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EDITORIAL MENTION.

Senator Daniels in finance is almost as ludicrous as Senator "Jo" Blackburn.

Having set in motion the general staff of the army, Secretary of the President's calling Congress Root believes he can retire on his

President Roosevelt has made a remarkably salutory address to the Holy Name Society on the subject of profane and unclean language.

The pros and cons of calling the extre session to convene in October are being discussed with unusual interest in Washington.

There is no reason to believe that the Steel Trust will become a "Dinky" institution just because that is the name of its new presi-

Joseph Pulitizer has given two million dollars to found a school provisions of the Cuban treaty inof journalism. Mr. Pulitzer's paper should profit by a good

There may be fraud in the Indian territory but there is no one more competent nor more willing to make a thorough investigation than President Roosevelt.

Street railways have more than doubled their traffic, nearly trebled their mileage and increased their capitalization fivefold since 1890. according to the census experts.

owes his rapid promotion to President McKinley.

to find an expert to run the national mint has discovered that there are nearly 400 persons who are qualified by experience to make and shove the queer.

The Insular Bureau has discovered that the Jesuits established a complete meterological observatory in the Philippines in 1865 and have the President in favor of an extra kept accurate and invaluable records ever since. The resume of these observations, compiled by Fr. Algne, S. J., has just been published by the War Department.

People who are clamoring for a revision of the present tariff should reflect that thirteen of the leading nations of the world protested was adopted in 1897, yet from 1898 to 1902, there has been an increase in our total imports from those countries of \$108,000,000 or about \$0.25 a gallon. Samples free Sold by our Agent, H. S. Lloyd.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent Washington, August, 17 1903.

Cable communication is again established between the United States and Bogota, the capital of of Colombia, but the first news received from that point in several weeks is by no means encouraging for the ratification of the Panama canal treaty and the advocates of the Nicaraguan route are much encouraged. No test vote has been taken in the Colombian Congress, but in committee a large number of amendments were adopted by a vote of 17 to 2 and the two members who voted negatively are in favor of the entire repudiation of the treaty. Senator Cullom has been in Oyster Bay in conference with the President regarding the possibility of getting the acceptance of the treaty by the Senate in its amended form and he plainly told that he believed there was little liklihood of the Senate's sanctioning any changes in the convention. Dr. Herran, the Colombian charge d'affaires in Washiington still maintains a hopeful attitude but it is believed that he is almost hoping against hope. By the provisions of the Spooner law, under which the treaty with Colombia was negotiated with Nicaragua and Costa Rica in the event that negotiations with Colombian fail and the representatives of those governments are on the ground and ready to complete a treaty under the most

A report has been received in Washington from Oyster Bay to the effect that there is a possibility in extraordinary session, even before the date heretofore announced, November 9. This report is believed to have grown out of a statement made by Senator Aldrich in which he says "should the President call Congress in session in October or November." It is reported that the members of the subcommittee of the Senate committee on Finance, who have been in Oyster Bay conferring with the President with regard to the financial bill they are charged with drafting, have urged upon Mr. Roosevelt the advisability of authorizing Congress to take up the financial measure in advance of the resolution necessary to put the to effect and that the President has refused to do so but has said he would call Congress even earlier than had been anticipated, if that were considered advisable by the members of the committee. Politicians and officials in Washington are hoping the rumor to prove unfounded as they believe it would be a mistake to attempt to convene a session of Congress before the local elections are over.

favorable terms.

Secretary Shaw, Comptroller of the Currency Ridgely and former secretary of the treasury John G. Carlisle, have all been at Oyster The effort to attach blame to Bay to confer with the President President Roosevelt for the rapid with regard to the needed financial promotion of General Leonard legislation. Mr. Carlisle was in-Wood is unjust. General Wood vited to the conference because the President wishes, in so far as may be, to defer the views of the demòcrats and thus insure a large That representative of King majority for a measure which he Melenek who came to this country and his advisors regard as so essential to the future welfare of the country. In this connection it is pointed out that the financial market is in a somewhat precarious condition and a scarcity of money, when it becomes necessary to send funds west to move the crops, might be attended with disastrous results. This argument is doubtless another that is being used with early session.

> ALL MINISTERS should remember we give a liberal quantity of the Longman & Martinez Pure Paints. toward the painting of churches, par sonages, or institutions supported by voluntray contributions.

Note: Have done so for twentyseven years. Sales: Tens of millions of gallons; painted nearly two million ouses under guarantee to repaint if against the present tariff when it was adopted in 1897, yet from 1898 periods up to eighteen years. Linseed Oil must be added to the paint (done

The Young Man.

A word to the wise is sufficient. It has been our observation that the young man who, in keeping company with a young lady, stays to an unreasonable late hour, unless there are special reasons for so doing, is a young man to be shuned, and he usually makes a dismal failure of his woing. A young man who has not got brains enough to ask for his hat at a reasonable hour, say 10:30 p. m., should be given his hat and asked to come again "no more." Late hour sparking soon makes a bad mess of friendship, and well it should, for it has not been known to come of good intentions, and a young lady who wishes to sustain her good character will not tolerate a young man who lingers to a late hour. She will find that his lingering is not love, and the quicker she dismisses him from her society the better.

Police Brutality.

There are many policemen who have an exaggerated and altogether incorrect idea of their importance and of the proper method of performing their du-There are many others who cannot be accused of this mistake, and these are the best policemen on any

The mace which all policemen wear is not given for the purpose of enforcing order or command with a clubbing. The mace in intended only as a weapon of defense when the policeman is saulted. A policeman has no right to club a man who is not violently resisting arrest. And yet it is not uncommon to hear of victims of police brutality having been clubbed for no reason except that they did not promptly obey an arrogant command of the policeman arresting them. The rights of the public are never surrendered to the police department, but this is a fact not always observed.

On the other hand there are times when policemen exercise great forebearance and refrain from hitting a man when circumstances might warrant the use of the mace. It cannot, therefore, be always concluded that because a man has been clubbed he is the victim of a police outrage. There are bad citizens and good policemen, and vice versa. At the same time no policeman who uses his mace unlawfully should be permitted to escape punishment .-Harrisburg Telegraph.

A ball of india rubber immersed in liquid air becomes brittle, and if dropped to the floor breakes like glass. A lead ball acquires elasticity and will rebound like the rubber in its normal state. - Scientific

The blind and cowardly spirit of evil is forever telling you that evil things are pardonable, and that you shall not die for them, and that good things are impossible, and you need not live for them. If you believe these things you shall find some day, to your cost, that they are untrue.-Ruskin.

One of the very best remedies that can be applied to a wound made by a rusty nail, and which is almost infallible in its cure, is to take a quantity of peach leaves, beat them to a pulp and then apply them to the wound, and in a very short time an improvement will be noted in the wound. At this season of the year, when so many persons are injured by tramping on rusty nails, this remedy should be noted.-Ex.

From early years a boy should have little money of his own, and learn how to save, and how to spend, and how to give away. The latter is the most important of the three, though every person does not know this. When a child goes to Sunday school it ought not to be his mother's penny or five cents he drops into the missionary envelope, but his own money, appropriated by his own act. Unless a boy has a little money of his own he can neither save, spend nor give it away. From the small weekly amount given the very little boy to the student at college, the steps may be slow, but the lesson of responsibility will be the

The One Package Dye.

In red printed wrappers, colors cot tou, wool or silk in same bath. Sample 10c, any color. New Peerless, Ellmra, N. Y.

An exchange in Southwestern Kan-sas is responsible for the following: An Indian owed one of our merchants and the other day he came to pay and chant told him a receipt was unneceswhite man nothing," said the Indian, "Me go to Heaven, the Lord ask Injun, he pay debts, Injun say yes Lord ask Injun where is receipt. What Injun do? Can't go all over hell to look for you." He got the receipt.

Some men want the earth and some woman seem to expect it.

Square or spatulated fingers in the science of palmistry denote the philosophical and practical temperament taper fingers signify an artistic temperament and very pointed digits are a sure sign of the dreamy, psychical nature. Much is learned by the general quality and configuration of the lines which cross the latter. The life line running around the base of the thumb denotes long or short life, good or ill health, according as it is long or short, clear and unbroken or otherwise. The heart line, running across the palm nearest the base of the fingers, signifies the quality of the possessor's emotional nature, also the kind of love she will give and receive. This will be enduring or temporary according to whether the line be long and clear, forked or crossed and chained. Below this is the head line, which indicates the mental and moral qualities and achievements and deficiencies.

The line of fate runs perpendicularly across the middle of the palm and is a very important factor in the happiness or unhappiness of its owner. It should be clear and narrow, unchained and uncrossed by the fine wrinkles which score so many palms, and it should never come to an end on the line of the heart, since this signifies disappointment in love. A cross on the "mount of Mercury," which is just at the base of the fore or index finger, is an unfailing sign of a happy marriage.

The First Wedding Ring.

The wedding ring, according to Henry Swinburne of the seventeenth century, was first designed by Prometheus and fashioned out of adamant and iron by Tubal Cain. He says that it was "given by Adam to his son to this end—that therewith he should espouse a wife." Men were, as all women know deceivers ever, and some of these unscrupulous creatures were wont to wed with rings made of rushes, imagining them to be less binding than a strong and valuable ring. The bishop of Salisbury, however, stepped in and forbade this practice in 1217.

Silver was more frequently used than gold for wedding rings, and they were made in all kinds of shapes, some twisted, like two joined hands, or a pair of hearts stuck together with an arrow. Often they were adorned with precious stones and had "posies"—that is, scraps of verse—inside, such as: Fortune doth send you, hap it well or ill,
This plain gold ring to wed you to your
will.

Little Sister's Rejoinder.

Out in the east end is a young woman whose little sister is much inclined to ask numerous questions and though she is sometimes a little slow about under standing things in general, she is as quick to see a point as most little girls of six. The other day Little Sister asked Big Sister the direction to the home of a new acquaintance. Big Sister tried her best to make the way plain to no avail, and finally becoming exasperated, exclaimed:

"Oh, follow your nose, Nan, and you will finally find the place."

"Well, if you ever follow your nose," ame the quick retort, "you will go up. and up, and up, and be an angel by and which you're not now.'

Which reference to a nose inclined to be pug ended the controversy.-Pittsburg Gazette.

The First "Lady In Trade." Perhaps the most notable instance on ecord of the feminine street trader is that of the "White Widow," otherwise the Duchess of Tyrconnell, the Frances Jennings of the De Grammont memoirs, who, at the time of the revolution in 1688, according to Horace Walpole, "being reduced to absolute want on her arrival in England and unable for some time to procure secret access to her family, hired one of the stalls under the Royal Exchange and maintained her-self by the sale of small articles of haberdashery. She wore a white dress wrapping her whole person and a white mask, which she never removed, and excited much interest and curiosity.

A Baker's Dozen. xpression "baker's dozen," The expression which is in point of fact thirteen, has a history. For a baker in the olden times to give short weight in bread exposed him to considerable penalties, and thus the custom arose of adding an extra loaf to the dozen as compensation for any possible deficiencies in the rest of the batch. The extra article was originally a safeguard to avert the chances of a heavy fine

The Editor's Fear.
English Magazine Editor — I am afraid-

Assistant-Yes?

London Chronicle.

English Magazine Editor-That we are not labeling our humorous department plainly enough. Unless we make the titles less ambiguous half our readers will not know the articles are funny.—Baltimore American.

The Antiquities Were Out.

A traveler recently inquiring at a feudal castle in England whether he could see the antiquities of the place received the simple answer from ervant, "I am sorry, sir; my lady and her daughter have gone to town

Von Porker-Aren't you satisfied with that antenuptial settlement?

Lord Grafter-No, sir. I don't want to lose my self respect after marrying by having to run to your daughter for

Alphabetical Lovemaking. She—Are you fond of tea? He—Yes, but I like the next letter better. - Modern Society.

Life is a calculation; the happy man is he whose calculation is correct .-Cloppy.

Violent Attack of Diarrhoea Cured by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Di-arrhoea Remedy and Perhaps a

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Sometimes we crave love, either as desirable blessing or an inevitable evil.

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In a small nest be carefol to agree with the inmates, lest you all fall out

End of Bitter Fight. "Two physicians had a long and stub-born fight with an abcess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health. "It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed at L. Taggart's drug store. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Many a man goes to the bad because he attempts to pose as a good fellow.

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