vence. Nowadays we hear very little of hurry to make changes in the departthe office seeking the man. It does ments in Washington. One undersecretary has been notified that he is not get a chance. safe for at least six months and that

None of the ammunition of the McKinley administration will be

wasted on ducks. MR. CLEVELAND and the wild geese the country. Notice has been served are coming North-a sure sign that that the occupants will be allowed to spring is approaching.

EXPERIMENTS in reform outside of the Republican party turn out badly. first entered the Presidency in 1885, The one made in 1892 will do for a sample.

Just one Democrat has occupied the presidential chair since 1861, and his out there will be good Republicans to own party insists that he was a terrific take their places. failure.

SPRING will arrive officially on the 20th instant, and in the meantime it will be in order to expect anything kindly mention of my name, I am not from a bluebird to a blizzard.

THERE was never any doubt of the re-election of Speaker Reed, and there are congenial to me, and I know of no was never any doubt that as a presid- appointment that could be tendered ing officer he stands without a peer. The sentry boxes have been removed

from the White House grounds. President McKinley wants no armor plate between himself and the American

THE new tariff bill, it is now claimed, will have fifty-three votes in the Senate, a good majority. This prediction is based on a poll made by the House committee on Ways and Means. A Spaniard has died in Mexico who

claimed to be 154 years old. As he smoked eigarettes, it is supposed that his young life was shortened by the

MARCH, so far, has not been as beautiful as it might be; but neither has it been as blustery as it might. But it has a briskness in its air both of spring and of business, for which we should be duly thankful.

CHAIRMAN DINGLEY thinks the gether. time to go into effect June 1. That would be two months and a half, a will embrace the whole State. This liberal allowance for congressional de- may result in a slight change in the

THERE is cold shoulder for those who loaf around the White House, The President says that he will make no appointments until the tariff mat- an equitable division in this way ters and finance are disposed of. That would provide a salary list that will will take several months, and in the dispense even justice everywhere. In meantime why should men pay board several of the counties of the State, at a Washington hotel?

PERRY HEATH, who has done suc excellent work for the Republican party, and whose reputation as a journalist is well established, will be the first assistant postmaster general, and he will make a good one. He has high ability, which will be needed in that important position.

Congress convened in extra session Monday. There has been no more important session since the adoption of Immense possibilities. President Me-Kinley's first message, which will be ties. Whenever the compensation befound elsewhere in these columns, is a comes higher than this it makes the plain, business-like statement, short office a matter of sale, and the excess and to the point.

SILVER is down very near the lowest point it ever touched, while wheat is at a high level, and is likely to go higher. Nobody hears the parrot talk now of silver and wheat being yoked together, but this is because the silver issue is dead, temporarily or eternally. If the issue should be resuscitated in 1900 the follies and falsehoods of 1896 would be repeated.

SENATOR FLINN, of Pittsburg, who Kinley, is an uncompromising enemy of Senapolitical general in America. This is as many as you can. They all are good in contradistinction to the say-so of some of the small potato enemies of Col. Quay, who are perpetually speaking of him as a political trickster. The fact is, he is a wise and broad-minded politician, who gains his ends by the exercise of good sense and sound dis-

UNLESS we die very soon we shall live to see mechanically propelled ve- them. There is plenty of time." hicles as common upon the streets as those drawn by horses. Already in London the authorities have passed an ordinance licensing mechanical wag- turned the President. "You know the ons and carriages. In Paris such men and I don't," vehicles were licensed two years ago. Now a resolution permitting their use is under consideration by the board of aldermen of New York. A firm have put motor carriages on sale in that

Ir is to be feared that there will be too. I don't propose to settle my contro a general emigration of spinsters from versies." Michigan if the bill proposed in the legislature of that State becomes a law. It puts a tax upon old maids, excepting those who have failed to get married after strenuous efforts on their meetings to decide between the claims of part. The originator of this unique measure proposes also to tax unmarried men. The course of true love in vidual influence and must act together Michigan ought to run very smoothly for the welfare of their party. with such energetic legislative stimu-

DURING the last campaign, when three states, and who has been a warm the Hon. Tom Watson, of Georgia, personal friend of the President, asked foolishly thought that he was running to be considered a candidate for an attracency of the United tive foreign mission." States, he put forth a great many ideas which were nonsensical, but he has finally given expression to one truth fitness as nil the Senators and Representation and Mark Hanna. One of the oldest was decided to raffle it off for a hospital which shows that he is not totally tatives and politicians in the country. Senators tells me that he never knew benefit, and \$450 worth of tickets were blind. "There is no suggestion," he Still, if it is necessary I will get some such a thing to have occurred before. sold. says, "of mugwumpism about the new letters." administration. It is stalwart to the gore." And he might have added that that is one of the reasons why the anajority of Americans are delighted with the result.

PROBABLY there is truth in the report that if a United States war-ship goes to Havana there will be an anti- can," remarked the President in conclu-American demonstration in that city. sion, and turned to another visitor. The featherhead element in Spanish communities is always large, and it asserts itself on the smallest sort of to have been there from the beginning ed as a exassquence. The new departare by the United States in Cuban pol- coffee. 15c and 25 cts per package. Sold Mrs. Hagna's companion, w tnessed the compel Mrs. Coffeen to release her grasp ey can not come too soon.

HIS FIRST MESSAGE.

BAILEY received the Democratic

nomination for the Speakership, but

his party in the House. Until the

head of the Democratic column in his

hold a higher titular rank, but he will

ver forces while there are any silver

forces to command. Latour d'Au-

vergne, the "first grenadier of France,"

would accept no higher title than cap-

tain, but while holding it he some-

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY is in no

he need give himself no concern be-

me that would offer any inducement

to leave it. Occasional mention of my

THE legislature will render a valu-

its entire abolition, offering as a sub-

stitute payment by fixed salaries. No

readjustment of fees will correct the

evils that have grown out of the sys-

salaries of the officials in those coun-

with a population of less than 150,000;-

never be called upon to pay.

were neatly done up and briefed.

ins the following:

five or six good ones."

"Well," retorted the President, "su

"It would be difficult to make a sele

"Not so difficult for you as for me,"

"I mean that it would be embarrassing

for me to indicate a preference in many

"You want me to assume that emba-

assment. I am willing to share the re-

sponsibility, but I cannot make any ap-

select the men. You must get together,

A gentleman of some fame as a writer

who might claim a residence in any of

the President quietly.

tives of your state,"

the Representatives."

"From whom do you suggest?"

"From the Senators and Representa-

"I doubt if I could get either one of the

Try Grain-0 ! Try Grain-0 !

Ask your Grocer to-day to show you a

pointments from your state unless ve

on," suggested the Senator.

oose you take those papers away with you

Pointer's For Office Seckers.

The Washington Post of March 10, con

during my term of office."

times led an army corps.

this will not make him the leader of President William McKinley to the New Congress.

Democrats renounce free silver the place where Bland stands will be the WASHINGTON, March 15.-The president to-day sent the following message to him. chamber. Other men on his side may Congress: To the Congress of the United States: Regretting the necessity which has re-

be the commander-in-chief of the silmired me to call you together, I feel that ter an attempt to prevent had been de your assembling in extraordinary session feated, and the new members having gotis indispensable, because of the condition ten their seats, President McKinley's in which we find the revenues of the gov- short, sharp message was read in ten

It is conceded that its current expenditures are greater than its receipts, and over it, Mr. Dingley arose and presented that such a condition has existed now for his new Tarin bill, more than three years.

With unlimited means at our command we are presenting the remarkable spectacle of increasing our public debt by borrowing money to meet the ordinary outlays incident upon even an economical and prudent administration of the gov-

fore that time is up. It is the same ernment. way with appointments throughout An examination of the subject discloses this fact in every detail, and leads inevitably to the conclusion that the condition serve their terms out and will not be of the revenue which allows it is unjustidisturbed. This is in accordance with fiable, and should be corrected. We find a rule made by Cleveland when he by the reports of the secretary of the treasury that the revenues for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1892, from all sour-Of course, under this ruling the Democes, were \$425,868,260.22, and the expendiratic office-holders will remain until tures for all purposes were \$415,953,806.56, their terms expire, but when they go leaving an excess of receipts over expenditures of \$9,914,453.66.

During the fiscal year: \$40,570,467.98 were paid upon the public debt, which GOVERNOR HASTINGS says with rehad been reduced since March 1, 1889, spect to the report that he is to be Min- \$259,076,800, and the annual interest ister to Italy: "While I appreciate the

charge decreased \$11,684,576.60. The receipts of the government from all sources during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893, amounted to \$461,716,561.94, any other. I am content with the and its expenditures to \$459,374,887.65, office which I now hold. Its duties showing an excess of receipts over ex

penditures of \$2,341,674.29. Since that time the receipts of no fiscal year, and with but few exceptions of no tainment. The graceful greyhound leapmouth of any fiscal year, have exceeded | ing of Mr. Robert H. Baker startled the

name has been made for sundry apthe expenditures, pointments during the past year and The receipts of the government from all sources during the fiscal year ending Mr. Baker holds the record for his feat, I repeat now what I have often said June 30, 1894, were \$572,802,498,29, and its and has an open challenge for all-around before that I have not been a candiexpenditures \$442,005,758.87, leaving a dedate for any appointment since I came ficit, the first since the resumption of into the executive office, nor would I

specie payments, of \$60,803,200.58. accept any position if tendered to me Notwithstanding there was a decreas of \$16,769 127.78, in the ordinary expenses of the government as compared with the previous fiscal year, its income was still able service if it enact a law that will not sufficient to provide for its daily ne wholly abolish the fee system of comcessiti s, and the gold reserve in the pensating county officials, says the treasury for the redemption of green-Philadelphia Times. There are a numbacks was drawn upon to meet them. ber of measures already under consid- But this did not suffice and the government then resorted to loans to replenish an entire change of Vitascope pictures family Bible and all the information neceration that are intended to readjust

the system, and Representative French the reserve. In February, 1894, 850,000,000 in bonds has introduced a bill that provides for were issued and in November, following, a second issue of \$50,000,000 was deemed nepessary. The sum of \$117,171,795 was realized by the sale of these bonds, but the reserve was steadily decreased until, tem, and the only way to absolutely on February 8, 1885, a third sale of \$62,correct its defects is to abolish it alto- 315,400 in bonds, for \$65,116,214, was announced to congress,

new tariff bill can be put through in The prohibition of special legislation The receipts of the government for the itates the passage of a law that fiscal year ending June 30,1895, were \$300,-373,203,30, and the expenditures \$433,178. 425.48, showing a deficit of \$42,805,223.18. A further loan of \$100,000,000 was nogotiated by the government in February, ties where the fee system is no longer 1896, the sale netting \$111,166,246, and in force. But the counties can readily swelling the aggregate of bonds issued be divided into classes, with fair salwithin three years to \$262,315,400. For aries for the officials of each class, and the fiscal year ending June 30, 1896, the revenues of the government from all ources amounted to \$409,475,408,78, while its expenditures were \$434,678,654.48, or an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$25,203,245,70. In other words, the total sceipts for the three fiscal years ending 000, the office of Prothonatary is worth June 30, 1896, were insufficient by \$137,

from \$5,000 to \$7,000, that of Recorder 811,729.46 to meet the total expenditures of Deeds from \$6,000 to \$10,000, that of Nor has this condition since improved. Register of Wills from \$5,000 to \$6,- For the first half of the present fiscal (ii), and that of District Attorney year the receipts of the government, exfrom \$6,000 to \$7,500. These incomes dusive of postal revenues, were \$157,507,-603.76, and its expenditures, exclusive of are far beyond a just compensation, postal service, \$195,410,000.22, or an excess and, under a law providing even libof expenditures over receipts of \$57,902,eral salaries, could be cut down one-339.46. In January of this year the receipts, exclusive of postal revenues, were A public official is entitled to no 24,316,994 05, and the expenditures, exclularger compensation than would be sive of postal service, \$30,200,389,29, a de

the Constitution; it is freighted with paid by a private business concern for ficit of \$5,952,755.24 for the month. equal responsibilities and similar du-In February of this year the receipts, exclusive of postal revenue, were \$24,400, 997.38, and expenditures, exclusive of postal service, \$28,795,056.66, a deficit of \$4,395,050.28; or a total deficiency of \$186,is recognized as a reward for political 061,580.44 for the three years and eight service, for which the people should months ending March 1, 1897.

Not only are we without a surplus the treasury, but with an increase in the public debt there has been a correspond ng increase in the annual interest charge rom \$22,893,883.20 in 1892, the lowest any year since 1862, to \$14,387,297,60

A Senator went to the White Hou with a bundle of papers representing 1896, or an increase of \$11,493,414.40. about forty applications for consulates It may be orged that even if the reve They all bore his recommendations and mes of the government had been suffic. ent to meet all its ordinary expenses dur "You don't expect me to appoint all ing the past three years, the gold reserve hese men, do you ?" said President Mewould still have been insufficient to mee the demand upon it, and that bonds "Well, I don't know," returned the would necessarily have been issued for tor Quay, says the latter is the greatest | Senator, "I'd like to have you to appoint | its repletion. Be this as it may, it is clearly manifest, without denying, or afming the correctness of such conclu "How many places in the consular ser sion, that the debt would have been de vice do you consider your state entitled reased in at least the amount of the deficiency, and business confidence immeas "I should think we ought to pull ou arably strengthened throughout the country. Congress should promptly correct

the existing conditions. Ample revenues must be supplied not and after consulting on that basis with only for the ordinary expenses of the your delegation pick out five or six of the government, but for the prompt payment best men and all join in recommending of liberal pensions and liquidation of the principal and interest of the public debt. In raising revenues, duties should be so levied upon foreign products as to preserve the home market, so far as possible, o our own producers; to revive and in crease manufactures; to relieve and encourage agriculture; to increase our do nestic and foreign commerce: to aid and evelop mining and building, and to renier to labor in every field of useful occu ation the liberal wages and adequat rewards to which skill and industry are justly entitled. The necessity for the assage of a tariff law which shall provide ample revenue need not be further rged. The imperative demand of the That is the sort of talk the President hour is the prompt enactment of such a gives to nearly all the Congressmen who measure, and to this object I carnestly

visit him, and as a consequence the delecommend that Congress shall make Before other business is transacted, le contending constituents. They are pretty us provide sufficient revenue to faithfully well convinced that they will not be able dminister the government without the to secure appointments upon their indicontracting of further debt or the con

tinued disturbance of our finances. WILLIAM MCKINLEY. Executive Mansion, March 15, 1897.

Hanna Applauded.

W. E. Curtis writes to the Chicago Rec rd: For the first time in history a mar "I have not brought any papers," he in the galleries of the Senate when he said, "for you know me as well as any- walked up to the desk of the Vice Presibody and can judge as accurately of my dent to take the oath of office. His name fered. In order to avoid complications it Mr. Sherman's resignation was first read "I would do so if I were you," observed by the clerk, then Governor Bushnell's appointment of Mr. Hanna and his credentials, which are handsomely bound in red morocso. While this ceremony of Wakarusa, Elkhart county, has been was going on, Mr. Hanna was sitting in wrought up to a high state of excitement a chair on the last row, next to that of over the continued performances of the Senstors," was the reply," but I can get Mr. Forsker. His desk was decorated

spiritualists in their materializing sewith an immense rose bush filled with ances, Many people have been con-"Better get the Senators, too, if you beautiful flowers. verted. When the Vice President asked Mr. Hanna to step forward, Senator Foraker | medium throughout Indiana, Michigan seized his colleague impulsively by the and Illinois, was invited to the town to arm and led him down the middle aisle, lecture on spiritualism. He gave a seance, where the oath was administered. Mr. which was attended by Mrs. Corffeen, a provocation. Nevertheless, the war package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink Hanna then returned to the seat he had prominent society woman. Relatives of vessel will go to Havans. One ought that takes the place of coffee. The chil- previously occupied with cheers as hearty Mr. Coffeen appeared in the spirits, and dren may drink it without injury as well as were ever offered at a prima donna, she determined to accertain the realism of the rebellion. The government as the adult. All who try it, like it. but he soon slipped away to the cloak of the spirits. She grappled with the GRAIN-Q has that rich seal brown of room, where he was surrounded by a spirit, and in the tumultuous scene which was very lax in this respect, and many Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure number of his new colleagues. Mrs. followed one of her wrists was dislograins, and the most delicate glomach re- Hanna, Miss Mabel Hanna, Mrs. Leon- cated. It is alleged that King, who was ceives it without distress, & the price of ard C. Hanna and Miss Phelps, who is the materializing spirit, used force to scene from the private gallety.

Congress Goes to Work.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15,-President McKinley's extra session of the bill, began its work to-day with a promptness which was very gratifying to

What the Press Says.

attracted some people who seldom occupy

seats there on account of scruples and

East, but had heard of Edison's wonder-

ful improvement over the kinetoscope.

The pictures presented by this wonder-

ful mechanism charmed the audience to

unstinted applause. So natural was the

The Robinsons, in their descriptive

duett of electric stereoptican pictures,

lesson behind. "A Pack of Cards," "My

chures that appealed to the deepest feel-

As an athletic diversion, the Robinson

people, who, on realizing what he had

done, broke out in salvos of applause,

competition, with weights.

ligencer, November 24.

At the Somerset Opera House April 1st.

Women Under a Witch's Ban.

stable George Steigleman, of South Wil-

The women declare that they can not

possessed of any supernatural power.

Great Luck of a Drummer.

Weedy, 20 years old, a commercial trav-

eler, has been advised that he has fallen

forgotten all about Ward.

esiding near Akron, O.

Druggists, Toledo, O.

local paper.

Judge's handwriting.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

es of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle

Judge Wrote His Own Praise.

Indiana, Pa., March 14.-The present

taken from the Court papers, photograph-

Judge White has issued an order to

show why the Court paper was removed,

Hundreds For a Beefsteak.

TACOMA, Wash., March 12.-The first

beefsteak that ever reached Circle City,

Alaska, sold for \$48 per pound a few

weeks ago. The steak consisted of a ten-

pound piece, slaughtered at Forty Mile

Creek, and was packed from that place to

The steak was first placed on exhibi-

tion. As high as \$35 per pound was of-

She Grappled The Spirit.

LA GRANGE, Ind., March 14.- The town

Joseph King, who has a reputation as a

on bim.

ny case of Catarrie that cannot be cured by

ings that stir the heart of humanity.

were entirely captivating, leaving

the conversation.

tances instigators of the attack. Speaker Reed and the other House officers having been re-elected, the rules of the last House having been readopted afcorporations, indicating one of the delewas a liar and her husband flew to the each other. rescue, while his wife and her women | The bill, as a whole, is a high protect minutes, and, while the Republican members were still clapping their hands Mrs. E. W. Reed started another row

The audience at the Opera House las evening was one of the most composite that has been seen there this season, and Man Waite." She grew excited and some changes from the present law which have the performance was in keeping with the one made a slighting remark that pre-

Populist Row.

audience. It was an entertainment that cipitated further trouble. The event of the afternoon was when Miss Holmes replied to the attack of the principle. Nothing offered on the pro- boiler inspector, W. R. Frazier. He said be in the nature of a compromise between gramme offended the "taste of the most that the corporations were more powerful

fastidious." The Vitascope was a reva- than the Populist principles. "That's a lie," shouted half a dozen lation to those who had never journeyed nen and women who were on their feet making for the speaker.

"If the shoe fits, put it on," retorted Frazier, bracin, himself for the rush. He reproduction of seenes in life that, in driven from his position, but fought desmany instances, one could almost hear perately to the door. Mr. Akers next came in for rough

treatment. On being asked by Mrs. Reed if it was not "time for him to go out and choke himself to death," Akers retorted moral atmosphere and an educational that Mrs. Reed had not added anything to her reputation by going out as a street Mother Was a Lady," and other bro- singer. Miss Holmes demanded why the men stood silently by and saw the women insulted. None responded and then Mrs. Reed and Miss Holmes administer-Baker trio proved to be one of the most ed the punishment themselves and tore attractive features of the evening's enter- most of Mr. Akers' beard out of his face.

She Read the Papers.

NEW YORK, March 12.-Through the accidental reading of an advertisement in a New York paper several days ago Miss Grace Clarke, a school girl, who lives in New Brunswick, N. J., is likely to come The microphone also gives a pleasant into a large inheritance. The advertisediversion during the waits for the inment was inserted by a firm of attorneys comparable and startling life-like reproductions of the Vitascope. The Hol- at Melbourne, Australia, and asks for inbrooks and Mr. Weston contributed their formation about the heirs of Imblay talents to an entertainment that was sat- | Clarke, who it is said had died in Ausisfactory and unobjectionable in every tralia, leaving a fortune amounting to number. It is a performance that no several million dollars, gained by sucone should miss. The combination will cessful mining operations. This man be at the Opera House to-night, to-mor- left no will and it was known only that he had come from New Jersey. The row afternoon matince and night, with essary to prove the claim of the heirs has and other features. It is really one of been forwarded to Melbourne. Imblay the most solidly enjoyable entertainments Colonel Riester has offered this | Clarke went to Australia in 1870 to seek season.-Wheeling (W. Va.) Daily Intel- his fortune, and at frequent occasions wrote to Mrs. Lydie Bower, his sister, who lives in Perth Amboy. In his letters be told of the wealth he had acquired and said he hoped some day to return to New Jersey. Nothing has been heard WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., March 14.-Con- from him for more than a year.

No Hurry To Make Changes. liamsport, has a strange case of witchorod have appealed to him to invoke the officers of the new Cabinet have indicated aw upon their alleged tormentor. The a purpose to go very slowly in the change person whom they charge with exercising of personnel in their departments. This witcheraft upon them and their families is not very cheerful news to officeseekers. is a respectable neighbor named Baner. It has been communicated directly to who considers the preposterous claims of many of the aspirants, who have not the Goodbrod wemen a good joke upon been able to repress their ambitions, and to add to their discomfort, it is intimated in some quarters that there are to be very handle a dish without dropping and few changes in office, save where the in breaking it; that when they use a knife cumbent insists upon imediate retirethey invariably cut themselves, that their nent, for some time to come,

children are constantly ill, and that their This may be an over-statement of th sleek fat cows give milk that is not fit to nservatism exhibited by the administration, but it is recalled that Mr. Me-They have appealed to Constable Stei-Kinley, before his inauguration, held to gleman to notify Bauer to keep away the view that the changes, with all of its from their bouse and the officer vesteraccompanying confusion and disarrangeday served notice on the unsuspecting ment of business, should not be underneighbor. This was the first intimation taken until the tariff bill is enacted. Mr. Bauer says he has has had that he is This view is brought freshly to mind by the statement made that a prominent assistant secretary in one of the executive departments has been asked to remain in LONACONING, Mp., March 14.-Win.

his place for five months. A Race With Death.

heir to \$30,000 by the death of John Ward, of Minneapolis, Minn., which oc-EATONTON, Ga., March 14.-B. W curred on January 24 last. Young Hunt, the leading banker of Putnan-Weedy, while in Minneapolis several county, has returned to his home here years ago, paid some attention to Mr. from Paris, where he was successfuly Ward's daughter. Mr. Ware took an in- given the preventive treatment at the terest in him, and when he became ill, Pasteur Institute for hydrophobia. He furing his visit, all expenses were de- had been bitten on January II by a sick frayed by that gentieman. He subse- gat, Suspecting the contagion of rabiequently returned east, and had almost he went to New York, and upon medical advice there took the fastest steamer t He says that at that time Mr. Ward Paris, counting the days and reaching was reputed to be worth \$300,000, and he the institute barely within the required could only account for his being remem- period. While undergoing the 18 day ered in the will on the ground of pertreatment he was informed from New sonal friendship. Mr. Weedy, a few York by cable that inoculation upon nonths ago, was married to a young lady other animals under supervision of the New York Board of Health conclusively proved that the cat had died of hydro-

Mr. Hunt, who was constantly attended by his wife, comes back in excellent health, despite an incidental attack of grip, and firmly convinced that nothing We the undersigned, have known F. J. Che-ey for the last 15 years, and believe him per-life.

tly honorable in all business transactions Why continue to pass your nights in nd financially able to carry out any obligascratching and your days in misery? WEST & TRAUX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O Doan's Ointment brings instant relief WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale and permanently cures even the wors cases of Itching Piles. It never fails. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken Internally, actng directly upon the blood and inucous sur

Adam and Eve a Myth.

NEW YORK, March 14.-The Rev. Min ot J. Savage, of the Church of the Messiah, delivered a sermon to-day on "Man not fallen, but rising." "The ancient ents to the Grand Jury last week con- tradition of man fixes the beginning of ained many things highly eulogistic of the human race as about 4,000 years be-Judge Harry White, and it became fore the birth of Jesus," he said. "We of known the presentments were from the to-day know that thistles and plants and pen of the Judge bimself. They were rocks have existed in this world for mil- better convinced by your own judglions of years and that the world is mil- ment than any other way. ed, and the entire matter, in Judge lions of years old. We can not accept as White's handwriting, was printed in a true the ancient tradition of Adam and Eve. We can not believe that on the Judge White says the foreman of the conduct of Adam and Eve, two inexpe-Grand Jury came to him for instructions, rienced and ignorant people, the destiny and he made a rough draft of what he of you and me and countless millions of thought the presentments should contain. people depended. It is absurd. It is with the kind of evidence that will The Gr nd Jury took the draft, and in- grotesquely hideous to entertain such be- appeal to you on no uncertain termsstead of making a copy of it, as the Judge lief. There does not exist on the face of Goods and Prices - prima facie evidence expected, filed it in its entirety in the the earth the slightly reason to believe that you can declide by surely and in the truth of the tradition, which was a quickly. myth of the pagan people and was from them engrafted upon the Hebrews."



OF BRIGHT'S DISEASE

or some trouble of the hidneys, urinary or female organs.

WHAT CAN BE DONE?

In such a serious condition you must secure the best remady you can find in AT ONCE.

There is only one absolutely sur-cure for these troubles, and that is

It has stood the test of time.

DENVER, Colo., March 14.-The Mid-NEW YORK, March 13 -A "Herald's dle-of-the-Road Populists met here yes- special from Washington says: Chairman Fifty-fifth Congress to pass the Tariff terday and adjourned after three hours of Dingley, of the committee on ways and fighting. Women were in the thick of means, expects to have the new tariff bill the melce and they were in several in- ready for publication on Tuesday moreing. He said last night the Republican The first assault was provoked by the members of the committee had practicalremarks of a woman that she would not ly completed the entire bill and were now sit in a convention with the hirelings of engaged in reviewing their work and making changes necessitated by the regates. The latter replied that the accuser | lations which various schedules have to

> companions stood by and cheered the ive measure. The average rates are little, if any, below those of the McKinley bill, and in some of the schedules they are by saying that she had seen too much of slightly higher. Though changes may politics to blush any more; as that was a be made before the bill is presented in the perfunctory effort that did the party no house of representatives, an outline of the good. Mrs. Alice Faulkner took a hand various schedules indicates its general in the row and eulogized "Grand Old character and the more important been made. When the task of preparing a new bill was first undertaken the committee was disposed to be very conservative, and frame a measure which would the McKinley law and the present law. The new law is expected to produce an additional reverue of between \$60,000,000 and \$70,000,000 a year.

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