

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Feb'y. 28, 1896.

President Cleveland is not worrying over the silly criticism in connection with the recent arrests of Cuban fillibusters. Only those ignorant of law make these criticisms. As well might a city or county officer refuse to serve a warrant which has been sworn out against a criminal as for U. S. officials to refuse to arrest fillibusters when they are pointed out by the Spanish minister in the act of taking their departure from the United States in defiance of the neutrality laws.

Unless Mr. Thomas Reed shall see fit, in the interest of his Presidential boom, to prevent it is likely, from the action of committees already determined upon, that this Congress will provide not only for a material increase in our navy, but for the beginning of a comprehensive system of coast defenses.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

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Got a Full Head of Hair.

The late Abraham Baer, who died at his residence near Holsoppie, Somerset county, about two months ago, at the age of 62 years, attracted considerable attention in the community in which he lived on account of a phenomenal growth of hair which appeared on his head before he died.

The Democratic Congressional committee elected its old officers, Senator Faulkner, of W. Va., chairman, and Lawrence Gardner, of Washington, Secretary, and appointed a committee of five, of which Representative Hutcheson, of Texas was made chairman, to select members of the committee from those states which have a solid republican delegation in Congress.

It has been claimed that a majority of the present House are members of the A. P. A. Whether this be true I cannot say, but there is no longer any doubt that a majority of the House are dominated by the A. P. A.

Democrats have known for some time that the House tariff bill was dead, but it was not until the Senate again, this week, voted down a motion to consider the bill that the republicans would believe it was a real sure enough legislative corpse.

A Maryland Judge has decided that when a young man calls on his best girl at least twenty-five times, the presumption is that he means business. This might be all right for Maryland, but here in Clearfield we have a case of where the young man has been calling for years and has not been sued.

Catarrh starts in the nasal passages, affecting eyes ears and throat, and is in fact, the great enemy of the mucous membrane. Neglected colds in the head almost invariably precede catarrh, causing an excessive flow of mucus, and if the mucous discharge becomes interrupted the disagreeable results of catarrh will follow, such as bad breath, severe pain across forehead and about the eyes, a roaring and buzzing sound in the ears and oftentimes a very offensive discharge.

Phosphate Deposits in Juniata County.

Professor M. C. Ihseng, head of the department of mines and mining at the Pennsylvania State College, is investigating what is supposed to be a very rich deposit of phosphate rock in Juniata county.

Three classes of phosphatic materials have thus far been discovered. The first is a friable white rock, containing in typical specimens from 29 to 54 per cent. of bone phosphate. The second consists of red modules, similar in appearance to the so-called "clay iron-stone," but containing from 45 to 52 per cent. of bone phosphate, and alumina. The third class of material consists of blocks of what appears to be a dense blue limestone, but which proves, on analysis, to contain in the neighborhood of 40 per cent. of bone phosphate of lime.

These deposits might prove very valuable to the communities in which they are located, as they can be readily converted into the phosphate of commerce at the mills in Philadelphia and other eastern cities.

The following will show how a man may be his own grandfather. It was widely printed in the newspaper several years ago: "William Harman, of Titusville, committed suicide from a melancholy conviction that he was his own grandfather. Here is the singular letter he left: 'I married a widow who had a grown up daughter. My father visited our house very often, fell in love with my stepdaughter and married her. So my father became my son-in-law, and my stepdaughter my mother, because she was my father's wife. Soon afterward my wife had a son—he was my father's brother-in-law and my uncle, for he was the brother of my stepmother. My father's wife, i. e., my stepdaughter, had also a son; he was of course my brother, and also my grandchild, for he was the son of my daughter. My wife was my grandmother, because she was my mother's mother. I was my wife's husband and grandchild at the same time. And as the husband of a person's grandmother is his grandfather, I was my own grandfather.'

Tonic and Blood Purifier.

Benton, Pa. Feb. 3, 1896. We are much pleased with the rainy day puzzle which was sent for three trademarks from Hood's Sarsaparilla and four cents in stamps. We have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla with good satisfaction, and find it an excellent blood purifier. We have also taken it with benefit as a tonic after the grip."

Warren B. Fritz.

Hood's Pills cure indigestion, biliousness.

Bishop Bowman Presides.

The East Pennsylvania Evangelical conference opened its fifty-seventh annual session in Ebenezer church last Thursday. Bishop Thomas Bowman, who was barred out of this church five years ago, at the beginning of the now famous church fight, presided, with Bishop S. C. Breyfogel. Bishop Bowman, in opening, referred in scathing terms to some of his opponents of those days, one of whom he said, is not fit to be mentioned before a Christian audience. He called them traitors, charged them with treachery, hypocrisy and dishonesty, and referred to ex-Bishop Haman in most opprobrious terms.

Maple Sugar Production.

The production of maple sugar has decreased noticeably. According to the last census, twenty-four states made returns, but the total yield was only 33,000,000 pounds, against 36,500,000 pounds ten years earlier. Vermont leads with something over 14,000,000 pounds; New York follows with 10,000,000 pounds annually. New Hampshire turns out 2,000,000 pounds per year. Pennsylvania, Ohio and Michigan, formerly important producers, show a rapid decrease in production, and the same is true of the states of Indiana, Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee and Wisconsin.

If you eat what you like, and digest it, you will surely be strong and healthy.

But if you don't digest it, you might almost as well not eat, for what good can your food do you if it doesn't nourish you?

If you find that you can't digest it, there is a simple help for your stomach. It is Shaker Digestive Cordial, made by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon. It has never failed to cure the worst case of indigestion.

Strength and health come from the food you eat, after it has been digested and has gone into the blood. The best tonic is digested food. The best aid to digestion, Shaker Digestive Cordial. When you have acid eructations, nausea, headache, wind, dizziness, offensive breath, or any other symptoms of dyspepsia, Shaker Digestive Cordial will cure you. At druggists. Trial bottle 10 cents.

ADVICE TO YOUNG MEN.

There is nothing so foolish as work without a fixed purpose.

Do not spend your time in sitting about talking of ways and means of getting fame and money.

Remember that working out a fixed purpose in life is just as amusing as drinking champagne and fox hunting. Do not fancy that talent counts for so very much in the world. Persistence without intellect is better than intellect without persistence.

Do not be afraid because your pockets are nearly empty. Only a handful of the hundreds of millions on this earth are forehanded more than one meal.

Do not fancy that your money and your social position are aids to doing things that are worth while. In youth they are as dangerous as too much jelly cake.

Do not be enthusiastic about anything except what you are doing yourself. This does not mean that you are to be narrow or ungenerous. But enthusiasm is an explosive. It should be saved for a serious purpose.

Do not fancy that youth is the only time in which there is any amusement to be got out of life. In reality it is the time when the most evanescent pleasures only are to be had, and that at scandalous prices.

Drug envelopes, Nos. 1, 2 and 3 manilla, white or colored, coin envelopes, and shipping tags, with or without strings, always in stock at this office.

What They Left Him.

The burglars who went through the dwelling of Governor Matthews of Indiana the other evening appear to have made a thorough job of it. They took everything of value. All they left undisturbed was one cigar and the governor's presidential boom.

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TRAINS FOR BLOOMSBURG. Leave New York via Philadelphia 8:00 a. m. Leave Philadelphia 10:50 a. m. Leave Reading 11:50 a. m.

FOR ATLANTIC CITY. Leave Philadelphia, Chestnut Street wharf and South Street wharf for Atlantic City.

PARLOR CARS ON ALL EXPRESS TRAINS. I. A. SWEIGARD, C. G. HANCOCK, Gen'l Superintendent, Gen'l Pass. Agt.

Table with columns for SOUTH, B. & S. R. R., and NORTH. Lists stations and arrival/departure times.

Fine PHOTOGRAPHS and CRAYONS at McKillip Bros., Bloomsburg.

The best and the cheapest. For a short time Ralph G. Phillips, the photographer, is making one lite size photograph, value \$5.00, and thirteen cabinet photographs all for \$3.00.

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Pennsylvania Railroad. Time Table in effect May 19, '05

Scranton & West Pittston

Table with columns for A. M., P. M., and SUNDAY. Lists stations and arrival/departure times for various routes.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

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