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Lieut. Edwin R. Stuart of the corps of engineers, on duty at West Baden, carries off the honors this year of the military service institution. To him has been awarded the prize gold med-al, a life membership in the institu-tion and a sum of \$100 for his essay, the subject being "Disappearing Guns."

Mexico has the smallest navy in the world in proportion to her population. by a fleet of two dispatch vessels, two unarmored gunboats, each carrying one four-ton muzzle-loading gun and four small breechloaders, and five ond-class torpedo boats. This fleet is manned by 90 officers and 500 men.

In Japan special caré is taken so that the children of poor people may not become lost on the streets. There are no nurses to look after them, and the mothers, in order to have the lit-tle runaways returned safely, hang labels around their children's necks. These labels bear their names and ad-

When Lord Curzon the viceroy of India, travels, he is usually accompanied by Lady Curzon and 120 attendants. Great precautions are taken to insure his safety, and everything is done for his comfort. In Scuthern Punjab the railroad line is watered to lay the dust. At his destination he is received with extraordinary cere

Of all European monarchs the czar is the greatest believer in life insurance. Within a week of the birth of his eldest daughter, the Grand Duchess Olga, the little mite was insured for \$2,000,000 with Russian, British and French companies. The czar is him-self insured for \$4,000,000, but \$2,000,-000 represents the value of the czarina's life.

One of the most expert chauffeurs in Washington is Representative Joseph Sibley, of Pennsylvania. He has an automobile and each morning when congress is in session takes it up the avenue to the east front of the cap itol, and then turns it over to an attendant. Mr. Sibley is so expert that he can cut figure eights and do other fancy stunts in steering the ma-

Russian reports say that the sea of Aral has been steadily rising since 1891. The sea level is now four feet above that of 1874. The line of railroad from Orenburg to Tashkend had to be changed in order to avoid being overflowed. Instead of sinking three inches a year as German geographers had computed, the sea has been rising at the rate of four inches a year for

The aborigines of the Malabar islands employ a perfect whistling lanmeans of which they can a failure and that reconstruction pinos would have been relieved of one-half of the taxes now imposed on mmunicate with each other over long distances. A stranger wandering over the islands is frequently surprised to hear from a hilltop the sound of loud whistling, which is quickly repeated on the next hill, and so is carried from summit to summit until it dies away in the distance.

The natives of Liberia, in Africa, have no clocks. They take the kernels from the nuts of the candle tree and wash and string them on the rib of a palm leaf. The first or top ker-nel is then lighted. All of the kernels are of the same size and substance, and each will burn a certain number of minutes and then set fire to the one next below. The natives tie pieces of cloth at regular intervals along the string to mark the divisions.

At his auction rooms in London, recently, J. C. Stevens sold a large number of curiosities, including an Egyptian mummy, said to be that of the daughter of Rameses II., about 1333 B. C., in the original sarcophagus, together with Roentgen ray photographs showing the perfect state of preserva tion of the remains. The outfit fetched 9 guineas. There was also the pair of breeches worn by George II. at the battle of Dettingen, which realized 15

There is a curious growth of trees at Tilden's Point, Me. Three yellow birch trees are growing on a pine stump. The tree, which was about two and a half feet in diameter, is thought to have been cut down some 50 years ago, leaving a stump three and a half feet high. The seeds of the birch must have lodged on this stump and as they grew they sent their roots down its sides to reach the ground. The three trees are, respectively, five, six and seven inches in diameter.

A TIMELY WARNING.

David B. Hill's Advice to the Democracy Contains Much That Is Significant.

There were some plain, incontro-vertible facts stated in St. Clair Mc-Kelway's letter to the Manhattan club, which Mr. Hill had completely ignored when he prepared his plan for reconstructing the democracy by making it, instead of a party of no definite policy, a party of all policies that it has had since the sixties, says the Albany Journal.

party's past. He knows that the democratic party cannot ever hope to ship they have declaimed against win success by resurrecting issues taxing them without giving them rep-that are dead, by continuing the pro-resentation, says the Chicago Inter mulgation of doctrines which the people have rejected. He understands A fe that in a country whose government is for and by the people, a party that asks to be intrusted with the management of the people's affairs must give the people what they want, that ippine industry by remitting 25 per it can never win their confidence and cent. of our tariff on island products, it can never win their confidence and

Mr. McKelway accepts the facts into the United States. Senator Forthat the people are committed to the gold standard, and to expansion, tors thought this concession was not that they are determined that free capital as well as free labor shall served more liberal treatment. Senhave its rights, that they want an interoceanic canal, a navy befitting bill by making the reduction in our the country's greatness, and a re-stored commerce, and he asserts How then did the democratic sensthings will be intrusted by them their deeds square with their words?

INSINCERITY OF DEMOCRATS. Conviction of the Party Before the

American People by Its Utter Unreliability.

The democratic members of the United States senate have been extremely loud and constant in their professions of benevolent intentions toward the Filipinos. They have insisted that the administration and the republican party have been oppressing the Filipinos. They have denied the right of congress to impose discriminating taxes upon the products of any part of the national Mr. McKelway has his eyes open to conditions. He has learned wisdom from the sad experience of his

A few days ago the opportunity was presented to the indignant demo-cratic senators to prove their benevolence to the Filipinos. A bill support by trying to force upon and to remit certain insular taxes them what it wants and they do not.

without qualification that the party tors live up to their professions of which will secure to them these sympathy and benevolence and make

HOW TO BE BEAUTIFUL.

Aunty Democracy Tries Some New Cosmetics That Have Been Highlyt

Recommended.

with power, while the party that would keep from them the things ment and thus relieve the Filipinos

mentioned which they desire will be of a large share of the "arbitrary relegated to obscurity."

And Mr. Hill wants the party to declare for bimetallism, against expansion, against the right of capital

prises! He wants it to take up again the tinkering with the tariff that was responsible for the last period of commercial and industrial depression and Vest, all most acrid critics of the

through which the country passed. republican policy toward the islands, It is almost a wonder that he does

not go a little farther back into the sympathy for the Filipinos. If only past and call for resurrection of the these eight democrats had voted as

been strange, if true, if we supposed that Mr. Bryan himself had renounced his ambition. Mr. Hill has shown himself to be a man after.

cent. during the last decade, was not the demand for 16 to 1 free and unin the fight, due to the fact that by not

Departs in 1904 to make a genand to get the best results from her

The American people have never speaks nowadays outside of the sen-

Journal.

hostility.

their products at our custom houses

But these eight gentlemen would not

In the United States senate, as

party's declaration of policy. Their words professed friendship and be-

Their deeds were those of injury and

By its deeds is the democratic party

onvicted before the American peo

Tone of the men at whom the Ken

tucky Wheeler flings his abuse is Capt. Clark, of the Oregon, the prudent, in-telligent and watchful officer who brought that ship 12,000 miles and added her to the fleet about Cuba in

a condition to take a prominent part in the victory at Santiago. The Oregon

always had fires under her boilers, and,

though not regarded as a speedy ship,

the speed she developed at Santiago

using boilers for condensation scale was kept from them, which made it

boilers. The president, in designating

him for the coronation service, has recognized a capable and deserving of-

ate without emphasizing his earnest desire to bring about a better under-

ficer.—Indianapolis Journal.

Senator Hanna scarcely

Filipinos.

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ple of utter insincerity.

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to engage in large industrial enter- way.

Mr. Hill has shown himself to be a

interests as Mr. Bryan was in 1896 have it. and again in 1900. The rumor that

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d attack upon their prosp

United States have received timely warning. They will have ample time

to prepare themselves to resist the

ity which probable leaders of the de-

CURRENT COMMENT.

President Roosevelt's message

and his statement on the Schley con-

troversy are a fresh confirmation of

In view of the fact that the out-

the demand for 16 to 1 free and un-limited as absurd as can be imag-

cratic party in 1904 to make a gen-

eral assault on the Dingley tariff the

paramount issue. A declaration of war on established prosperity would

turned back from the point where once they have planted their feet,

last 40 years.—Albany Journal.

just about as sensible.—St. Louis

ined?-Indianapolis Journal.

native force as a writer. - St.

mocracy are contemplating.

Louis Globe-Democrat.

Globe-Democrat.

man as dangerous to the country's

Bryan's own heart.

HIS FIRST VETO.

President Roosevelt Sends Message to the Senate.

Senate Had Voted to Remove the Charge of Desertion from a Man's War Record -- President Says Bill Is Unjust to Men Who Were Faithful to Duty.

Washington, March 12 .- President Roosevelt on Tuesday sent his first veto message to congress. directed to the senate and the bill vetoed was one removing the charge of desertion from the naval record of John Glass. The message was as

"There can be no graver crime than the crime of desertion from the army or navy, especially during war; it is then high treason to the nation and is justly punishable by death. No man should be relieved from such a crime, especially when nearly 40 years have passed since it occurred, save on the clearest possible proof of his real innocence. In this case the statement made by the affiant before the committee does not in all 'There can be no graver crime than fore the committee does not in all points agree with his statement made to the secretary of the navy.

"In any event it is incomprehensible to me that he should have made effective effort to get back into the navy. He had served but little more than a month when he deserted, and the war lasted for over a year after-wards, yet he made no effort what-ever to get back into the war. Un-der such circumstances it seems to me that to remove the charge of de-sertion from the navy and give him an honorable discharge would be to sertion from the navy and give him an honorable discharge would be to falsify the records and do an injus-tice to his gallant comrades who fought the war to a finish. The names of the veterans who fought in the civil war make the honor list of the republic; and I am not willing to put upon it the name of a man un-worthy of the high position."

After the message had been deliv-

After the message had been delivered Senator Gallinger, from the committee on naval affairs, read the report of the committee on which the senate acted. From that statement it appeared that Glass enlisted in it appeared that Glass enlisted in January, 1864, when only 16 years of age, and that, having witnessed an act which compromised the second officer of the ship, he was taken ashore in March of that year by that officer and told not to report again for duty. The committee say that this order, together with Glass' youth, was responsible for his desertion.

THE SEALERS' STRIKE.

It Is Ended by Giving Them an Ad-

It is Ended by Giving Them an Advance in Wages.

St. John's, N. F., March 12.—The scalers' strike here is ended and the scaling steamers have sailed for the ice floes. The men Tuesday afternoon refused the owners' offer of \$3.50 for scals, besides the abolition of all berth charges.

As a result of this refusal, public

As a result of this refusal, public opinion strongly condemned the men, the concessions accorded by the owners being regarded as liberal. Some of the crews then withdrew from the on the crews then windrew from the majority and decided to accept the owners' terms. The police afforded these men protection and enabled the owners and crews to reach the ships in spite of the threatening overtures of the strikers. In the meanwhile scores of men joined the other ships ther ships.

other ships.

The aggressive strikers boarded these vessels and drove the men ashore, but they could not keep pace with the defections. Finally the ministee of the strikers, seeing that the situation was getting beand their control, decided to accept the owners' terms and ordered the strike off. The committee directed all the men to join their ships and within two hours the ships had crews and were sailing to sea. and were sailing to sea.

The terms of the settlement are that the men shall get \$3.50, as against \$3.25 last year, per hundred 'veight for seals; they also get free berths, as against the former charge

A CYCLONE IN TEXAS

fluch Property Destroyed and Two

People Fatally Injured.
Dallas, Tex., March 12.—A cyclone esterday swept through the southyesterday swept through the southern ern suburbs of Dallas and passed on toward the northeast, levelling fences and destroying small farm buildings in its path.

huildings in 48 path.

At De Soto, 14 miles from Dallas, three dwelling houses and two stores, including the post office, were demolished. One of the dwelling houses destroyed was that of J. M. Johnson. His 4-year-old daughter was so badly injured that she died.

Three miles east of Dallas, the dwelling house of T. D. Reagan was wrecked. The family escaped withwrecked. The family escaped without injury. In Queen City, the extreme southern suburb of Dallas, six dwelling houses were blown to pieces by the wind. Mrs. George Bray received fatal injuries. Mr. Bray and children were seriously injured. C. D. Bourne, wife and child, and Albert Ewing and family were away from home. Their house was literally torn to pieces, and a negro servant was badly hurt. A score or more of ly torn to pieces, and a negro servant was badly hurt. A score or more of other houses were badly damaged, but not wrecked. The property loss in Dallas county will reach at least

A Municipal Ownership Move.

Detroit, March 12.—The common council last night granted the Cooperative Telephone Co., recently organized here in epposition to the ganized here in opposition to the Bell Co., a franchise to do business, establishing the maximum rate at \$24 for residence and \$45 for business phones. The ordinance contains a provision that the company must sell its plant to the city when the city obtains the right to operate a municipal telephone exchange. The council also instructed the mayor to appoint a commission to install a municipal gas plant. and no one believes that they will standing between capital and labor. It may be added that no other man of the time has done more in this direction than he. — Indianapolis municipal gas plant.



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Customer—"Is this good country but-ter?" Grocer—"Yes, ma'am, that was made in America, the best country in all the world."—Indianapolis News.

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

No sooner has a coquette given the com-bination that unlocks her heart than she sets about changing it.—Town Topics.

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I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and coids.— John F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15. 1900.

Chaff may be ground as fine as flour, but it will not make bread.—Ram's Horn.

Half an hour is all the time required to dye with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES. Egotism and vanity grow on the same bush.—Chicago Daily News.

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Honest and Self-Made Men.

An honest man may be the noblest work of God, but the self-made man is rather inclined to doubt it.—Philadelphia Record.

Earliest Russian Millet. Will you be short of hay? If so plant a plenty of this prodigally prolific milet 5 TO 8 TONS OF RICH HAY FER ACKE.

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Some people act the hog all their lives, and then on't get much.—Atchison Globe.



