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COUNTY. CONGRESS.

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J. J. HOHLITZELL, Meyersdale.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE, A. F. DICKEY, Somerset Township DISTRICT ATTORNEY, RUFUS E. MEYERS, Somerset

POOR DIRECTOR. ADAM S. MILLER, Som reet Township

Nor a few of the mugwumps of a few years ago are the copperheads of

ALL this talk about imperialism will not ruffle a single feather on the great A merican eagle.

by signing a petition for the appointment of ex-Queen Lil to be postmistress of Honolulu.

IF SPAIN wants peace she ought to enter suit for it right away, for she is running the risk of being barred by the Major General commanding offers his statute of limitations. SPAIN might take a hint from the

Long Island young lady crushed by endless-chain system. Two or the Cervera cruisers will prob- you faced dangers in disembarking and Geverament Officials Satisfied With Re-

ably be saved and added to our navy. overcame obstacles that, even in looking In their next action they will show | back, seem insurmountable. how much depends on the men behind

more than that in money, to say nothing of suffering. will come when the frost begins to fall.

Just now Uncle Sam is engaged in upon high foothills covered with a dense capture of Santiago have been remarkarounding up Spaniards a thousand tropical growth, which could only be tra- ble in many respects, and in the opinion ONE of the signs of prosperity is the j.

pended on new roads in 1898, the largest showing since 1893. THE annexation of Hawaii by this the city.

abroad. Foreign papers hardly make offered an objection. THE United States navy performed

flict it has lost no time in matching its THE United States sold Canada last | ish troops.

year \$65,000,000 worth of goods, or friends are good customers.

Republican imperialism and at the boys, with the accent on the Green.

out-classed on the sea, but they expect | ners the name of Santiago de Cuba. something prodigious from their army.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY'S prodence in not recognizing the insurgent government in Cuba is now admitted almost unanimously. The insurgents Regular and Volunteer Muster 254,479 up have yet to prove their fitness to be at the head of a new republic, created by the arms of the United States.

THE instructions given by the Spanish government to its officials in Cuba seem to be: "Use your own discretion, but look out for a court-martial if you fail." In this dip'omatic way the government is freed from responsibility, the authorized quota of the army, 13,308 while reserving the unlucky official as are regulars, 9,000 are volunteers under

THE Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, in an opinion delivered by Chief to-day, less recent essentities estimated at Justice Sterrett, affirmed the decision 2000 as 47,692 of the Blair county court, which had | The authorized strength of the volunpronounced the Alien Labor Tax law | teer army is 216,500. Of this number 125,-Pennsylvania. The chief justice fur. call for troops, all of whom have been re thermore characterized the act as be- cruited, mustered and put into the field. longing to a vicious class of legislation, of whom have been mustered into the and quoted largely from the opinion of service; 2,000 were to constitute three Judge Acheson, of the United States special regiments of cavalry; 10,000 were circuit court, who had also found the immunes, and 3,500 were engineers, measure in question to be unconstitu-

THE balance of trade in favor of the United States last year, as reported from ceived to-night by Adjt. tren. Coroin says that 138 new cases of fevers of all kinds man of Eurore," as he is derisively term-000,000, the largest in the history of the tiago yesterday. As the same dispatch bealth is feeble. As a bright contrast to country, and greater than that of any reports only four deaths-and none of his obstinacy and stupidity, the people of other country on earth. No wonder them from yellow fever-from the hun. America are acknowledging far and wide the other countries are coming to look dreds of cases of fever known to exist in the beneficence of the mission of Hostetupon us with greater respect. It was camp, the war ruthorities are more than | ter's Stomach Bitters, namely, to relieve said by the carper that when the Ding- ever inclined to the belief that the cases and prevent malaria, rheumatism and ley law went into effect other countries of yellow fever are of mild type, would retaliate on us to such an extent as to virtually destroy our trade with the balance of the world, but such does | very large number of cases of maiaria | mitigates those infirmities specially incinot appear to be the case. The figures and dengue fever, the latter being pecashow that American manufactures are liar to the Cuban climate. Some clear in demand, and that the other countries | cases of yellow fever are reported, but the know a good thing when they see it. officials say they are few as compared should be regular and persistent. An

EX-ATTORNEY GENERAL HARMON stands with ex-President Cleveland in by Adjt. Gen. Corbin as follows. antagonism to "imperialism." The ablest man who was in Cleveland's side of the question. This is ex-Secre- imately 396. tary of State Olney. Mr. Olney is a (Signed.) pronounced expansionist. He began

ion and a name. If partisan lines are frawn on the expansion question the Democracy will be crushingly defeated. To a slight extent this issue would cut across Republican lines. Probably less han a fifth of the Republicans, howver, are opposed to the policy of holding all the Spanish territory of value which we get, while fully a third of the Democrats seem to favor it. At the

polls national expansion would overwhelmingly best national isolation. IN MANY directions fortune is lavishing her favors on the United States. Not only are we fighting successfully a war which will result in a great triumph for civilization, but the crop reports are among the most favorable ever received at this time of the year. The wheat yield will be the largest in the country's history. That of 1892 was 611,000,000 bushels., which was

since. In 1898 the wheat yield of the district. United States is placed at figures ranging from 625,000,000 bushels to 660,000,-000. The indications are that the corn crop-will equal or exceed last year's unexampled yield, which was 2,284,000,-000 bushels. In only three years before 1897-in 1890, 1892 and 1896-did the earn crop of this country pass the times for the farmer, and usually when | manently by this Government. the farmer prospers, the country pros-

PRAISE FROM SHAFTER.

Tells of the Heroism of His Army. Following is Major General Shafter's order, just published "HEADQUARTERS U. S. TROOPS IN CUBA.

"Santiago de Cuba, July 19. ("General Order No. 26.) "The successful accomplishment of the campaign against Santiago, resulting in

Ex-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND now has Spanish forces and the capture and the a chance to perform an act of chivalry surrender of large amounts of military stores, together with the destruction of the entire Spanish fleet in the harbor, which, upon the investment of the city was forced to leave, is one of which this army can well be proud. This has been accomplished through the heroic deeds of the army, and to its officers and men the sincere thanks for their endurance of hardships heretofore unknown in the American army. The work you have acomplished may well appeal to the pride success, and ralse a war revenue on the of your countrymen, and has been rivaled upon but few occasion in the world's history. Lauding upon an uknown coast

"Seizing, with the assistance of the navy, the towns of Baiquiri and Siboney, on pushed boidly forth, gallantly driving THE estimate of gold to come from back the enemy's outpost in the engagethe Klondike region this season has ment of La Quasina, and completed the been reduced to \$10,000,000. It cost concentration of the enemy near Sevilla, President down to the lowest employe the stoutest heart. Behind you ran a nar- of a million men has

in range of the enemy's guns.

some wonderful feats in the war of 1812 the surrender of nearly 24,000 prisoners, first in which large bodies of troops of and the civil war. In the present con-

\$13 50 per capita. To Mexico our sales fice. The few reported missing are un- States soldiers from the most unwilling were \$1.68 per capita. Our British doubtedly among the dead, as no prison- critics. Few officers in any army bave

sets a high example of courage and patri- pressed by him in the following personal same time endorsed the Chicago platform of 1896, must be Green Mountain who have participated in the campaign, Corbin, dated in front of Santiago July battle and siege of Santiago de Cuba will 12th : recall with pride the grand deeds accom-TWENTY-POUR Spanish war-ships plished, and will hold one another dear have been destroyed in action since the for having shared in the sufferings, hard- to get off. We left Siboney at 2 P. M. beginning of the war. At last the ships and triumphs together. All may Spaniards are convinced that they are | well feel proud to inscribe on their ban-

> "By command of Major General Shafter. "E. J. M'CLERNAND, "Assistant Adjutant General." OUR ARMIES,

WASHINGTON, July 21.-A consolidate stement prepared by Major John A. Johnston, Assistant Adjutant-General shows that of the 277,500 men authorize volunteer armies, 254,479 up to this Of the 23,021 yet required to complete the second call, 802 are immunes and 851

THERE are two Porters on the Repub | The authorized strength of the regular lican State ticket for Superior Court army is 61,000. On April 30th it contain judge: One of them, William W., of ed 26,500 men. Since that time 23,192 re-Philadelphia, placed there by the State | cruits have been obtained from a probable convention, the other, William D., of 75,000 applicants, by a limited number of Pittsburg, put there on Tuesday by the recruiting officers for the most part stran-State committee. The vacancy to be gers in the country canvassed, and during filled by the Pitisburg Porter was causa competition by State authorities for the ed by the death of Judge Wickham, of the War Department the returns of regular army enlistments will show a progressive increase as this competition ceases. The strength of the regular army

conflict with the constitution of 000 were included in the President's first

Fevers Raging at Santingo de Cuba.

WASHINGTON, July 24 .- A dispatch re-

with those of other fevers.

Gen. Shafter's dispatch was made public | ically suggested to those who seek its aid. "Santiago, via Haiti, July 24, 1898. "Adjulant General United States army,

"Major General commanding."

"SHAFTER.

A HARBOR BATTLE.

ment's Policy. TO REEP PORTO RICO AND GUAM.

Following are the Government's plans nade public semi-officially : "Commodore Watson, in proceeding to the Spanish peninsula as soon as the Porto Rican expedition is gotten under way, is not to bombard the cities on the Spanish coast. The ships under Camara | ed t' e northern channel toward the city, will be located by Watson and finally met and engaged.

the Canary Islands and does not want of the vessels being so timed as to bring "Havana will not be attacked while

"This Government has no plan to take

quently it will be left until the climate lends its aid in the autumn. "Shafter will hold his own in the east-

there will be enough to keep this Government busy. We will have to cope with the most serious problem yet: of providing for the government and the future of

the lands involved in this war. "Porto Rico, whose full is likely to be ave to have a military government. 2,000,000,000 mark. This means good Porto Rico, of course, is to be kept per-

"Next winter, when Congress convenes, the necessity for laws covering matters of colonial government will be recognizdestinies of Porto Rico and similarly- field batteries or forts. frequistanced accessions will be left to commission or commissions.

"It is a certainty, as far as now can be orseen, that Guam, the Island in the been in the neighborhood of a hundred Ladrone group that was captured by this killed. Government, will be permanently retained as a coaling and supply station. It is valuable from its location between the Sandwich and the Philippine Islands.

"The disposition of the Philippines i settled and depends on circumstances "This Government has made a piedge to establish a firm and stable governme in Cubs, and that must be carried out. the island to the Cubans. The transition must be step by step, and the final general change of control effected only after a thorough training and demonstration of the abilities of the people, beginning at first a minor capacity."

THREE MONTHS OF THE WAR.

sults-General Henry's Praise of

Shafter. WASHINGTON, July 24.-With the week just closed the United States saw the end of the third month of the war with Spain, and the responsible officials, from the within sight of the Spanish stronghold at | who has had to do with shaping the course Santiago de Cuba. The outlook from Se- of events, feel nothing but satisfaction at vills was one that might have appalle! the progress made. An army if a quarter row road, made well-nigh impassable by armed and equipped, and much of it has rains, while to the front you looked out seen service. The battles preceding the versed by bridle paths terminating with- of military experts have covered the United States Army engaged with imper-"Nothing deterred, you responded ea- ishable glory. Modern warfare of a type revival of railroad construction. The | gerly to the order to close upon the foe, | developed in these engagements was abestimate is that \$60,000,000 will be ex- and, attacking at Caney and San Juan, solutely new and untried, not only to the drove him from work to work until be United States Army, but to the world. took refuge within his last and strongest | No such charge is recorded in history as nirenchments immediately surrounding that made upon the stone fort and the Most everybody afflicted in one way or blockhouses crowning the hills of El "Despite the fierce glare of a southern | Caney. There have been engagements | cure. Doan's Ointment. At any drug sun, and rains that fell in torrents, you between trained troops and savage races valiantly withstood his attempts to drive in the jungles of India and on the hills you from the position your valor had of South Africa of late years that conveywon. Holding in your vice-like grip the ed in a slight manner the possibilities of army opposed to you, after seventeen days | modern weapors. But these battles fought of battle and siege, you were rewarded by by the Fifth Army Corps have been the front, the others scattered in the various engaged with all the implements of modtowns of eastern Cuba, freeing completely ern warfare, and the result is bound to the eastern part of the island from Span- be highly instructive to the military students, and to extort admiration for the "This was not done without great sacri- splendid fighting qualities of the United had more experience in hard fightinge "For those who have fallen in battle, especially in rough country, than tha, THOSE Vermont Democrats who have with you the commanding General sor- old fighter, General Henry, so that some just met and denounced what they call rows, and with you will ever cherish weight must be attached to the opinion of their memory. Their devotion to duty the merits of our officers and troops ex-

> "We had a pleasant sall down, but, having to row the men ashore, took some time yesterday with the Eighth Ohio, and came into camp here about three miles from ront. In company with Gen. Breckinridge, rode to the front to Gen. Wheeler's headquarters, and a flag of truce being up, had an opportunity to see the lines. We are almost on top of them, in front of Wheeler being about eight hundred yards to them; but the country is rough, going down to a falling and ascending, all covered by their fire. The country all ti e way is the roughest I ever saw. You have to follow roads or trails and come under heavy fire, their position commanding every approach. The work done by and patience under discomforts, heat and Somerset rain calls for the highest praise; and the work accomplished by Shafter, and his pertinacity and 'go-aheadativeness' under is a revelation to me. I doubt if there is another officer who would have 'got ten there' as he did. Our loss was most country, could not have been avoided 'if we had to get there.' Last night the Eighth Ohio were almost drowned out, and it pours to-day; that's the climate, lose more by fighting and success than by sickness, which is sure to come by Captain Wilcox have yellow fever; they say a mild form, gotten from sleeping in fected buildings, which are now to be burut. Miss Clara Barton and Mrs. Addison Porter rode to the front yesterday in an army wagon, over rough road and raining. They are unselfish women. Too much credit cannot be given the 'heroism, pertinacity, plack, patience and en-

brant of this work." The Sultan and Our Missionaries. The Porte has demanded the recall of province of Aleppo, on the pretext that their mission for distribution of relief is ceived to night by Adjt. Gen. Corbin says likely to cause disturbances. "The sick kidney complaint, chronic dyspepsia, con-Previous dispatches from Gen. Shafter stipation and liver trouble. The nervous, and the medical officers of his corps have | the weak and the infirm derive unspeakindicated the existence in the camp of a | able benefit from its use, and it greatly

Washington, D. C: Number of cases of ident told some inquiring callers to day cabinet, however, takes the opposite fever of all clusses for yesterday approxENLISTED FOR THE WAR

Eight Spanish Vessels Destroyed. PLAYA DEL ESTE, July 22.—The follow-A Remarkable Meeting of the Reing is the official report of the latest naval victory—that at Manzanillo—as told by publican State Committee. Commander Todd, of the United State ALL FACTIONS AND NO FACTION. gunboat Wilmington, in his report to Ad-

miral Sampson: At 7 o'clock on the morning of July The Republican Party Is Lined Up 18, the vessels on blockade duty in this Shoulder to Shoulder With An Envicinity, the Wilmington, Heiena, Scor-pion, Hist, Hornet, Wamatuck and Osthusiasm Unknown For Years-Unusual Interest of National Leaders ceols, approached the harbor of Manzanat Washington in Colonel Stone's illo from the westward. At half past seven the Wilmington and Helena enter (Special Correspondence.) Philadelphia, July 28.-It is the custhe Scorpion and Osceols the mid-chan om to speak of political gatherings as nel, and the Hist, Hornet and Wamharmonious," unless there is some patuck the south channel, the movement hing like an open disturbance, but the

plug at about the same moment. At 7:50 fire was opened on the shipping and after a deliberate fire, lasting about two and a half hours, three Spanis transports, El Gloria, Jose Garcia and La 100,000,000 greater than the crop of any other year in this country before or gradually push his way over some other destroyed. The Pontoon, which was the harbor guard and store ship, probably nition, was burned and blown up. Three gunboats were destroyed. One other was driven ashore and sunk and still another was driven ashere and

them within effective range of the ship-

is believed to bave been disabled. The firing was maintained at a range which is believed to be beyond the range scorded within a week or ten days, will of the shore artillery. It was continued until, after a gradual closing in, the shore batteries opened fire at a comparatively short range, when the ships were recalled, the object of the expedition having been accomplished, and the ideas of the commander-in-chief carried out as I ed by recommendation to Congress, and understood them-that is, to destroy the it is very probable the shaping of the enemy's shipping but not to engage the

> No casualities occurred on board any of our vessels The Spanish loss is believed to have

> > PORTER WOMINATED

For Superior Court Judge by the Republican State Committee.

The Republican State Committee met in Philadelphia Tuesday last and nominated William David Porter, of Pittsburg, who was recently appointed by Governor It may be many years before affairs there | Hastings to take place of the the late have so shaped themselves as to intrust Judge Wickham, as the candidate for Superior Court Judge.

The only other business transacted was the adoption of a resolution requesting the State Chairman to appoint a subcommittee to take steps to secure for the with the trial of some of the leaders in soldiers at the front the right to vote. Complete harmony prevailed and the meeting lasted only about an hour. Col. William A. Stone and four other candidates on the State ticket were introduced after the meeting. They made brief ad-

> Chairman John P. Elkin congratulated the Republicans of the State on the splendid outlook for an aggressive and successful campaign. "The election in November," he said, "is one of the most important in which the voters of this State have been called upon to partici- motion of Judge Henderson, of Crawpate for many years. We have a long with twenty-eight Congressmen and the Senator. When such great party interests are involved, we should and will present a united front to the common enemy. In this campaign there should not be Quay Republicans nor anti-Quay Republicans, but all should be Republicans

Itchiness of the skin, horrible plague. another. Only one safe, never failing

We Will Keep It.

WASHINGTON, July 21 .- The authoritative declaration was made to day that the island of Porto Rico is to be held as a the price of the war. The subjoined practically official statement was made to the Associated Press to-day:

"Porto Rico will be kept by the United States. That is settled and has been the plan from the first. Once taken it will never be released. It will pass forever into the hands of the United States and there never has been any other thought. Its possession will go toward making up the heavy expense of war to the United States. Our flag, once run up there, will float over the island permanently."

The same authority says the future of ment, and that so far there is no certain policy finally adopted regarding these islands. They are subject to developments in the war situation in the Pacific. It was intimated, however, though not definitely asserted, that the Ladrone Islands might fellow the fate of Porto Rico and become our permanent possession being valuable as a coaling and supply station for our ships when en route to Eastern Asia.

Bheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits; these troops since landing, their hereism | 75 cents. Sold at Benford's Drug Store,

Aguinalde Dictator.

Wastington, July 22 -The following cablegram has just been received at the

"Hong Kong, July 22.-Secretary of the Navy: The following is for the Secretary of War to the Adjutant General. Aguinaldo declares dictatorship and maxtial law over all the islands. The people expect independence. Recommend China

ponies. (Signed) Anderson," Colonel Anderson was senior army officer at the Phi.ippines when the dispatch staying. We have about thirty cases of yellow fever and many of malaria, but its Hong Kong date. The reference the men are cheerful. Gen. Duffield and to China ponies means that Colonel Anderson desires that kind of cavalry

Blanco Scents Triumph.

In a proclamation dated July 17 Captain General Blanco, after reciting that the capitulation of Santiago was forced, "after three months' beroic defense and many bloody combats, owing to a scarcity of ammunition and victuals," says; "The occupation of the city of Santiago

by the military forces of the Americans is lacking in strategic importance, owing to the fact that the city had previously been closely blocksded for a long time by the American ships, and will have little or no effect on the future development of the Spanish campaign which is to decide

for glory. It is willing to measure arms with the Americans, and in this army the King of Spain, the Spanish Government, and the whole country place the trust of defense, at any cost, of the integrity of Spanish territory and the honor of Spain's above sea level on the line of the picturesque R. & O. R. The climate and seasons are all seasons are all

otherwise heavily tilted toward the east, he having been the only member who could see the sun set behind the Allegheny mountains. The selection of Common Pleas Judge William David Porter, of Allegheny county, by Governor Hastings, for the emporary appointment, had clearly ndicated him as the likely nomined and so there was no room for thrilling

neeting of the Republican state com

nittee here was much more than this.

It was a visible and unmistakable

notice to all observing persons that

whatever has been in the past or may

e in store for the future of rivalries

within the party, there is room for

enly one kind of Republicans in Penn-

sylvania this year. The primary oc

casion of the meeting was to name a

Judge Wickham. The position was con-

ceded to western Pennsylvania, as

Judge Wickham was from Beaver

ounty, and the superior court bench is

rior court, to succeed the lat

excitement in connection with the distinct business for which the state comnittee was called together. Yet, instead of the perfunctory gathring of a mere quorum, it was the best and most representative meeting of the mmittee that has been held for years. Chairman Elkin, in his unusually happy opening remarks, fairly rang the keynote of the meeting when he congratuinted those present on the compresensive character of the assemblage and said that in selecting the executive ommittee for the conduct of the campaign, he had endeavored to include nen of "all factions and of no faction." Of the recent chairmen of the state committee, Quay was the only absenee. Cooper, "the golden haired angel of ncflation," looking older since he has shifted his ambitions toward concressional politics, exchanged congret plations with Andrews, who succeeded him in the chairmanship. Gilkeson, who took all pains away, and I never felt betwas the central figure ex-officio of the civil war of '95, sat within ten feet of ex-Congressman Robinson, who took a most conspicuous part against him in the final acts of that dramatic struggle, while General Frank Reeder, another ex-state chairman and never more popular in the fighting line of th party than since he followed the flag

Then there was Magee himself, nominating Judge Porter, who had been chairman of the Republican county Delamater in 1890, and Porter's nomination was made unanimous on the ford county, who was defeated for portant officers to elect nomination to the supreme beach by Judge Dean, and chiefly through Magee's efforts in the state convention. As the names of the executive comevery syllable was cheered. It was rec ognized upon the instant that when such men of prominence in the old interfactional fights as Congressman Connell, of Scranton, who is a representation of the most trusted leadership of the party; Senator Magee, who has the heart of the party with him in Pittsburg; Lieutenant Governor Lyon and ex-Postmaster James S. McKean, of the same county, who have never be fore been on the same side of the party street with Magee: Senator Durham and Charles F. Kindred, of Philadelbhra, side by side with David H. Lune, who, although a loyal friend of David Martin, has been untiring in his efforts to promote the harmonious on of all sorts of Republicans which was demonstrated at this meeting

of party loyalty out of public office, sat

side by side with George M. Van Bonn-

horst, who is next friend to Chris

ong as there was room in the Republican party for a Republican to be for of the campaign in co-operation with the state chairman it was notice to whom it may concern that Pennsylvania Republicans are enlisted for the you are more intent on something that will be cool and dependable war, and that there is once more a ommon party front.

ominee for supreme court judge, by the way, is deserving of more than a McC. Porfer, took a prominent part in the creation of the war state of West Virginia, and was speaker of its first louse of delegates. Although a western Pennsylvanian, he is a graduat of the law department of the Univer-sity of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, having been a student under the lanepted Sharswood. After two terms in the office of district attorney, although he had been chairman of the Republi can county committee which carried Allegheny county against Pattison, the entiment of the bar was so vigorously for him that Governor Pattison appointed him to a seat on the comm pleas bench, and he was nominated for

Judge William David Porter, the

e-election by both the Republican and Democratic parties on the expiration of his appointive term. He has shown himself a strong man on the bench, and his elevation to the superior court has been generally com

mended.

To those who have not closely followed Colonel Stone's career in con-gress, it may be a surprise to know the warm interest which his fellow members take in his gubernatorial andidacy. Here, for instance, are exracts from two letters which State Chairman Elkin has received from well known Republican leaders, who recognize the national importance of this election in Republican states like Pennsylvania. This is from Speaker Reed:

mendation of Colonel Stone. He has been in congress. He is able, compe-tent and has attended to his business here in a manner which reflects credit - Napkins, upon his constituency."

The brilliant senior senator from the resident's state, Joseph B. Foraker

"The Republicans of Pennsylvania ar o be congratulated on their good for tune in having such a splendid candicate for governor. William A. Stone is a typical representative of the best type aniversally esteemed for his many good qualities as a man and as an American He is a most worthy leader at this particular time. His abilities meet the equirements of the period, and I predict for him and the Republicans of your state a triumphant victory in No-

And these are only samples of scores of similar letters from national leaders GEORGE H. WELSHONS.

The Mountain Chautenqua.

and prevent malaria, rheumatism and kidney complaint, chronic dystepsia, constipation and liver trouble. The nervous, the weak and the infirm derive unspeak able benefit from its use, and it greatly mitigates those infirmities specially incident to advancing years. Sleep, appetite, and a sensation of comfort throughout the system, ensate upon its use, which should be regular and persistent. An early resort to this fine preventive is logically suggested to those who seek its aid.

\*\*Re Mere Calls for Treeps.\*\*

WASHINOTON, D. C., July 22.—The President told some inquiring callers to-day that he would not issue another call for troops. He said he was now confident the war can be fought to a successful conclusion by the men already in the field.

\*\*Per field of the picturesque R. & O. R. R. The climate and scenery and social surroundings are all that could be desired. \$300,000 have been spent in improvements. Mountain Lake Park is furnished with electric lights, and a sensation of comfort throughout the system, ensate upon its use, which should be regular and persistent. An early resort to this fine preventive is logically suggested to those who seek its aid.

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\*\*A boon to travelera. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Corres dysenters, names and music which genius can devise or money procure. The heantiful detailed that could be desired. \$300,000 have been send that could be desired. \$300,000 have been smany dangers and impediments, and that could be desired. \$300,000 have been smany dangers and impediments, and that could be desired. \$300,000 have been smany dangers and the told surface of some surface or person the indoor stream and water works are now being put in. Five splendid hotels and Fifty cotages, many of which receive beautiful that

President McKinley's Foresight.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 22.-The cor uct of the Cubans has been a revelation o our army officers who are fighting to Heve Cubs of Spanish rule, but possible contingencies were well known to the administration, and such knowledge was the cause of the President's message, much criticised by the admirers of the surgents, in which he declined in advance to recognize the Cuban Republic nd declared that it would be the policy of the United States to give a stable govrument to the islands. The decision to cease furnishing arms and ammunition to the insurgents is based upon information at hand that to continue such a poloy may be disastrons.

Representatives of the Cuban Junta are profuse in their apologies for the conduct of Cuban commanders. They evidently car the country at large will learn that a it to our boy and we noted an improvevery large proportion of the population of Cubs, anxious for a change of governnent, view with more apprehension the turning over of the island to the generals and colonels of the insurgents, than its continuance under Spatish rule.

KNOWING HOW PAYS.

An Engineer on the Ohio Speaks on Personal Matter.

When it became compulsory in the State of Peausylvania for engineers and other officers of steam craft to go up for examination, and take out papers licensing them to hold positions, a candidate presented himself at an oral, whose hoosier appearance betokened he knew very little about navigation, and less about the propelling force of a steam-boat. Looks are often deceptive, and in this case the hoosier answered quickly and correctly every question asked him. One of the examiners, a good-natured official, jokingly said: "My man, you have done remarkably well, answer this: Suppose you were out in the middle of the Ohio in a steam-boat, and your pumps were in good working order, but would not draw water, what would you do?" The answer came as quickly as the any of the preceding: "I would look over the side of the boat, and see if the Ohio was dry." Now this old anecdote has nothing whatever to do with Engineer Jas. W. Edgar, of No. 44 Seventh ave., McKeesport, Pa., a marine engineer, who has had forty years' experience in navigating all of the navigable rivers of the country. We merely introduce him in this manner, so that if the reader is annayed in the same way, he will know what to do. Mr. Edgar says: "Forseveral years! have had severe trouble with my kidneys; in fact, I had to give up my work on that account. I had severe trouble with my kidneys; in fact, I had to give up my work on that account. I had severe trouble with my kidneys; in fact, I had to give up my work on that account. I had severe trouble with my kidneys; in fact, I had to give up my work on that account. I had severe trouble with my kidneys; in fact, I had to give up my work on that account. I had severe trouble with my kidney were prime through my loins and kidneys, and an extreme weakness of the scretory organs. Hendaches were frequent, and I am glad to say they thoroughly and generally accompanied by dizances I got Doan's Kidney Pills at a drug stor ter than at the present time, and I am pleased to recommend so worthy a rem-Donn's Kidney Pills, for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name—Donn's—and take no substitute.

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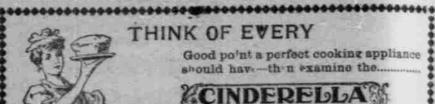
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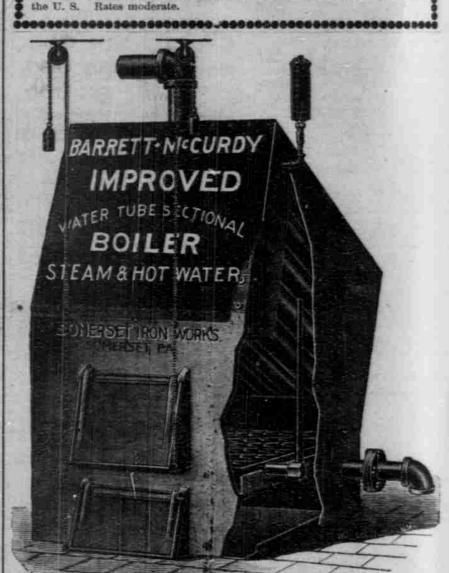
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