lighted and these of our peoper win attend will get the full day's por gram, as well as the esenting dispay, for one admission. The street cir complexy has described at expectly for headling the owner, and the restriction of effecting extra industries, which indicate the success of

That Chemical Engine

Parties from Legamport are in Culve whiteting noterinal sugice and the other social goes in a test. A large number of lower were piled together and after secretary guidance is all been poured upon the pile from Colver for only a dollar. Gin see the wonderful sights.

The flour mode by the Luke Militing company at this phose is giving entire satisfaction; in fact, there is no better flour mode in the country, thence the mild should receive the patronage of every fariner in this section of Marshall country, the mild a trial and be convinced.

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Prof. Irving Baba, who was at the head of the schools lost year will be received as the arch and we suppose the partchine of the schools lost year will be been defined as will be lost the arch soil continued as even as the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of the city are being controlled to the control of th

National G. A. R. Encampment.

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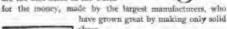
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TEN STARVE ON SHIP

Hard-Tack and Army Rations Given Sick Soldiers on the Yucatan.

Transport Brings to Montauk from Cuba 200 Sick Regulars and Evidence of Somebody's Mismanagement-Suffering of the Volunteers Due to Red Tape-Thousands III at Camp Thomas and Fever 1s Claiming More Victims Daily,

Washington correspondence:

Facts of the most sickening character continue to flow in upon horrified people in reference to the number and condition of the soldiers in the various camp hospitals throughout the country. It is impossible to deal with the subject in detail, so widespread is the evil and voluminous the story of suffering and horror. It is remarkable that some of the most horrible of these details should come from the camps situated in the heart of the States.

From the following table a faint idea may be had of the extent of sickness and suffering among the soldiers. The tabulation is by no means complete and cannot be made so until compiled from army records, but is made up generally from the reports received from the camp hospitals. Thousands of whom no record now exists, or ever will exist, have gone to their homes on furloughs and are being cared for there. Hundreds of others are arriving almost hourly in the hospitals and camps of the North from Cuba and Southern camps. Following is a partial list:

Sick to Various Camps. Santiago 557 Philippines (estimated) 500 Porto Rico 323 Boston 416 Massachusetts towns 342 New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Maine towns 231 Dunn Loring camp 318 Fort Meyer Hospital 339 Washington barracks 263 Camp Meade 205 St. Louis 176 New York City hospitals 138 Camp Miles, Lexington 279 Chickamauga 2,500 Jacksonville 100 Fernandina 125 Tampa 60

Hunp Alger 100

San Francisco 25

Fort Sheridan 467

One of the worst pest-holes seems to be at Camp Thomas, on the site of the old battlefield of Chickamauga, which was chosen as the site of a camp of instruction early in the war on account of its supposed sanitary advantages. Here the number of sick, in hospital and outside. as estimated at nearly 2,500, while nearly as many have been sent home to hospitals or their friends. Camp Wikoff is filling up daily with accessions from the troops returning from Santiago or Gen. Miles' army in Porto Rico. Loud complaints are made of the need of nurses and proper food, and yet it is not many weeks since some of the officials of the medical department were protesting against the employment of Red Cross nurses, although they have shown themselves most efficient both at the front among wounded men and in the fever hospitals.

The tales of horror which have been related by soldiers arriving on pest ships in weeks past were repeated Sunday, when the Yucatan got to the pier at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, and began to discharge the troops who came from Santiago. She had on board six companies of the Seventh regular infantry. The shocking condition of the men and the appalling scenes through which they passed can be imagined from the fact that seven omen were starved to death on the passage, and three more died while in the harbor before they could be landed, because the ship left Santiago without proper food or supplies for the sick or anything else but the regular army rations, "salt horse, sow belly and shingles," as the soldiers call the corn beef, salted pork and hardtack, which the sick were unable to eat.

When the Eighth Ohio landed from the Mohawk Sunday, 300 were reported sick and were carried in ambulances to the hospital, but it was soon discovered that 170 of them were only suffering for food, and as soon as they had drank a glass of milk or two and had got something wholesome in their stomachs they were able to go to their camp. If the vessel had been delayed three or four days more the Eighth Ohio would have lost 100 men from starvation, for many of them had been ill with fever and their stomachs rejected the only food that was provided for them.

Before Secretary Alger left Camp Wikoff he ordered the surgeon general to send immediately twenty-four physicians and eighty more nurses to assist and relieve the devoted women serving as volunteers, who have been working night and day, week after week, until their strength is exhausted. Some of the Red Cross nurses have not had their clothes off for ten days, and there are no accommodations for them to rest and refresh themselves.

The regulars who have returned from Santiago are in excellent condition compared with the volunteers. This is particularly true of the negro troops. They seem as strong and hearty as they were when they left for Cuba, although they have endured the same hardships and have eaten the same rations. This is accounted for by the ability of the negro race to endure hot weather and to resist miasmatic poisons.

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ALGER IS INDIGNANT.

Says Conditions of Military Camps Have Been Grossly Misrepresented.

Secretary Alger is indignant at the wanton misrepresentations of the conditions at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, and at the indiscriminate charges made against the department by people who take no pains to investigate. To a Washington correspondent he said that the talk of ex-Secretary Sherman is an example of reckless assertion without investigation, for about the condition of the men. They in-Mr. Sherman spent a week at Amagan- sist that matters are nowhere near as bad sett, only a dozen miles from Montauk, as stated, and that the privations comwithout going near it, but he returns to plained of are the unavoidable incidents Washington talking about the horrors of of every war. Quartermaster General the camps and the necessity for investigation and impeachment. Secretary Alger says that the loss of life in battle and from disease is much less than was estimated by the most conservative authorities, when the army most conservative authorities, when the army most conservative authorities when the army most conservative authorities. ties, when the army was sent into an enemy's country, and to a place about which that if it was not always available the little was known, except that it was regarded as one of the most unhealthy spots in the West Indies. This army was brought home as soon as it could be.

Montauk Point was selected as a detention camp for recuperation. It could coming to them and their men. Surgeon easily be isolated and safely quarantined. Secretary Alger says that the camp, having been established for this purpose, will body and that if they did not get where of course be abandoned when all the Santiago troops are able to leave and be mustered out of the service. But the report say that no complaints of inadequate prothat it will be abandoned because of its vision for comfort or health were made unhealthy conditions is false, for the camp i officially, and the Secretary adds that he is in a very healthy location, and men | did not know of existing lamentable conwho come from the transports sick with ditions until his attention was called to fever and go into the hospital are discharged in a few days in comparatively good health. All the sickness at Montauk is brought there from Santiago, and Secretary Alger says it would be as reasonable to call the finest hospital in the land unhealthy because all its inmates are invalids.

BOMBARDED WITH KISSES.

Admiral Schley Retreats Under a Feminine Volley.

Department the other day he expected to shake hands with his old friends and knew that he would be warmly congratulated, but it is doubtful if he was prepared for anything like the demonstration that took place. Brave Lieut. Pearson Hobson was kissed by a St. Louis girl at Long Branch, but Schley, the old hero of Santiago, who never lost his nerve when Cervera's men were pouring volley after volley into the fleet, found himself cornered-fairly bottled up-in one of the corridors of the department by a regiment of fair women clerks. He withstood the bombardment of kisses for something like five minutes, and now and then found time to shake the hand of an old hero like himself here and there. And then he did something he never did before-retreated under fire. The kisses were too much for him, and he found cover in Captain Crowninshield's office, where he met a number of army and navy officers, who were gathered there to pay their respects.

CUBANS WILL DISBAND.

Are Becoming Less Hostile to the American Army.

Gen. Castillo of the Cuban army, at CARELESSNESS AT CAMP ALGER. the invitation of Gen. Lawton, had an interview with the American commander regarding the disbandment of the Cuban forces in the Santiago province. Gen. Castillo expressed the opinion that the disbandment of the Cubans could be effected without trouble. He said that the hostility of the Cubans growing out of the joint military occupation of the conquered advice of cool heads, their scheme of makrights had been abandoned.

BLAME THE OFFICERS.

War Department Chiefs Deny the Charges of Mismanagement, The bureau chiefs of the War Depart-

ment who are charged with incompetence or neglect in failing to provide the army with necessary comforts and proper medical attention are charging that the crusade against them is wholly without foundation, and that the newspapers are engaged in wholesale lying about them and Ludington deposes that the men had all food than they could possibly use, and fault was in every instance due to the failure of the men themselves to take it. He insists that he should not be held accountable for the ignorance of the officers in not knowing how to get what was General Sternberg proclaims sturdily that he bought medicines enough for everythey were needed it was not his fault. Secretary Alger and all his bureau chiefs the facts by the newspapers.

WHO STARVED THE TROOPS?

Congressman Wants to Know Who Is

to Blame. The terrible condition of the sick and wounded soldiers at the several camps scattered throughout the country has aroused the greatest indignation among the members of Congress. "I wish Congress were in session now," said a mem-When Admiral Schley visited the Navy ber the other day. "We would soon appoint a committee to fix the blame. It is an outrage that soldiers should starve when the people pay millions of dollars to take care of them properly. Army contractors get rich, while soldiers die. We want to know and must know who staryed the soldiers and neglected them when

THOUSANDS ARE SICK.

Appalling Distress at Guantanamo and Vicinity.

Col. Ray telegraphs that the condition of the Spanish prisoners and the inhabitants of Guantanamo is appalling. Of the 7,000 Spanish troops there 1,062 are sick. Yellow fever, malaria and dysentery are the prevailing diseases. The sickness in Guantanamo is caused by exposure, starvation and the unsanitary condition of the place. The death rate is frightful, and the entire town will be wiped out of existence in a short time unless the rayages of disease are checked. Reports from other towns in that part of Santiago province surrendered to the Americans show that similar bad conditions prevail.

Army Physician, It Is Said, Will Make Startling Disclosures.

Dr. Shakspeare, Dr. Reed and Dr. Vaughn, who have been visiting and inspecting the army camps, will, it is said. make some startling disclosures concerning the First division hospital at Camp refusal of the Americans to permit the Alger, claiming that for several weeks there was gross mismanagement on the territory, with the Cuban flag floating part of some one in authority. They over the palace beside the Stars and found that the bed linen from the beds of Stripes, was disappearing, and, under the typhoid fever patients was put into the same wash with that of others, and that ing an armed demand for their alleged many of the sick men were obliged to sleep on the ground.

CZAR IS FOR PEACE.

Proposes a Reduction of Large Military Forces.

BURDEN IS CRUSHING

People Are No Longer Able to Endure Weight of Vast Armament.

As the First Step an International Conference on Gradual Disarmament Is Requested-Note Fraught with Great Import to the Entire World Is Sent to All Diplomatic Representatives at St. Petersburg by the Foreign Minister.

By order of Emperor Nicholas, Count Muravieff, the Czar's foreign minister, has handed to the foreign diplomats at St. Petersburg a note declaring the maintenance of peace and the reduction of the excessive armaments now crushing all the nations is the ideal for which all Governments ought to strive. The Czar considers the present moment favorable for the inauguration of a movement looking to this end, and invites the powers to take part in an international conference as a means of thus insuring real and lasting peace and terminating the progressive increase of armament.

The Czar's proposition is likely to produce a sensation throughout Europe, and, coming from such a quarter and with such evident sincerity of purpose, it is likely to have important effects. No doubt is felt that, with Russia taking the lead in such a step, Germany, France and the other nations will be ready to follow.

The news that Czar Nicholas has startled the world with a letter advocating an international peace movement, with the ultimate object of cutting down standing armies and putting all civilized nations on a peace footing, has drawn attention to the facts and figures surrounding the vast armies maintained by the European powers and the enormous saving resulting from a universal treaty of peace. All the great powers of Europe have been adding to their standing armies year by year and the building up of navies has never ceased. Russia itself has been foremost in maintaining a large army.

Great Armies the Czar Woul	d Disarm.
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Bulgaria 35,650	285,300
Roumania	152,500
Servia	157,500
Switzerland	480,245
Belgium 48,644	220,968
Holland 66,031	185,000
Sweden and Norway 15,000	20,800
VIELDS TO DEATH	-

YIELDS TO DEATH.

Claude Matthews, Former Indiana Governor, Passes Away.

Former Governor of Indiana Claude Matthews, who was stricken with paralysis just after addressing an old settlers' meeting in Tippecanoe County, died Sunday morning, without having regained

Mr. Matthews was born in Kentucky in 1846. He received a common school edu-



EX-GOV. MATTHEWS.

cation and then entered Center College at Danville. After getting his diploma at Danville he removed to Indiana, and not long afterward married the daughter and only child of James Whitcomb, one of the most illustrious of the early statesmen of the Hoosier State. He became an influence in his own locality almost immediately.

It was in 1890 that Mr. Matthews was found to be the man of the hour by Hoosierdom Democracy. Both political parties were casting about for available candidates. He was nominated, and the people of Indiana sent him to the State capital with a majority of 20,000.

He served as Secretary of State for two years and made considerable reputation as a member of the State board of tax commissioners, holding out stoutly for a heavy increase in the assessment of railroad, telegraph and other corporate prop-

His popularity among all classes and his satisfactory conduct of his official affairs threw him into the foreground as a candidate for Governor in 1892. His administration was marked by the same energy that he displayed in his canvass, and he proved one of the hardest workers that have ever been in the gubernatorial office in Indiana.

Has Not Slept for Five Years.

It is reported that a man in Indiana has not had an hour's sleep for five years. Thousands of men and women are unable to sleep more than an hour or two a night because of dyspepsia, headache and constipation. A certain remedy for these disorders is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. All drugists sell it.

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From the Democrat, Grand Rapids, Mich. At the Michigan Soldiers' Home, in Grand Rapids, lives Sergeant Richard Dunn, lale and hearty, although he carries the scars of several wounds sustained in some of the battles of the Civil War. In recounting his experience to a reporter, Mr. Dunn said:

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SIXTEEN SAILORS DROWNED.

Dcean Steamship Collides with French Fighing schooner.

The Thingvalla liner Norge sank the French fishing schooner La Coquette of Bayonne, France, on Saturday on the Grand Banks. Captain Guiguere and eight seamen were saved. Sixteen men went down with the unfortunate vessel. The Norge sailed from Christiansand

Aug. 12 with seven first and thirty-three second cabin passengers and 143 persons in the steerage. The weather was fine to the banks of New Foundland, when thick fogs were encountered. Saturday between of Dr. Will- 3 and 4 in the afternoon the weather was iams' Pink foggy, but not so thick that the vessel's speed was reduced. Captain Knudson said he could see about three cable lengths ahead.

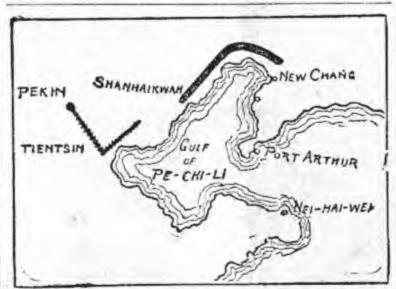
Suddenly a vessel loomed up from the north with sails full and stood directly across the bow of the steamer. The bells were rung to stop and back at full speed, but were too late to check the steamer's headway. The stranger, a fishing schooner, fell across the bow, and with a crash was forced over and sunk.

CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE.

Link of Railway for Which England and Russia Are Contending.

The heavy black line shows the route of the proposed railroad from Nieu Chwang to Shan-hai-kwan, which British subjects have a concession from China to build and which Russia says they shall not build. This line is a most important part of the railroad system now projected and developing in China.

At Nieu Chwang the line will connect with the Manchurian railroad which is to connect China with the Transsiberian railroad. At Shan-hai-kwan it will be



BOTH ENGLAND RUSSIA WANT IT.

connected with Tien-Tsin by the railroad now building, as shown on the map. Contracts are now letting and material is being purchased for the railroad that is to join Tien-Tsin with the great valley of the Yangtse river. The disputed railroad is, therefore, a link in the great system that is to unite Siberia with the rich valley which is the chief field of China's productivity; and both Russia and England are bent upon having the exclusive control of this connecting link.

MAD RUSH IN WIND STORM.

Men and Women Trample Over Each Other with Fatal Effect. Two persons are dead and several se-

verely injured as a result of a panic during a severe electrical storm at the county fair at Columbus, Ind. Mrs. Samuel Cooper was trampled to death by a crowd which was hurrying to get from the grove into an open field. Charles Haymen was killed by being struck on the head by a falling tree. Ten thousand persons were present when the storm broke. They made a rush for the open field and many were knocked down and trampled on by the panic stricken crowd. Exhibition tents and buildings were blown down or crushed by falling trees and the property loss will amount to \$40,000.

Two deaths will probably result from the wind storm which swept over Syracuse, N. Y., wrecking buildings and entailing a loss of more than \$100,000. Besides wrecking fifty dwellings, the power house and the warehouse, the storm unroofed the Alhambra rink and destroyed nearly all the buildings in the New York State fair grounds.

MRS. BOTKIN UNDER ARREST.

Woman Accused of Poisoning Mrs. Dunning with Candy.

Mrs. D. A. Botkin, who is accused of sending the poisoned candy which caused the death of Mrs. J. P. Dunning and Mrs. J. D. Deane of Dover, Del., is in the city prison at San Francisco. She remains self-possessed, and protests her incocence in the face of damaging evidence against

Frank Gatrell, salesman in a Stockton candy store, says that a woman answering Mrs. Botkin's description bought a box of candy of him and had him put in it some chocolates which she furnished. Postoffice inspectors are tracing the box through the mails. They learn that a woman mailed it at station B, San Francisco, and have traced it from there to Omaha and thence to Denver.



The number of foreign students at German universities is this summer 2,350. Mexico claims the largest locomotive in

the world. It weighs, with the tender, 285,000 pounds. The average weight of a brain is greater in China than in any European coun-

try, excepting Scotland. The Riesengehirge, or Giant mountains of Germany, are to be covered with a network of electric railways.

A special professorship for Bavarian history has been established at the University of Munich. The incumbent is Dr. Siegmund Riezler.

A line soldier in England costs \$275 a year, and even then, says a writer in Blackwood, he is often a mere boy or an invalid and weakly man.

MRS. PINKHAM'S WARNING TO WOMEN.

Neglect is the Forerunner of Misery and Suffering-A Grateful Husband Writes of His Wife's Recovery.

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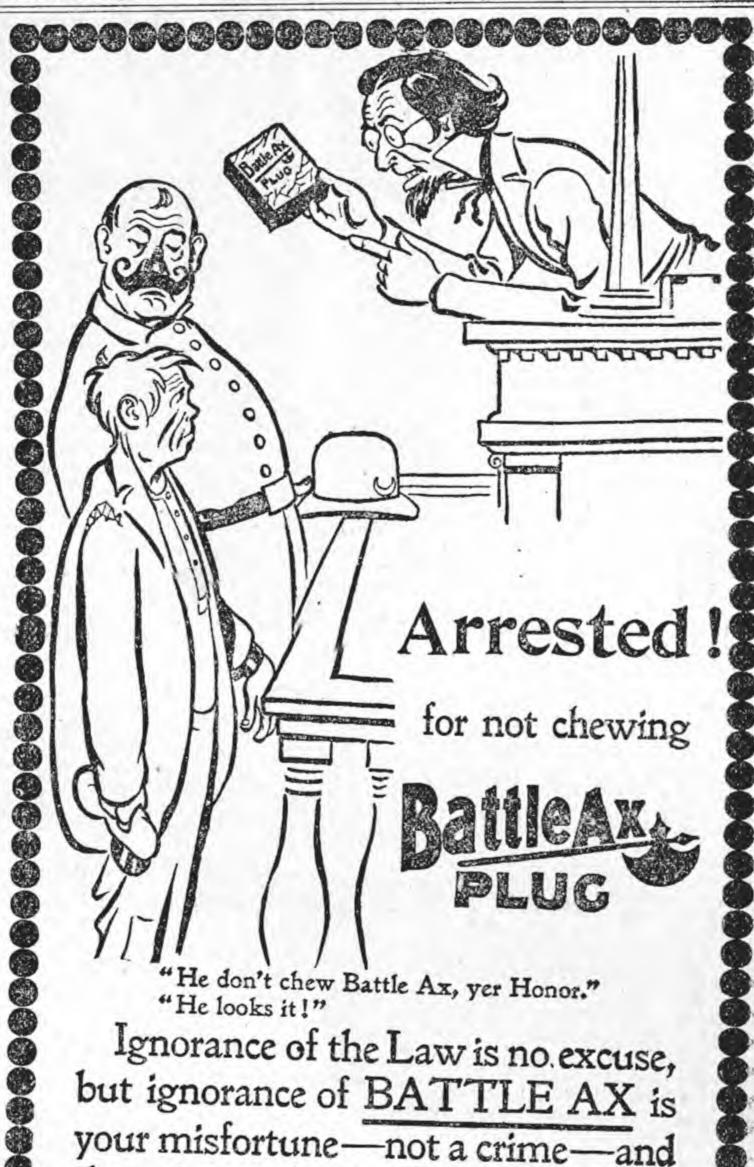
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Yet, these same church members bers profess to be the followers of the Saviour; who, during his whole life taught his followers to forgive. When the harlot was brought to Christ and her accusers clamoring for her blood, the Master said "let him without sin cast the first stone." Hell never was hot enough and never will be hot enough to properly search the narrow-contracted souls of such hypocritical pretenders.

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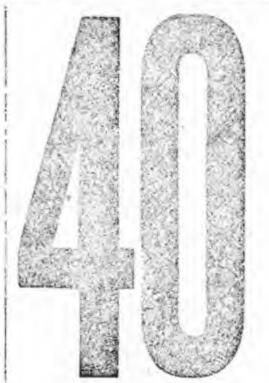
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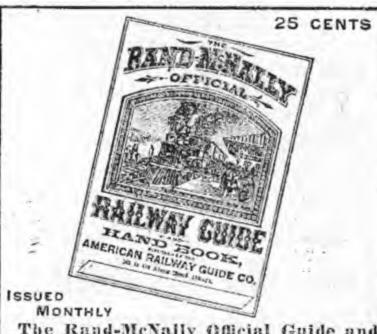
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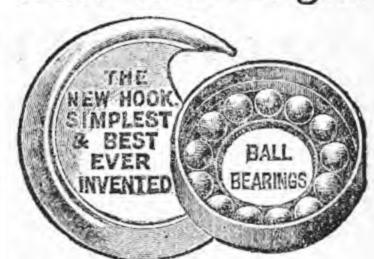
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