Beauty Is Blood Deep. Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathar-tic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all im-purities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All drug-gists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Director of the Census William R. Merriam was concated at a Racine school modeled on English lines.

Ask Your Dealer For Allen's Foot-Ease, A powder to shake into your shoes; rests the feet, Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails, Allen's Foot-Ease makes new or tight shoes easy. At all drug-gists and shoe stores, 25 cts. Sample mailed gists and shoe stores, 25 cts. Sample mailed FREE. Adr's Ailen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Dr. George W. Chittenden, who has just died at Janesville, Wis., at the age of 79, was the oldest practicing physician in Wisconsin

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaran-teed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

One of Governor Roosevelt's admirers has presented him with a rare old Damascus blade.

His Little Daughter

Was troubled with a painful skin eruption, and after all other remedies failed, the father writes: "Send me four more boxes of Tetterine for my little daughter. It does her more good than anything we ever tried. Yours. etc. Jas. S. Porter, Lynchburg, S. C." At druggists 50c, box, or postpaid by J. T. Shuptrine, Savannah, Ga.

General Wesley Merritt brought back with him from the Pacific a large parrot which had been the property of a Spanish sailor.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartio. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

The friends of Dr. Asa Gray are collecting money to enlarge the endowment of the Gray Herbarium, of Harvard University.

J. S. Parker, Fredonia, N. Y., says: "Shall not call on you for the \$100 rewart, for I be-lieve Hall's Catarrh Cure will cure any case of catarrh. Was very bad." Write him for par-ticulars. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

In President-Elect Hadley Yale athletics will probably find a good friend, for he has al-ways been devoted to such sports.

: could not get along without Piso's Curr for Consumption. It always cures. -- Mrs. E. C. MOULTON, Needham, Mass., October 22, 1894.

Gerald Du Maurier, who is now playing in "The Musketeers" in London, is the son of the late George Du Maurier.

Educate Your Bowels With Caccarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Stephen Crane has bought a country house in Surrey, England.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reducing inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic. Zoc. a bottle.

Rudyard Kipling is said to be patronizing two clipping bureaus.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guarantoed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c, \$1. All druggists.

Krupp, the gunmaker, has the largest in-come of any manufacturer in Europe and is constantly enlarging his works.

"Evil Dispositions Are Early Shown." Just so evil in the blood comes out in

pe of scrofula, pimples, etc., in

REV. DR. TALMAGE.

THE EMINENT DIVINE'S SUNDAY DISCOURSE.

Subject: "Moral Expansion"-Our Duty to the Heathens in the Philippine Islands -Suggestions as to What We Should

Do For Their Religious Welfare. [Copyright, Louis Klopsch, 1899.]

[Copyright, Louis Klopsch, 1899.] WASHINGTON, D. C.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage steers clear of the political entanglements of our time and recom-mends that which will meet the approval of all who hope for the perpetuity of our republic and the welfare of other lands; text, Genesis xxviii., 14, "Thou shalt spread abroad to the west and to the east." Since the Americano-Hispanic war is con-eluded and the United States Embassador is on the way to Madrid and the Spanish

is on the way to Madrid and the Spanish Embassador is on the way to Washington the people of our country are divided into expansionists and anti-expansionists. From a different standpoint than that usually taken I discuss this all-absorbing theme. taken I discuss this all-absorbing theme. I leave the political aspect of this subject to statesmen and warriors and pray Al-mighty God that they may be enabled rightly to settle the question whether the islands in controversy shall be finally an-nexed or held under protectorate or re-signed to themselves, while i call attention to the fact that a campaign of moral and religious expansion ought to be immedia-tely opened on widest and grandest scale. At the close of this war God has put into the hands of this country the key to the world's redemption. Heretofore the re-ligious movement in pagan lands had to precede the educational. After in China and India and the islands of the sea the missionaries have labored over fifty or seventy-five years the printing press and the secular school came in. Now to better advantage than ever before religious and secular enlightenment may go side by side.

secular enlightenment may go side by side, and so the work be accomplished in short time and more thoroughly. Starting with the fact that in Cuba and Porto Rico and the Philippine Islands at least three-fourths of the people can neither read nor write, what an opportunity for school and print-ing press! Within five years every man in those islands may be taught to read not enly the Bible, but the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States and the biography of George Washington and of Abraham Lincoln.

Washington and of Abraham Lincoln. It seems to me that the Government of the United States ought by vote of Con-gress afford common schools and printing presses to those benighted regions. Our National Legislature by one vote appro-priated \$50,000,000 to give bread and med-icine to Cuba. Why not by a similar gener-osity give \$50,000,000 for feeding and heal-ing the minds and scale of these ignorant ing the minds and souls of these ignorant and besotted archipelagoes. In the name of God I nominate a school for every neigh-borhood of Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philppines. As soon as the gavel fails at 12 clock of next December 4 on the table of ppines. Senate and House of Representatives and the roll has been called and the prelimin-aries observed let some member of our Na-tional Legislature, with mind and soul and voice strong enough to be heard not only through those halls, but through Christen-dom, propose a measure for the mental and moral disenthraliment of the islands in ontroversy

What has made American civilization the highest civilization the world has ever seen? Next to the Bible and the church. schools, common schools, schools reaching from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from British America to Guif of Mexico. Five years under such educational advantage,

Now, church of God, now, all Christian philanthropists, is your opportunity. Nothing like it has occurred since Christ came. Perhaps there may be nothing like it till His second coming. Here is a defin-itences of aim that is most helpful and in-spiring. The millions of dollars given for the redemption of the world and the thou-sands of glorious missionaries who have gone forth among barbaric nations were given and enlisted under a great and im-measurable idea. But when they come te add to the great and immeasurable idea the idea of definiteness we will infinitely augment the work. More than three hun-dred million of heathen in India, more than three hundred million of people in China and more millions of heathens than can be guessed outside of those countries some-times stagger and confound and defeat our faith. But here in these islands of present controversy we can farm out the work among the churches and in five years, under the blessing of God, not only fit the peo-ple for the right of suffrage, but pre-pare them for usefulness and heaven. The difference between the general idea of the world's evangeliza-tion and some particularized field of evangelization is the difference between the improvement of agriculture a mong all nations and the improvement of seventythe improvement of agriculture a mong all nations and the improvement of seventy-five acres put under one's especial care and industry. By all means let the gen-eral work go on. But here is the specific field for religious concentration and de-velopment. This is not chimerical or im-practical. I read this morning that the American Missionary Association of the Congregational Church has already begun the work at San Juan, Utuado and Albon-ito, and all denominations of Christians in six months will be in those islandy fields, and we all need with our prayers and contributions to cheer them on to take for God and righteousness those regions which our American navy has captured from Spanish perfidy. the improvement of agriculture a mong all

from Spanish perfidy. It has been estimated that this Americo-Spanish war cost us \$300,000,000. It would not cost half of that to proclaim and carry on and consummate a holy war that will rescue those archipelagoes from satanle domination. Who will volunteer? I beat the drum of a recruiting station. Who will enlist under the one sparred, blood striped banner of Immanuel? Cuba and Porto Rico and the Philippines are stepping stones for our American Christianity to cross over and take the round world for God. We need a new evangelical alliance

organized for this one purpose. In all de-nominations there are those with large enough hearts and who have been thor-oughly enough converted to join in such an advanced movement-men who, putting aside all the minor differences of connion "theileve in God the Kather opinion, "believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only begotten Son," and who would march shoulder to shoulder in such a Gospel campaign. The result would be that those islands, after such a scene of gospelization, would assort themselves into denominations to suit themselves, and some would be sprinkled in holy baptism and others would be im-mersed in those warm rivers and some would worship in religious assemblage silent as the Quaker meeting house, and others would have as many jubilant ejacu-lations as a back woods cumo meeting and lations as a backwoods camp meeting, and some of those who preached would be gowned and surpliced for the work, and others would stand in citizen's apparel or in their shirtsleeves preaching that Gospel

which is to save the world. Mark you well that statesmanship, however grand it is, and wise mer of the world, however noble, cannot do this work. Mere secular education does not moralize. Some of the most thoroughly educated men in all the world have been the worst men. Quicken a man's intellect, while at the same time word on pot make his morals good and years under such educational advantage, and this whole subject that keeps our pub-lic men agitated, some of them to frothing at the mouth, will settle itself. Give those islands readers, spellers, arithmetics, his-globes. Let the state Legislatures at their next meeting, some of them assembling in early autumn, take parts of those islands under their especial educational patron-age. What is needed is State and National action in this matter of schools. Then ist the editorial assections of them

A Ponderous Flower Among the marvelous plants that the

last century has made known none is more remarkable than the huge parasite Rafflesia. It derives its name from Sir Stamford Riffles, who, in 1818, was governor of Beneoleen, in Samatra. He was one time on a tour of the island, ac companied by Lady Raffles, Dr. Arnold and quite a party of Europeans and na-tives. Suddenly they alighted upon a flower of prodigious size and repulsive oder more than a yard across, and weighing fifteen pounds. Its color was a light orange, mottled with yellowish white, the whole thing livid and visited by carrion insects. Later investigation showed the plant to consist of flower alone, directly parasitic on a species of ciscus It never and stem or leaves of its own, The famous Robert Brown bestowed the name on the plant, Rafilesia-Arnoldi, commemorating thus the title of both discoverers. Several species are now known, differing much in size, but little in essentials. Their entire growth occupies but a few months. They first appear as knob-like protuberances from the bark of various species of cissus. The flowers remain expanded only a few days, then become a disgusting mass of putrescence. As in the similar cases of one well-known carrion flower, the insects, attracted by the odor, also assist in the pollination. These parasites flower at a different time from the host plants, thus making their own blossoms more promiment. They have been cultivated in various botanic gardens, especially in the east.

This plant is among the giant flowers, ranking in size with the great water lily of the Amazon, and with some of the huge tropical aroids. A peaflower in Trinidad is said to be several fect in length, its banner or upper petal being alone one foot long. The range from these titans to the almost invisible flower of water starwort is tremendous, but the little is fashioned as carefully as the great. Nature leaves no corner unfinished for the reason that it is minute.

Why Was He an Idiot?

There is a story told of a very talkative lady who met with a well-deserved rebuke at a social gathering not long ago. Her husband is a man of high standing in the world of science, but the lady regards him as a dreamer of impossible dreams. "Do you know," she remarked, 'that genius and imbecility are twin brothers? The world regards John as a genius. Now there are times when I believe him to be an idiot.

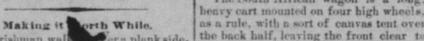
A painful silence followed, broken by a blunt old doctor who had overheard the remark.

"Are we to understand, madam," he said, "that Prof. Y .. though your husband, is so slightly esteemed by you? "I say what I think," she retorted.

'At times John is unmistakably an idio:

"Merely because he is your husband?" "Nir!

"Oh, very well," was the grim re-joinder. "We will put it in another way. He is your husband because he is an idiot. Will that do?"





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Chinese Dialects.

While in other countries, such as Germany, France, etc., where there are various dialects, those who speak these dialects can understand each other as soon as they drop their dialectic peculiarities and make use of the common literary language of the land, this is not at all the case in China, for the simple reason, says M. Leisering, that such a common literary language of the land does not exist. The various Chinese dialects have accordingly developed such peculiarities that they have practically become independent tongues. Thus the average Chinaman from Peking cannot understand his compatriot from Canton. Although both employ the same sign for the same idea, each pronounces it in his own way, and he cannot be understood by the other unless he reduces what he desires to say to a written form.

A life mere y of pleasure or chiefly of pleasure is always a poor and worthless life, not worth the living; always unsatisfactory in its course; always miserable in its end.

A Story of Sterility, SUFFERING AND RELIEF.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 69,186]

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM-Two years ago I began having such dull, heavy dragging pains in my back, menses were profuse and painful, and was troubled was leucorrhœa. I took patent medicines and consulted a physician, but received no benefit and could not become pregnant. Seeing one of your books, I wrote to you telling you my troubles and asking for advice. You answered my letter promptly and I followed the directions faithfully, and derived so much benefit that I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound enough. I now find myself pregnant and have begun its use again. I cannot praise it enough."-MRS. COLA GILSON, YATES, MANISTEE, MICH.

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"I had been sick ever since my marriage, seven years ago; have given birth to four children, and had two miscarriages. I had falling of womb, leucorrhœa, pains in back and legs; dyspepsia and a nervous trembling of the stomach. Now I have none of these troubles and can enjoy my life. Your medicine has worked wonders for me."-MES. S. BARNHART, NEW CASTLE, PA.

Then let the editorial associations of the

United States, as many of such organiza-tions as there are States, resolve at the next convocation to establish in every renext convocation to establish in every re-gion of those islands a printing press, sup-ported by people of this country until it can become self-supporting. Each of these State Editorial Associations sending out to those islands at least one editor and two reporters and enough typesetters, down will go the ignorance and superstition of those islands as certainly as the Spanish fleet under Cervera sank under the pound-ing of our American battleships, and into their every port will go intelligence and love of free institutions as certainly as into the harbor of Manila went Admiral Dewey the harbor of Manila went Admiral Dewey on that famous night when he was not expected. Hoe's printing press! Nothing can stand before its bombardment. Editors of American newspapers and pub-lishers of American books! Take the or-dination for such a magnificent service. Eloquence on yonder Capitol hill cannot

Eloquence on yonder Capitol hill cannot meet the exigency. Epigrams of political platforms or in State Legislatures will not hasten the desired consummation one week or one hour or one moment. When Cubans and Porto Rican and Fili-

Week of one hour or one moment. When Cubans and Porto Riean and Fili-pinos see the morning and evening news-papers thrown into the doorways and hawked along the streets of Havana and Santiago and Manila, those who cannot read by the force of curiosity will learn to read, so that they may know what infor-mation is being scattered, and that which may be missionary effort at the start and carried on by Americans sent forth to do the work will scon be done by educated na-tives. Porto Ricans editors! Porto Rican reporters! Porto Rican typesetters! Porto Rican publishers! It was a great mercy to take these islands from under the heels of despotism, but it will be a mightier mercy to emancipate them from ignorance and legradation. The expansion of the knowl-edge and intellectual qualification of all those islandy regions is the desire of all in-telligent Americans. Awake, all you schools and colleges and universities and printing

those islandy regions is the desire of all in-telligent Americans. Awake, all you schools and colleges and universities and printing presses, to your opportunity! Bill further, here is a wide open door for Christianity. First of all, we have the at-tention of those people. The heathen nations are for the most part soporific. The American missionaries heretofore had great difficulty in getting heathendom to listen. They excited some comment by their attire, so different was the parting of the hair and the shape of the hat and the eut of the coat and the formation of the shoe of the evangelizers, but the questions constantly arose in regard to the mission-ary: "Who is he?" "What is he here for?" And then the interrogator would relax into the previous stupid indifference. But that condition of things hes passed. The guns of our American navy have awakened those populations. They do not ask who we are. They have found out. They are now listening to what American civiliza-tion and our Christian religion have to say on any subject. Now is the time, while their ears and eyes are wide open, to tell them of the rescuing and salvable and in-spiriting power of the Gospel of Jaesus Christ, the Saviour of the world. The steam printing press which securar educa-tion plants there may be used and will be used to print religious newspapers and tracts and sermons and mighty discussions to of questions temporal and eternal. The comfortable homes of those popula-

tracts and sermons and mighty discussions of questions temporal and eternal. The comfortable homes of those popula-tions, when Christianized, standing side by side with the degraded huts of those who remais pagans will be revolutionary for good. The Porto Riean and the Filipino will come out from this uncleaned and low roofed and uninviting kennel and say to his neighbor of beautiful household, "Why cannot I have things as you have them?" And when he finds that it is the Bible, with its teachings on family life and personal purity and exaited principle, and the church of God that proposes the rectifica-tion of all evil and the implantation of all good, he will cry out, "Give me the Bible, and the church, and the earthly allevia-tions, and the eternal hope which have wrought for you such transfiguration "

States Government, or, as I hope will be the case, independent republics.

God did not exhaust Himself when He God did not exhaust Himself when He built this nation. The islands will yet have their Thomos Jeffersons, qualified to write for them declarations of independence; and George Washingtons, capable of achieving their liberties; and Abraham Li colns, strong enough to emancipate their serf-doms, and Longfellows and Bryants, cap-able of putting their hills and their rivers and their landscapes into poems; and the Bancrofts and Prescotts, to make their his-tories; and their Irvings, to write their Sketch Books; and their Charles O'Conors and Rufus Choates, to plead in their court-

and Rufus Choates, to plead in their court-rooms; and their Daniel Websters and John J. Crittendens, to move their Senates. The day cometh—hear it all yo who have no hope for those islands of be-dwarfed no hope for those islands of be-dwarfed and diseased illiterates—the day cometh when those regions will have a Christian civilization equal to that which this coun-try now enjoys, while I hope by that time this country will be as superior to what it now is as to-day Washington and New now is as to-day Washington and New York are better than Manila and Santiago. Do you see in this process of gospelized intelligence those archipelagoos will as a nation be protected from the two woes prophecised in regard to this country—the one woe prophecised by the expansionists and the other woe prophecised by the anti-expansionists? It is said by those who would have us take all we can lay our anti-expansionists? It is said by those who would have us take all we can iay our hands on as a nation that, unless we enter the door now open for the enlargement of our national domain, we will decline the mission which God in His providence has assigned us. But surely ho woe will come upon us or upon them if we Christianize them as we now have the opportunity of doing. The political tech-nicalities are nothing as compared with the importance of this movement. I im-plore all political expansionists to aug-<text>

An Irishman walk er a plank side-walk, in counting some money accidentally dropped a nickel, which rolled down a crack between the boards.

The Irishman was much put out by his loss, trifling though it was. Early the next day a friend, while walking by the tip, and rarely less than six, but in spot, discovered the man dropping a dollar down the same crack. "It was this way," explained Pat, "I

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reasoned that it wasn't worth me while to pull up that sidewalk for a nickel, so I'm dropping down a dollar to make it worth me while."



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owner, drawn by sixteen, eighteen or twenty ozen, curiously fierce-looking with their immense spread of horn, sometimes as much as eight feet from tip to reality as patient and hardworking beasts as one could wish to find. This mode of progression is certainly slow, but there is a strangeness and a fascina tion about it which may draw men to it almost as the Alps draw their devotees. In front there marches the "voor-looper." generally a small boy. leading the two foremost oxen by a rein or rope passed through their nostrils.

carry the miscellaneous furniture of its

The driver walks alongside with the ong and terrible whip he uses so unsparingly, or else sits on the front of the wagon and gets off occasionally to lash up the whole team with unfailing impartiality. The traveling is all done at night, starting a little before sunset, and marching till perhaps eleven or twelve o'clock; then there is a halt till a little before the first signs of dawn, when they go on till the sun begins to get hot overhead, and then they lie by for the day.

The Rushlight.



"I suffered the tortures of the damned

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