

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, June 19, 1899. Having sanctioned a policy for the sending of soldiers to the Philippines that is a clear case of what used to be called "whipping the devil around the stump," Mr. McKinley has gone off on a ten day pleasure trip, with the very important object of seeing his niece graduate from a Massachusetts female college.

The boldest witness who has testified since the Industrial Commission began the investigation of trusts was Henry O. Havemeyer, the president of the sugar trust, who was heard this week. After reading a carefully prepared essay, in which he claimed that trusts, and especially the sugar trust, were public benefactors, he said: "We are not in the business for philanthropic purposes. It is policy, sometimes to divide our profits with the public, and we conduct our business on business lines."

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Representative Sherman's friends try hard to conceal their soreness over the Henderson bunco that he ran up against, but they do not succeed very well. For instance, read the following remarks made by ex-Representative Southwick, of New York, and it is easy to see that he does not believe Sherman was given a square deal: "Mr. Sherman accepts his defeat for the Speakership with the utmost philosophy, and isn't in the least sore over Henderson's record-breaking victory. He never knew in advance of others that Mr. Reed contemplated retiring from the House, and his declination of the Customs Appraisership was not made prior to his knowledge of Mr. Reed's intentions."

Deafness Cannot be Cured. by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

Will put Hopkins instead of Cannon, who would have had a large following outside his own State, they picked a fore-doomed nonwinner. Had Joe Cannon been their candidate the result would never have been settled in advance of the meeting of Congress. When the Committee chairmanships are announced the Sherman men will understand still better how they were knocked out.

Reduced Rates to Richmond, Va., Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account International Convention Baptist Young Peoples Convention.

On account of the International Convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America, to be held at Richmond, Va., July 13 to 16, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged to sell excursion tickets from points on its line, to Richmond, at rate of single fare for the round trip (tickets via Baltimore and steamboat fifty cents more than single fare).

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Resolved that we, as members of the Committee aforesaid, particularly appreciate the valuable aid rendered in protecting the Firemen's Fund, upon which so many indigent members throughout the State and their families, as well as the widows and orphans of men killed in the service, are dependent for support, by Gov. William A. Stone and the Senators and Representatives who assisted us.

Resolved, that the Secretary forward copies of the above to prominent newspapers of the State with the request that they kindly favor by publishing in an early issue.

Bishop Hurst's Unfortunate Marriage. Friends of Bishop Hurst, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Chancellor of the American University, say there is nothing of a scandalous nature attaching to his family troubles. It is simply a case, they declare, of incompatibility.

To Throw Good Money After Bad. Will be thrown away money for medicines that did not and could not cure, why should you not now begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the medicine that never dissipates? Thousands of people who were in your condition and took Hood's Sarsaparilla say it was the best investment they ever made.

AN HUMBLE MILLIONAIRE. Curious Life of a Great Australian Capitalist and Stockman. Mr. James Tyson, the Australian millionaire, rose from the position of a plowman. He commenced life as a mowman on \$3 a week, and died worth \$25,000,000.

Business of the Week. Dun & Company's weekly Review of Trade makes the following comment on the business of the past week: "It is one of the frequent paradoxes of business that the one thing which now makes prices rise is the only thing that clouds the future. They rise in iron and wheat because scarcity is feared, but the scarcity, if prolonged and real, would much impair prosperity."

Cold Water Tonic for the Feet. There is no better tonic for sensitive feet than to plunge them daily into cold, decidedly cold, water. Nearly all trouble with the feet can be indirectly traced to lack of circulation, and there is no better method of bettering the circulation than the application of cold water for, say, a few seconds, followed by a brisk rub with a crash towel.

Periods of Suffering Give Place to Periods of Joy. "I was a sufferer from female weakness. Every month regularly as the menses came, I suffered dreadful pains in uterus, ovaries were affected and had leucorrhoea. I had my children very fast and it left me very weak. A year ago I was taken with flooding and almost died. The doctor even gave me up and wonders how I ever lived."

How Mrs. Brown Was Helped. "I must tell you that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done more for me than any doctor. I was troubled with irregular menstruation. Last summer I began the use of your Vegetable Compound, and after taking two bottles, I have been regular every month since. I recommend your medicine to all."

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HUMPHREYS' VETERINARY SPECIFICS. A. A. FEVERS, Lung Fever, Milk Fever, B. B. SPRAINS, Lameness, Rheumatism, C. C. EPIZOOTIC, Distemper, D. D. WORMS, Bots, Grubs, E. E. COUGHS, Colds, Influenza, F. F. COLIC, Biliary, Diarrhea, G. G. Prevents MIS-CARRIAGE, H. H. KIDNEY & BLADDER DISOR-DERS, I. I. MANGE, Skin Diseases, J. J. BAD CONDITION, Starving Calf.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE. PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILWAY. Engines Burn Hard Coal—No Smoke. In effect July 1, 1898.

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