

RURAL OF DECEASED SOLDIERS.

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RECAPITULATION.

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RECAPITULATION OF ENCUMBRANCES RECEIVED BY THE OFFICERS OF THE COUNTY.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes J. G. Swank, days at office, J. G. Swank for delivering books...

COUNTY FINANCES.

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Feathers as Popular Trimmings.

Feathers are everywhere. Combined with imitation jewels and jet they make most elaborate trimmings. Vandyke points made of black ostrich plumes are strikingly effective on light-colored evening gowns.

A Word About Birthdays.

A lonely woman, one who was bearing patiently a great sorrow, surprised a friend one day by saying: "Come with me next Tuesday, it is my birthday, and I want you to help me celebrate it."

OUR WAR FACTORIES.

WHEN UNCLE SAM GETS READY FOR POSSIBLE TROUBLE.

Methods of Modern Warfare—Preparations in the Way of War Factories—Mounting New Guns—Reason for War Preparation.

It is not probable that the United States will be involved in war during the present generation. We are practically isolated from the contentions of European and Asiatic powers, and our assertion of the Monroe doctrine is scarcely of enough importance to any European power to invite it to a war with a nation of 70,000,000 of people, whose wealth and resources are unmatched by those of any other power in the world.



We Are Peaceable.

and of the various departments of the Government has had method in it. The science of war itself has been in a revolutionary stage. Fearing no foreign enemy, Congress has wisely awaited the progress of invention before finally completing its plans for national defenses.

One of the results is that our fighting equipment, whatever its size or strength, is of the most modern character. Our navy ranks low numerically, but it is composed wholly of the most modern and powerful ships of the various classes represented in it, and in fighting strength it ranks fifth among the great navies of the world.

Care of the Feet.

The skill of the pedicure is now called into requisition nearly as often as that of the manicure. Many persons have their feet carefully and systematically looked after, and the nails of their fingers are nicely kept as the nails of their feet.

When Man is Weakest.

According to experiments with the dynamometer, a man is precisely at his weakest when he turns out of bed. Our muscular force is greatly increased by breakfast, but it attains to its highest point after the mid-day meal.

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Tame Wild Animals.

Some of the people who live on the edge of the Maine woods have been bewitched by the "devil and the deep sea," as the phrase is, with the game law on one side of them and the disposition of the protected animals to be neighborly on the other.

Modern Woman's View.

He (as the clock strikes eleven)—I like a person who has some vim and go in him. She—So do I, especially the go.

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CONNETTS OF GLASS.

A Trip Through a Rain Storm Never Damages Them.

Science is ever adapting materials from the vast laboratory of Nature to practical use. We have almost arrived at a rediscovery of malleable glass. At all events, glass is now ranked among textile fabrics. In Venice a manufacturer is turning out bonnets by the thousand from glass cloth.

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GAMBLING IN MEXICO.

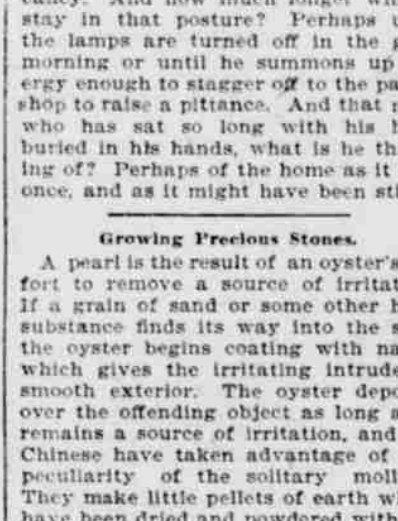
Many Who Bet Do Not Know What is Coming to Them.

Enter a Mexican gambling saloon when things are a little slack, and you will see the habitués of the monte table discussing the topics of the day, while they roll their cigarettes and loiter back in their chairs as if they had met for no other purpose.

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CRANKY GUESTS.

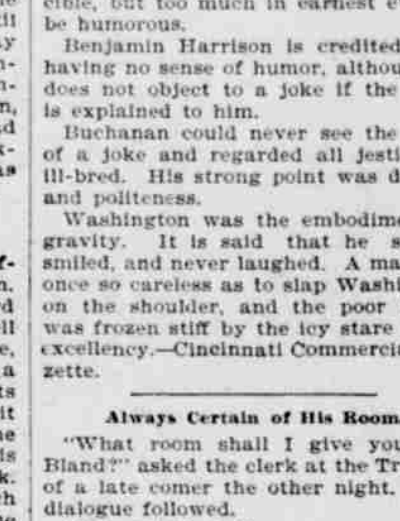
Experience of Hotel Clerks in Dealing With Some of Them.

"I cannot sleep in that room," said a guest at a hotel in this city last evening as he walked to the desk in the office and threw the key upon it. "What is the matter with it?" asked the clerk.

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