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Of all Europe, Paris, France, is the city of workshops and petty factories. It is estimated that there are 98,000 factories and workshops in the city, and that 60,000 girls are kept working on hats and gowns for about eight months of the year.

The oldest United States soldier is declared to be J. J. Overton, of Los Angeles, Cal., who is now 105 years old. He served in the Black Hawk war, the Mexican war and the civil war.

That a person who has been often stung by bees becomes in time immune to the poison of the sting is asserted by Dr. H. F. Parker. He reports that when he first began to keep bees he was frequently stung and that each sting was attended with acute pain; but that as time went on the pain and swelling became less.

Abdul Hamid is anxious to return the visit paid him by Grand Duke Nicholas as the representative of the czar. The commander of the faithful is desirous of sending his representatives in a battleship with as much pomp as was displayed by Nicholas at Constantinople, but finds himself unable to do anything; his only available warship is at present held in pawn by a shipbuilding company until the bill for repairs is paid.

Some idea of the wealth of Henry Clay Frick, Andrew Carnegie's former partner, may be obtained when it is stated that in the last two years he has purchased real estate in Pittsburgh, the aggregate value of which is \$10,502,000. This includes the Schenley property, at the Point, which he bought for \$2,000,000.

Two Kansas boys, the sons of Martin Connonan, have made at their home near Lansing, 18 miles northwest of Kansas City, a discovery which has already set the scientists of America agog and promises in a little while to embrace in its study and interest the whole scientific world.

Hoopston, the home of Mrs. Mary Hartwell Catherwood and the most prosperous little city in the richest agricultural district in the great state of Illinois, has what may be truthfully termed one of the most economical and successful forms of municipal government of any city in the world.

Dr. Nelson R. Wood, of the Smithsonian institution, has made a study of the conversation of many kinds of feathered creatures. He declares that they have language of their own, in which they are able to convey their ideas to each other, and the only reason why we do not understand them is that we have not taken the trouble to listen and observe.

Most monkeys have nothing but nose holes, and no real nose, as we consider it. But there is a monkey in Borneo that has a long nose, longer even than that of particularly long-nosed human beings.

Hawaiians are laughing heartily over a joke played on the members of the senatorial commission here recently. United States Senators Mitchell, of Oregon; Foster, of Washington, and Burton, of Kansas, were made to eat dog—not political dog, but real cooked canine. Those who are authority for the story declare that the senators ate the fare with relish and called for more.

INACTIVITY OF DEMOCRATS.

Wanted Polite of the Party Leave Nothing for It to Go to Work Upon.

Secretary Shaw has hit the correct causes of the democrats' failure to attempt an active canvass in 1902. They are unable to put forward any policy which will appeal to any considerable number of the people.

Under such conditions, of course, the republicans are not able to get up a lively canvass. It takes two sides to make a fight, and there seems to be only one side in the contest of 1902.



ANOTHER GHOST AT THE DEMOCRATIC HARMONY FEAST.

though something was said about it earlier in the campaign. The tariff planks of the presidential canvasses of 1888 and 1892, in which Cleveland was the candidate, are obsolete now.

There is no reason for surprise, therefore, that such stalwart democrats as Senators Vest and Morgan have nothing to gain by a victory this year, while they have much to lose.

The Democrats are making no canvass of any activity or intelligence anywhere. Knowing that the conditions are strongly against them, they seem to be too discouraged to show any earnestness in the campaign.

As one result of the financial management of the republican party the annual interest on the national debt is \$6,000,000 less than it was before the war with Spain.

Among other characteristics of the new boss of the Ohio democracy is his thrift in all things pertaining to his profits or emoluments.

TRUSTS AND PARTIES.

All That Has Been Done to Regulate Things Has Been Done by Republicans.

It was the republican party that enacted legislation against the trusts. The democratic party has been content, as in this state, to use the trusts merely for the purpose of campaign debate, and to propose against them the remedy of state socialism or free trade.

In a speech at Boston Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, who, like every other candid observer, finds both good and evil in these immense combinations of corporations, presented in a convincing manner the history of the case against the trusts.

"During Mr. Cleveland's first administration a democratic congress declared the task beyond its strength. The first republican congress under President Harrison passed the Sherman law, and it has received the seal of approval of the republican party by resolutions repeatedly adopted in many state and national conventions.

BOXER OUTBREAK.

It Resulted in the Slaughter of Hundreds of the Desperadoes.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 8.—Mail advices received from the Orient include official reports from Kwei Chun, ex-viceroy of Sze Chuan, detailing the recent Boxer outbreak there.

The report tells of the attack on Cheng Tu, where three regiments and 600 bands had been assembled for defense. When the imperial troops were dispatched to Ching Tang Hsien, the Boxers proceeded to Hsuan Ching Ping, where they joined forces with other insurgents.

TO STOP EMIGRATION.

The Hungarian Government Is Preparing to Pass a Law.

Vienna, Nov. 8.—The Hungarian government has introduced in the reichstag an emigration reform bill of sweeping character. One of the main provisions of this bill strikes a heavy blow at the North Atlantic steamship lines by empowering the government to route emigrants through the Hungarian port of Flume.

The Hungarian bill specifically prohibits the emigration of certain classes of people, including men who have not performed military service, parents who leave behind them children under 15 years of age and persons without adequate traveling money or whose expenses are paid by foreign states or colonization societies.

REPORT OF TRADE.

Steady Progress in Every Branch of Business Is Noted.

New York, Nov. 8.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Trade and industry are making steady progress, reports from all sections of the country containing evidences of wholesome development.

CRY OF FRAUD.

Chicago Republicans Candidate for Sheriff Says that the Election was Crooked.

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A LOST CAUSE.

Venezuelan Rebels Retreat in Disorder—Castro's Troops Pursue Them and Capture One of Their Generals.

La Victoria, Venezuela, Nov. 8.—News has been received here concerning the retreat of the revolutionary forces. It is to the effect that on the night of November 1 the revolutionists withdrew from their positions near La Victoria and San Mateo because they were without ammunition.

President Castro, when he discovered that the revolutionists only retreated because of their absolute lack of ammunition, caused them to be pursued day and night by government soldiers.

The latest report issued by the government says that Gens. Matos, Mendoza and Riera and their commands are fleeing in disorder in an effort to reach the mountainous districts.

President Castro having sent his men in all directions to cut off the retreat of the enemy, left here yesterday for Caracas. The government soldiers who are following up the rebels scored their first success Friday morning by the capture of Gen. Ramon Luizi, who was making his way in the direction of Alta Gracia.

LAND FRAUDS.

Soldiers' Widows and Cattlemen are Said to Have Engaged in Unlawful Deals.

Washington, Nov. 6.—The interior department has suspended, with a view to cancellation, a large number of alleged fraudulent land entries in Nebraska made by soldiers' widows who, it is charged, have entered into an agreement for the transfer of the lands to cattlemen.

The exact extent of these operations is not disclosed, but so far as known there are about 45 or 50 of them, each entry being for 160 acres. The government recently has been enforcing its regulations for the removal of fences erected by cattlemen on public lands and an effort to validate as far as possible the land now occupied by the cattlemen.

COAL STRIKE COMMISSION.

Ends Its Tour of Observation of the Anthracite Coal Fields and Adjourns Until November 14.

Mahanoy City, Pa., Nov. 6.—The anthracite strike commission ended its tour of observation of the coal fields in the Panther Creek valley yesterday and the members of the party will return to their homes today and will meet again at Scranton on November 14 to take the testimony of the miners.

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According to a report from the board of election commissioners between 284,000 and 253,000 ballots were issued at the polls, including the number destroyed and those wrongly stamped. Figures give the total on the vote for sheriff at 294,943.

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SAVED A LIFE.

Gratitude promotes publicity and it's no wonder people testify when life is saved.

Every reader with a bad back is in danger for bad backs are but kidney ills and neglect may prove fatal. Neglected backache is quickly followed by too frequent urinary discharges; retention of the urine, painful urination, Diabetes, Bright's disease.

Read how all such troubles can be cured. CASE NO. 34,520.—Mr. Walter McLaughlin, of 3022 Jacob street, Wheeling, W. Va., a machine hand working at J. A. Holiday & Son's planing mill, says: "I firmly believe had I not used Doan's Kidney Pills when I did I would not be alive now."

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Mr. McLaughlin will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists, price 50 cents per box.

Some people seem to think that industry consists of telling other people what to do.—Indianapolis News.

"Little Colds" neglected—thousands of lives sacrificed every year. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures little colds—cures big colds, too, down to the very verge of consumption.

Possibly frankness would not seem so brutal if we were more accustomed to it.—Indianapolis News.

Do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—J. F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

One trouble with the pursuit of happiness is that other people do get in the way.—Pack.

Diphtheria relieves in twenty minutes. Almost miraculous. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

It doesn't take much gold-leaf to cover the pupil of the eye.—Ram's Horn.

20 MILLION BOTTLES SOLD EVERY YEAR. Illustration of a woman in a long dress and hat, with a 'TRADE MARK' label.

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