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Japanese Invention.

Maj. Shimose's smokeless powder is a Japanese invention, and is acknowledged to be far more powerful than the English lyddite or the French Indeed, this powder is by actual test five times as strong as the European powder. When a shell filled with lyddite or melinite is fired it breaks into ten or fifteen pieces whereas the same shell filled with Shimose's smokeless powder when exploded burst into 2,000 to 3,000 pieces. It is the most powderful smokeless powder ever invented, and its inventor is a major in the Japanese army.

#### Electric Light for Revolver.

Possibly as an aid to the man who is looking for trouble comes the ivention of an electric light attachment to revolvers by means of which the user may illuminate the object at which he is pointing his revolver, and at the same time screen himself in darkness. The inventor places a miniature dry coil in the handle of the revolver, while a hood provided with a reflecting surface and containing an incandescent bulb electrically connected with the cell is located at the under side of the barrel of the weapon.-Chicago Tribune.

#### Telephone Messages.

Should the ratio of increased use of the telephone keep up the wires will soon be carrying more messages every day than are handled in the mails. In the last three years the number of subscribers has doubled over the total of the previous 24 years, and because of the extended use of the telephone the average cost of every class of messages has been reduced to 2.2 cents, but little more than that required by the average mail.—Chicago Tribune.

#### Countess of Talent.

The countess of Minto has written so delightful an appreciation of the glories and beauties of the Canadas, from east to far northwest, says a recent report, that she may come close to the countess of Aberdeen and Dufferin in popularity as the chief lady of the dominion. This paper is calculated to open British eyes to the importance of this great colony.

#### Short of Artillery.

Sir Charles Dilke, in a paper read to the Young Liberals' league recently, said that while all other countries had rearmed their forces there was not, with the exception of 15 imperfect batteries hurriedly purchased in Germany during the Boer war, a single quick-firing gun in the possession of the British regular field artillery.

#### Take Your Choice.

Now the chief of the bureau of chemistry declares that science is so adding to human life that the period of ordinary activity will not be 40, but 90 years. The general public is now free to take either hope or chlorolorm, ording to which theory they favor. -Baltimore American.

#### His Ruin.

What are you looking at, dear? Husband—I was just surveying some of the ruins.

"But you have been looking at my

#### Yes; my ruin."-N. Y. Times

#### Governor Author.

By the will of the late ex-Gov. Boutwell, just filed for probate in Boston, he gives to his daughter, Georgianna., all his writings, whether printed or in manuscript, stereotype plates, etc., as well as \$2,000 in order that she may publarge receipts, but as a matter of fact

#### Terribly Bad.

A girl of 12 was committed to a reform school from a London court the other day. She had stolen money from her mother, taken off her little brother's clothes and sold them, and boiled the family cat alive.

#### Just Penalty

A Vienna court has condemned two men to pay a monthly allowance to the widow of a man whom they told, as a "joke," that his wife was not true to him and who committed suicide in conse

#### Berlin "Mashers."

A special detective force has been or-ganized in Berlin to protect u-accompanied women from insult. Within six months 158 men have been convicted for this kind of molestation

#### London's Vacant Lots.

CHLOROFORM HIM, BY ALL MEANS!



cial prosperity of the country at large have been increased and continued so

long as that higher tariff itself contin-

uncompromising that they may well

challenge attention on the part of all

who would acquaint themselves with the economic history of the country and

them strong support. It will be well to

take the evidence into consideration be-

RELIGION OF REPUBLICANS.

Protective Tariff Something for the

Nation to Unite in Up-

holding.

What are we unable to understand

of the national political religion

such as tobacco and semi-tropi-

s that among patriotic citizens there

should be any difference of opinion.

The protective tariff idea should be a

and not a matter for bitter party ar-

raignment. In fact, says the Portland

(Me.) Press, when in tariff revision the

luty upon the product of any particu-

cal fruits, for instance, democrats of the regions where these products are

raised come to congressional commit

ees as fiercely combative for the high

er tariff as the republicans, although

they are sure to be again heard shout

that "Protection is robbery!

ing for a tariff for revenue only and

One stock argument of revisionists

is that manufacturers and other pro

at a lower figure than to their dome

tected interests sell to foreign buyers

entirely exceptional, has no relation to the regular trade, and is usually an ex-

pedient to get rid of a surplus or to eep mills in operation when there is

a lack of domestic orders, and thus af

ford continuous work for employes

Such transactions have not the least

bearing upon the great central ques-

CURRENT PRESS COMMENT.

will not be making so many compli-mentary speeches in two or three years

This is truly a great country. The

president gets as many bouquets from the democrats of Texas as from the

republicans of Kansas.—Philadelphia

Malton B. Parker spoke at a ban-

ocracy." It is due to Mr. Farker to

say that he did his best to make it

York has given up 1908 and is discuss

ing 1912. This may be called borrow

on hand is sufficient.—St. Louis Globe

Those new silver dollars, differing only slightly from the old issue, which

Mexico is going to mint, will, it is

Mexico likes its new gold stand-

and sane basis of a sound currency .-

If Mr. Bryan had been attending

ding about the country with a lecture

saved Mexico from the deadly blight of

society. - Indianapolis

hoped, now that the country is on a gold basis, have a better standing in

Cone democratic paper in

Democrat.

commercial

News.

from now.-Washington Star.

The chances are that Mr. Bryan

patrons. When that happens it is

the following national campaign

lar religion is threatened with reduc

rule without an exception.'

enjoyed by no other nation.

This, too, can be laid down as a

#### POINTS AGAINST REVISION. Facts Regarding a Protective Tariff

Which Are Most Con-

A very interesting and highly valuable contribution to the discussion of the question as to when the tariff should be revised is made through the columns of the American Economist by Francis Curtis, who evidently has given the matter earnest and careful study. As a re sult, says the Troy Times, what he says is educative in the highest sense, as it sets before the American people facts which must be dispassionately and in-telligently considered in order to arrive at impartial conclusions and to be guided to prudent action. Mr. Curtis re views at length the causes and results of the various tariff enactments by the American congress, and his statements therefore have the force of indisputable truth free from all merely academic dis-

To those who steadfastly advocate protection because of the conviction that thereby can the best interests of American industry be safeguarded it is most significant that the nation started with a protective tariff, enacted in 1789 and approved by President Washington. That tariff was maintained unchanged until 1812, when to meet the needs arising from the war with Great Britain the rates were uniformly increased 100 per cent., the higher duties to remain in force until one year after the conclusion This left the revised tariff of 1812 in force until February 17, 1816, The return to lower rates was marked by disaster, and a period of great depression ensued. Mr. Curtis says: "Our present revisionists would do well to tudy with great care the conditions and the results of that period of history. For eight years we suffered as only a nation can suffer when she buys her goods abroad and her own artisans are idle and unproductive.'

This calamitous condition of things continued until 1824, when a tariff law intended to be highly protective was passed, and of which President McKinprobably the broadest-minded protectionist in recent public life, remarked: "The nation was quickened into new life, and the entire country under the tariff moved on to higher tri umphs in industrial progress, and to a higher and better destiny for all of its people." That tariff was further re-vised in 1828 in the direction of increased duties, and this because many of the foremost men in public life had become convinced of the value of protection. Among them was included Daniel Webster, who from a free trader had developed into an ardent protectionist. That period was also characterized by the manifestation of the hostile spirit in the south which found expreson in nullification and later in open re-Wife (during the dance intermission) sistance to federal power.

Subsequent dealings with the tariff say that he did his subsequent dealings with the tariff a cheerful future.—Chicago Tribune. are carefully but succinctly treated by Mr. Curtis, and he reaches conclusions which are impressive. He shows that while there have been reasons for changes in our tariff laws unconnected with the wants of our labor and industries, such as the question of revenue, the main consideration has been whether or not we should have protection. On the revenue side the people have never been united. It has been claimed that low duties would bring in actual operation the opposite has been the case. As to economic results, Mr. Curtis says: "The history of our ard law so well that it is wondering tariff laws shows that in every instance why it did not try it before. About tarin laws shows that in every instance is since the foundation of the government, where the existing tariff or any part of convinced that gold is the only safe it has been reduced, there have followed disastrous consequences in all or a part Troy Times. of our industries. There has not been a single exception, not one. On the other faithfully to business instead of gadhand, it can be said that in every instance where the tariff has been in- on the value of ideals, he might have creased as a whole, or upon single industries, those industries and the commer- the gold standard.—Chicago Tribune.

### What Republicanism Is.

A good many men of affairs in Chicago, more or less involved in the turmoil of a municipal campaign, are, in view of recent experiences, prone to sit apart and ask. What is republican-

By the record, written large and and plain, republicanism is tariff and The open spaces of London measure 21½ square miles. The aggregate cost each year of the maintenance of the parks is less than a quarter of a mil- | back vagaries; vested rights of a man | Chicago Inter Ocean.

in his earnings and property against communism and anarchy; the encour agement of enterprise and competition against the fallacies of socialism; a sturdy nationalism against petty sec

tionalism of state or city. Under such republicanism the nation has gained steadily in uprightness and strength; the states have prospered and our cities have grown mightily.

### "MY WIFE'S PEOPLE COMING"

"We Have Had a Splendid Winter" in Western Canada,

Canada's inrush this year is wonderfully great and considerably ahead of any previous year. It is always interesting to those who contemplate moving to read expressions of opinion from those living in the country. It is therefore our pleasure to reproduce the following written to an Agent of the Government and forwarded to the Immigration Branch of the Department of the interior at Ottawa:

Birch Hills, Sask, Can., Feb. 1, 1905. Dear Sir: I take pleasure in dropping you a few lines to let you know how we are getting along up here and how we like the place. We have been here close on to a year now and think the place is fine. We have been out every day this winter working in the bush getting out logs for buildings, etc., getting rails for fencing. We have not suffered with the cold as much as we did in Chicago. My little boys are out every day with their sleighs having a good time. The lowest the temperature has been this winter is 34 below and it is very still, no

We had a splendid summer. We put up about 50 tons of hay and will have about 30 tons to sell; hay brings \$8.00 per ton now and will be higher in the spring. We have 20 acres broke and ready for crop. We worked on the Can. Nor. Ry. for awhile this summer and am just 3 miles from the R. R. and townsite. The steel is all laid to within 2 miles of the River and we often see the train bringing supplies for the Bridge.

These assertions are so sweeping and My wife's people are coming up about May. I wish you would write them and if there should be anyone coming to Prince Albert that could do with a half a car let them know. The homesteads the desirability or undesirability of tariff revision. They are sustained by such an array of testimony as to give are all taken up within 12 miles of us. I often think if this land were only in the States what a rush there would be; it is the richest land and the most productive I ever saw, and the climate is fore deciding to tear down the solid fabric of protection which has given American industry prosperity such as is

I know that people back there that I write to do not believe me when I write them what a splendid winter we are having, they think we are all frozen up. We have only about 8 inches of snow, and there are cattle on the range that have not been rounded up this winter. Day after day the Ther. raises up to 50 and 60, and I don't believe we have had a day this winter that it has stayed at zero. My wife says that we used to think that zero was cold in Chicago. But we don't mind it one bit. Christmas night we went out and drove 5 miles with our 3 little boys, it was 20 below and there was not a whimper from any-one of them. I'd hate to do it in old Chicago

Well, I guess I will close and you can tell anyone in the U. S. that they cannot do better than come to the Prince Albert District. I remain,

(Signed)

Yours truly J. D. HEAD.

TRADE AND TRAFFIC. Germany sends more borax to Mexico than the United States does.

Switzerland issued 6,907 licenses foreign commercial travelers in 1904. Japan has two commercial museums

in which foreigners are allowed to display goods free of charge. Austria-Hungary's exports of sugar last year were 4,700,000 metric hundredweights, 1,000,000 hundredweights less

Reports show that 53 per cent, of the oil produced in the United States is from the districts west of the Mississippi. California, Texas, Louisiana, Kan sas, Indian territory, Oklahoma, Colo rado and Wyoming produce about 63,-000,000 barrels of oil a year.

A Heavy Fine. Under the Elkins law, any railroad company which pays rebates in any form, or any shipper who accepts them, is liable to a fine of from \$1,000 to \$20,000, upon conviction. It also prohibits the carrying of freight at less than the published tariffs. The Interstate Commerce Commission is empowered to detect and prosecute violators of this statute. President Knapp, of the Commission, states that since this law was passed, rebate paying has been as rare as forgery.

Judging from the Sex.

She—Is there any difference between a fort and a fortress?

He—Why, I should imagine that a fortress would be—er—harder to silence!—Stray Stories. ing trouble in a case where the stock

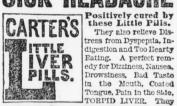
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In France women can wear trousers by paying ten dollars a year. Consequently, as a rule, they do not care to. Perhaps this is fortunate, considering the American habit of following French fashions.

—Boston Globe.

## SICK HEADACHE



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