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Japan still insists that those Manchurian ports will not open any wider than a bear-trap.

It was Speaker-to-be Cannon who conferred with the President regarding elastic currency. Senator Platt's call referred to elastic patronage.

After all, the crisis in Wall Street appears to have been merely the squeezing out of some overwatered stocks. The country at large has felt no inconvenience.

President Roosevelt has taken a necessary, courageous and welltimed stand: He has declared for the "open door to labor" in all Government establishments.

Brooklyn is still saying to the indicted Beavers, "If you don't come get in the jail.

It is suspected that the officers and crew of the Kearsarge will all have to go into training to recover from the effects of Anglo-Saxon hospitality.

Saint Louis has adopted a new rule whereby members of her police force are required to have chest measures equal to their waist measures. That's a cruel rule for a city containing such magnificent breweries.

ed in the nursery to even hear the Commoner's scream.

The republican press is still in- little bigger than any union, sistent in its demands that Postmaster General Payne be permitted sensible capitalists and laborers to retire. Republican editors feel that Payne is too heavy a load for the President to have to carry, even to retain Mr. Hanna's favor.

When dismissed from the postal service, Superintendent of City Delivery Hedges said he did not mind having been caught falsifying his pay accounts, but he would like to catch the "Blank blank" who gave him away. That is typical of the Postoffice Department "grafter."

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.) Washington, July 27, 1903.

The people of the United States did not require demonstration of the fact that their President is entirely fearless or that he proposes to administer the affairs of the government with absolute justice, regardless of his own political fortunes, but they have received it in the courageous position assumed by the President with regard to the employment of union labor in the various departments of the government. The case of William Miller, an assistant foreman of the government printing office, called forth from the President the enunciation of a policy which for fifty years no president has dared proclaim. This is to the effect that no discrimination shall be made between union and non-union labor in the employ of the Government. Mr. Roosvelt cites the decision of the Anthracite Coal Strike Commission in support of his decision, the commission having decided that men in the coal mines must not be discriminated against because they were not members of a union.

Miller was dismissed by the Public Printer because he had been expelled from the Bookbinder's Union. Miller's crime was an attempt to save money for the government by insisting on the performance of more work than the union permitted his subordinates to do. It must be understood that the Bookbinder's Union in Washington precribed a limit to the amount of work which each man shall perform in a day. Finally, when Miller refused to the dictation of the union, he was expelled from its membership and immediately discharged by the Public Printer for that reason, proceeding which Mr. Roosevelt characterizes as lacking in "elementary decency." The President promptly ordered Miller reinstated. This has been done. The bookbinders have now

filed charges with the Public Printer which they believe will prove ample to warrant Miller's discharge but they have also issued a statement to the effect that they cannot work in the office The United States Attorney for with Miller but will be compelled to strike if he is retained in his present position. The unfortunate over here and be arrested you can't part of the situation is that the constitution of the union conflicts with the laws of the United States so that if the Public Printer should not find ground for discharging Miller he could not, according to law, dismiss him and the binders, according to the laws of their union, could not remain. If, again, the binders were to strike, they would be conspiring against the government and could never be reinstated without a change of the United States statutes by Congress. What the outcome of this peculiar situation will be it is im-And now Mr. Bryan announces possible to predict. In several that the democratic failures of similar instances previous Presi- by way of contrast.-Philadelphia In-1896 and 1900 were due to Mr. dents have dodged the issue and Cleveland's unpopularity. But now that President Roosevelt has Mr. Cleveland is too much occupi- met it squarely there are many who believe it will not cost him the sensible labor vote of the country. The Government is still a

> will see that it stays bigger. Mr. Gould on Prosperity.

whether of capital, or of labor, and

To those who facy that the ticker taps out the fates of industry a reading of the Pittsburg interview with George Gould is to be commended. After an extended observation tour of the far and nearer west, Mr. Gould announces that projected improvements in sight will keep the coal, coke and steel industries busy for several years. It is only by traveling over the country, continues Mr. Gouid, that one realizes the vast amount of construction work in sight. And life-strength. Kodol dyspepsia Cure he concludes: "I cannot agree with the financiers who believe that the nation has reached its zenith of prosperity and that the nerves that feeds the tissues. Kodol lays fiscal year just ended marks the the foundation for health. Nature does highest tide of our presperity." highest tide of our prosperity." Mr. Gould speaks only of railroad

traction, in rebuilding the office

structures of our great cities there is equal promise of activity. The difficulty of floating securities in a panicky money market may delay some of these projects, but they will not be delayed one moment longer than is necessary, for improvements is true economy.-New York World.

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Theatrical Pay Days. Every legitimate theater in New York has two pay days—union and nonunion. The union employees, which include the men in the orchestra, the stage hands, property men and stage carpenters, are paid, as their union regulations demand, on Saturday night. The actors, who have no union, are not paid until Tuesday, although their week ends on Saturday with the night's per formance. Their sataries are held up two days merely to insure their reap-pearance at the theater on Monday.

If the company were paid off on Sat-urday night unreliable or disaffected members of the organization might not show up on Monday for rehearsal or the evening performance, thus weaken-ing the production, but if the week's salary is held back they are reasonably sure to report on Monday in order not to lose what is coming to them. Actors are distinctly temperamental and capricious, and if a manager were to pay off on Saturday night and there existed any temporary dissatisfaction in the company he could never tell whether he would have a chorus with which to open up the week on Monday evening .- New York Press.

The Origin of Pyrography About a century ago an artist named Cranch was standing one day in front of a fire in his home at Axminster. Over the fireplace was an eaken man telpiece, and it occurred to Cranch that this expanse of wood might be improved by a little ornamentation. He picked up the poker, heated it red hot and began to sketch in a bold design.
The result phased him so much that he elaborated his work and began to at tempt other fire pictures on panels of wood. These met with a ready sale, and Cranch soon gave all his time to his new art. This was the beginning of what is now known as pyrography. The poker artist of today uses man different shaped tools and has a special furnace in which they are kept heated. The art has been elaborated greatly. The knots, curls and fibers of the wood are often worked into the design and delicate tinting produced by scorching

Cure For the Talking Habit. One part horse sense and two parts of manly determination to keep still. Mix well with an unlimited amount of the best quality of thought. It is impos sible for a woman to talk all the time without saying a lot of things that she shouldn't or without proving a jolly bore to everybody about her. This tattling habat is not confined entirely to women, though. Some men have the affliction terribly. Sometimes it's wheat, sometimes it's chess, sometimes it's baseball. A steady diet of one kind conversation is always tiresome. Take a nibble of this and a nibble of that, and your chatter will be more interesting, particularly if there are plenty of rests between nibbles. Talking improves when there's silence

There is a colony of Syrian merchants

in Kingston, the capital of Jamaica, who could give cards and spades even to the bland Chinaman "for ways that are dark and tricks that are vain.' They take one match out of every box they sell until they have enough matches to fill another box and so make an extra cent. They shave tiny flakes off cakes of soap and boil them down to make other cakes. They put a thin layer of molasses on the bottom of the scoop with which they serve rice so that a few grains will stick to the bottom. These are only a few of their thousand tricks to turn a dishonest penny. Without doubt they are the meanest traders in the world.

If a flowerpot is laid on its side the stalk of the plant growing in it graduntily curves upward until it resume the vertical position. This is called geotropic curvature, and the question is by what means the plant is stimu-lated to change its direction of growth. One theory avers that movable starch grains in the plant cells fall to the lower side as the position is changed and by their pressure influence the mechanism of growth.

Breechloading in armiery and arms is popularly supposed to be an invention of the middle of last century, but such is by no means the case. In a Dublin gunsmith's shop at Cork Hill is on view a breechloading rifle offered to the British war office at the close of the eighteenth century and rejected, as it was considered to need too much

A Sallor of Bravery.

What threatened to be one of the worst disasters in the history of shipping was the burning of the Ocean The fire was discovered in Monarch. her fore hold an hour or two only after she left the Mersey. There was a strong breeze, and she was headed for the Welsh coast.

By some unlucky accident an anchor was dropped, and the big ship was brought up all standing head to the wind. The flames came roaring aft, where 600 passengers and crew were crowded.

A Brazilian frigate, a yacht and a pilot boat were near, but they only at tempted to pick up those who jumped and swam. Suddenly up came an American clipper and rounded into the wind barely 200 yards away. In her first boat was Frederick Jerome, only an able seaman, but one of the bravest seamen that ever lived. In a flash his boat was alongside the burning ship, and he climbed on deck amid the scorch and smother. There he stayed until the last soul of 600 was saved. His clothes were on fire seven separate times, and he was scorched almost be yond recognition. His only reward was the medal of the American Humane society.-Pearson's.

The Zodineal Light.

The name of "zodiacal light" has been given to a singular appearance frequently witnessed soon after sunset or just before sunrise. It may be seen at all seasons of the year in low latitudes and is obviously due to illuminated matter surrounding the sun in a very flat or lenticular form, nearly coinciding with the plane of the ecliptic, or, rather, with the sun's equator. The attention of astronomers was first di-rected to it in the year 1683 by Cassini and was long regarded as being the sun's atmosphere. This idea, it is now thought, is incorrect, it being generally believed at the present time to consist of an immense assemblage of rocks, sand, cosmical dust, fragments of metal, etc., such as the earth is continual ly encountering in the form of aerolites or meteorites. It may not be out of place to mention in this connection that the rings of Saturn are believed to be composed of similar materials.

Mr. Herlihy looked at his latest pho-tograph, taken in his Sunday clothes,

and his gaze bespoke keen disappoint ment. "Oi'd never 'a' had this tuk if it hadn't been for thim children telling me about the improvements in photographing," he muttered, holding the card upon which his likeness was mounted farther and farther away. "Improvements is it? Oi'd loike to show this pictur' solde be solde wid the wan Oi had twinty years ago and leve it to annybody which o' thim two made the betther man o' me. There's an old, anxious, toired out look to this

new wan that was niver in the other. "There may be improvements in photographing," said Mr. Herlihy as he de posited the cabinet sized card face down in his table drawer, "but Oi've yit to see thim."-Youth's Companion.

The effect of movements in the ether depends upon the rapidity of the vibra-tions producing them. The unit of measurement for short waves in the ether is the bicron, which is about one twenty-five millionth of an inch. Waves measuring 380 to 810 blerons affect our sense of sight, the former number giving violet and the latter red color. The invisible rays, to which the actinic and Roentgen rays belong, are shorter and have been measured as short as 100 bicrons. Ether waves longer than those giving light give the feeling of warmth. The longest heat waves are eight times the length of those of the red rays, or one three hundred and fiftieth of an inch.

Medical Perils. In Baluchistan when a physician gives a dose he is expected to partake of a similar one himself as a guarantee of his good faith. Should the patient die under his hands the relatives, though they rarely exercise it, have the right of putting him to death unless a speagreement has been made freeing him from all responsibility as to conse-quences, while if they should decide upon immolating him he is fully expected to yield to his fate like a man.

Willing to Compromise.

Mamma—Oh, you bad boy! Where have you been all this time? Don't you think you should be ashamed to worry

your mother so?

The Boy—Well, ma, I'm willin' to be ashamed that I worried you if you'll promise not to tell pa anything that 'll worry me.—Boston Journal.

Willing He Should Smoke. "Any objections to my smoking here?" asked the offensively cheerful man as the vessel gave another disquieting lurch 'None," replied the pale chap in the

Meamer chair, "here—or hereafter!"— Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Following the Races. Spoart—You say he follows the race corses. He looks prosperous. Nervitt-Yes; the race horses keep

him busy. Spoart—Bookmaker? Nervitt-No; pawnbroker.-Philadel phia Ledger.

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