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EDITORIAL.

THE independence of Cuba should have been recognized long ago. The course of McKinley is directly the opposite.

THE time for diplomatic measures with Spain has ceased. Such dilatory measures will not do when thousands are starving.

JOHN WANNAMAKER is unearthing some pretty tough things at present about Quay and his boss' rule in Pennsylvania. No matter how bad, the party always rallies around such a leader. Quayism is popular. The public like to be humbugged.

EUROPEAN countries were roundly censured for the atrocities in Armenia. When over 250,000 Cubans are starved near our shores it is an insult to humanity to speak of the patriotic dignity of McKinley. He is Wall street's creature; they don't want any interference or war.

GENERAL FITZHUGH LEE, the present Consul at Havana, whose course has won the approval of the American nations in protecting our people in Cuba, is a democrat. If he had a president of like determination and firmness, the Cuban difficulties would have been stopped long ago.

CONGRESS, Senate, leading republicans and the patriotic pulse of the American people are disappointed with president McKinley's dilatory and vacillating policy towards Spain. Congress and Senate will drive him to action and preserve the honor of the nation. The money changers, on Wall street, are opposed to the freedom of Cuba as it might effect the stock market. They seem to have the president under perfect control.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY in his report of the Maine disaster thinks that Spain's "sense of honor" will cause her to take some action. A barbarous, bloodthirsty people who are cowardly, treacherous and assassins and blew up an American man of war without warning, have mighty little "sense of honor." A nation that will starve thousands of her helpless subjects deserves different handling--"sense of honor" is an unknown quantity with them. But then, what more can be expected from a little, weak, vacillating, man, now trying to fill the presidential chair. Such a spectacle causes the shades of old Andy Jackson and Abe Lincoln to rise in disgust.

BANKRUPT NATION.

Spain has a debt of \$1,709,000,000. The annual interest on this enormous sum is \$105,000,000, while the national income from all sources is only \$160,000,000. The people are now struggling under excessive taxation and the tax rate can not be increased. No nation can be saved from bankruptcy when the interest on its indebtedness amounts to more than two thirds of its revenue.

WILL THERE BE WAR.

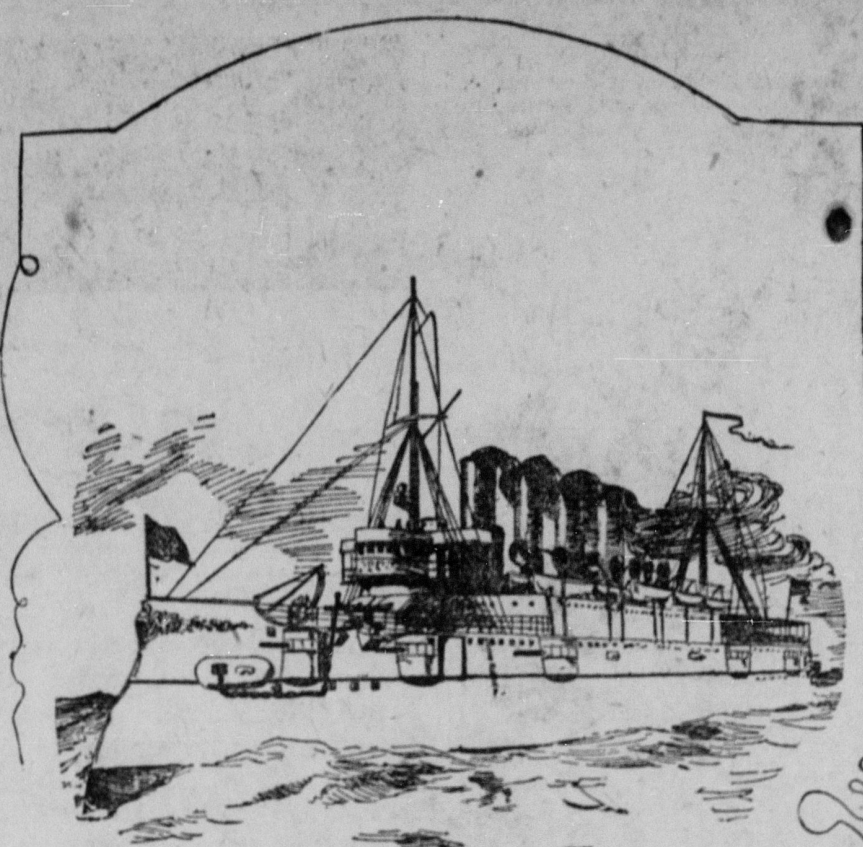
The crisis is at hand. The public will no longer tolerate the practices of the brutal Spaniards in Cuba. Spain must yield. If she don't, now, congress will take decisive action. Determination is stamped on the face of every loyal American. They are disgusted with McKinley's "diplomatic course." The time has come to ship muskets to Cuba, accompanied by food for the starving Cubans. If Spain don't yield at once, war will soon be the inevitable solution of this difficulty.

The Population of the World.

Hübner's statistical and geographical tables, as a result of the latest investigations; give the population of the world at 1,535,000,000. This is an increase over the figures of 1896 of 23,000,000. To this increase Europe is credited with contributing 5,700,000; Asia, 6,200,000; Africa, 7,500,000; America, 3,200,000. The United States, with its great growth, estimated by this authority at 2,800,000, and its present population placed at 72,300,000, represents more than 53 per cent. of the entire population of North and South America--a circumstance adduced as highly significant, and occurring in no other part of the earth.

Strange Place to Write a Will.

David Burkhardt, of Beltsano Cambria county, while looking over the Bible, found written on a blank page the will of his wife who died recently. The document is valuable to the husband, as it makes him heir to considerable property.



UNITED STATES CRUISER COLUMBIA.

The Columbia is one of the fastest commerce destroyers afloat, and the finest vessel of her class in the American navy. A feature of her trial trip was a run under full pressure across the Atlantic, at which time she proved herself capable of outrunning anything in the line of a warship afloat excepting fast torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers.

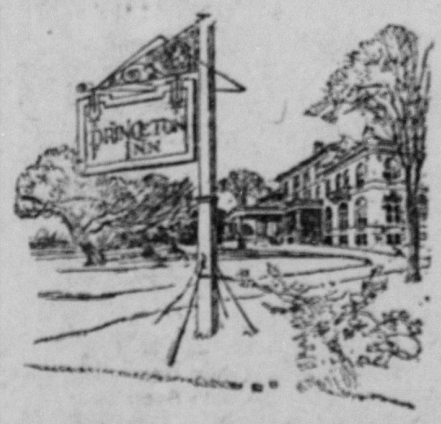
THE PRINCETON INN.

A RESORT FOR TIGER STUDENTS THAT HAS CAUSED AN UPROAR.

One of the Show Places of the Famous Old University Town--The Grill Room and the Customs That Make It Celebrated--The Inn Was Opened Five Years Ago.

The Princeton Inn has been attracting a good deal of attention lately because of the trouble over its license. Dr. Shields, of Princeton University, has been severely attacked because he signed a petition for the renewal of its license. The attacks on him and the Inn are considered quite without justification by prominent alumni of Princeton. The Inn was first opened to the public about five years ago. It was built by alumni of Princeton as a gathering place for alumni who return to the old college town for college festivities, and has also attained large patronage from the students. The Inn has always been under the best management, which has called forth favorable comment.

The Presbyterian Church all over the country is very much exercised over the licensing of the Inn to sell spirituous and fermented liquors. A number of Synods and Presbyteries in the East, as well as the West, assuming that Princeton University is a denominational institution and is responsible for the conduct of this well known and charming hostelry, have taken occasion to severely censure the university management for what they regard as complicity in the sale of alcoholic beverages to the public in general and to its students in particular.



ENTRANCE TO THE INN.

Some of these Presbyterian bodies singled out for special condemnation Dr. Charles Woodruff Shields, who occupies the chair of Harmony of Science and Revealed Religion, who was one of the twelve neighbors of the Inn who signed the application for a liquor license. The Doctor was charged with violating the church rules which prohibit clergymen and elders from signing such documents.

A new sensation was added to the agitation when Dr. Shields made the announcement that "in consequence of the unjust, unconstitutional and defamatory action of certain Presbyteries and Synods involving his good name, he has decided, for his own personal protection, to separate himself from the Presbyterian Church."

Mr. Laurence Hutton, of the editorial staff of Harper's Magazine, resides with his family in the Inn. He does so because of the large library of the university, to which he has access and the agreeable environments afforded by the venerable university town. He is not a graduate of Princeton, but has received a degree from the university. He gives testimony as to the general moral atmosphere that pervades the inn and the grill.

"I came to Princeton," he said to me, "because I have some friends here. I came to stay a few days, but I have remained here almost continuously. The Inn is a delightful place, full of delightful people. The register of the Inn will show the character of its guests. It is a book containing autographs of some of the greatest men of our land. I think I could name a hundred prominent men known throughout the United States who have been entertained here. Members of the faculty call on their friends here. Dr. Patton frequently drops in.

"The management is careful not to encourage drinking among the students. I have never seen any strong liquor drunk by the graduates; they drink principally beer, and in moderation. Of course, college boys will sing, but they sing well. On the days of great games they give the college cheers and cries. There is no great amount of noise at any time. I have never been disturbed, and I have never heard of any complaint from other guests in the house."

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TRIAL LIST.

For the first week April court, commencing April 25th, 1898:

- R. L. Pierce--Gray vs. Thomas Byron--Zeigler. H. F. Corbin & Co.--Zeigler vs. John Erb--Nolan. Simon Schloss--Zeigler vs. John Erb--Nolan. A. L. Hench vs. James Kerstetter--R. & Q. H. R. Curtin, adm'r--Blanchard vs. Austin Curtin et al--J. M. Dale. A. G. Curtin, adm'r--Blanchard vs. Austin Curtin et al--J. M. Dale. H. R. Curtin, ex'r--Blanchard vs. H. R. Curtin et al--J. M. Dale. Phoebe Emerich--Meyer vs. Mattie Emerick.

SECOND WEEK.

- Chas. E. Patton vs. J. P. Stover. Clara Rupp vs. D. A. Grove. A. Williams, Adm'r vs. J. C. Henderson. David Rothrock, Adm'r vs. Henry Rothrock et al. Wm. Thomas vs. Thomas P. Ashcroft. Holler & Hawk vs. Earle C. Tuten. Wm. M. Seigle vs. The Iron City Mutual Insurance Company. D. H. Bean vs. D. T. Cowher. Mrs. A. R. Long vs. Cyrus Gordon. F. P. Blair vs. Geo. R. Boak. John Q. Miles vs. S. A. Butler. Snyder Bros. use of vs. Thos. Collins. W. E. Delmage use of vs. A. M. McClain. Mary C. Weaver vs. Thos. B. Motz, Adm'r. J. B. Ard et al vs. The Pine Grove Water Co. C. Olin Meek vs. Jno. E. Murray. Kate M. Dale use of vs. C. Dale, Jr., Ex. Jno. I. Thompson et al vs. Jno. Zimmerman et al. Wm. Lose's Adm'r vs. Daniel Long, et al use of T. G. Ingram vs. J. P. Seibring et al. Larah M. Richards vs. Mary M. Mattered et al. J. Edward Mastin vs. J. H. Eskridge. Southern Iron Car Line vs. Valentine Iron Co.

Men Who do a Town Harm.

There are eight classes of men who do the town more harm than good, as follows: First, those who oppose improvements; second, those who run it down to strangers; third, those who mistrust public spirited men; fourth, those who show no hospitality; fifth, those who hate to see others make money; sixth, those who oppose every movement which does not originate with themselves; seventh, those who put on a long face when a stranger talks of locating in town; eighth, those who oppose every public enterprise which does not appear as a direct benefit to themselves. You don't belong to any of these classes, do you?

Select School.

A ten weeks session of select school will be held in Centre Hall school building, beginning May 21, 1898. The purpose of the school is to offer increased facilities for higher education, as well as "review" to those who are or will become school teachers, and others who would be interested and ready to receive instruction. Ten or twelve courses can be given. Charges are very light, being one dollar per course. Furnished rooms and good boarding at \$2.50 per week. For information address, GEO. B. SNYDER, Centre Hall, Pa.

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Isaac Harpster, Gatesburg.....Mar 99
Orrin Vail, Phillipsburg.....Mar 99
Mrs. Susan Vonada, Madisonburg.....Mar 99
Ellen Hubler, Rebersburg.....July 98
Geo. W. Zerby, Millheim.....Aug 98
A. H. Raehau, Madisonburg.....April 98
Isaac Beckle, Fleming.....Sept 97
J. E. Faust, Potters Mills.....Sept 98
E. E. Smith, Penn Hall.....Sept 98
F. W. Zettle, Spring Mills.....Mar 99
Scott Decker, Spring Mills.....Mar 99
Henry M. Lingle, Spring Mills.....Mar 99
J. N. Ehard, Kaneville.....May 99
Harry Rockey, Milesburg.....Mar 98
J. D. Brown, Snow Shoe.....Nov 97
John Grove, Lemont.....Mar 99
Geo. Greninger, Flemington.....July 98
Milligan Walker, Runville.....Mar 99
Dan Homan, Penn Cave.....Mar 99
J. A. Gettig, Fillmore.....Dec 98
Samuel Eldel, Snow Shoe.....Feb 99
W. Y. Hazel, Bellview, O.....Sept 97
Lewis Stover, Madisonburg.....Mar 99
S. O. Reed, Clearfield.....Mar 99
F. D. Lec, Bellefonte.....Mar 98
G. L. Rockey, Bellefonte.....Mar 98
Benj. Gentzel, Bellefonte.....Jan 98
C. A. Peters, West Liberty, Iowa.....May 99
John Ward, Stormstown.....Jan 99
Sarah Pifer, Howard.....Oct 98
Dan'l Heckman, Bellefonte.....Jan 99
Jerry Ertel, Madisonburg.....Aug 98
Corwin A. Bitner, Blanchard.....Mar 99
Mrs. Mary Lambert, Bellefonte.....Jan 99
K. Kreider, Gatesburg.....April 99
Jerry Rishel, Coburn.....Feb 99
Lizzie Bohn, Linden Hall.....Mar 99
H. K. Summers, Aaronsburg.....Jan 99
W. H. Wells, Lamar.....Mar 99
D. F. Beaty, Belleview, Ohio.....Mar 99
Manes Bowes, Vilas.....April 99
J. H. Beck, Nittany.....Nov 98
John F. Breen, Spring Mills.....April 98
J. M. Cunningham, Bellefonte.....Nov 98
Jas. C. Noll, Pleasant Gap.....Jan 99
W. H. Florey, Pleasant Gap.....April 99
Jacob F. Musser, Penn Cave.....April 99
Dr. G. S. Frank, Millheim.....Oct 98
Hosterman & Stover, Millheim.....Jan 99
Wm. Kreamer, Millheim.....Feb 99
W. C. Hubler, Millheim.....April 98
B. Frankenbarger, Millheim.....April 99
Clymer H. Stover, Aaronsburg.....Oct 98
J. W. Auman, Coburn.....April 98
Geo. B. Shaeffer, Coburn.....Feb 99
L. H. Stover, Coburn.....April 99
Adam Stover, Coburn.....Aug 98
J. W. Gramley, Coburn.....Aug 98
Sam'l Alters, Coburn.....Mar 99
W. J. Smith, Feldler.....April 99
John Hess, Aaronsburg.....April 99
H. L. Brian, Madisonburg.....Aug 98
S. F. Hockman, Madisonburg.....Feb 98
Ira Hazel, Madisonburg.....Feb 98
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Wm. Bletz, Tyersville.....April 98
A. B. Wolfe, Rebersburg.....Aug 98
W. R. Smith, Feldler.....April 99
J. J. Feldler, Feldler.....Jan 99
J. A. Guelwitz, Feldler.....Feb 99
Geo. Weaver, Feldler.....Mar 99
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G. T. Shaeffer, Clifton, Ill.....Feb 98
May Rapp, Coalport, Pa.....Jan 99
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Joseph Gilliland, Pottersdale.....April 99
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Thos. Fishburn, Lemont.....Jan 99
Charles Dillet, Tyrone.....April 98
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A. M. Snook, Millheim.....Mar 98
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E. T. Weaver, Wolfs Store.....Mar 98
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T. F. Wise, Penn Cave.....April 99
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C. J. Weaver, Rebersburg.....April 99
J. A. Meyer, Rebersburg.....Jan 99
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D. Auman, Coburn.....April 98
Clyde Vonada Coburn.....Aug 98
Simon Cornas, Feldler.....Aug 98
John Babb, Aaronsburg.....April 99
E. A. Bower, Aaronsburg.....Mar 99
D. F. Haffey, Aaronsburg.....Jan 99
John Slagle, Aaronsburg.....Feb 99
W. H. Bohn, Aaronsburg.....April 99
H. A. Gentzel, Sober.....April 98
I. A. Zeigler, Bloomsburg.....July 98
W. J. Hauna, Renovo.....April 99
Adam May, Munson.....Oct 98
W. H. Musser, Bellefonte.....April 99
Geo. F. Miller, Pine Grove Mills.....April 99
Mrs. J. B. Crawford, Freeport, Ill.....Nov 98
Anthony Wise, Fillmore.....July 98
Henry A. White, Spring Mills.....April 99
J. H. Neidigh, State College.....April 99
J. W. Armstrong, Oak Hall.....Jan 99
Jonas Stover, Rebersburg.....Jan 99
C. N. Meyer, Coburn.....Mar 98
C. O. Braucht, Coburn.....Jan 99
J. W. Glasgow, Coburn.....Jan 98
Newton Book, Bellview, Ohio.....Oct 98
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