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TUBERCULOSIS has been communicated to fishes by French bacteriologists, and proves fatal very quickly to them, whether the bacilli derived from human beings, rabbits, or hens, or from previously infected fish.

THE diamond is full of phosphorus. This quality has been known for centuries and still there are many who do not know it. That is the reason often that gleams of light are seen issuing from the stone in the dark.

IN the recognized impossibility of completing the battle ships Kearsarge, Kentucky, Alabama, Illinois and Wisconsin within the next six months, some of their six-inch guns, of which each vessel was provided with 14, have been utilized in arming the auxiliary cruisers.

A GERMAN engineer has recently succeeded in plating aluminum with copper by a welding process, and makes the combined materials in such forms that they may be soldered, rolled, drawn and plated.

A BUCKET 743 miles deep and 743 miles from side to side would hold every drop of the ocean. This bucket could rest quite firmly on the British Isles. To fill the bucket one would need to work 10,000 steam pumps, each sucking up 1,000 tons of sea.

COL. WILLIAM AYRES, who died recently at his home in Philadelphia, enjoyed the distinction of having been the first union prisoner who was exchanged during the rebellion.

THE Woman's Auxiliary corps, in New York, worked all day and far into the night to complete the 1,000 comfort bags for the members of the Forty-seventh regiment.

"THE word ship is masculine in French, Italian, Spanish and Portuguese, and possesses no sex in Teutonic and Scandinavian," says a writer in the New York Tribune.

ONE of the latest discoveries is the utilization of petroleum refuse, by a Bavarian scientist. By a process in which heat figures largely, the petroleum waste is mixed with sawdust, coal dust and other refuse, and a cheap fuel, that is composed of 95 per cent, combustible substance, is produced.

PLAN OF THE DEMOCRATS.

How Free Silverites Will Try to Carry Out Their Partisan Schemes.

The democrats have formulated their plan of operations on the war revenue bill. That bill will authorize the sale of three per cent. bonds to the amount of \$500,000,000 if necessary and the issue of three per cent. treasury certificates running one year, of which not more than \$100,000,000 are to be outstanding at any one time.

By utilizing this "rake off" the government will practically make a forced loan of \$50,000,000 on which it will pay no interest. But it will at the same time increase by ten per cent. the volume of the silver dollars the bullion value of which is only 44 cents, and which must be kept at gold par.

The democrats will propose also to strike out the provision for the sale of bonds and substitute for it an income tax of three per cent. on all incomes over \$10,000. The Wilson law imposed a tax of two per cent. on all incomes over \$4,000.

The supreme court decided that the income tax law of 1894 was unconstitutional. That decision confronts the democrats. They will argue that an income tax when voted as a war measure will meet with a kinder reception at the hands of the court than when enacted for the purpose of raising revenue in time of peace.

Other amendments will no doubt be offered. Bland, of Missouri, has introduced a bill to authorize the secretary of the treasury to issue legal tender treasury notes to the amount of \$100,000,000. But while recommending an increase of the paper money redeemable in gold, Bland makes no provision for better facilities for obtaining gold with which to redeem the legal tenders on demand.

But not all the democrats in the senate are going to carry partisanship to an extreme and make a factious, unpatriotic fight against financial war measures recommended by the administration. Senator Gorman announces that:

"We will be guided, so far as the minority is concerned, by the wishes of the president and his advisers, and whatever recommendation the administration may see fit to make will be as loyally supported by democrats as the most rampant republican could possibly desire."

Gorman has been consulting with Croker, and these two shrewd politicians appreciate the fact that it would be fatal to the future of the party if it became committed to a copperhead policy again. The republicans believe that, with the aid of the gold democrats and a few southern free silver senators, they can get a majority in the senate for the bond proposition.

It may be that the violent free silverites, like Teller and Jones and Allen, will feel inclined to resort to the tactics of delay which were practiced when the bill for the repeal of the silver purchase law was before the senate.

Senator Hanna is said to have proposed three cheers for Dewey when the reading of the commodore's dispatch was concluded at the navy department the other day. The cheers were given with a will.

While the country is busy with war news the democratic party is patching up that old Chicago platform for another campaign.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

THE REVENUE OUTLOOK.

Financial Security Established by Republican Policy the National Bulwark.

It is encouraging that the revenue holds up so well, in spite of the natural restriction of imports on account of the uncertainties of war. Although imports should be much smaller than a year ago, when they were greatly swelled by anticipation of new duties, the decrease of 30 per cent. in four weeks of April at this city is evidently due in part to some preparation for avoidance of war risks earlier, and to some hindrance of imports since hostilities became inevitable.

The checking of imports just at the time war breaks out, in order to avoid risk at sea, does not necessarily imply any decrease whatever after conditions have become known. Under the rules promulgated by the Spanish government, all imports in neutral vessels will be safe unless contraband of war, and imports owned by neutrals in American ships. The ordinary imports into the United States include no article of consequence which is contraband.

Evidence that the condition of the people has not been unfavorably affected thus far is seen in the heavy consumption of articles bearing internal taxes, for in April the internal revenue has been \$14,766,458, whereas it was \$12,480,423 in 30 days of March, and only \$11,447,273 in the full month last year.

The customs receipts, presumably owing to the cause already considered, have fallen slightly below those of March, but if the general prosperity is not checked large imports and revenue may be reasonably expected as soon as the embarrassment of providing against war risk in shipment has been overcome.

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OPINIONS OF THE PRESS.

Spain's fleet is not the only thing lost to view. There's William Jennings Bryan, for instance.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Mr. William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska, will please take notice that the partnership heretofore existing between the bushel of wheat and the silver dollar has been dissolved by popular consent.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Bryan wants to be a soldier, and it is no more than fair that the boy king—especially since Spain's war measures have been reduced to a point where they are nothing but talk.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

"War democrats" were as proudly titled people during the civil war as there were in the United States. During the Spanish war the democrats are all "war democrats," except the street corner orators and the few liver-pod editors of would be organs.—Iowa State Register.

Not only the speeches but the votes of the democrats in the house upon the war revenue bill show that upon the party as there represented all the financial delusions of the last 30 years have as firm a hold as at any previous time. Bryanism of the most extravagant sort was preached and Bryanism of the most mischievous sort was by actual voting sought to be put in practice.—N. Y. Times (Dem.).

VANDALS ARRESTED.

A Pair of Soldiers Who Defaced Bronze Doors in the Capitol at Washington Get Into Trouble.

Washington, May 21.—Two members of the New Jersey volunteers which stopped in this city en route to the front were arrested here Friday on a charge of vandalism. The troops were in cars sidetracked at the R. & O. depot and these men secured leave of absence to visit the Capitol.

The names left on the doors were those of Robert Kellett and R. Hyland, and these secured the apprehension of their owners. The doors are considered a very fine work of art. They cost originally \$56,000 and it will be very difficult to erase the names.

Later in the day the two men were arraigned in police court and acknowledged their guilt. The judge fined them \$5 each. The fine was paid by Maj. Freeman, of the regiment, who made this comment to the court: "These men have disgraced themselves, their state and me, but while they are guilty, I ask for mercy because of their ignorance."

A STUBBORN FIRE.

Flames in a Toledo Grocery House Cause \$300,000 Loss.—The Blade Office Disabled.

Toledo, O., May 21.—At 6 o'clock last evening a fire broke out in the coffee department of Dow & Snell's wholesale grocery building and raged for six hours. The building adjoined the Toledo Blade's building and the newspaper plant had a close call. Ten linotypes, the stereotyping department, the editorial rooms, counting room and press room were flooded with water, making it impossible to operate the plant for a week or two.

The Dow-Snell stock of groceries and coffee is a total loss, estimated at \$300,000. Insurance on the stock and fixtures amounts to \$245,000. The building is estimated to be worth \$50,000, with \$40,000 insurance. The Blade plant is damaged to the extent of about \$4,000.

At 1 o'clock this morning the east wall of the Dow-Snell building fell, carrying Assistant Chief Mayo and Firemen Bishop, Trepinski and Wills with it. Mayo escaped, but the other men are missing and are supposed to be buried under the debris.

AN HOUR'S CANNONADE.

Spanish Forts at Santiago de Cuba Waste Their Ammunition on Two American Warships.

Kingston, Jamaica, May 20.—Two American warships appeared off Santiago de Cuba on Wednesday while the steamer Adula, which has arrived here from that port, was in the harbor. They drew the fire of the batteries at the harbor entrance. It is not certain whether the warships replied to the fire.

The fire continued from noon to 1 o'clock. Capt. Walker, of the Adula, when coming out, could not see any marks on Morro castle, and inferred that the American ships drew the fire of the batteries to learn the range.

There was much excitement in the city. The regulars and volunteers were called out and new earthwork batteries erected on each side of the harbor entrance. The number and caliber of the guns are unknown, but it is known that there are torpedoes in the channel electrically connected with the shore.

SWALLOW FOR GOVERNOR.

Pennsylvania Prohibitionists Nominate the Man Who Made a Phenomenal Run in '96.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 21.—The roll call of the prohibition convention yesterday showed that delegates were present from all the 67 counties in the state except Greene county. The finance committee recommended that \$10,000 be raised to pay the expenses of the gubernatorial campaign.

National Chairman Diskey pledged \$500 to the campaign fund in memory of James Black, of Lancaster, the first prohibition nominee for president. He will raise the money outside the state.

Rev. Silas G. Swallow, of Harrisburg, was nominated for governor by acclamation. Mr. Swallow headed the state ticket in 1896 and made a wonderful run. E. D. Nicholls, of Wilkesbarre, was nominated for lieutenant governor.

Water Problem a Serious One. Washington, May 21.—Last evening 7,000 volunteers were under canvas at Camp Alger, near Falls Church, Va. During the day the number of men in camp was more than doubled.

A Four-Time Murderer Executed. Joliette, Que., May 21.—Thomas Nutty, who in November last killed his three sisters and young brother at Rawdon, to make room in his father's house for the girl he intended to marry, was hanged here yesterday.

A Fitting Tribute. Raleigh, N. C., May 17.—The United States and North Carolina yesterday paid tribute to the memory of Worth Bagley, the first officer killed in the war with Spain.

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AN ANCIENT CUSTOM.

From Republican Traveler, Arkansas City, Kan.

Pilgrimages to some shrine of St. Vitus to cure the disease known as St. Vitus dance are no longer made. The modern way of treating this affliction is without reach of every household, as is shown by the experience of Karl A. Wagner, of the eleven-year-old son of George Wagner, of 515 9th St., Arkansas City, Kan. The father tells the story as follows:

"Over a year ago," he says, "Karl was taken with St. Vitus' dance and continued to grow worse during five months he was under a physician's care. His tongue became paralyzed and we could not understand a word he said. He became very thin, lost the use of his right leg and seemed doomed to become a hopeless invalid."

"I bought a box of them at once and soon noticed a change for the better in Karl's condition. I was so pleased that I bought more of them, and when he had taken five boxes the disease disappeared."

"These pills are sold in boxes at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y."

His Status. Mrs. Hoon—What an imposing appearance your friend Puffington has, to be sure!

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Do you want to read about them before going? Then send ten cents in silver or postage stamps for a copy of "Garden Spots" to Mr. Atmore.

His Trade-Mark. "Why, Julia, how the waist of your frock smells of tar." "Yes, mamma; poor Mr. Ratlines, of the naval reserves, has been bidding me good-by again."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. 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, Ohio, 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.

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To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

A fellow is never so anxious to work as when he isn't able.—Washington Democrat.

Advertisement for JOO DROPS, a vegetable preparation for assimilating food and regulating the stomach and bowels of infants and children. It promotes digestion, cheerfulness, and rest, and contains neither opium, morphine, nor mineral. It is not narcotic. The advertisement includes a list of ingredients and a testimonial from a mother.

"I don't think that young man who comes to see you will ever set any part of the world on fire." "Oh! well, you can't tell, papa; you know he smokes cigarettes."—Yonkers Statesman.

The Death Rate. While it is quite true that the proportion of deaths from malaria as an immediate cause is proportionally small as cited in annual mortality statistics, yet physicians are thoroughly convinced that it causes maladies of a fatal character, and begets dangerous nervous prostration, and is eradicated and prevented by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which also cures biliousness, constipation, rheumatism and dyspepsia.

Woolley—"Smithers says he makes no acquaintances among medical students." Kotton—"Why not?" Woolley—"He says he's afraid they'll cut him dead."—Roxbury Gazette.

The Pioneer Limited. Is the name of the only perfect train in the world, now running every night between Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway—the pioneer road of the West in adopting all improved facilities for the safety and enjoyment of passengers. An illustrated pamphlet, showing views of beautiful scenery along the route of the Pioneer Limited, will be sent free to any person upon receipt of two-cent postage stamp. Address, Geo. H. Heaford, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

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The abuse of health is veiled suicide.—Ram's Horn.

Cure your cough with Hale's Honey of Horshound and Tar. Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute. Exuberant patriotism is often used as a cloak by knavish politicians.—Ram's Horn.

Too much business finally becomes as bad as not enough.—Atchison Globe.

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